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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

during January 1924.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
January.	HOURS.		
6th, Sunday ...	21-36	Leave Howrah ...	By special train.
7th, Monday ...	7-36	Arrive Bankura.	
8th, Tuesday ...	...	Halt.	

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
January.	HOURS.		
9th, Wednesday ...	8-36	Leave Bankura ...	By motor car.
	9-36	Arrive Vishnupur.	
	14-6	Leave Vishnupur.	
	16-36	Arrive Midnapore.	
10th, Thursday ...	...	Halt.	
11th, Friday ...	12-16	Leave Midnapore ...	By special train.
	15-40	Arrive Howrah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Countess of Lytton.
Mr. A. N. Moberly, I.C.S., Chief Secretary (offg.).
Lieut.-Col. J. Mackenzie, C.I.E., Military Secretary.
Mr. H R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Private Secretary.
Captain S. B. Horn, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.
Captain H. Bruce Johnstone, Aide-de-Camp.

(2) The arrivals at Bankura on 7th January at 7-36 hours and at Midnapore on 9th at 16-36 hours will be public; all other arrivals and departures will be private.

(3) All letters and telegrams for the party should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

J. MACKENZIE, LIEUT.-COL.,
Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1923.*

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 14551A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 14244A.—The 20th December 1923.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Saiyid Manzur Murshed, a Deputy Magistrate in the district of 24-Parganas, to be a Special Magistrate for the districts of Howrah, Hooghly and Burdwan for a period not exceeding six weeks from the date of this notification and confers upon him the powers of a Magistrate of the first class in respect of offences under Chapter XVII of the Indian Penal Code, within the said districts.

24-Parganas. Howrah. Hooghly and Burdwan.

No. 14330A.—The 21st December 1923.—The orders of the 15th December 1923, transferring Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district, are cancelled.

Howrah. Chittagong.

No. 14354A.—The 21st December 1923.—Mr. Kulada Charan Das Gupta, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Faridpur, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Murshidabad district.

Faridpur. Murshidabad.

No. 14471A.—The 22nd December 1923.—Rai Sahib Mahendra Nath Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the headquarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

Nadia. 24-Parganas.

No. 14537 A.—The 27th December 1923.—Babu Pramatha Nath Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Presidency Division, on being relieved of his duties as Superintendent of the Orphanganj Market, Kidderpore.

Presy. Divn.

POLICE.—*No. 14302A.—The 20th December 1923.*—Babu Bankim Chandra Das Gupta, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Nadia, is appointed to act temporarily as Superintendent of Police of that district during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Sukumar Sen Gupta, or until further orders.

Nadia.

No. 14347A.—The 21st December 1923.—Mr. W. E. Duckfield, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Contai, Midnapore, is transferred to Chittagong and appointed to have charge of the police work on the Assam-Bengal Railway and the Dacca section of the Eastern Bengal Railway to the east of the river Jamuna with effect from the 1st January 1924.

Midnapore. Chittagong.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 14151A.—The 19th December 1923.*—The Reverend E. J. Young is appointed temporarily to be Assistant Chaplain, St. Stephen's Church, Kidderpore, with effect from the date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

24-Parganas.

No. 14290A.—The 20th December 1923.—The Revd. G. Spooner, Wesleyan Minister, is authorised, under section 6 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, XV of 1872, to solemnize marriages within the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal between persons one or both of whom is or are a Christian or Christians.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 14343A.—The 21st December 1923.*—Maulvi Mirza Yahya Shirazi, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for four months (of which twenty-seven days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and the note thereunder, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 13th August 1923.

No. 14351A.—The 21st December 1923.—The orders of the 13th November 1923, allowing twelve days' leave on average pay to Babu Satya Prasanna Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on probation, Howrah, from the 26th October 1923, are cancelled.

Howrah.

No. 14466A.—The 22nd December 1923.—Mr. W. S. Adie, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for one year, viz., leave on average pay for nine months and seventeen days (including privilege leave for five months and seventeen days), with effect from the 17th January 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rules 81 (*b*) (*i*) and 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Murshidabad.

No. 14468A.—The 22nd December 1923.—Mr. Satyendra Chandra Mallik, I.C.S. District and Sessions Judge, Faridpur, is allowed leave on average pay from the 2nd to the 25th January 1924 (both days inclusive) under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Faridpur.

No. 14471A.—The 22nd December 1923.—The orders of the 11th December 1923 allowing three months' leave on average pay to Rai Sahib Mahendra Nath Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, are cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 14485A.—The 22nd December 1923.—Babu Jitendra Nath Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on half average pay for one month and ten days, under article 81 *d*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 1st December 1923.

No. 14487A.—The 22nd December 1923.—Babu Rebati Raman Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, and Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division, is allowed leave on average pay for five days, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) the Fundamental Rules.

Rajshahi.

No. 14490A.—The 22nd December 1923.—The orders of the 15th November 1923, allowing leave on average pay from the 19th November to the 22nd December 1923 to Babu Atul Chandra Bagchi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura, are cancelled.

Bankura.

No. 14501A.—The 22nd December 1923.—Mr. D. G. Davies, I.C.S., is allowed extraordinary leave without allowance from the 22nd to the 27th September 1923 (both days inclusive), under article 306 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations (New), in extension of the leave already granted to him.

No. 14504A.—The 22nd December 1923.—Babu Nalini Ranjan Raha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is allowed leave on average pay for nine days, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 14th December 1923.

Murshidabad.

No. 14528A.—The 26th December 1923.—Babu Akhil Chandra Gangali, Sub-Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and fifteen days, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Faridpur.

No. 14531A.—The 26th December 1923.—Mr. Kali Charan Som, Sub-Deputy Collector, Alipore, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay for six weeks (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

24-Parganas.

No. 14534A.—The 26th December 1923.—Babu Gurudas Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, Pabna, is allowed leave on average pay for twelve days (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 11th December 1923.

Pabna.

POLICE.—*No. 14194A.—The 19th December 1923.*—Mr. C. S. Buckner, probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, is allowed leave on half average pay for six months on medical certificate, under article 81 (*c*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 11th December 1923.

Mymensingh.

No. 14301A.—The 20th December 1923.—Mr. Sukumar Sen Gupta, Superintendent of Police, Nadia, is allowed leave on average pay for three weeks, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Nadia.

No. 14478A.—The 22nd December 1923.—In modification of the orders dated the 31st October 1923, Mr. V. W. F. Hicks, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Kharagpur, Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for seventeen days, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 19th November 1923.

Midnapore.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5670A.R.—The 28th December 1923.—Whereas the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules to inquire into the petition presented by Dr. Abdullah-al Mamun Suhrawardy against the election of Maulvi Saiyid Nasim Ali to the Bengal Legislative Council by the 24-Parganas Rural (Muhammadan) Constituency, have after due inquiry reported to the Governor that the returned candidate Maulvi Saiyid Nasim Ali had not been duly elected,

24-Parganas.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by rule 45 (*3*) of the said rules, the Governor is pleased to declare, in accordance with the report of the Commissioners, the election of Maulvi Saiyid Nasim Ali as a member of the Bengal Legislative Council for the 24-Parganas Rural Muhammadan Constituency to be void.

His Excellency the Governor is further pleased to order that in accordance with the recommendations of the said Commissioners each party shall bear his own costs.

The following report of the said Commissioners is published in accordance with the provisions of rule 45 (*2*) of the said rules.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules at Alipore, district 24-Parganas.

PRESENT:

(1) A. J. Chotzner, ESQ., I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, *President.*
(2) D. C. Patterson, ESQ., I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge of the 24-Parganas.
(3) Rai Sarada Prosad Bakshi Bahadur, retired District and Sessions Judge.

CASE NO. 1 OF 1923.

Dr. A. Suhrawardy, *petitioner,*
versus
Saiyid Nasim Ali, *opposite party.*

Report.

WE have been appointed Commissioners to enquire into the petition presented by Dr Abdullah-al Mamun Suhrawardy against the election of Maulvi Saiyid Nasim Ali to the Bengal Legislative Council by the 24-Parganas Rural Muhammadan Constituency.

The proceedings were *ex parte* as Maulvi Saiyid Nasim Ali, the returned candidate, did not appear although notices were duly served upon him.

The facts are not in dispute.

Dr. Suhrawardy who is registered as an elector on the Electoral Roll of Calcutta North Muhammadan Constituency in Ward No. 9 and who is thereby duly qualified to stand for election from the 24-Parganas Rural Muhammadan Constituency, caused a Nomination Paper to be delivered to the Returning Officer for his election as a Member of the Bengal Legislative Council at the general election of November 1923.

Dr. Suhrawardy's proposer as stated in the Nomination Paper was Kazi Abdul Jalil, whose number in the Bengali Electoral Roll is No. 1, thana Baduria, Union No. 9, Shaistanagar. In the Electoral Roll however Kazi Abdul Jalil's name was wrongly printed as Kazi Abdul Janis, son of Kazi Mahommed Hatem, the other particulars being correct. At the time when Kazi Abdul Jalil presented the Nomination Paper he entered his name under the head of "proposer" as Kazi Abdul Janis and within brackets Kazi Abdul Jalil. He explains that the reason why he made the duplicate entry was to bring his name into conformity with the name wrongly recorded in the electoral roll. He filled up the details required as to his number, etc., and signed his correct name below in the appropriate line.

The Nomination Paper was presented to the Returning Officer on 8th October 1923. On 11th October Mr. Lodge, the Returning Officer, in his certificate of scrutiny observed that "the proposer's name is Kazi Abdul Jalil, whereas the name in the Voters List is Abdul Janis. The proposer is not present and there is nothing before me to show that Abdul Jalil and Abdul Janis are the same person." He, therefore, rejected the Nomination Paper apparently under Regulation XXI (*1*) (*iv*). Thereupon Dr. Suhrawardy presented the present petition.

The short point for decision is whether the refusal by the Returning Officer of Dr. Suhrawardy's Nomination Paper was improper and whether as a fact the result of the election has in consequence been materially affected within the meaning of rule 44 (*i*) (*c*)

We have heard the evidence of Kazi Abdul Jalil and are quite satisfied that he is identical with the voter No. 1 of the Electoral Roll who has been wrongly printed in the Bengal Electoral Roll as Kazi Abdul Janis. He has explained that he saw the Electoral Roll for the first time on the date he signed the Nomination Paper and shortly before he signed it, and that was the reason why he entered the name given in the Electoral Roll accompanied by his true name in brackets.

We are fully satisfied that this is the true explanation.

We have also heard the evidence of Babu Shama Charan Mondal, the Collecting *Panchayat* of Union No. 9, Shaistanagar. He is acquainted with Kazi Abdul Jalil and states that there is no one in his village of the name of Abdul Janis.

We accept that statement.

He was responsible for the preparation of the Voters List of his union which he prepared from his copy of the Assessment Register and dictated it to his paik Prafulla Chakraburtty, who wrote it out (Exhibit 2). It would appear from an examination of this list that the writing of the name "Jalil" was somewhat indistinct and so no doubt at the time of printing the mistake was made. From our own inspection of the list we are of opinion that the real entry was Jalil and not Janis.

It seems to have been somewhat unfortunate that at the time of scrutiny by the Returning Officer neither Kazi Abdul Jalil nor Dr. Suhrawardy were present and the Returning Officer was therefore not in a position to hold an adequate enquiry into the matter. If he had been able to do so, he would not have rejected the Nomination Paper. It was held in the case of *Oldham* (*1869 1 O' M & H 153*) that if a person on the register is called by a wrong name, that will not vititate his vote. Upon the same principle it would follow that a person incorrectly described in the Electoral Roll is not thereby debarred from acting as a proposer of a candidate.

For these reasons we think that the Nomination Paper was improperly rejected by the Returning Officer. The effect of this has been materially to affect the result of the Election and we are therefore of opinion that the returned candidate Maulvi Saiyid Nasim Ali has not been duly elected.

We have been pressed by the learned vakil for the applicant to award him his costs, but in view of the fact that the hearing has been *ex-parte* and that the mistake was one for which Maulvi Saiyid Nasim Ali could in no way be held responsible, we recommend that the petitioner do bear his own costs.

A. J. CHOTZNER,

D. C. PATTERSON,

SARODA PROSAD BAKSHI,

Commissioners.

CALCUTTA, *the 24th December 1923.*

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

24-Parganas.

No. 3631Pl.—The 22nd December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Baranagar police-station, in the district of the 24-Parganas, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the villages specified in the following schedule, namely :—

Schedule.

Names of villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Baranagar	Names of villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Baranagar.
Ariandah Kamarhati ...	1	Paipara ...	7
Basudebpur ...	2	Nainan ...	8
Belghoria ...	3	Nainan Nij ...	9
Dakhineswar ...	4	Naupara Sabek ...	10
Baranagar ...	5	Nainan Purba ...	11
Ban Hughli ...	6	Sinthi Nij ...	12

24-Parganas.

No. 3632Pl.—The 22nd December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Budge-Budge police-station, in the district of the 24-Parganas, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the villages specified in the following schedule, namely :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Budge-Budge.	Names of villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Budge-Budge.
Chak Gobinda ...	1	Rajarampur ...	39
Mirpur ...	2	Keshorpur ...	40
Haiatpur ...	3	Betobati ...	41
Chak Mirpur ...	4	Parbatipur ...	42
Bangla ...	5	Malangadari ...	43
Nangi ...	6	Ramchandrapur ...	44
Chak Chanduria ...	7	Ghaneswambati ...	45
Hitalkhali ...	8	Raipur ...	46
Shyampur ...	9	Baita ...	47
Chak Nandarampur ...	10	Bishukharali ...	48
Kalinagar Bade ...	11	Jamalpur ...	49
Chitragunj	12	Nischintapur ...	50
Gart Bhuttu Nandanpur ...	13	Radhakantapur ...	51
Gart Budge-Budge ...	14	Ramchandrapur ...	52
Nij Ghar ...	15	Durgapur ...	53
Gart Bamnia ...	16	Mankhali ...	54
Joychandipur Chorail ...	17	Chak Farid ...	55
Joychandipur ...	18	Raghunathpur ...	56
Abhirampur ...	19	Rajarampur ...	57
Baiyanberia Chorail ...	20	Pujali ...	58
Binjanbari ...	21	Rajibpur ...	59
Nandanpur ...	22	Chak Khanji ...	60
Raipur ...	23	Jagat Ballavpur ...	61
Serangabad ...	24	Mayapur ...	62
Nangi Kismat ...	25	Chak Khanabati ...	63
Gum ...	26	Chak Mankhali ...	64
Par Bangla ...	27	Jagannathpur or Chandipur ...	65
Chak Krishnanagar ...	28	Chak Kashipur ...	66
Heatpur or Putkhali ...	29	Jadabbati ...	67
Chak Raipur ...	30	Chak Alampur ...	68
Chak Nabasan ...	31	Aima ...	69
Chak Banjanberia ...	32	Chak Bansberia ...	70
Nandarampur ...	33	Satgachhia ...	71
Chak Krishnanagar ...	34	Bhatka Khali ...	72
Balarampore ...	35	Santoshpur ...	73
Chingripota ...	36	Maheshwarpur ...	74
Atmarampur ...	37	Kalinagar ...	75
Santoshpur ...	38		

Names of villages.		General jurisdiction list number of thana Budge Budge.
Saptara or Rashulpur	...	76
Chak Etbari	...	77
Chak Budhai	...	78
Chak Manik	...	79
Chak Paran	...	80
Gaumundi	...	81
Bith Chara	...	82
Bahirchara	...	83
Chak Uadi	...	84
Sahiban Bagicha	...	85
Chak Kutab	...	86
Chak Doulat	...	87
Nadakhali	...	88
Sonapur	...	89
Chara Dungaria	...	90
Chara Hauri	...	91
Hawri	...	92
Dhanchaberia	...	93
Dungaria	...	94
Raipur	...	95
Gadakhali	...	96
Dhanberia	...	97
Chak Baratala	...	98
Paili	...	99
Baratala	...	100
Gang Nanhazari	...	101
Bahir Kunji	...	102
Ghoraghata	...	103
Talari	...	104
Naldari	...	105
Chak Telagi	...	106
Baral	...	107
Baherdala	...	108
Chandna	...	109
Keshabpur	...	110
Chak Binda	...	111
Semia	...	112
Goja Chandipur	...	113
Panksita	...	114
Nanbazari	...	115
Poita	...	116
Bagpota Utter	..	117
Bagpota Dakshin	..	118
Kuchigadi	...	119
Pakura Kultukri	...	120
Chak Kastagara	...	121
Ranin Gobindapur	...	122
Maheshgot	...	123
Dashatina	...	124
Bangram	...	125
Chak Kastugara	...	126
Chak Rama Gobindapur		127
Kashtagara	...	128
Sehai	...	129
Chak Kastagara	...	130
Bidira	...	131
Deuli		132
Kamra	...	133
Brindabanpur	...	134
Shaheban Umedpur	...	135
Chak Himat Khan, I	...	136
Mohamayapur	...	137
Chak Rashik	...	138
Chak Bulaki	...	139
Chak Himat Khan, II	...	140
Majirhat or Shideswar	...	141
Ariapara	...	142
Choulkhola	...	143
Shibpur	...	144
Naskarpur	...	145
Simulia	...	146
Nibash Dahara	...	147
Kalapukuria	...	148
Satsha	...	149
Itali	...	150
Ramchandrapur	...	151
Santoshpur	...	152
Naia Bade	...	153
Naia Bir	...	154
Talmaria	...	155
Naia	...	156
Pairachali	...	157
Sonaria	...	158
Baria	...	159
Hatisala	...	160
Mohanpur or Monoharpur		161
Subi	...	162

24-Pargana

No. 3633P.—The 22nd December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Falta police-station, in the district of the 24-Parganas, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the villages specified in the following schedule, namely :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.		Jurisdiction list number of thana Falta.
Baidyakhali	...	1
Pakurtala	...	2
Sriballavpur	...	3
Bakultala	...	4
Bakultala Khurd	...	5
Paikan Pakuria	...	6
Austa Bara	...	7
Krishnapur	...	8
Depra	...	9
Mahamadpur	...	10
Dukhinala	...	11
Gutri	...	12
Daulatpur	...	13
Mahadebpur	...	14
Ghoshpur	...	15
Paddapukur	...	16
Simulgunj Abad	...	17
Ahmadpur	...	18
Rajarampur	...	19
Dhanu Mandal	...	20
Krishnarampur	...	
Samsundarpur	...	21
Basunath	...	22
Jaffarpur	...	23
Falta	...	24
Chandideal	...	25

Names of villages	Jurisdiction list number of thana Falta.
Jaguli ...	26
Hingu ...	27
Sahara ...	28
Chak Hingu ...	29
Bhatuali ..	30
Iswaripur Daudpur ...	31
Sujapur ...	32
Jagannathpur ...	33
Sonakopa ...	34
Sandakopa ...	35
Belsing ...	36
Chak Haibatpur ...	37
Atsasan ...	38
Mathurabati ...	39
Purlia ...	40
Kalkapur ...	41
Purula ...	42
Nanda ...	43
Sarangal ...	44
Chandpala Anantarampur	45
Haibatpur Baharampore ...	46
Srirampur ...	47
Kamargram ...	48
Nityanandapur ...	49
Bon Hooghli ...	50
Charaul ...	51
Durgapur ...	52
Makamtala ...	53
Bansika ...	54
Sargaria ...	55
Suhapur Kamalpur ...	56
Set Kalia ...	57
Hinchaberia ...	58
Taragadi ...	59
Sakerhat ...	60
Budha ...	61
Srichanda ...	62
Banki ...	63
Dona ...	64
Dona Paschim ...	65
Radhapur ...	66
Rasulpur ...	67
Mahirampur ...	68
Narayanbir ...	69
Mallikpur ...	70
Kalagachhia ...	71
Chakra Dakhin ...	72
Pakurdiga ...	73
Gandarbapur ...	74
Bakhra ...	75
Gopalpur ...	76
Chalka Uttar ...	77
Putara ...	78
Rajarberia ...	79
Hasanpur ...	80
Hanskanda ...	81
Austa ...	82
Kachu ...	83
Jamina ...	84
Sargaria ...	85
Bhomragaria ...	86
Paikagachhi Khurd ...	87
Daluipur ...	88
Paikpara ...	89
Krishnapur Madhabpur ...	90
Raulpore ...	91
Banamalipur ...	92
Banamalipur Bade ...	93
Tripurapur ...	94
Sujagopalpur ...	95
Manteswara ...	96
Joysing ...	97

Names of villages.	Jurisdiction list number of thana Falta.
Naraintala ...	98
Gobra Bade ...	99
Rukha ...	100
Rukha Bera ...	101
Goaberia ...	102
Chuchragadi ...	103
Ramnakha ...	104
Chak Kalsu ...	105
Kalsu ...	106
Padda Satal ...	107
Dihi Satal ...	108
Balikanda ...	109
Nischintapur ...	110
Biswanathpur ...	111
Nilambarpur ...	112
Pankumra ...	113
Amtaini ...	114
Nanpukhuria or Makalu ...	115
Asina ...	116
Bahera ...	117
Chulia ...	118
Kismat Seulgari ...	119
Muraripur ...	120
Katalpuli ...	121
Sahana ...	122
Dhuttikri ...	123
Bhabanipore ...	124
Bhabanipur ...	125
Laskarpur Jala ...	126
Jangalia ...	127
Etigadi ...	128
Barandari or Boldari ...	129
Heliagachhi Bade ...	130
Harindanga ...	131
Heliagachhi ...	132
Harindanga Bade ...	133
Daitya Pabji ...	134
Kajnanla ...	135
Garh Malia ...	136
Pairachati ...	137
Basudebpur ...	138
Majlispur ...	139
Jagla ...	140
Ballavpur ...	141
Hugla ...	142
Chak Talanda ...	143
Beneria ...	144
Brihastipur Jagannathpur	145
Talanda ...	146
Barkhali ...	147
Maulpunji ...	148
Malang Kodalia ...	149
Uakali ...	150
Narayani ...	151
Raitmahal ...	152
Rajarampur ...	153
Keotkhanda ...	154
Dostpur ...	155
Ramghar ...	156
Alladadpur	157
Chak Ulkuni ...	158
Khejurdani ...	159
Kodalia ...	160
Daulatpur Hatgachhi ...	161
Baiaria ...	162
Alambibi ...	163
Ramnagar ...	164
Digri ...	165
Bhagabanpur ...	166
Dhukragachhi ...	167
Baichiberia ...	168
Kaikhali ...	169

Names of villages	Jurisdiction list number of thana Falta	Names of villages	Jurisdiction list number of thana Falta.
Abdali ...	170	Madhubati ...	206
Barasatpur ...	171	Sasan ...	207
Sridharpati or Sidheswar-nali ...	172	Tajpur ...	208
Sambali ...	173	Rikhra ...	209
Ghorakata ...	174	Gopalpur ...	210
Bhabanipur ...	175	Rautan ...	211
Jadabbati ...	176	Chaluari ...	212
Hanspur ...	177	Ramjibanpur ...	213
Hangarghata ...	178	Niogirbati ...	214
Gobindapur ...	179	Chak Gopalpur ...	215
Kabular ...	180	Kaloa or Kaya ...	216
Rangapunji ...	181	Chak Khanpur ...	217
Debipur ...	182	Durbabati ...	218
Achanda ...	183	Khanpur ...	219
Jumtia ...	184	Kotaldanga ...	220
Lakhna ...	185	Benapur ...	221
Gangadharpore ...	186	Masasinga ...	222
Maliaharishpur ...	187	Fatehpur ...	223
Amarpur ...	188	Bhanganagar ...	224
Kashirampore ...	189	Jaffarpur or Barutia ...	225
Ghanesyampur ...	190	Hashimnagar ...	226
Chak Madhumondal ...	191	Baneswarpur ...	227
Chak Padma or Gharkhali	192	Baneswarpur ...	228
Rameswarbati ...	193	Gotra or Malipukuria ...	229
Katakhali ...	194	Chak Bhattacharjee ...	230
Shibrampur ...	195	Anasheria ...	231
Barbara ...	196	Barasatpur ...	232
Sidhipore ...	197	Shibpur ...	233
Chak Fatehpur ...	198	Chak Gobindapur ...	234
Durgapur ...	199	Chak Chaluari ...	235
Gazipur ...	200	Kismat Etgarpur ...	236
Patkelghata ...	201	Patimaroi ...	237
Chak Patkelghata ...	202	Jalagachhi ...	238
Sasan Khurd ...	203	Ram Rampur ...	239
Krishnapur ...	204	Gobindabati ...	240
Tajpore ...	205	Maila ...	241
		Kularia ...	242

No. 3634Pl.—The 22nd December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Diamond Harbour police-station, in the district of the 24-Parganas, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the villages specified in the following schedule, namely :—

24-Parganas.

Schedule.

Names of villages	Jurisdiction list number of thana Diamond Harbour	Names of villages.	Jurisdiction list number of thana Diamond Harbour.
Taragunja ...	1	Dhakol ...	21
Bisbaria ...	2	Chak Haldighi ...	22
Simulberia ...	3	Kalia ...	23
Akalmeg ...	4	Khaduli ...	24
Nainan ...	5	Sundrika ...	25
Gopalpore ...	6	Ramnagar ...	26
Jaitala ...	7	Birpana ...	27
Parasurampore ...	8	Haldighi ...	28
Basudebpore ...	9	Karaiberia ...	29
Pana ...	10	Karaiberia ...	30
Kasipore ...	11	Kunjapur ...	31
Sohora ...	12	Nile ...	32
Kasipore Bora ...	13	Sritalberia ...	33
Raghunathpur Gundia ...	14	Nurpur ...	34
Amrita Kunda ...	15	Durgapur ...	35
Sankar Porulia ...	16	Sukdebpur ...	36
Barda ...	17	Bhabanipore ...	37
Bhandra ...	18	Mukundapur ...	38
Piti ...	19	Simulberia ...	39
Raghunathpur Gandia ...	20	Simulberia Abad ...	40

Names of villages.	Jurisdiction list number of thana Diamond Harbour.
Simulberia Khalari ...	41
Chak Loknath Khalari ...	42
Chak Simulgunj ...	43
Chak Loknath ...	44
Kankjol ...	45
Kankjol ...	46
Maheswora ...	47
Gangaberia ...	48
Ashupur ...	49
Karukberia ...	50
Akrapunji ...	51
Piplet ...	52
Parjala ...	53
Garagachha ...	54
Gogankhali ...	55
Ashurali ...	56
Dugrijhara ...	57
Chandipur ...	58
Jhandari ...	59
Simla Utter ...	60
Khordo Lohona ...	61
Simla Dakhin ...	62
Iswarpur Mank Landa ...	63
Srirampur ...	64
Goalara ...	65
Gobindapur ...	66
Chak Mir ...	67
Chakray ...	68
Simulgunj Abad ...	69
Ramchandranagar ...	70
Kalicharanpur ...	71
Chak Asraf ...	72
Kristarampur or Durgarampur.	73
Gobindapur Dari ...	74
Gobindapur Bara ...	75
Kultigri ...	76
Chak Simulgunj ...	77
Andharia ...	78
Khurdh Sadasibpur ...	79
Chak Garghata ...	80
Mathur ...	81
Khusberia ...	82
Bhudhar Khanda ...	83
Pardaha ...	84
Jiancha ...	85
Biaspur ...	86
Sankna ...	87
Digheshwar ...	88
Malika ...	89
Chanda Bamantala ...	90
Naldiala ...	91
Dakjwari ...	92
Ausberia ...	93
Sheorahati ...	94
Beniakuri ...	95
Bangala ...	96
Khurd ...	97
Nischintapur ...	98
Pitambera ...	99
Balai Jonaki ...	100
Imadpur ...	101
Madpur ...	102
Hinchiberia ...	103
Panshet-Godadharpur ...	104
Ambria Bade ...	105
Tappa ...	107
Khamarkhur ...	108
Chak Chaiara ...	109
Bhusharna ...	110
Khamarpole ...	111
Rekha ...	112
Gangadharpur ...	113
Garghata ...	114
Lakshimanpur ...	115
Bidyadharpur ...	116
Jangalpara ...	117
Khurdh Sadasibpur ...	118
Hari Naryanpur ...	119
Chak Deulpota ...	120
Chak Basuli ...	121
Chak Sheuli ...	122
Kali Sankarpur ...	123
Parulia ...	124
Gachalberia ...	125
Majerhat or Gorabandh ...	126
Dibyanandapur ...	127
Ramchandranagar ...	128
Haridebpur ...	129
Santoshpur ...	130
Mohanpur ...	131
Deulpota ...	132
Chandnagar ...	133
Debipur ...	134
Joydebpur ...	135
Makhalhal ...	136
Hozipur ...	137
Ghurermath ...	138
Roynagar ...	139
Kalinagar ...	140
Bagabanpur or Jonardanpur ...	141
Bahadurpur ...	142
Gobindapur ...	143
Ranitala ...	144
Parbatipur ...	145
Mangrajpur ...	146
Khalshipukuria ...	147
Harindanga ...	148
Ram Gobindapur ...	149
Thaulpota ...	150
Mollapukur ...	151
Narayanpur ...	152
Patra ...	153
Agneswar ...	154
Padmapukur ...	155
Udoypur ...	156
Mirzapur ...	157
Goalberia ...	158
Rampur Dari ...	159
Bedab ...	160
Muragachi ...	161
Raghunathpur ...	162
Bhabanipur ...	163
Durgapur ...	164
Patalpunji ...	165
Bagdu ...	166
Kalagachia ...	167
Sarisha ...	168
Naranlala ...	169
Nabasan ...	170
Chak Jinga No. 1 ...	171
Moheshghat ...	172
Jinga ...	173
Roypur ...	174
Chak Jhinga No. 2 ...	175
Sukdebpur ...	176
Chaiara ...	177
Nahana ...	178
Nashath ...	179
Kalkamuria ...	180
Katapukuria ...	181
Chak Chhalrish ...	182
Joyrampur ...	183

Names of villages.		Jurisdiction list number of thana Diamond Harbour.
Kanaigachi	...	184
Madra or Matra	...	185
Rampur Khurdh	...	186
Bhuganjhi	...	187
Iswaripur	...	188
Raghunathpur	...	189
Kankuria	...	190
Raghunathnagar	...	191
Ramchandrapur	...	192
Ghatu	...	193
Nangaon	...	194
Chak Udaypur	...	195
Garura	...	196
Rampur	...	197
Sonapukuria	...	198
Sangrampur	...	199
Teldanga	...	200
Masat	...	201
Chak Gopalpur	...	202
Kalipur or Kuleshwar	...	203
Dearak	...	204
Chandipur	...	205
Ramkantopur	...	206
Dearak	...	207
Singberia Kalyanpur	...	208
Udoypur Panchgram	...	209
Debipur or Delpur	...	210
Lakhipur	...	211
Srihat	...	212
Krishnarampur	...	213
Bazarberia	...	214
Andu Thura	...	215
Basundanga	...	216
Noapara	...	217
Chanda	...	218
Kubria	...	219
Banamalipur	...	220
Muruiberia	...	221
Durganagar Kishornagar	...	222
Gouripur	...	223
Ram Narayanpur	...	224
Dhanberia Rajarampur	...	225
Ram Chandrapur	...	226
Ferojpur	...	227
Madhabpur	...	228
Sultanpur	...	229
Krishnarampur	...	230
Ratneswarpur	...	231
Ratneshwarpur Bara	...	232
Bagabatipur	...	233
Boria	..	234
Satminsa	...	235
Bolshidi	...	236
Nandodulalpur	...	237
Nalgachhia	...	238
Narayanpur	...	239
Gauripur	...	240
Hansdahara	...	241
Baradran	...	242
Narayanpur Dasi	...	243
Telagori	...	244
Teladanga	...	245
Dagaria	...	246
Mainan	...	247
Mukundapur Kamalpur	...	248
Arghora	...	249
Ludia	...	250
Khurd Sadashibpur	...	251
Joktabla	...	252
Salgachhi	...	253
Nangaon	...	254
Durgapur	...	255
Radhaballavpur	...	256
Mirpur	...	257
Chausa	...	258
Sultanbaga	...	259
Notra	...	260
Kalmegha	...	261
Malancha	...	262
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Hazrabandh	...	266
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A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 14552A.

POWERS.

Khulna. *No. 14141A.—The 19th December 1923.*—Babu Harendra Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Midnapore. *No. 14143A.—The 19th December 1923.*—Babu Narendra Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Pabna. *No. 14252A.—The 20th December 1923.*—Maulvi Zillur Rahman, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Sirajganj, Pabna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

Bakarganj. *No. 14254A.—The 20th December 1923.*—Maulvi Ahmed Meah, Deputy Magistrate, on probation, Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 14256A.—The 20th December 1923.—Maulvi Abdul Azim, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

Jessore.

No. 14311A.—The 21st December 1923.—Babu Sarat Chandra Guha, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Bogra.

No. 14313A.—The 21st December 1923.—Babu Abhay Charan Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, Sirajganj, Pabna, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Pabna.

No. 14345A.—The 21st December 1923.—Mr. N. L. Hindley, I.C.S., Joint Magistrate, Sirajganj, Pabna, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Pabna.

No. 14537A.—The 27th December 1923.—Babu Pramatha Nath Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the Presidency Division, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Presy. Divn.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 8333J.—The 21st December 1923.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Bijay Lal Datta the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Alipore Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 8365J.—The 26th December 1923.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen named below the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Budge-Budge Bench in the said district :—

(1) Mr. Cecil Osmond Manuel.
(2) Babu Debendra Nath Ghosh.

No. 8376J.—The 22nd December 1923.—The orders contained in notification No. 7986 J., dated the 10th December 1923, published at page 1911 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, appointing Babu Hem Chandra Mitra as a Subordinate Judge in the district of Tippera, are hereby cancelled.

Tippera.

No. 8379J.—The 22nd December 1923.—In modification of the orders contained in notification No. 7984J., dated the 10th December 1923, published at page 1911 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, Babu Rajendra Chandra Sen Gupta, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Pabna and Bogra, to be ordinarily stationed at Serajganj.

Pabna. Bogra.

No. 8433J.—The 26th December 1923.—Babu Santosh Kumar Mitra, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Comilla.

Tippera.

No. 8490J.—The 26th December 1923.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. Hugh Workman the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Garulia Bench in the said district.

No. 8497J.—The 27th December 1923.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Kamruddin Haidar the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sealdah Bench in the said district.

LEAVE.

No. 8467J.—The 13th December 1923.—Babu Bhupendra Nath Mukharji, No. II, Munsif of Burdwan, is allowed privilege leave on half pay till the 22nd December 1923, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations (New), in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 27th November 1923.

Burdwan.

No. 8468J.—The 13th December 1923.—Babu Bhupendra Nath Mitra, Munsif, is allowed leave, on quarter average pay, on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for six months, under articles 18, 81 (*c*) (*i*) and 88 of those Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 12th May 1923.

No. 8469J.—The 14th December 1923.—Babu Pannalal Basu, Munsif under orders of transfer to Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay, on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, from the 12th November to the 22nd December, 1923, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules, with permission to prefix to the leave the Civil Court vacation of 1923, under article 82 (*d*) of the same rules.

Dacca.

No. 8470J.—The 15th December 1923.—Babu Pratul Chandra Ray, Munsif of Bogra, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is allowed leave, on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for three months, viz., leave on average pay, for one month and fourteen days, or the amount due on the date of relief, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*c*) (*i*) of the same rules.

Bogra.

No. 8499J.—The 19th December 1923.—Babu Rupamay Chatarji, Munsif of Kandi, in the district of Murshidabad, is allowed leave on half average pay, from the 2nd January to the 5th March 1924, under article 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Murshidabad.

No. 8500J.—The 19th December 1923.—Mr. Satish Chandra Bagchi, Munsif of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave on half average pay, from the 2nd to the 19th January 1924, under article 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Tippera.

No. 8501J.—The 19th December 1923.— Babu Surendra Nath Sen, No. II, Munsif of Baruipur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay, on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, from the 20th November to the 22nd December 1923, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules.

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No. 8360J.—The 20th December 1923.—Babu Sarada Prasad Banarji, Subordinate Judge, Hooghly, is allowed privilege leave on half pay for sixteen days, under article 271, Civil Service Regulations (new), with effect from the 7th December 1923.

Hooghly.

RESIGNATION.

Burdwan. *No. 8488J.—The 26th December 1923.*—The Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Babu Janaki Prasad Aich of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Raniganj Bench.

POWERS.

24-Parganas. *No. 8374J.—The 26th December 1923.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Dr. H. W. B. Moreno, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sealdah Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench—

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before said bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said Bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

J. BARTLEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

Dacca. *No. 8425J.—The 22nd December 1923.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union boards mentioned below during their term of office as such members to be union benches within the jurisdiction of the union boards of which they are respectively members, for the purposes of that section :—

Names of members of Union Boards to constitute Union Benches in the Sadar North Subdivision, district Dacca.

Names of union boards		Names of members.
Simulia	..	1. Babu Brajeswar Bhowmik, B.A. 2. „ Sashi Bhusan Basak. 3. Dr. Maulvi Raisuddin Khan. 4. Babu Jatindra Mohan Saha. 5. Munshi Alimuddin Sarkar.
Gangutia	...	1. Babu Mano Mohan Roy. 2. „ Surendra Mohan Roy. 3. Munshi Sheik Sabi Hazi. 4. „ Moniruddin Sarkar.
Suapur	...	1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Ray. 2. „ Brojendra Nath Roy. 3. „ Ananta Kumar Roy. 4. Munshi Intazuddin. 5. „ Reazuddin Sarkar.
Kashimpur	...	1. Babu Chandra Kanta Ghosh. 2. „ Ananta Kumar Das. 3. Munshi Badan Ali. 4. Babu Satish Chandra Guha. 5. Munshi Rahman Sarkar.
Dhaljora	...	1. Babu Debendra Nath Guha. 2. „ Kshetra Nath Guha. 3. Munshi Haran Sarkar. 4. „ Sahebali Miah.

Dacca. *No. 8426J.—The 22nd December 1923.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union boards mentioned below during their term of office as such members to be union courts within the jurisdiction of the union boards of which they are respectively members, for the purposes of that section :—

Names of members of Union Boards to constitute Union Courts in the Sadar North Subdivision, district Dacca.

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Simulia	...	1. Babu Brajeswar Bhowmik, B.A. 2. „ Sashi Bhusan Basak. 3. Dr. Maulvi Raisuddin Khan. 4. Babu Jatindra Mohan Saha. 5. Munshi Alimuddin Sarkar.
Gangutia	...	1. Babu Mano Mohan Roy. 2. „ Surendra Mohan Roy. 3. Munshi Sheik Sabi Hazi. 4. „ Moniruddin Sarkar.
Suapur	...	1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Ray. 2. „ Brojendra Nath Roy. 3. „ Ananta Kumar Roy. 4. Munshi Intazuddin Sarkar. 5. „ Reazuddin Sarkar.
Kashimpur	...	1. Babu Chandra Kanta Ghosh. 2. „ Ananta Kumar Das. 3. Munshi Badan Ali. 4. Babu Satish Chandra Guha. 5. Munshi Rahman Sarkar.
Dhaljora	...	1. Babu Debendra Nath Guha. 2. „ Kshetra Nath Guha. 3. Munshi Haran Sarkar. 4. „ Sahebali Miah.

Burdwan. *No. 8350J.—The 22nd December 1923.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Bhola Nath Chatterjee, a member of the Krishnadebpur union board, in the Kalna subdivision of the district of Burdwan, to be, during his term of office as such member, a member of the union bench within the jurisdiction of the said union board for the purposes of that section, *vice* Babu Pulin Behari Mukherjee, deceased.

Burdwan. *No. 8351J.—The 22nd December 1923.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Bhola Nath Chatterjee, a member of the Krishnadebpur union board, in the Kalna subdivision of the district of Burdwan, to be, during his term of office as such member, a member of the union court within the jurisdiction of the said union board for the purposes of that section, *vice* Babu Pulin Behari Mukherjee, deceased.

Dacca. *No. 8367J.—The 22nd December 1923.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Jogendra Nath Chanda, a member of the Barishaba union board, in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Dacca, to be, during his term of office as such member, a member of the union bench within the jurisdiction of the said union board for the purposes of that section.

Dacca. *No. 8368J.—The 22nd December 1923.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Jogendra Nath Chanda, a member of the Barishaba union board, in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Dacca, to be, during his term of office as such member, a member of the union court within the jurisdiction of the said union board for the purposes of that section.

Nadia.

No. 8483J.—The 24th December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union boards mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be union benches within the jurisdiction of the union boards of which they are respectively members, for the purposes of that section :—

Names of members of the Union Boards to constitute Union Benches in the Sadar subdivision in the district of Nadia.

Names of union boards.	Names of members
Dignagar ...	1. Babu Aswini Kumar Sarkar. 2. „ Prio Nath Basu. 3. Munshi Bhajanali Dhabak.
Dogachi ...	1. Babu Upendra Nath Gossain. 2. „ Rammoya Bhattacharya. 3. Munshi Fakir Mahmud.

Nadia.

No. 8484J.—The 24th December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union boards mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be union courts within the jurisdiction of the union boards of which they are respectively members, for the purposes of that section :—

Names of members of the Union Boards to constitute Union Courts in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Nadia.

Names of union boards	Names of members.
Dignagar ...	1. Babu Aswini Kumar Sarkar. 2. „ Prio Nath Basu. 3. Munshi Bhajanali Dhabak.
Dogachi ...	1. Babu Upendra Nath Gossain. 2. „ Rammoya Bhattacharya. 3. Munshi Fakir Mahmud.

J. BARTLEY,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

Hooghly.

No. 2950P.H.—The 20th December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to confirm the by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under section 350 of the said Act, and published for information with notification No. 2315P.H., dated the 29th September 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

Bankura.

No. 2975P.H.—The 28th December 1923.—Under rule 7 of the Local Authorities Loans Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended, it is hereby notified for general information that the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) intend to sanction the following application from the Bankura District Board for a loan of Rs. 25,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and repayable in two yearly instalments of Rs 9,250 and Rs. 18,725 unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said District Board.

Application from the District Board, Bankura, for a loan of Rs. 25,000.

The work or works for which the loan is required and the estimate of the cost thereof.	The amount which it is proposed to borrow	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow	The law or laws under which the said fund or funds is or are levied received or held	RECEIPT OF LOAN. (a) The period for which the loan is required	(b) The rate of interest at which it is proposed to.	(c) The number of instalments in which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The date proposed for receiving each such instalment.	PAYMENT OF LOAN (f) The number of instalments in which the loan is repayable and the dates of payment thereof.	(g) The amount of each instalment.	FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE DISTRICT BOARD. REVENUE (DETAILS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS). Sources from which the revenue is received.	Amount for— 1920-21.	1921-22.	1922-23.	EXPENDITURE (DETAILS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS). Objects on which the expenditure is incurred.	Amount for— 1920-21.	1921-22.	1922-23.	The normal surplus which may be expected in future (i.e., the difference between the average ordinary income and the average ordinary expenditure calculated on the figures in columns 13 to 15 and 17 to 19, respectively.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
For meeting the cost of flood damage repairs to roads, etc.	Rs. 25,000.	District Fund.	Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885	Two years.	7 per cent.	In one instalment.	Rs. 25,000	10th February 1924.	In two instalments, one of Rs. 7,500 *plus* interest Rs. 1,750 payable on 10th February 1925 and the other of Rs. 17,500 *plus* interest Rs. 7,125 payable on 10th February 1926.	1st instalment—Rs. 9,250 and 2nd Rs. 16,725.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Deficit Rs. 15,800.*	
											Land Revenue	637	458	422	Refunds and drawbacks ...	...	...	...		
											Local Rates	1,04,857	1,02,259	91,992	Land revenue	...	...	...		
											Interest	792	744	1,196	Local rates	...	...	...		
											Law and Justice	...	131	88	Interest on loans	...	...	...		
											Police	2,972	3 047	3,620	General administration ...	9,979	9,341	8,801		
											Education	38,086	41,215	41,650	Law and justice	83	732	24		
											Medical	1,878	3,126	4,331	Police	102	180	270		
											Scientific and other minor departments.	111	111	116	Ports and pilotage ...	...	...	...		
											Contribution for pension and gratuities	...	...	...	Education	73,526	73,936	74,236		
											Stationery and printing ...	...	...	...	Medical	13,510	16,257	19,791		
											Miscellaneous	881	240	869	Scientific and other minor departments.	4,838	4,026	7,659		
											Railways	...	...	...	Superannuation allowance and pension.	1,249	1,309	1,535		
											Local canal receipts ...	...	...	...	Stationary and printing ...	486	283	542		
											Civil works	14,662	18 449	18,815	Miscellaneous	848	883	3,309		
											Total of ordinary income ...	1,65,076	1,69,790	1,63,191	Famine relief	...	...	...		
											Extraordinary and debt ...	6,887	4,550	2,737	Railways	...	...	...		
											Receipts of abnormal character.	12,983	9,200	10 223	Minor Works and Navigation.	...	...	...		
											Total ...	1,84,946	1,83,540	1,76,151	Civil Works	77,209	75,163	65,713		
											Opening balance ...	52,309	31,706	23 733	Repayment of loan	...	...	...		
											GRAND TOTAL ...	2,37,255	2,15,246	1,99,884	Total ordinary expenditure	1 81,617	1,82,209	1,81,880		
															Extraordinary and debt (including repayment of loan).	6,597	5,143	6,856		
															Expenditure from loan funds and from grants included under the head Receipt of abnormal character.	17,335	4,161	2,963		
															Total ...	2,05,349	1,91,513	1,91,699		
															Closing balance ...	31,706	23,733	8,185		
															GRAND TOTAL ...	2,37,255	2,15,426	1,99,884		

* A full explanation is given in para graph (d) of the explanation given in the reverse.

In addition to the details required on the reverse clear information should be given under the following heads :—

(*a*) If the ordinary surplus is insufficient to meet the charges of the proposed loan the particular steps which the Board has taken or has agreed to take in order to make good the deficiency.	(*a*) Though according to the figures shown in columns 13 to 15 and 17 to 19 no surplus is available in future years for the payment of the proposed loan, yet as the District Board expects an increase of income from provincial rates due to revaluation now going on of at least Rs. 5,000 during the current year and of about Rs. 50,000 during 1924-25 and of about Rs. 2,00,000 from the subsequent years after the completion of the revaluation work the repayment of the instalments of the proposed loan could be easily arranged for.
(*b*) Possible means of increase in the revenue of the District Board.	(*b*) From revaluation of cesses which is going on.
(*c*) A statement of outstanding loans as well as the annual charge involved on their account.	(*c*) Nil.
(d) Any explanation in regard to expenditure to show the true financial position of the Board when such position is otherwise than the ordinary surplus would indicate.	(*d*) Though on the basis of actual calculation of the figures in columns 13 to 15 and 17 to 19 it appears that no surplus could be expected in future years as there was a deficit on an average of Rs. 15,800 during the last three years, the District Board expects that after meeting all necessary expenditure there will be a surplus of Rs. 10,000 during the next year and considerably more during the subsequent years due to expected increase of income from cess revaluation as explained in column (*a*) above.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 18156, dated Calcutta, the 20th December 1923.—Babu Surendra Nath Ghosh I, Assistant Surgeon, Bacteriologist, Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, is granted combined leave for twenty-eight months, viz., leave on average pay for six months (entirely on account of privilege leave at his credit) under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on average pay for four months under the proviso to the same article on medical certificate as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81(*d*) of these rules, with effect from the 30th September 1923.

No. 18229, dated Calcutta, the 21st December 1923.—Assistant Surgeon Manindra Nath Mallik did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, from the 5th November to the 5th December 1923.

No. 18232, dated Calcutta, the 21st December 1923.—Assistant Surgeon Manindra Nath Mallik did supernumerary duty at the Carmichael Hospital for Tropical Diseases, Calcutta, on the 6th and 7th December 1923.

B. H. DEARE,
Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3681Edn.—The 12th December 1923.—Babu Sasi Bhushan Chakravarti, District Inspector of Schools, Midnapore, in the Bengal Educational Service, is appointed to act as District Inspector of Schools, Howrah, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Mr. Satish Chandra Basu, on deputation.

Midnapore.
Howrah.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3682Edn.—The 12th December 1923.—Maulvi Abdul Ghani, Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Barisal Sadar, in the Subordinate Educational Service, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as District Inspector of Schools, Midnapore, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Sasi Bhushan Chakravarti, on deputation.

Sakarganj.
Midnapore.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3703Edn.—The 10th December 1923.—Mr. W. W. Hornell, C.I.E., Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for four months and nineteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 26th January 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3706Edn.—The 26th December 1923.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Gupta, late District Inspector of Schools, Dinajpur, in the Bengal Educational Service, was allowed privilege leave for the period from the 17th September to the 13th October 1923, both days inclusive, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Dinajpur.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3709Edn.—The 26th December 1923.—Babu Purna Chandra Kundu, Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, in the Bengal Educational Service, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Vice-Principal, Chittagong College, in the Indian Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his officiating appointment as Principal of that College.

Calcutta.
Chittagong.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C. I. E.

No. 3712Edn.—The 26th December 1923.—Babu Akshoy Kumar Sen, District Inspector of Schools, Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for three months (entirely on account of privilege leave) with effect from the 1st November 1923, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and the note thereunder.

Chittagong.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C. I. E.

No. 3713Edn.—The 26th December 1923.—Maulvi Muhammad Asad, Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Feni, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as District Inspector of Schools, Chittagong, with effect from the 23rd November 1923, *vice* Babu Akshoy Kumar Sen, on leave, or until further orders.

Noakhali.
Chittagong.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3716 Edn.—The 26th December 1923.—Mrs. Monisha Ray, officiating Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Burdwan Division (Hooghly, Burdwan and Birbhum), was allowed leave on leave salary equivalent to half pay on medical certificate for the period from the 26th October 1923 to the 15th December 1923 (both days inclusive), under rule 2 (*b*) of the supplementary rules made by the Local Government under notification No. 19463 F., dated the 23rd December 1921.

Burdwan Divn.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3719Edn.—The 26th December 1923.—Khan Bahadur Maulvi Muhammad Musa, officiating Principal, Chittagong Madrassa, in the Indian Educational Service, is allowed leave on average pay for one month (entirely on account of privilege leave on full pay at his credit), with effect from the 2nd January 1924, under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Chittagong.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3720Edn.—The 26th December 1923.—Maulvi Muhammad Abbasi, Special Arabic Lecturer, Chittagong Madrassa, in the Bengal Educational Service, will hold charge of the office of Principal of the same institution, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, during the absence, on leave, of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Muhammad Musa.

Chittagong.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3723 Edn.—The 26th December 1923.—Miss Tejomoyee Sirkar, Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Rajshahi, in the Bengal Educational Service (Women's branch), is allowed leave on average pay for six days (entirely on account of privilege leave on full pay at her credit) from the 17th to the 22nd December 1923, both days inclusive, under rule 81(*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Rajshahi.

Appointment by the Chancellor.

No. 3730Edn.—The 26th December 1923.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub-section (*1*), clause (*c*), and section 10 of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), as amended by the Calcutta University Act, 1921 (VII of 1921) His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to nominate Mr. W. C. Wordsworth, M.A., to be an Ordinary Fellow of the University, *vice* Revd. E. C. Dewick.

Calcutta.

Appointment by the Chancellor.

No. 3733Edn.—The 26th December 1923.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub section (*1*), clause (*c*), and section 10 of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), as amended by the Calcutta University Act, 1921 (VII of 1921), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to renominate the following gentlemen to be Ordinary Fellows of the University :—

Calcutta.

(1) Sir R. N. Mookerjee, K.C.I.E., K.C.V.O. (with effect from the 22nd January 1924).

(2) Revd. Dr. G. Howells, M.A., Ph.D., B. Litt., B.D. (with effect from the 5th December 1923).

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 3727Edn.—The 22nd December 1923.—Miss T. Wears Taylor, Mistress of Method, English Training class for Female Teachers at the Eden High School for Girls, Dacca, in the Subordinate Educational Service, is appointed to be Mistress of Science, Mathematics and Nature Study in the Training class, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, outside the Educational Services, with effect from the date on which she joins the appointment.

Dacca.
Darjeeling.

No. 3740Edn.—The 27th December 1923.—Mrs. N. Barnes is appointed to act as Preparatory School Mistress, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, with effect from the date on which she joins the appointment, during the absence, on leave, of Mrs. L. E. Sharp, or until further orders.

Darjeeling.

W. W. HORNELL,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 7118Com.—The 22nd December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*jj*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 10 of the Bengal Smoke-Nuisances Act, 1905 (Bengal Act III of 1905), as amended by the Bengal Smoke-Nuisances (Amendment) Act, 1923 (Bengal Act IV of 1923), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules made under the said Act and published under the Marine

Department notification No. 73Marine, dated the 27th August 1907, as subsequently amended, namely :—

After rule 30 of the said rules *add* the following, namely :—

"31. Fees for the examination and approval of plans of furnaces, flues and chimneys under section 8A shall be paid in advance according to the following table :—

1	2	3	4
Examination and approval of plans of furnaces, flues and chimneys of—	Fees, where approval is granted after one examination.	Fees, where approval is granted after two examinations.	Fees, where approval is granted after three examinations.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. New plant with steam-power	15	30	45
2. New plant without steam-power	5	10	15
3. Alteration, reconstruction or re-erection of old plant with steam-power	10	20	30
4. Alteration, reconstruction or re-erection of old plant without steam-power.	3	6	9

Provided that where more than one examination is rendered necessary for reasons certified by the Chief Inspector as not due to any default of the owner, only one fee shall be paid according to column 2 of this table.

32. Fees for the inspection and testing and the grant of permission for the working of furnaces, flues and chimneys, constructed, altered, added to or re-erected in accordance with section 8A, shall be paid *in advance* according to the following table :—

1	2	3	4
Inspection, etc., of furnaces, flues and chimneys with—	Fees, where permission to work is granted after one inspection.	Fees, where permission to work is granted after two inspections.	Fees, where permission to work is granted after three inspections.
	Rs.	Rs	Rs.
1. One steam boiler	20	40	60
2. Two steam-boilers	25	50	75
3. Three steam-boilers	30	60	90
4. Four steam-boilers	35	70	105
5. Without steam-boilers	6	12	18

Provided that—

(*i*) where more than one inspection is rendered necessary for reasons certified by the Chief Inspector as not due to any default of the owner, only one fee shall be paid according to column 2 of this table ;

(*ii*) where fees are payable under column 3 of this table there shall be paid, in addition to such fees, the amount of travelling allowance to which the officer who has made the inspections is entitled under the Fundamental Rules on account of the journey and halt made for the purpose of one such inspection ;

(*iii*) where fees are payable under column 4 of this table there shall be paid, in addition to such fees, the amount of travelling allowance to which the officer who has made the inspections is entitled under the Fundamental Rules on account of the journeys and halts made for the purpose of two such inspections.

33. For inspections and tests, the services of Inspectors may be had on payment, in advance, of fees according to the following scales :—

	Rs.
(*a*) With one steam-boiler	20
(*b*) With two steam-boilers	30
(*c*) With more than two steam-boilers	40
(*d*) Without steam-boilers	10"

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 132Marine.—The 19th December 1923.—Mr. J. D. Allison, acting Branch Pilot, is confirmed in that grade with effect from the 17th December 1923.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

EXCISE.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 5229.—The 20th December 1923.—Maulvi Rafique-uddin Ahmad, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Khulna, is transferred to Howrah.

Khulna.
Howrah.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 5230.—The 20th December 1923.—Babu Dhirendra Nath Mukharji, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Howrah, is transferred to Murshidabad.

Howrah.
Murshidabad.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 5231.—The 20th December 1923.—Babu Jitendra Nath Goswami, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Murshidabad, is transferred to Burdwan.

Murshidabad.
Burdwan.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 5232.—The 20th December 1923.—Mr. M. A. Peychers, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Burdwan, is transferred to Khulna.

Burdwan.
Khulna.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 5233.—The 20th December 1923.—Mr. H. F. P. Mahar, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Chittagong, is transferred to Mymensingh.

Chittagong.
Mymensingh.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 5234.—The 20th December 1923.—Maulvi Sultan Muhammad, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Mymensingh, is transferred to Chittagong.

Mymensingh.
Chittagong.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 5235.—The 20th December 1923.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Sen, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, is, on the expiry of his leave, posted to Jessore.

Jessore.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 5236.—The 20th December 1923.—Mr. J. P. Deefholts, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Jessore, is transferred to Birbhum.

Jessore.
Birbhum.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 5278.—The 22nd December 1923.—The Sub-Inspectors of Excise and Salt, named below, who are now officiating as Inspectors of Excise and Salt, are confirmed in the appointments on the time-scale of pay, with effect from the dates mentioned against their names :—

(1) Babu Karuna Mohan Ghosh, from the 19th October 1923.
(2) Babu Sarat Chandra Bose, from the 16th November 1923.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

No. 15902A.—The 18th December 1923.—Babu Hem Chandra Roy, officiating District Agricultural Officer, Jessore, is granted leave without pay for the period from 25th November 1923 to 22nd December 1923.

He is also permitted to affix the Christmas holidays to his leave.

No. 15903A.—The 18th December 1923.—Babu Santo Nath Banerjee is appointed to act as District Agricultural Officer, Jessore, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hem Chandra Roy, or until further orders.

No. 15910A.—The 10th December 1923.—Babu Kshitish Chandra Guha, in class I of the Subordinate Agricultural Service, is allowed leave for one year, viz., leave on half average salary for six months (not due) under rule 81 (*c*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, and extraordinary leave for the remaining period under rule 85 (*b*) of the same rules, in extension of the leave sanctioned in this office notification No. 11900-A., dated the 7th November 1922, subject to the condition that the officer returns to duty on the expiry of the leave.

This cancels this office notification No. 10275, dated the 6th August 1923.

No. 16037A.—The 20th December 1923.—Babu Amrita Lal Som, District Agricultural Officer, Kishoreganj, is granted leave on average salary for fifteen days with effect from the 2nd January 1924 under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

He is also permitted to prefix X'mas holidays to his leave.

No. 16288A.—The 22nd December 1923.—Mr. Surendra Nath Bose, Bacteriological Assistant under the Agricultural Chemist to the Government of Bengal, is granted, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, leave on average salary for one month fourteen days (the entire period on account of privilege leave at his credit) with effect from the 9th November 1923.

He is also permitted to affix X'mas holidays to his leave.

No. 16289A.—The 22nd December 1923.—Babu Naba Kumar Nandy is appointed as Bacteriological Assistant under the Agricultural Chemist to the Government of Bengal during the absence, on leave, of Mr. S. N. Bose.

ROBERT S. FINLOW,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 11806L.R.—The 21st December 1923.—Maulvi Fazlul Karim (No. II), Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is appointed to be Khas Tashildar of Hatiya in the district of Noakhali, with effect from the date on which he takes over charge of his duties, *vice* Babu Upendra Kumar Mitra, transferred.

Chittagong. Noakhali.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

No. 11813L.A.—The 21st December 1923.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a piece of land measuring more or less 233 bighas, 5 cottahs, 3 chitaks and 40 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to 77·111 acres, which was included in the area notified under declaration No. 8529L.A., dated the 31st August 1914, published at pages 1663-64, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd September 1914, and required by the Eastern Bengal Railway for a new colony at Kanchrapara in the villages of Jettia, Chakla, Nanna, Madhabbati, Nandanbati, Bijpur, Jaykristopur, Khosalpur, Nandanpur, Ramkrishnapur, Bahirbag, Muchipara, Dengapara, Garerdhar, Bagdipara, Baraset and Mallikbag, pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas. The lands are bounded as follows:—

24-Parganas.

(*Part of plot 1 of the Declaration.*)

North—Partly by the E. B. Railway lands and partly by the E. B. Railway lands recently acquired under declaration No. 8529L.A., dated 31st August 1914.

East—By the village lands of Jaykristopur, Jettia and Chakla and the public road.

South—By the village lands of Jaykristopur, Jettia and Chakla.

West—By the E. B. Railway lands proposed to be retained for fire zone under declaration No. 8529L.A., dated 31st August 1914.

Mymensingh. *No. 11820L.A.—The 21st December 1923.*—Mr. A. McDonald Clark, I.C.S., Subdivisional Officer, Tangail, in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Bogra. *No. 11823L.A.—The 21st December 1923.*—Babu Prafulla Chandra Ghosh, Deputy Collector, in the district of Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district.

Hooghly. *No. 11825L.A.—The 21st December 1923.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the whole area measuring, more or less, 128·82 acres, which was notified for acquisition under declaration No. 3660L.A., dated the 12th April 1923, published at page 518, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, and required by the E. I. Railway Co. for a brick-field on the Saraswati channel in the villages of Basudebpur, Shibpur, Sankhanagar, Gajaghanta, Ahkhoja and Nawdapara, parganas Arsha and Paonan, zilla Hooghly. This strip of land, about 7,900 feet in length and of varying width from 566 feet to 970 feet, runs generally from east to west and lies on both sides of the Saraswati channel, and including it, extending from bridge No. 12 over the Saraswati channel on the Hooghly-Katwa Railway to bridge No. 95 over the same channel on the main line of the East Indian Railway.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Dacca. *No. 11810L.A.—The 21st December 1923.*—In line 7 of declaration No. 5952L.A., dated the 12th July 1920, published at pages 1310-11, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required for the Intermediate College at Gandaria, in the mahalla of Gandaria, parganas (1) Shawuzial, tappa Paril, (2) Jahangirnagar and (3) tappa Naraindia, zilla Dacca, *for* the words "more or less 17·0671 acres" *read* "more of less 16·0671 acres".

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Burdwan. *No. 11852L.A.—The 22nd December 1923.*—In lines 5 and 12 of declaration No. 3291L.A., dated the 28th March 1923, published at page 438, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th April 1923, regarding the acquisition of a second additional block of land for the 2nd up line between Asansol and Sitarampur, in the district of Burdwan, *for* the words "village of Kuarpur" *read* "villages of Budha and Kuarpur".

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

No. 17512, dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1923.—Dr. Basanta Kumar Bhowmik made over charge of the Berhampore Jail to Major A. H. Proctor, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 5th December 1923.

F. S. C. THOMPSON, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 8153 T.P.—The 22nd December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause 2 of section 8 of the Bengal Land Revenue (Assistant Collector) Regulations, 1821 (IV of 1821), the Board of Revenue authorises Maulvi Nazir Hussain, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Malda, who has been placed on duty in connection with the maintenance, for the purposes of section 158-A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, of the records-of-rights of the Mathurapur estate in the district of Malda, belonging to the Mathurapur Zamindari Company, Limited, to exercise and perform within the local limits of the said estate any of the powers and duties vested in the Collectors of Land Revenue under any enactment in force therein for the purpose of the said work of maintenance of the records-of-rights.

Malda.

F. W. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED Deputy Collector Maulvi Talim-ud-din Ahmed Tariqul Alam has been placed in charge of the Jessore treasury, with effect from the afternoon of the 22nd December 1923.

C. C. V. R. SELLS, *Collector.*

JESSORE, *the 22nd December 1923.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

Dates of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Criminal Sessions for the year 1924.

No. of sessions	Day of the week	Date.
First Sessions ...	Monday	... 11th February.
Second Sessions ...	Do.	... 5th May.
Third Sessions ...	Do.	... 23rd June.

Dates of the 4th and 5th Criminal Sessions will be notified hereafter.

By order,

O. MOSES,
Clerk of the Crown.

HIGH COURT, CROWN OFFICE, *the 18th December 1923.*

CIVIL.

The 27th December 1923.

No. 14437A—Babu Suresh Chandra Sen, No. II, munsif of Satkania, in the district of Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Satkania munsifi.

No. 14438A.—Babu Kali Prasanna Piplai, additional munsif at Patiya, in the district of Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Patiya munsifi.

The 18th December 1923.

No. 14056G.—The following list of days to be observed in the year 1924 as close holidays in the Subordinate Civil Courts has been prepared and is published by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the exercise of the power vested in it by section 15 of Act XII of 1887 :—

Names of holidays	English date.	Bengali date.	Days of the week.	Number of days.	Remarks.
		1330.			
New Year's Day	January 1st	Paus 18th	Tuesday	1 day.	
Maghotsav	,, 23th	Magh 11th	Friday	1 ,, ...	This holiday is to be observed in the province of Assam only.
Sri Panchami	February 9th and 10th	,, 26th and 27th...	Saturday and Sunday.	2 days.	
Shab-i-Barat	March 20th	Chaitra 7th	Thursday	1 day. ...	This holiday is to be observed in the province of Assam only.
Dol Jatra	,, 21st	,, 8th	Friday	1 ,,	
Chaitra Sankranti	April 13th	,, 31st	Sunday	1 ,,	
		1331.			
First day of Baisak (Bahag Bihu) ...	,, 14th	Baisak 1st	Monday	1 ,, ...	This holiday is to be observed in the province of Assam only.
Good Friday to Easter Monday ...	,, 18th to 21st ...	,, 5th to 8th ...	Friday to Monday	4 days.	
Tithi (day of demise) of Deb Damodar.	May 4th	,, 21st	Sunday	1 day ...	This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts (except Goalpara).
Id-ul-Fitr	,, 6th and 7th ...	,, 23rd and 24th..	Tuesday and Wednesday.	2 days.	
Empire Day	,, 24th	Jaistha 10th	Saturday	1 day ...	This holiday is to be observed in the Presidency of Bengal. It is to be observed in the province of Assam if it is declared to be an executive holiday in that province.
King-Emperor's Birthday.*					
Dasahara Ganga Snan	June 19th	Jaistha 29th	Thursday	1 day ...	This holiday is to be observed in the Presidency of Bengal only.
Half-yearly closing of Banks' accounts.	,, 30th	Asar 16th	Monday	1 ,, ...	Ditto ditto.
Id-uz-Zuha	July 13th	,, 29th	Sunday	1 ,, ...	July 14th will also be observed as a holiday on account of Id-uz-Zuha in the province of Assam only.
Muharram	August 11th and 12th...	Sraban 26th and 27th	Monday and Tuesday.	2 days ...	August 10th will also be observed as a holiday on account of Muharram in the province of Assam only.
Tithi (day of demise) of Sri Madhab Deb.	,, 19th	Bhadra 3rd	Tuesday	1 day ...	This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts only.
Janmashtami	,, 22nd	,, 6th	Friday	1 ,,	
Tithi (day of demise) of Sri Sankar Deb.	September 1st ...	,, 16th	Monday	1 ,, ...	This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts only.
Dassera Vacation, including Mahalaya, Durga and Lakshmi Pujas, Fatiha-Duwazdaham and Kali Puja and Bhratriditya.	,, 28th to October 30th.	Aswin 12th to Kartick 13th.	Sunday to Thursday	33 days.	
Jagadhatri Puja	November 5th and 6th	Kartick 19th and 20th	Wednesday and Thursday.	2 ,,	This holiday is to be observed in the Presidency of Bengal. The first day of this holiday is to be observed only in the Surma Valley Districts and in Goalpara.
Christmas holidays	December 24th to 31st	Paus 9th to 16th ...	Wednesday to Wednesday.	8 ,,	

* The day which may be fixed for celebration in India of the King-Emperor's Birthday will be notified separately in due course.

NOTE.—Muhammadan officials of the Civil Courts of Bengal and Assam are allowed to absent themselves from office on the following days in addition to those allowed by the above notification :—

	In Bengal.	In Assam.
Muharram	3 days.	2 days (August 8th and 9th).
Akhiri Chahar Shamba	1 day.	1 day (September 29th).
Shab-i-Barat	1 ,,	,,
Id-uz-Zuha	1 ,,	,,
	6 days.	3 days.

By order,

J. D. V. HODGE,
Registrar.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7, Act IX of 1887 (The Provincial Small Cause Court Act), that, in the months of February and March 1924 until further orders, the Judge of Small Cause Court, Serampore and Howrah, and 2nd Additional Subordinate Judge of Howrah will hold his sitting as detailed below:—

February 1924.

Serampore ...	...	...	...	... 1st to 6th.
Howrah (as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge)			...	... 7th to 19th.
Howrah (as Judge, Small Cause Court)			...	... 20th to 28th.

March 1924.

Serampore ...	...	...	...	... 1st to 6th.
Howrah (as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge)			...	... 7th to 19th.
Howrah (as Judge, Small Cause Court)			...	... 20th to 31st.

Excluding Sundays and holidays.

TEJ CHANDRA MITTER, *Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.*

HOWRAH, *the 21st December 1923.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4341J G.—Babu Tarapada Bhattacharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Asansol, Burdwan, is transferred to the Contai subdivision in the district of Midnapore.

This cancels this office notification No. 4216J.G., dated the 20th November 1923, posting Babu Hari Charan Banerji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hooghly, to Contai.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 28th November 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4596J.G.—Babu Haridas Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector on leave, who has been posted to the Burdwan Division in Government notification No. 13810A., dated the 12th December 1923, is appointed as Chaukidari Circle Officer, Chandrakona, in the subdivision of Ghatal, district Midnapore.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 18th December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1098R.G.—Babu Pramatha Nath Chatterji, Sub-Deputy Collector and Superintendent of the Orphangunge Market, Kidderpore, 24-Parganas, is transferred to Bagerhat in the district of Khulna as Circle Officer, on being relieved of his present appointment.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2001R.G.—Babu Satya Charan Banerji, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector Sadar, 24-Parganas, is transferred to Satkhira as Circle Officer.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION

No. 2004 R.G.—The following Sub Deputy Collectors at Sadar, in the district of the 24-Parganas, are posted as Circle Officers there :—

(1) Babu Suresh Chandra Gupta.
(2) Maulvi Khundkar Ali Taher.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2007 R.G.—Babu Khirode Behari Mullick, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Khulna, is appointed as Circle Officer of Khulna, Sadar subdivision.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2010 R.G.—Babu Keshab Chandra Banarji, Circle Officer, Basirhat, 24-Parganas, is transferred to Barrackpore as Circle Officer.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2013 R.G.—Maulvi Habibar Rahaman, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Sadar, Jessore, is transferred to Bagerhat, Khulna, as Circle Officer.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2016 R.G.—Babu Gourendra Krishna Deb, Circle Officer, Bagerhat, Khulna, is, transferred to Alipore, 24-Parganas, as Circle Officer.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2019 R.G.—Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Saiyed, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Murshidabad, is transferred to the Satkhira subdivision in the district of Khulna, as Second Officer.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the powers conferred on me under rule 63 (*2*) of the Jail Code, I appoint Mrs. A. Gilbert to be a non-official visitor of the Jessore District Jail for a term of two years with effect from the date of this notification.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6407J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 63 (*1*) of the Bengal Jail Code, 1919, the following members of the Bengal Legislative Council are appointed to be non-official visitors of the district and sub-jails in the district of Bakarganj :—

Names of non-official M. L. C. visitors.	Names of jail and sub-jails.
1. Mr. Nishith Chandra Sen ...	Barisal District Jail.
2. Maulvi A. K. Fazlal Haque ...	
3. Rai Satyendra Nath Roy Choudhuri Bahadur	... Pirojpur Sub-Jail.
4. Maulvi Khajeh Nazimuddin	... Patuakhali Sub-Jail.
5. „ Fazlal Karim Choudhuri	... Bhola Sub-Jail.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 19M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 23rd February 1924, has been fixed as the date for holding a bye-election in ward No. VIII of the North Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to elect a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Tryolakho Nath Manna, deceased.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December, 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1426M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 2nd February 1924, has been fixed for holding a by-election in ward No. III of the Asansol Municipality for the election of a Commissioner in place of Babu Haridas Goswami, resigned.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd December 1923*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1416M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the next general election of the Kalna Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, will be held on Saturday, the 29th March 1924.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6411J.—It being desirable to have separate electorates for the two police-stations, Rupganj and Araihazar, in the district of Dacca, which at present jointly return two members to the Narainganj local board, the following redistribution of members between these two police-stations is hereby published for general information, under rule 19 of the Election Rules made under clause (*a*), section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885 :—

Name of police-station.	Number of member to be elected.
Rupganj	1
Araihazar	1

2. This cancels so much of previous notifications of this office as relates to the fixing of the number of members of the Narainganj local board to be elected by the Rupganj police-station.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.),*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 20th December 1923,*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6450J.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19 (*2*) of the Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29B of the Act, I hereby appoint the Circle Officer, Tangail, as a member of the Tangail local board, in the district of Mymensingh, *vice* Mr. J. E. Ward, resigned.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under rule 32 of the rules for the election of members of local boards, under the Local Self-Government Act (Act III of 1885), that the bye-election of a member of the local board for the Muradnagar thana in the district of Tippera will be held on the 25th February 1924.

A. J. DASH, *Magistrate.*

COMILLA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3298M.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19(*2*) of the Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29*b* of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Pramatha Nath Misra as a member of the Malda District Board in place of Mr. C. A. Stevenson, deceased.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6399J.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19(*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29*b* of the Act, I hereby appoint Maulvi Munsural Karim of Azizpur to be a member of the District Board of Dacca, *vice* Nawab Khwaja Muhammad Yousuff, Khan Bahadur, deceased.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 20th December 1923.*

ERRATUM.

IN paragraph 3 of notification No. 2457L.S.-G., dated the 15th December 1923, published in page 1979 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, *for* "9. Babu Amarendra Nath Singh Roy" *read* "9. Babu Mon Mohan Singh Roy."

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 62L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers delegated to me by the Bengal Government notification No. 3403 L. S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I do hereby sanction, under section 6, clause (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act I (B.C.) of 1885, the establishment of the Komorpur ferry over the Komorpur khal on the 8th mile of Kaliganj-Kasimary Road in the Satkhira subdivision of the district of Khulna and declare it to be a public ferry under clause (*a*) of the said section.

In exercise of the powers delegated to me by the Bengal Government notification No. 217 L. S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, I also direct, under section 35 of the aforesaid Act, that the abovementioned ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Khulna and that all the proceeds of the said ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund with effect from the date of this notification.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

BABU BARODA PROSAD DEY, the elected member to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Hooghly Municipal Non-Muhammadan constituency, has filed on the 22nd December 1923 his return of election expenses and declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19 (*1*) (*iii*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Magistrate of Hooghly, at Chinsura, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 for ten days from the 2nd January 1924 between the hours of 12 and 3 P.M., except Sundays and holidays.

J. G. DUNLOP, *Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

CHINSURA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Babu Jogesh Chandra Sircar, a defeated candidate of the Rangpur Non-Mahomedan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, has on the 22nd day of December 1923, lodged with me return of election expenses together with a declaration required under rule 19 of the said rules, and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day when the offices will remain open, on payment of the prescribed fees.

MD. F. KARIM, *Returning Officer*
(District Magistrate).

RANGPUR, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Sashi Kumar Sen Gupta, a duly nominated candidate of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta North Non-Muhammadan constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 21st day of December 1923.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate,*
Calcutta, and Returning Officer.

CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Dr. Pramatha Nath Banerjee, a duly elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta East Non-Muhammadan constituency, has lodged his return of expense and declaration this the 21st day of December 1923.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate,*
Calcutta, and Returning Officer.

CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that S. Mahboob Aley, a duly elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta North Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 21st day of December 1923.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate,*
Calcutta, and Returning Officer.

CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Ashiny Coomar Banerjee, a duly elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the South Central Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 21st day of December 1923.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that J. N. Banerjee, a duly nominated candidate of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta South Central Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 21st day of December 1923.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Mr. Nirmal Chander Chander, a duly elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta North Central Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 22nd day of December 1923.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Legislative Assembly Rules that Mr. Nirmal Chander Chander, a duly nominated candidate of the Indian Legislative Assembly from the Calcutta Urban Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 22nd day of December 1923.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fee, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of Rai Upendra Lal Roy Bahadur, a candidate for election from the Chittagong Landholders' Constituency to the Bengal Legislative Council, together with the declarations, has been lodged with the Returning Officer to-day, the 22nd December 1923. The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Chittagong Division, Chittagong, on business days during business hours on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

M. MAITRA, *Personal Assistant, for Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

Bengal National Chamber of Commerce Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council.

BABU MURALI DHAR ROY, who was a candidate for election from the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council but was not declared elected, lodged on the 22nd December 1923 with the undersigned the return of his election expenses together with a declaration under sub-rule (*3*) of rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules. The return and the declarations can be inspected at the office of the undersigned at 233, Old China Bazar Street, Calcutta, on the 28th December 1923, between 2 and 3 P.M., on payment of a fee of Re. 1, and copies of such returns can be had on payment of a fee of Rs. 2 each.

N. C. SIRCAR, *Vice-President and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4048J.G.—It is hereby notified that Rai Lalit Mohan Singha Ray Bahadur, one of the elected members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Burdwan Landholders' Constituency, has filed on the 22nd December 1923 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette or from 2nd January 1924, whichever is later.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of Saiyed Muhammad Abdullah, a candidate for election from the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions Muhammadan Constituency to the Legislative Assembly, together with the declarations, has been lodged with the Returning Officer on the 19th December 1923. The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at 3, Charnock Place, Calcutta, on business days during business hours.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner, Presidency Division*
(Returning Officer).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules Babu Nitya Dhone Mukerjee, who was a candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Howrah Municipal (Non-Muhammadan) Constituency, lodged on the 17th December 1923 with the undersigned the return of his election expenses together with the declaration in prescribed form, under sub-rule 3 of rule 19 of the said rules.

The return and the declaration can be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Howrah, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

S. C. MUKERJEE, *District Magistrate*
and Returning Officer.

HOWRAH, *the 18th December 1923.*

NOTICE.

Bengal National Chamber of Commerce Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council.

BABU AMULYA DHONE ADDY, who was a candidate for election from the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council but was not declared elected, lodged on the 22nd December 1923 with the undersigned the return of his election expenses together with a declaration under sub-rule (*3*) of rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules. The return and the declaration can be inspected at the office of the undersigned at 233, Old China Bazar Street, Calcutta, on the 2nd January 1924 between 2 and 3 P.M., on payment of a fee of Re. 1, and copies of such returns can be had on payment of a fee of Rs. 2 each.

N. C. SIRCAR, *Vice-President and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1654J.G.—It is hereby notified that Babu Amar Nath Dutt, one of the elected members of the Legislative Assembly from the Burdwan Division Non-Muhammadan Rural Constituency, has filed on the 21st December 1923 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette or from the 2nd January 1924, whichever is later.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1657J.-G.—It is hereby notified that Babu Satya Kishore Banerjee, one of the elected members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Burdwan Landholders' Constituency, has filed on the 22nd December 1923 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division at Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette or from 2nd January 1924, whichever is later.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of Mr. Altaf Ali, a candidate for election for the Bogra Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, together with the declaration, was lodged with the Returning Officer on the 21st December 1923. The return of election expenses and the declaration can be inspected in the office of the Magistrate of Bogra on payment of a fee of Re. 1 on business days during business hours.

RAI J. M. SINHA BAHADUR, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

BOGRA MAGISTRACY, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declarations made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules published in Government notification No. F.-213V., dated the 30th July 1923, have been lodged with the undersigned by the following candidates on the dates noted against each, and they are ready for inspection at the Office of the District Magistrate of Dacca between the hours of 11 A.M. to 5 P.M. on week days from the 2nd January 1924 on payment of a fee of rupee one only :—

Dacca City—Non-Muhammadan Constituency.

1. Rai Pyarilal Das Bahadur, M.B.E. ... 22nd December 1923.

Dacca City—Muhammadan Constituency.

2. Maulvi Allabux Sirkar ... ... 22nd December 1923.

J. G. DRUMMOND, *Returning Officer.*

DACCA, *the 23rd December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declarations made in respect thereof under rule 19 of Bengal Electoral Rules, published in Government notification No. F-213V of the 30th July 1923, have been lodged with the undersigned by the following candidates on the dates noted against each and they are ready for inspection at the office of the District Magistrate of Dacca between the hours of 12 A.M. and 3 P.M. from 24th December 1923 to the 1st January 1924 and between the hours of 11 A.M. to 5 P.M. on week days from the 2nd January 1924 on payment of Re. 1 only :—

Dacca City (non-Muhammadan) Constituency.

1. Rai Peari Lal Dass Bahadur, M.B.E. ... 22nd December 1923.

Dacca City (Muhammadan) Constituency.

2. Maulvi Ala Baksha Sarkar ... ... 22nd December 1923.

J. G. DRUMMOND, *Returning Officer.*

DACCA, *the 24th December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Rai Fanindra Lal De Bahadur, who was a candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Howrah Rural (non-Muhammadan) constituency, lodged on the 21st December 1923 with the undersigned the return of the election expenses together with the declaration in prescribed form, under sub rule 3 of the rule 19 of the said rules.

The return and the declaration can be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Howrah, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

S. C. MUKERJEE, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

HOWRAH, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTICES UNDER THE BENGAL ELECTORAL RULES.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36(2)(a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

PRESENT :

A. J. Chotzner, Esq., I.C.S. ... *President.*
D. C. Patterson, Esq., I.C.S.
Rai Girindra Nath Mukherjee Bahadur.

In the matter of Mr. S. N. Haldar, Bar.-at-law, petitioner,

versus

Mr. Surendra Nath Mullick, respondent.

To Mr. Surendra Nath Mullick, 2, Chandra Nath Chatterjee Street, Bhowanipore, Calcutta.

Please take notice that abovementioned petition will be tried by the Commissioners on the 16th day of January 1924 at 11 o'clock in the District Judge's court-room at Alipore, district 24-Parganas.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas this 21st day of December 1923.

A. J. CHOTZNER, *President.*

In the matter of the Government of India Act

and

In the Matter of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923

and

In the matter of the election of the Calcutta South Non-Mahomedan Constituency to the Legislative Council of the Governor of Bengal.

S. N. Haldar (full name Surendra Nath Haldar), Bar-at-law, of 20, Mullen Street, Calcutta, petitioner, and

Surendra Nath Mullick (Mallik), residing at 2, Chandra Nath Chatterjee Street (Ward 22, Bhowanipore), Calcutta, the Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation and T. Y. J. Roxburgh, Returning Officer and the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, respondents.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE VICTOR ALEXANDER GEORGE ROBERTS BULWER LYTTON, EARL OF LYTTON, P.C., G.C.I.E., THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

The humble petition of S. N. Haldar, Bar-at-law, of 20, Mullen Street, Calcutta,

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH—

1. Your petitioner is duly qualified to stand for election from the Calcutta South Non-Mahomedan Constituency and was a candidate for election from the said constituency.

2. The said Surendra Nath Mullick is the Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation and was the only other alleged candidate for election from the said constituency.

3. The said T. Y. J. Roxburgh is the Chief Presidency Magistrate of Calcutta and is the Returning Officer of the said constituency.

4. Your petitioner was duly proposed and seconded for nomination as a candidate for the said constituency by Mr. B. Chakravarti and Mr. Basanta Kumar Lahiri and by another two sets of proposers and seconders, all of whom were duly qualified to propose and second the nomination.

5. Your petitioner soon after 11 o'clock in the forenoon on the 8th of October 1923, the last date appointed for nomination of candidates, duly delivered to the Returning Officer the said Mr. Roxburgh at his office three sets of nomination papers completed in the form prescribed in the Schedule III and subscribed by your petitioner himself as assenting to the said nomination in the presence of the said Returning Officer and also duly

subscribed by two persons as proposer and seconder in accordance with the rules and regulations made in that behalf. A copy of the nomination paper proposed by Mr. B. Chakravarti and seconded by Mr. Basanta Kumar Lahiri is hereunto annexed and marked "A."

6. Your petitioner signed the said nomination paper in the presence of the said Returning Officer who thereupon put in the hour, the date and his own signature on the said form in the presence of your petitioner. Your petitioner on his signing the said nomination paper as aforesaid in the presence of the said Returning Officer and on the said Returning Officer himself having put in the date as aforesaid in the presence of your petitioner as aforesaid, did not think it necessary to put in the date in the subscription portion of the said nomination paper.

7. The said Returning Officer duly signed in the presence of your petitioner the certificate of delivery at the bottom of the said nomination paper stating the date on which, and the hour at which, the nomination paper had been delivered to him as aforesaid.

8. The said Returning Officer also duly informed your petitioner that he has fixed the 11th of October 1923 at 11 o'clock at his office for the scrutiny of nomination.

9. The said Returning Officer soon thereafter caused to be affixed in a conspicuous place in his said office, a notice of the said nominations of your petitioner containing descriptions similar to those contained in the said nomination paper both of your petitioner and of the said Surendra Nath Mullick and also a date, the date being the said October 8th of 1923.

10. Your petitioner on the 11th of October attended at the appointed hour as aforesaid and examined the nomination papers of the said other alleged candidate, who also examined the nomination papers of your petitioner.

11. The said Returning Officer then examined the said nomination papers and called for objections to the said nominations from the said Surendra Nath Mullick and your petitioner.

12. The said Surendra Nath Mullick thereupon objected to the said nomination paper of your petitioner on the alleged ground that no date had been put in the subscription portion of the nomination papers of your petitioner and asked the said Returning Officer to reject the said nominations on the said alleged ground. Thereupon your petitioner explained as to why the said date was not put in in the said nomination papers as aforesaid and contended on various grounds that the said objection to the nomination papers was frivolous and should be disallowed. The said Returning Officer, however, rejected the nominat on papers of your petitioner on the alleged ground that the said nomination papers were undated, although the said nomination papers were signed by your petitioner in his presence on the said 8th of October 1923, and although he himself had put in the said date in the said nomination papers as aforesaid and although he himself held that your petitioner was qualified to stand for election, that the omission to put in date was admittedly a mere irregularity of a technical nature and that the said nomination papers were in fact signed by your petitioner in his presence on the said 8th of October 1923.

13. On the 11th of October 1923 the said Returning Officer improperly rejected the nomination papers of your petitioner as aforesaid and stated his reasons, a copy of which is hereunto annexed and marked "B".

14. The said Returning Officer had also given a certificate of scrutiny holding that your petitioner and his proposers and seconders were respectively qualified to stand for election, to propose and to second the said nomination.

A copy of the said certificate is hereunto annexed and marked "C".

15. Your petitioner submits that the filling in of date was no part of the completion of the said nomination papers and that the nomination papers delivered by your petitioner were duly completed in accordance with the rules and regulations made in that behalf. Your petitioner further submits that your petitioner had substantially complied with the rules and regulations made in that behalf and that the mere omission, if any, of putting in of the date in the form and at the place as given in the said form and in the circumstances of this case as aforesaid, is not such a non-compliance as can vitiate in any way the said nomination papers as contravening the said rules and regulations. Your petitioner further states that the said non-compliance did not at all prejudice the said Surendra Nath Mullick or any other person and was not at all material to the said nomination papers. Your petitioner further submits that the said non-compliance did not go to the root of the matter and was of a trivial nature and should have been overlooked.

16. Your petitioner was in all respects duly nominated according to the provisions of law made in that behalf and no other objection was made to the nomination papers of your petitioner by the said Returning Officer or by the said Surendra Nath Mullick or any other person.

17. In the facts and circumstances of this case, your petitioner submits that the said Returning Officer wrongfully and improperly rejected the said nomination papers of your petitioner whereas he should have accepted the said nomination papers under the provisions of the said Government of India Act and the rules and regulations made thereunder.

18. Your petitioner again on his part objected to the nomination of the said Surendra Nath Mullick, who is the Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation, on the ground that the nomination of the said Surendra Nath Mullick appeared on the face of it to be an abuse of right of nomination inasmuch as it purported to nominate an official who is disqualified for election as a member of Bengal Legislative Council, and requested the said Returning Officer to reject the said nomination. The said Returning Officer failed and neglected to decide the said objections but only noted the said objection. A copy of the said nomination paper with the said note is hereunto annexed and marked "D". The said Surendra Nath Mullick is an official and this appears conclusively from a mere perusal of the Calcutta Municipal Act.

19. The said Surendra Nath Mullick has been appointed by the Government of Bengal as the Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation and is removeable from the said office by the said Government at its discretion and he receives a salary as fixed by the said Government The said Surendra Nath Mullick as such Chairman is bound to devote his whole time to the duties of the said office and is not entitled to engage in any other profession, trade or business whatsoever, and is bound to act under the directions of the said Government.

20. In the facts and circumstances of this case your petitioner submits that the said Surendra Nath Mullick is an official and as such is not eligible for election to Bengal Legislative Council.

21. In the premises aforesaid your petitioner submits that the said Returning Officer wrongfully and improperly accepted the said nomination of the said Surendra Nath Mullick, whereas he should have rejected the said nomination and should have declared your petitioner duly elected under the provisions of the said Government of India Act and the rules and regulations made thereunder.

22. In the afternoon of the said 11th October 1923, your petitioner also asked the said Returning Officer at his office to refer the said question on the interpretation of the said rules for the decision of His Excellency the Governor of Bengal and the said Returning Officer refused to do so.

23. The said Returning Officer wrongfully and improperly purported to publish the list of the said alleged valid nomination on the 12th of October, 1923.

24. The said Returning Officer wrongfully and improperly purported to declare the said alleged election of Surendra Nath Mullick on the 2nd of November, 1923.

25. The said Returning Officer wrongfully and improperly purported to report the result of the said alleged election to the Secretary of the Council also on the said 2nd November, 1923.

26. The said alleged election was wrongfully and improperly published in the *Calcutta Gazette* on the 7th of November, 1923.

27. In the premises aforesaid your petitioner states that the result of the said alleged election has been materially affected by the said improper refusal of the nomination of your petitioner and the said improper acceptance of the nomination of Surendra Nath Mullick and the said non-compliance with the provisions of the Government of India Act and the rules and regulations made thereunder, whereas in the facts and circumstances of this case your petitioner should have been declared duly elected by the said Returning Officer and reported as such.

28. The said Surendra Nath Mullick purported to lodge his return of expenses and declarations on the 15th of November, 1923.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that it may be determined and declared that the said Surendra Nath Mullick was not duly elected or returned and that his election and return were and are wholly null and void and that your petitioner the said S. N. Haldar was duly elected and ought to have been returned and that the said Returning Officer T. Y. J. Roxburgh may be deemed a respondent to this petition, and that the said Surendra Nath Mullick, the said T. Y. J. Roxburgh or some or one of them may be ordered to pay the costs of this petition to your petitioner.

(Sd.) S. N. HALDAR.

(Sd.) (SURENDRA NATH HALDAR.)

(Sd.) K. K. DUTT & Co.,

Petitioner's attorneys.

I, S. N. Haldar the petitioner abovenamed, do declare that the matters and facts contained in paragraphs 1 to 14 both inclusive, 16, 18 and 22 of the foregoing petition are true to my knowledge and those contained in paragraphs 19, 23 to 26 and 28 thereof are based on information received and believed by me to be true and those contained in the rest of the said petition are my submissions I sign this verification at No. 10, Hastings Street, Calcutta, at the office of Messrs. K. K. Dutt & Co., Solicitors, this 28th day of November, 1923.

(Sd.) S. N. HALDAR.

EXHIBIT "A."

(Referred to in the annexed petition.)

NOMINATION PAPER.

Name of the constituency for which the candidate is nominated.	Calcutta South Non-Mahomedan Constituency.
Name of candidate	S. N. Haldar.
Father's name	Late Barada Nath Haldar.
Age	Forty-five.
Address	20, Mullen Street.
Denomination (state whether non-Mahomedan, Mahomedan, European or Anglo-Indian).	Non-Mahomedan.
Constituency on the electoral roll of which the candidate is registered as an elector.	Calcutta South (Non-Mahomedan) Constituency.
*Number of candidate in the electoral roll of the constituency in which he is registered as an elector.	No. 1773 (in Ward No. 22).
Name of proposer	B. Chakravarti.
°Number of the proposer in the electoral roll of the constituency.	No. 606 (in Ward No. 22).
Signature of the proposer	B. Chakravarti.
Name of the seconder	Basanta Kumar Lahiri.
*Number of the seconder in the electoral roll of the constituency.	No. 660 (in Ward No. 22).
Signature of the seconder	Basanta Kumar Lahiri.

Declaration by Candidate.

I hereby declare that I agree to this nomination.

Date

(Signature of candidate.)

S. N. HALDAR.

(To be filled in by the Returning Officer or other authorized person.)

Certificate of Delivery.

Serial number.

This nomination paper was delivered to me at my office at (date and hour 11-34 A.M., October 8th.....).

T. ROXBURGH,

Returning Officer or other authorised person.

The 8th October 1923.

Certificate of Scrutiny.

I have scrutinised the eligibility of the candidate, the proposer and seconder and find that they are respectively qualified to stand for election, to propose and to second the nomination, but the paper is neglected under Regulation XXI (*iii*) of Bengal Electoral Regulations.

T. ROXBURGH,

Returning Officer or other authorised person

The 11th October 1923.

Chief Presidency Magistrate.

The 11th October 1923.

N B.—This nomination paper will not be valid unless it is delivered to the Returning Officer or other person authorised to receive it, at his office before 3 P.M on.....19 .

* Where the electoral roll is subdivided and separate serial numbers are assigned to the electors entered in each subdivision a description of the subdivision in which the name of the person concerned is entered must also be given here.

° Not to be entered in case of special constituency.

EXHIBIT "B."

Election, nomination paper of S. N. Haldar, Calcutta South Non-Mahomedan Constituency, B. L. C.

The papers Nos. 4, 5, 6 are undated and therefore have not been completed in the form prescribed in Schedule III (*vide* Rule [illegible]), Bengal Electoral Rolls). This is admittedly a mere irregularity of a technical nature. They were in fact signed by the candidate in my presence on the 8th October 1923. But I interpret rules strictly as is intended I think, *vide* Regulation XXI(*iii*).

T. ROXBURGH.

The 11th October 1923.

EXHIBIT "C".

I have scrutinised the eligibility of the candidate, the proposer and seconder and find that they are respectively qualified to stand for election, to propose and to second the nomination, but the paper is rejected under Regulation XXXI (*iii*) of the Bengal Election Regulation.

Y. ROXBURGH.

11th October 1923.

EXHIBIT "D".

Nomination Paper.

Name of the constituency for which the candidate is nominated	Calcutta South (Non-Mahomedan) Constituency of Bengal Legislative Council.
Name of candidate	Surendra Nath Mullick.
Father's name	Late Rajendra Nath Mullick.
Age	51 years.
Address	2, Chandra Chatterjee Street (Ward 22, Bhowanipur, Calcutta).
Denomination (state whether non-Mahomedan, Mahomedan, European or Anglo-Indian)	Non-Mahomedan.
Constituency on the electoral roll of which the candidate is registered as an elector	Calcutta South Non-Mahomedan Constituency, Bengal Legislative Council.
Number of the candidate in the electoral roll or the constituency in which he is registered as an elector	No. 461, Ward 22, Calcutta South Non-Mahomedan Constituency.
Name of the proposer	Charu Chandra Biswas.
Number of proposer in the electoral roll of the constituency	No. 1901, Ward 22, Calcutta South (Non-Mahomedan) Constituency.
Signature of the proposer	Charu Chandra Biswas.
Name of the seconder	B. K. Bose.
Number of the seconder in the electoral roll of the constituency	No. 767, Ward 22, Calcutta South (Non-Mahomedan) Constituency.
Signature of the seconder	B. K. Bose.

Declaration by candidate.

I hereby declare that I agree to this nomination.

(*Signature of candidate.*)

SURENDRA NATH MULLICK.

The 5th October 1923.

(To be filled in by the Returning Officer or other authorised person.)

Certificate of delivery.

Serial number.

This nomination paper was delivered to me at my office at (date and hour 2-43 P.M., 5th October 1923).

T. ROXBURGH,
Returning Officer or other authorised person.

The 5th October 1923.

Certificate of scrutiny.

I have scrutinised the eligibility of the candidate, the proposer and seconder, and find that they are respectively qualified to stand for election, to propose and to second the nomination. I accept the nomination paper. Mr. Haldar objects that Mr. Mullick is a whole-time Government servant, but this point does not come under Regulation XXI and is outside my province.

T. ROXBURGH,
Returning Officer or other authorised person.

The 11th October 1923.

Chief Presidency Magistrate.

The 11th October 1923.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under Rules 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

PRESENT :

A. J. Chotzner, Esq., I.C.S. ... *President.*
D. C. Patterson, Esq., I.C.S. ... } *Commissioners.*
Rai Girindra Nath Mukherjee Bahadur }

In the matter of Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandy, K.C.I.E., *petitioner*,

versus

Hon'ble Mr. Provash Chandra Mitter, C.I.E., *respondent.*

To

Hon'ble Mr. Provash Chandra Mitter, C.I.E., 34-1, Elgin Road, Bhowanipur, Calcutta.

Please take notice that abovementioned petition will be tried by the Commissioners on the 15th day of January, 1924, at 11 o'clock in the District Judge's court-room at Alipore, district 24-Parganas.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas, this 21st day of December 1923.

A. J. CHOTZNER,
President.

Election petition under rule 32 of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandy, K.C.I.E., *petitioner*,

versus

The Hon'ble Mr. Provash Chandra Mitter C.I.E., of 34-1, Elgin Road Bhowanipur, Calcutta, *respondent.*

The humble petition of Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandy, K.C.I.E., of Kassimbazar.

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH—

1. That your Excellency's petitioner was a Member of the Council of State.

2. That on the 7th October, 1923, the petitioner resigned his seat on the said Council of State by an Express wire, and also a letter, addressed to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, copies of which wire and letter are annexed hereto and marked with the letters "A" and "B".

3. That J. H. Lindsay, Esq., the then Commissioner of the Presidency Division, was the Returning Officer for the Presidency Division Landholders' constituency for the last election to the Bengal Legislative Council.

4. That on the 8th October, 1923, three printed forms for nomination for election from the said Presidency Division Landholders' constituency, sent by the said Returning Officer, were duly filled in and delivered to the said Returning Officer at his office at 3, Charnock Place, Calcutta, with copies of the said wire and letter, addressed to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India.

5. That on the 9th October, 1923, the petitioner sent another wire to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, requesting that the acceptance of the petitioner's said resignation might be communicated by wire in view of the date of scrutiny of the nomination papers being fixed on Thursday, the 11th October, 1923, evidence about which was offered but considered not necessary by the Returning Officer, a copy of which wire is also annexed hereto and marked with the letter "C".

6. That accordingly on the 10th October, 1923, a wire was received by the said Returning Officer from the Secretary, Legislative Department, to the Government of India, communicating the Governor-General's acceptance of the petitioner's said resignation with a copy to this petitioner, copy whereof is filed herewith and marked with the letter "D".

7. That on the 11th October, 1923, the date fixed for scrutiny of nomination papers by the said Returning Officer, the petitioner could not personally attend, but authorised in writing his retained Vakil, Babu Debendra Nath Bagchi, and his Private Secretary, Mr. Prithish Chandra Roy, to represent the petitioner at the scrutiny, the former of whom only was allowed inside the Chamber of the said office where the scrutiny took place, while the latter had to wait in the adjoining Hall.

8. That the other candidates from the said constituency, and present at the scrutiny, were Rai Jotindra Nath Chaudhuri representing himself, and the Hon'ble Mr. Provash Chandra Mitter, C.I.E., with his Vakil, Babu Charu Chandra Biswas, and one of his proposers Babu Bhabendra Nath Roy of Narail.

9. That objection was raised by Babu Charu Chandra Biswas, vakil, on behalf of and assisted by the said Hon'ble Mr. Mitter, that the nomination of the petitioner must be rejected as the petitioner was not eligible for election on the date of filing the nomination forms, *i.e.*, on the 8th October, 1923, he being still a member of the Council of State as his resignation had not yet been accepted.

10. That, in reply, the petitioner's Vakil, Babu Debendra Nath Bagchi, submitted *inter alia*, that there was no substance in the contention raised above, that the petitioner had already resigned when his nomination forms were put in, that that was quite sufficient to make him eligible to be nominated as a candidate, the acceptance following as a matter of course, and relating back to the date of the resignation, and that, as matters stood, it was quite clear that the resignation had already been accepted before the date of scrutiny, *i.e.*, the 11th October, 1923, as appeared from the telegram of the 10th referred to above, and, therefore, the petitioner "was not ineligible for election," which was the only question then before the Returning Officer.

11. That it was further submitted on behalf of the petitioner that if any light was necessary on the point as to when exactly the petitioner's resignation had been accepted by His Excellency the Governor-General, a reference by a prepaid Express wire at the petitioner's expense might be made to His Excellency, and the point cleared up in the course of the day.

12. That it was last of all prayed on behalf of the petitioner that as a question had been raised as to the interpretation of the Rules and the Regulations, a reference by wire should, at any rate, be made on the point to His Excellency the Governor of Bengal under Rule 48 and Regulation LXXXVI of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, which were imperative.

13. That the Returning Officer appreciated none of the contentions raised and the prayers made on behalf of the petitioner, and rejected the petitioner's said nomination by an order then and there, a copy of which order was applied for but not supplied, and which runs as follows :—

> "I must refuse the nomination of this candidate the Maharaja of Kassimbazar. Under section 93 of the Government of India Act the seat in the Council of State becomes vacant on the acceptance of the resignation of the Member. The Maharaja wired his resignation on the 7th instant and also sent a letter on that day. The only evidence of the acceptance of the resignation is a telegram from Simla from the Secretary, Legislative Department, dated 10th instant. If this evidence is accepted, I must hold that the resignation takes effect from the 10th instant, and that on the 8th instant when the nomination papers were filed, the Maharaja was still a member of the Council of State. Accordingly at the time of his nomination, he was not eligible for election [*See* rule 5(*I*) (*e*)] and so the provisions of rule 11(*I*) were not complied with. The nomination is therefore refused under Regulation XXI (*i*) and (*iii.*)
>
> J. H. LINDSAY,
>
> *Returning Officer.*"

11th October 1923.

14. That a petition was forthwith submitted on behalf of this petitioner by his Vakil that as none of the contentions raised and prayers made by him on behalf of Your Excellency's petitioner had been noted in the said order, the said petition might be kept on the record with such remarks as the Returning Officer might be pleased to make, and the said petition was, accordingly, ordered to "be filed with the papers".

15. That the result of the election has since been published and the said Hon'ble Mr. Provash Chandra Mitter, C.I.E., has been declared duly elected, but he has not lodged his return of Election expenses and declarations with the Returning Officer, under rule 19 of the Bengal Election Rules and Regulations, 1923.

16. That it may be noted here that for ready remedy against the said order of the Returning Officer, Your Excellency's petitioner on the 15th October, 1923, made an application under section 45 of the Specific Relief Act in the Original Side of the Hon'ble High Court (before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Cuming), and got an *ad interim* order for stay of all further proceedings, but the said application was ultimately dismissed by the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Page on the 2nd November, 1923, holding that the High Court had no jurisdiction in the matter, and observing that the Election Petition was the remedy open for your petitioner.

17. That against the said order of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Page, Your Excellency's petitioner on the 9th November, 1923, preferred an appeal in the said Hon'ble Court in its Appellate Jurisdiction, and their Lordships (the Hon'ble the Chief Justice and the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Richardson), while inclined to grant relief, were pleased to dismiss the said appeal on the 13th November, 1923, by separate judgments in the exercise of their discretion in view of the fact that the election was coming to a close in two or three days more by the 15th *idem*, and further that even if the relief prayed for were granted, the order might not be binding upon His Excellency the Governor, while the Election Petition was the proper and complete remedy for your petitioner.

18. That, accordingly, and as advised, Your Excellency's petitioner humbly begs to present this Election Petition under rule 32 of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923, making the abovenamed returned candidate respondent on amongst other the following grounds:—

Grounds.

(1) For that in refusing the said nomination of Your Excellency's petitioner, the learned Returning Officer obviously erred and acted quite contrary to the clear provisions of Regulation XXI of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923.

(2) For that the learned Returning Officer was misled by a misconception and too narrow view of rules 5 and 11 of the said Rules and Regulations, and of section 93 of the Government of India Act.

(3) For that the result of the Election has evidently been materially affected by the said improper refusal of the nomination and consequent exclusion of Your Excellency's petitioner from the field.

19. That your Excellency's petitioner deposits herewith Rs. 1,000 in cash for security for costs, and has otherwise complied with the provisions of rules 32, 33 and 35 of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923.

In these circumstances, Your Excellency's petitioner most respectfully prays that Your Excellency may be graciously pleased to refer this Election Petition for trial according to law, and, upon the report of the learned Commissioners, declare the said Election void and direct a fresh Election, and award costs to this petitioner, or make such other or further order or orders as to Your Excellency may seem fit and proper.

And your petitioner, as in duty bound, shall ever pray.

Verification.

I, Manindra Chandra Nandy, residing at Kassimbazar, district Murshidabad, petitioner abovenamed, do hereby declare that the matters and facts set out in paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 (excepting the last line thereof beginning with "evidence about which, etc."), and paragraphs 6 and 18 of the above petition are true to my knowledge, and these in paragraphs 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 and the said last sentence of the said paragraph 5 are true to the best of my information and belief. I sign this Verification sitting at my Calcutta residence, No. 302, Upper Circular Road, this the 1st day of December, 1923.

EXHIBIT "A".

(COPY.)

Copy of the Message which was sent to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, Simla.

Dated the 7th October, 1923.

(I) I tender my resignation of the Office of Member of Council of State.

(Sd.) MANINDRA CHANDRA NANDY,
Maharaja, Kasimbazar.

EXHIBIT "B".

(COPY.)

Copy of the letter which was sent to His Excellency the Governor-General of India by Maharaja of Kassimbazar.

Calcutta, dated the 7th October, 1923.

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Rufus Daniel Issack Earl of Reading, P.C., C. C. B. A. M. S. I., K. C. V. O., Viceroy and Governor-General of India, Simla.

Your Excellency,

In continuation of my telegram of date, I beg to send herewith my resignation of the office of Member of Council of State.

I remain,
Your Excellency's most obedient servant
(Sd.) MANINDRA CHANDRA NANDY,
Maharaja of Kassimbazar.

EXHIBIT "C".

(COPY.)

Dated the 9th October, 1923.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, Simla.

Kindly communicate acceptance resignation membership Council of State by wire as date Thursday, 11th, scrutiny Bengal Council, to which I am seeking for election now.

Reply prepaid
Rs. 2.

(Sd.) MANINDRA CHANDRA NANDY,
Maharaja Kassimbazar.

EXHIBIT "D".

(COPY.)

Simla.	Despatch date.	Hour.	Received hour.
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Clear line—Maharaja of Kassimbazar
C-O Returning Officer, Bengal Council Election,
Calcutta.

Governor-General has accepted resignation of your seat Council of State.

Secretary, Legislative Department.

The Calcutta Gazette

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 22nd December 1923, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

PEACE TREATY.

Delhi, the 20th December 1923.

No. 269.— The following notice is published for general information :—

SUBJECT.—*Final date for submission of debt claims by British Nationals in India against German Nationals in accordance with the provisions of the Treaty of Versailles.*

It is announced for general information that as the result of negotiations with the German authorities it has been decided that all enemy debt claims that reach the German Clearing Office in the proper form before 1st May 1924, will be considered in the Clearing Office procedure. To ensure a claim reaching that office within time it is essential that it should be received in the Local Clearing Office (Enemy Debts), Delhi, duly completed in the proper form not later than the 29th February 1924, and this date has accordingly been fixed as the last date for receiving proofs of claims by the Local Clearing Office (Enemy Debts).

British Nationals in India, or subjects of States in India, who have debt claims against German Nationals arising out of pre-war transactions which they have not already notified to the Local Clearing Office (Enemy Debts), Delhi, should immediately notify such claims to that office.

W. T. M. WRIGHT,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 22nd December 1923, is republished for general information.

J. BARTLEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 19th December 1923.

No. F.-776—23.—The Governor General in Council has accepted the resignation tendered by the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Asutosh Mookerjee, Kt., C.S.I., of his office of Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, with effect from the 1st January 1924.

H. TONKINSON,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

The following resolution issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 22nd December 1923, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

RESOLUTION.

POLICE.

The 19th December 1923.

No. F. 1-XV—23.—In the Finance Department Resolution No. 429-C.S.R., dated the 15th May 1922, it has been announced that, with the approval of the Secretary of State, the Government of India have revised the rules in Chapter XXXVIII of the Civil Service Regulations relating to the grant of wound and other extraordinary pensions. It has now been brought to their notice that apprehensions have been expressed whether the revised rules take adequate account of the conditions of the police officer's service. Such officers are often engaged in operations of exceptional risk such as the dispersal of unlawful assemblies, suppression of riots or the arrest of dangerous criminals. Anxiety has been expressed whether operations of this nature, though falling within the scope of their duties, would fall within the terms of the new article 746-B, Civil Service Regulations. The Government of India have no hesitation in declaring that injury or death met in the performance of duties of this kind render the officer concerned or his family eligible for the benefits of the concessions provided by section III of Chapter XXXVIII, Civil Service Regulations.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy be forwarded to all local Governments and Administrations, to all Departments of the Government of India, and to the Honorary Secretary, Central Committee, Indian Police Association, Bombay.

Ordered further that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India*.

J. CRERAR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 22nd December 1923, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS.

Delhi, the 22nd December 1923.

No. 1770.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India of any copy of a book entitled "Biplaber Bali, Jatindra Mukherji" printed at the Bi Pra Press and published in Chandernagore by Basanta Kumar Banarji.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 22nd December 1923.

No. 1774.—Mr. G. N. Bower, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service at Calcutta, now on deputation, is granted leave on average pay for eight months (of which two days are on account of privilege leave at his credit) with effect from the date of his reversion to his substantive appointment, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the leave.

A. C. MCWATTERS,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 22nd December 1923, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

TARIFF VALUATIONS.

Delhi, the 22nd December 1923.

No. 73-T.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), and in supersession of the notifications of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce, No. 6705, dated the 23rd December 1922, No. 1042, dated the 15th February 1923, and Nos. 2724 and 2725, dated the 5th May 1923, the Governor General in Council is pleased to fix with effect from the 1st January 1924, for the articles specified in column 3 of the Import Tariff Schedule and column 2 of the Export Tariff Schedule hereto annexed, the tariff values stated in columns 5 and 4 respectively of the said schedules.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF.

Note.—In the expressions "*ad valorem*" used in this schedule the reference is to "real value" as defined in section 30 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878).

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco.		Rs. A.	
		FISH.			
1	27	FISH, SALTED, wet or dry	Indian maund of 82⅔ lbs. avoirdupois weight.	...	Such rate or rates of duty not exceeding one rupee as the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India* from time to time prescribe.*
2	65	FISH, excluding salted fish	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
3	66	FISHMAWS, including singally and sozille, and sharklins.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,

* The rate on the 1st January 1924 and until further notice is annas 15.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco—*contd*		Rs A.	
		FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.			
4	67	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, all sorts, fresh, dried, salted or preserved—			
		Almonds without shell	cwt.	65 0	15 per cent.
		" kagazi Persian in the shell ...	"	90 0	15 " "
		" in the shell Persian ...	"	14 0	15 " "
		" all other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 " "
		Cashew or cajoo kernels	cwt.	22 0	15 " "
		Cocoanuts, Straits and Dutch East Indies	thousand	120 0	15 " "
		" Maldives	"	39 0	15 " "
		" other	"	55 0	15 " "
		" kernel (khopra)	cwt.	20 0	15 " "
		Currants	"	35 0	15 " "
		Dates, dry, in bags	"	8 0	15 " "
		" wet " baskets and bundles	"	6 0	15 " "
		" " in pots, boxes, tins and crates	"	10 0	15 " "
		Garlic	"	7 8	15 " "
		Pistachio nuts	"	90 0	15 " "
		Raisins, Munakka, Persian Gulf ...	"	15 0	15 " "
		" other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 " "
		All other sorts of fruits and vegetables, fresh, dried, salted or preserved.	...	"	15 " "
		GRAIN, PULSE AND FLOUR.			
5	68	FLOUR	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
6	47	GRAIN AND PULSE, all sorts, including broken grains and pulse, but excluding flour (see No. 5)	...	"	2½ " "
		LIQUORS.			
					Rs A.
7	28	ALE, Beer, Porter, Cider and other fermented liquors.	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles.	...	0 8
8	29	DENATURED SPIRIT	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
9	31	LIQUEURS, Cordials, Mixtures and other preparations containing spirit—			
		(a) Entered in such a manner as to indicate that the strength is not to be tested.	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles.	...	Rs. A. 30 0 or 15 per cent. *ad valorem*, whichever is higher.
		(b) If tested	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles of the strength of London proof.	...	Rs. A. 21 14 and the duty to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than London proof } or 15 per cent. *ad valorem*, whichever is higher.
10	30	PERFUMED SPIRITS	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles.	...	Rs. A. 36 0 or 15 per cent. *ad valorem*, whichever is higher.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco —*contd.*		Rs. A	Rs. A.
		LIQUORS—*concld.*			
11	32	All other sorts of SPIRITS	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles of the strength of London proof.	...	21 14 and the duty to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than London proof } or 15 per cent. *ad valorem*, whichever is higher
12	33	WINES—			Rs. A.
		Champagne and all other sparkling wines not containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit.	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles.	...	9 0
		All other sorts of wines not containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit.	,,	...	4 8
		Provided that all sparkling and still wines containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit shall be liable to duty at the rate applicable to "All other sorts of Spirit".			
		PROVISIONS AND OILMAN'S STORES.			
13	69	PROVISIONS, OILMAN'S STORES, AND GROCERIES, all sorts, excluding vinegar in casks (see No. 14)—			
		Butter	lb.	2 0	15 per cent.
		Cassava, tapioca or sago (whole) ...	cwt.	17 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, ,, (flour) ..	,,	13 0	15 ,, ,,
		China preserves in syrup	box of six large or twelve small jars.	9 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, dry, candied ...	lb.	0 8	15 ,, ,,
		China canned fruit	case of 4 doz.	15 0	15 ,, ,,
		Cocum	cwt.	7 0	15 ,, ,,
		Ghi	,,	60 0	15 ,, ,,
		Vermicelli, flour, Chinese	,,	30 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, peas ,, ...	,,	34 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, rice ,, ...	,,	18 0	15 ,, ,,
		Yeast, Chinese	,,	27 0	15 ,, ,,
		All other sorts of provisions, oilman's stores and groceries.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
14	68	VINEGAR, in casks	...	,,	25 ,, ,,
		SACCHARINE.			Rs. A.
15	34A	SACCHARINE (except in tablets) ...	lb.	...	20 0
16	34B	SACCHARINE TABLETS	...	*Ad valorem*	25 per cent. or Rs. 20 per pound of saccharine contents, whichever is higher.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statistical Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco —*contd.*		Rs. A.	
		SPICES.			
17	70	SPICES, all sorts—			
		Betelnuts, raw, whole, split, or sliced, also red whole from Goa.	cwt.	15 0	15 per cent.
		Betelnuts, raw, whole, split, or sliced, also red whole from Straits.	,,	14 0	15 ,, ,,
		Betelnuts, boiled, split or sliced ...	,,	22 8	15 ,, ,,
		,, whole, from Ceylon ...	,,	15 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, raw, split (sun-dried) from Ceylon.	,,	30 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, all other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Chillies, dry	cwt.	25 0	15 ,, ,,
		Cloves	,,	65 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, exhausted	,,	16 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, stems and heads	,,	9 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, in seeds, nariavang	,,	20 0	15 ,, ,,
		Ginger, dry	,,	35 0	15 ,, ,,
		Mace	lb	1 0	15 ,, ,,
		Nutmegs	,,	0 7	15 ,, ,,
		,, in shell	,,	0 5	15 ,, ,,
		Pepper black	cwt.	27 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, white	,,	56 0	15 ,, ,,
		All other sorts of spices	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		SUGAR			
18	124	CONFECTIONERY	...	*Ad valorem*	30 per cent.
19	34	SUGAR, all sorts, including molasses but excluding confectionery (see No. 18)—			
		Sugar, crystallised and soft, not inferior to 8 Dutch standard—			
		From Java, 23 Dutch standard and above	cwt.	17 12	25 ,, ,,
		,, ,, 16 to 22 Dutch standard ...	,,	15 12	25 ,, ,,
		,, ,, 15 Dutch standard and under	,,	15 4	25 ,, ,,
		,, Japan or Formosa	,,	19 12	25 ,, ,,
		Refined in China including Hong Kong	,,	19 12	25 ,, ,,
		From Egypt	,,	18 12	25 ,, ,,
		,, Mauritius	,,	16 4	25 ,, ,,
		Cane, from other countries ...	,,	16 4	25 ,, ,,
		Sugar, crystallised, beet ...	,,	17 12	25 ,, ,,
		Molasses	,,	4 0	25 ,, ,,
		Sugar Candy	,,	25 0	25 ,, ,,
		Sugar, all other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	25 ,, ,,
		TEA.			
20	71	TEA—			
		Tea, black	lb.	0 12	15 per cent.
		,, green	,,	1 0	15 ,, ,,
		OTHER FOOD AND DRINK.			
21	72	COFFEE	cwt.	36 0	15 per cent.
22	1	HOPS	...	...	Free.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco—*concld.*		Rs. A.	
		OTHER FOOD AND DRINK—*concld.*			
23	35	SALT, excluding Salt exempted under No. 24	Indian maund of 82⅔ lbs. avoirdupois weight.	...	The rate at which excise duty is for the time being leviable on salt manufactured in the place where the import takes place.*
24	2	SALT imported into British India and issued, in accordance with rules made with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, for use in any process of manufacture ; also salt imported into the port of Calcutta and issued with the sanction of the Government of Bengal to manufacturers of glazed stone-ware ; also salt imported into any port in the provinces of Bengal and Bihar and Orissa and issued, in accordance with rules made with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, for use in curing fish in those provinces.	...	...	Free.
25	73	ALL OTHER SORTS OF FOOD AND DRINK not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent
		TOBACCO.			
26	37	CIGARS AND CIGARETTES	...	*Ad valorem*	75 per cent.
27	36	TOBACCO, unmanufactured	lb.	...	Rs. A. 1 0
28	38	All other sorts of TOBACCO, manufactured ...	lb.	...	2 4
		II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured.			
		COAL, COKE AND PATENT FUEL.			
29	39	COAL, COKE AND PATENT FUEL ...	ton	...	Rs. A. 0 8
		GUMS, RESINS AND LAC.			
30	74	GUMS, RESINS AND LAC, all sorts—			
		Gambier, block	cwt.	27 0	15 per cent.
		,, cube	,,	27 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Gum Ammoniac	cwt.	38 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, Arabic	,,	25 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, Benjamin, ras	,,	26 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, cowrie	,,	60 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, Bysabol (coarse myrrh) ...	,,	45 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, Olibanum or frankincense ...	,,	15 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, Persian (false)	,,	12 0	15 ,, ,,
		Myrrh	,,	45 0	15 ,, ,,
		Rosin	,,	16 0	15 ,, ,,
		All other sorts of gums, gum-resins, and articles made of gum or gum-resin	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,

* The rate of excise duty on the 1st January 1924 and until further notice is Rs. 2-8.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
*		HIDES AND SKINS, RAW.			
31	3	HIDES AND SKINS, raw or salted ...	...	...	Free.
		METALLIC ORES, AND SCRAP IRON OR STEEL FOR RE-MANUFACTURE.			
32	58	IRON OR STEEL, old	cwt.	2 0	10 per cent.
33	4	METALLIC ORES, all sorts, except ochres and other pigment ores.	...	...	Free
		OILS.			Rs. A. P.
34	40	KEROSINE AND MOTOR SPIRIT; also any mineral oil other than kerosene and motor spirit which has its flashing point below one hundred degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer by Abel's close test.*	Imperial gallon.	...	0 2 6
35	41	MINERAL OIL which has its flashing point at or above two hundred degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is not ordinarily used for any other purpose than for the batching of jute or other fibre, or for lubrication—			
		Batching oil	ton	125 0	7½ per cent.
		Other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „ „
36	41	Mineral oil which has its flashing point at or above one hundred and fifty degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is such as is not ordinarily used except as fuel or for some sanitary or hygienic purpose—			
		(*i*) imported in bulk ...	ton	65 0	7½ per cent.
		(*ii*) otherwise imported ...	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „ „
37	75	All sorts of animal, essential, mineral, and vegetable non-essential OILS not otherwise specified (see Nos. 34, 35 and 36) :—			
		Cocoanut oil	cwt.	30 0	15 „ „
		Linseed oil, raw and boiled ...	gallon	4 8	15 „ „
		All other sorts of oil	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
		SEEDS.			
38	6	OIL-SEEDS, imported into British India by sea from the territories of any Prince or Chief in India.	...	...	Free.
39	76	SEEDS all sorts, excluding oil-seeds specified in No. 38.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.

* Motor spirit is liable to an additional duty of six annas per gallon under Act II of 1917 as amended by Act III of 1919.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*contd*		Rs. A.	
		TALLOW, STEARINE AND WAX			
40	77	TALLOW AND STEARINE, including grease and animal fat, and WAX of all sorts, not otherwise specified (see No. 41).	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
41	77	VEGETABLE WAX	cwt.	60 0	15 „ „
		TEXTILE MATERIALS.			
42	7	COTTON, raw	...	...	Free.
43	78	TEXTILE MATERIALS, the following :—			
		Silk waste, and raw silk including cocoons :—			
		Bokhara	lb.	12 0	15 per cent.
		Floss	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
		Raw silk—Yellow Shanghai, including re-reeled.	lb.	8 0	15 „ „
		„ from Indo-China, and in places China other than Shanghai including re-reeled.	„	9 0	15 „ „
		Methow	„	6 8	15 „ „
		Panjam	„	6 0	15 „ „
		Persian	„	9 0	15 „ „
		Siam	„	8 0	15 „ „
		White Shanghai, Thonkoon or Duppion.	„	5 0	15 „ „
		„ „ other kinds including re-reeled.	„	9 0	15 „ „
		„ other kinds of China, including re-reeled.	„	11 0	15 „ „
		Waste and Kachra ...	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
		All other sorts, including cocoons ...	...	„	15 „ „
		Coir fibre	cwt.	10 0	15 „ „
		Raw hemp	„	22 0	15 „ „
		Raw Flax, Jute and all other unmanufactured textile materials not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
44	8	WOOL, raw, and WOOL-TOPS	...	...	Free
		WOOD AND TIMBER.			
45	49	FIREWOOD	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
46	79	WOOD AND TIMBER, all sorts, not otherwise specified, including all sorts of ornamental wood.	...	„	15 „ „
		MISCELLANEOUS.			
47	80	CANES AND RATTANS	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
48	81	COWRIES AND SHELLS—			
		Cowries, bazar, common	cwt.	7 8	15 „ „
		„ yellow, superior quality ...	„	8 8	15 „ „
		„ Maldive	„	12 0	15 „ „
		„ Sankhli	„	140 0	15 „ „
		Mother-of-pearl, nacre	„	18 0	15 „ „
		Nakhla	„	130 0	15 „ „
		Tortoise-shell	lb.	7 0	15 „ „
		„ nakh	„	2 4	15 „ „
		All other sorts, including articles made of shell, not otherwise described.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statistical Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*concld.*		Rs. A.	
		MISCELLANEOUS—*concld.*			
49	82	IVORY, unmanufactured—			
		Elephants' grinders	cwt.	300 0	15 per cent
		, tusks (other than hollows, centres, and points), each exceeding 20 lb. in weight, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing 10 lb. and over.	,,	875 0	15 ,, ,,
		Elephants' tusks (other than hollows, centres, and points), not less than 10 lb. and not exceeding 20 lb. each, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing less than 10 lb.	,,	750 0	15 ,, ,,
		Elephants' tusks, each less than 10 lb. (other than hollows, centres, and points).	,,	475 0	15 ,, ,,
		Sea cow or moye teeth, each not less than 4 lb.	,,	200 0	15 ,, ,,
		Sea cow or moye teeth, each not less than 3 lb. and under 4 lb.	,,	165 0	15 ,, ,,
		Sea-cow or moye teeth, each less than 3 lb	,,	100 0	15 ,, ,,
		All other sorts unmanufactured not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
50	9	MANURES, all sorts, including animal bones and the following chemical manures:—basic slag, nitrate of ammonia, nitrate of soda, muriate of potash, sulphate of ammonia, sulphate of potash, kainit salts, nitrate of lime, calcium cyanamide, mineral phosphates and mineral superphosphates.	...	...	Free.
51	83	PRECIOUS STONES, unset and imported cut ...	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
52	5	PRECIOUS STONES, unset and imported uncut, and PEARLS, unset.	...	...	Free
53	10	PULP OF WOOD, RAGS and other paper-making materials.	...	...	Free.
54	84	ALL OTHER RAW MATERIALS AND PRODUCE, and articles mainly unmanufactured, not otherwise specified.*	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured.			
		APPAREL.			
55	85	APPAREL, including drapery, boots and shoes, and military and other uniforms and accoutrements, but excluding uniforms and accoutrements exempted from duty (No 56) and gold and silver thread (NOS. 36 and 97) and articles made of silk (No. 107).	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.

* Under Government of India Notifications Nos. 4317, dated the 2nd July 1921, and 385, dated the 9th June 1923, unmanufactured Mica and Raw Rubber are exempt from payment of import duty.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Name of articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
		APPAREL—*concld.*			
56	11	UNIFORMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS appertaining thereto, imported by a public servant for his personal use.	...	...	Free.
		ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES.			Rs. A.
57	42	Subject to the exemptions specified in No. 60, ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES that is to say,—	each	...	15 0
		(1) Firearms other than pistols, including gas and air guns and rifles.	,,	...	15 0
		(2) Barrels for the same, whether single or double.	,,	...	15 0
		(3) Pistols, including automatic pistols and revolvers.	,,	...	15 0
		(4) Barrels for the same, whether single or double.	,,	...	5 0
		(5) Main springs and magazine springs for firearms, including gas-guns and rifles.	,,	...	3 0
		(6) Gun stocks and breech blocks ...	,,	...	2 0
		(7) Revolver-cylinders, for each cartridge they will carry.			
		(8) Actions (including skeleton and waster), breech bolts and their heads, cocking pieces, and locks for muzzle-loading arms.	,,	...	1 0
		(9) Machines for making, loading or closing cartridges for rifled arms.	...	*Ad valorem*	30 per cent.
		(10) Machines for capping cartridges for rifled arms.	...	,,	30 ,, ,,
58	125	GUNPOWDER for cannons, rifles, guns, pistols and sporting purposes.	...	*Ad valorem*	30 ,, ,,
59	126	Subject to the exemption specified in No. 60 all ARTICLES, other than those specified in entry No 57, which are ARMS OR PARTS OF ARMS within the meaning of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (excluding springs used for air-guns which are dutiable as hard ware, under No. 75), all tools used for cleaning or putting together the same, all machines for making, loading, closing or capping cartridges for arms other than rifled arms and all other sorts of ammunition and military stores, and any articles which the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare to be ammunition or military stores for the purposes of this Act.	...	,,	30 ,, ,,
60	12	The following ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES :—	...	...	Free.
		(*a*) Articles falling under the 5th, 6th, 8th, 9th or 10th item of No. 57 when they appertain to a firearm falling under the 1st or 3rd item and are fitted into the same case with such firearm ;			

or 30 per cent. *ad valorem*, whichever is higher.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
		ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES—*concld.*			
		(*b*) Arms forming part of the regular equipment of a commissioned or gazetted officer in His Majesty's Service entitled to wear diplomatic, military, naval, Royal Air Force or police uniform ;			
		(*c*) A revolver and an automatic pistol and ammunition for such revolver and pistol up to a maximum of 100 rounds per revolver or pistol, (*i*) when accompanying a commissioned officer of His Majesty's regular forces, or of the Indian Auxiliary Force or the Indian Territorial Force or a gazetted police officer, or (*ii*) certified by the commandant of the corps to which such officer belongs, or, in the case of an officer not attached to any corps, by the officer commanding the station or district in which such officer is serving, or in the case of a police officer, by an Inspector-General or Commissioner of Police, to be imported by the officer for the purpose of his equipment ;			
		(*d*) Swords for presentation as army or volunteer prizes ;			
		(*e*) Arms, ammunition, and military stores imported with the sanction of the Government of India for the use of any portion of the military forces of a State in India which may be maintained and organized for Imperial Service ;			
		(*f*) Morris tubes and patent ammunition imported by officers commanding British and Indian regiments or volunteer corps for the instruction of their men.			
61	86	EXPLOSIVES, namely, blasting gunpowder, blasting gelatine, blasting dynamite, blasting roburite, blasting tonite, and all other sorts, including detonators and blasting fuse.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
		CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES.			
62	13	ANTI-PLAGUE SERUM	...	...	Free.
63	50	COPPERAS, green—			
		(1) imported in bulk	cwt.	5 0	2½ per cent.
		(2) imported otherwise	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
64	43	OPIUM and its alkaloids, and their derivatives	seer of 80 tolas.	...	Rs. A. 24 0 or 15 per cent. *ad valorem* whichever is higher.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statistory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
		CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES —*contd.*			
65	14	CINCHONA BARK and the alkaloids extracted therefrom including QUININE.	...	...	Free.
66	88	CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES, all sorts not otherwise specified—			
		Alkali, Indian (sajji-khar) ...	cwt.	3 8	15 per cent.
		Alum (lump)	,,	10 0	15 ,, ,,
		Ammonium chloride—			
		Muriate of ammonia, crystalline ...	,,	32 0	15 ,, ,,
		Salammoniac, sublimed ...	,,	35 0	15 ,, ,,
		Other sorts including compressed ...	,,	38 0	15 ,, ,,
		Arsenic (China manail) ...	,,	85 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Bleaching powder	cwt.	12 8	15 ,, ,,
		Carbide of calcium	,,	22 0	15 ,, ,,
		Carbonate of ammonia	,,	40 0	15 ,, ,,
		Peppermint crystals	lb.	23 0	15 ,, ,,
		Silicate of soda (in liquid form) ...	cwt.	11 8	15 ,, ,,
		Soda ash including calcined natural soda and manufactured sesqui-carbonates.	,,	7 0	15 ,, ,,
		Soda bicarbonate	,,	10 8	15 ,, ,,
		Soda, caustic, solid	,,	17 8	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, flake	,,	23 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, powdered	,,	22 0	15 ,, ,,
		Soda crystals (in bulk)	,,	8 0	15 ,, ,,
		Sulphate of copper	,,	24 0	15 ,, ,,
		Sulphur (brimstone), flowers ...	,,	6 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, roll ...	,,	7 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, rough ...	,,	5 0	15 ,, ,,
		Trona or natural soda uncalcined ...	,,	3 8	15 ,, ,,
		All other sorts of chemical products and preparations not otherwise specified.*	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Aloe-wood	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
		Asafœtida (hing)	cwt.	100 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, coarse (hingra) ...	,,	38 0	15 ,, ,,
		Atary, Persian	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Banslochan (bamboo camphor) ...	lb.	0 8	15 ,, ,,
		Calumba root	cwt	10 0	15 ,, ,,
		Camphor, refined, other than powder ...	lb	2 12	15 ,, ,,
		Camphor powder, from Japan ...	,,	2 12	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, ,, China including Hongkong.	,,	2 4	15 ,, ,,
		Cassia lignea	cwt.	22 0	15 ,, ,,
		China root (chobchini), rough ...	,,	20 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, ,, scraped ...	,,	30 0	15 ,, ,,
		Cubebs	,,	150 0	15 ,, ,,
		Galangal, China	,,	12 8	15 ,, ,,
		Salep	,,	250 0	15 ,, ,,
		Storax, liquid (rose mellos or sularas) ...	,,	50 0	15 ,, ,,
		All other sorts of drugs, medicines, and narcotics.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		CONVEYANCES.			
87	67	CONVEYANCES, including tramcars, motor-omnibuses, motor-lorries, motor-vans, passenger lifts, carriages, carts, jinrikshas, bath-chairs, perambulators, trucks, wheel barrows, bicycles, tricycles, and all other sorts of conveyances not otherwise specified, and component parts and accessories thereof, except such parts and accessories of the motor vehicles above-mentioned as are also adapted for use as parts or accessories of motor cars, motor cycles or motor scooters (*see* No. 68).	...	,,	15 ,, ,,

* Under Government of India Notification Nos. 1706, dated 1st April 1923, and 1380, dated 10th November 1923, Urea and Carbo Lino are exempt from the payment of import duty.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs A.	
		CONVEYANCES—*concld.*			
68	127	MOTOR-CARS, motor-cycles, motor-scooters, and articles adapted for use as parts and accessories thereof: provided that such articles as are ordinarily also used for purposes other than as parts and accessories of motor-vehicles included in this item or in No. 67 shall be dutiable at the rate of duty specified for such articles.	...	*Ad valorem*	30 per cent
		CUTLERY, HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS AND INSTRUMENTS.			
69	15	The following AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, namely, winnowers, threshers, mowing and reaping machines, binding machines, elevators, seed-crushers, chaff-cutters, root cutters, ensilage-cutters, horse and bullock gears, ploughs, cultivators, scarifiers, harrows, clod-crushers seed-drills, hay-tedders, and rakes; also agricultural tractors; also component parts of these implements or tractors, provided that they can be readily fitted into their proper places in the implements or tractors for which they are imported, and that they cannot ordinarily be used for purposes unconnected with agriculture.	...	...	Free.
70	129	ARTICLES PLATED WITH GOLD AND SILVER	...	*Ad valorem*	30 per cent.
71	128	CLOCKS AND WATCHES, and parts thereof ...	...	"	30 " "
72	89	CUTLERY, excluding plated cutlery (*see* No. 70.)	...	"	15 " "
73	16	The following DAIRY APPLIANCES, namely, cream separators, milk sterilizing or pasteurizing plant, milk aerating and cooling apparatus, churns, butter dryers, and butter workers; also component parts of these appliances, provided that they can be readily fitted into their proper places in the appliances for which they are imported and that they cannot ordinarily be used for other than dairy purposes.	...	...	Free.
74	90A	ELECTRICAL CONTROL GEAR AND TRANSMISSION GEAR, namely, switches, fuses and current breaking devices of all sorts and descriptions, designed for use in circuits of less than ten *amperes* and at a pressure not exceeding 250 volts and regulators for use with motors designed to consume less than 187 watts; bare or insulated copper wires and cables, any one core of which has a sectional area of less than one eightieth part of a square inch, and wires and cables of other metals of not more than equivalent conductivity; and line insulators, including also cleats, connectors, leading-in tubes and the like, of types and sizes such as are ordinarily used in connection with the transmission of power for other than industrial purposes, and the fittings thereof.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
75	90	HARDWARE, IRONMONGERY AND TOOLS, all sorts, not otherwise specified.	...	"	15 " "
76	17	INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS, AND APPLIANCES, imported by a passenger as part of his personal baggage and in actual use by him in the exercise of his profession or calling.	...	...	Free.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. a.	
		CUTLERY, HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS, AND INSTRUMENTS—*concld.*			
77	130	MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS and parts thereof ...	...	*Ad valorem.*	30 per cent.
78	59	TELEGRAPHIC INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS, and parts thereof, imported by, or under the orders of, a railway company.	...	,,	10 ,, ,,
79	18	WATER-LIFTS, SUGAR-MILLS, OIL-PRESSES, and parts thereof, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power.	...	...	Free.
80	91	All other sorts of IMPLEMENTS, INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES, and parts thereof, not otherwise specified.[9]	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
		DYES AND COLOURS.			
81	92	DYEING AND TANNING SUBSTANCES, all sorts and PAINTS AND COLOURS and painters' materials, all sorts—			
		Alizarine dye, dry, not exceeding 40 per cent.	lb.	1 12	15 per cent.
		,, ,, ,, over 40 per cent. but not exceeding 50 per cent.	,,	2 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, ,, over 50 per cent. but not exceeding 60 per cent.	,,	2 4	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, ,, over 60 per cent. but not exceeding 70 per cent.	,,	2 8	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, ,, over 70 per cent. but not exceeding 80 per cent.	,,	2 12	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, ,, over 80 per cent.	,,	3 4	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, moist not exceeding 10 per cent.	,,	0 8	15 ,, ,,
	—	,, ,, ,, over 10 per cent. and not exceeding 16 per cent.	,,	0 10	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, ,, over 16 per cent. and not exceeding 20 per cent.	,,	0 12	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, ,, exceeding 20 per cent.	,,	1 4	15 ,, ,,
		Aniline dye, moist	,,	2 4	15 ,, ,,
		,, dyes, black, of sulphur series ...	,,	0 12	15 ,, ,,
		,, ,, congo red ...	,,	1 4	15 ,, ,,
		All other aniline dyes, dry ...	,,	2 8	15 ,, ,,
		Aniline salts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Avar bark	cwt.	4 8	15 ,, ,,
		Cochineal	lb.	0 14	15 ,, ,,
		Gallnuts (myrobalams)	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		,, Persian	cwt.	35 0	15 ,, ,,
		Gamboge	lb.	2 8	15 ,, ,,
		All other sorts of dyeing and tanning materials.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Lead, red, dry	cwt.	27 0	15 ,, ,,
		,, white, dry	,,	35 0	15 ,, ,,
		Turpentine	Imperial gallon.	6 8	15 ,, ,,
		Vermilion, Canton	box of 90 bundles.	200 0	15 ,, ,,
		Zinc, white, dry	cwt	45 0	15 ,, ,,
		All other sorts of paints, colours, pigment ores and painters' materials not otherwise specified, including glue and putty.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,

[9] Under Government of India Notification No. 245, dated the 19th May 1923, apparatus for wireless telegraphs imported in accordance with the terms of the Notification of the Government of India in the Commerce Department No. 6081, dated the 22nd October 1921, is liable to duty at 2½ per cent. *ad valorem*.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
				Rs. A. P.	
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
		FURNITURE, CABINETWARE AND MANUFACTURES OF WOOD.			
82	93	FURNITURE, CABINETWARE, and all other manufactures of wood not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
		GLASSWARE AND EARTHENWARE.			
83	94	GLASS AND GLASSWARE, lacquered ware, earthenware, China and porcelain ; all sorts, except glass bangles, beads, and false pearls and aerated water bottles (Codd's pattern) (*see* Nos. 84 and 85).	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
84	94	Aerated water bottles (Codd's pattern)—			
		8 ozs and under	gross	45 0 0	15 „ „
		Over 8 ozs.	„	55 0 0	15 „ „
85	131	GLASS BEADS AND FALSE PEARLS ...	...	*Ad valorem*	30 „ „
		GLASS BANGLES—			
		China—			
		Nimuchi and pasalal	100 pairs	2 0 0	30 „ „
		Bracelet Jadi and fancy all kinds ...	„	4 0 0	30 „ „
		Rajawarakh all kinds	„	9 0 0	30 „ „
		Japan—			
		Reshmi, plain and fancy, all colours, including vakmel.	dozen pairs	0 2 0	30 „ „
		Sonerikada (golbala)	„	0 4 6	30 „ „
		European—			
		Common, including plain colour, painted and flowered—.			
		Garnet and ruby	„	0 14 0	30 „ „
		All colours, excepting garnet and ruby, but including pasabadrang.	„	0 5 0	30 „ „
		Gilt and fancy, all sizes, including Kerihira, Chandtera, Salmadar, "K" flower, Momachi, and including pressed and painted.	„	1 9 0	30 „ „
		Pasaful and machine polished, thin, including patliflower and fancy round rings.	„	1 0 0	30 „ „
		Common mirror bangles including chasma and Ranidarbar.	„	0 14 0	30 „ „
		Pasalal	„	0 10 0	30 „ „
		All other kinds	...	*Ad valorem*	30 „ „
		HIDES, SKINS AND LEATHER.			
86	95	HIDES AND SKINS not otherwise specified, LEATHER AND LEATHER MANUFACTURES, all sorts, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
		MACHINERY.			
87	51	MACHINERY, namely, such of the following articles as are not specified in any of the following numbers namely Nos 67, 68, 69, 73, 74, 89, 108, 114, 127, 132 and 134— (1) prime-movers, boilers, locomotive engines and tenders for the same, portable engines (including power-driven road rollers, fire engines and tractors), and other machines in which the prime-mover is not separable from the operative parts ; (2) machines and sets of machines to be worked by electric, steam, water, fire or other power, not being manual or animal labour, or which before being brought into use require to be fixed with reference to other moving parts ; (3) apparatus and appliances, not to be operated by manual or animal labour, which are designed for use in an industrial system as parts indispensable for its operation and have been given for that purpose some special shape or quality which would not be essential for their use for any other purpose ; (4) control gear, self-acting or otherwise, and transmission gear designed for use with any machinery above specified, including belting of all materials and driving chains but not driving ropes ; (5) bare hard-drawn electrolytic copper wires and cables and other electrical wires and cables, insulated or not ; and poles, troughs, conduits and insulators designed as parts of a transmission system, and the fittings thereof. *Note.*—The term "industrial system" used in sub-clause (3) means an installation designed to be employed directly in the performance of any process or series of processes necessary for the manufacture, production or extraction of any commodity.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
88	51A	COMPONENT PARTS OF MACHINERY, as defined in No. 87, namely, such parts only as are essential for the working of the machine or apparatus and have been given for that purpose some special shape or quality which would not be essential for their use for any other purpose ; Provided that articles which do not satisfy this condition shall also be deemed to be component parts of the machine to which they belong if they are essential to its operation and are imported with it in such quantities as may appear to the Collector of Customs to be reasonable.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
		MACHINERY—*concld.*			
89	96	MACHINERY and component parts thereof, meaning machines or parts of machines to be worked by manual or animal labour not otherwise specified (*see* Nos. 69, 78 and 79) and any machines (except such as are designed to be used exclusively in industrial processes) which require for their operation less than one quarter of one break-horse-power.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
		METALS, IRON AND STEEL.			
90	60	IRON—			
		ANGLE—			
		Angle and T, not fabricated—			
		Crown and superior qualities ...	ton	200 0	10 „ „
		Other kinds	„	160 0	10 „ „
		„ „ if galvanised, tinned or lead coated.	„	200 0	10 „ „
		Angle and T, fabricated ...	...	*Ad valorem*	10 „ „
		BAR, ROD AND CHANNEL, including channel for carriages—			
		Bar, qualities superior to Grade A of the British Engineering Standard Association.	ton	350 0	10 „ „
		„ Grade A of the British Engineering Standard Association and Crown quality and intermediate qualities—			
		Over ½ inch in diameter or thickness.	„	160 0	10 „ „
		½ inch and under in diameter or thickness.	„	190 0	10 „ „
		„ common	„	140 0	10 „ „
		„ „ if galvanised, tinned, or lead coated.	„	180 0	10 „ „
		Channel, including channel for carriages.	„	170 0	10 „ „
		All other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	10 „ „
		PIG	ton	90 0	10 „ „
		RICE BOWLS	cwt.	25 0	10 „ „
91	61	IRON OR STEEL—			
		ANCHORS AND CABLES	...	*Ad valorem*	10 „ „
		BEAMS, joists, pillars, girders and other structural shapes, whether fabricated or not, screw-piles, bridge work and other descriptions of iron or steel not ordinarily used for other than building purposes ; including ridging, guttering, flashing and continuous roofing ; also including expanded metal and other descriptions of iron or steel designed for use in the reinforcing of concrete ; but not including builders' hardware, that is to say, grates, stoves, ventilators, door and window fittings and the like ; (see No. 75).	...	„	10 „ „
		BOLTS and nuts, including hook bolts and nuts for roofing.	...	„	10 „ „

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statistical Schedule.	Names of articles.	Per	Tariff valuation.	Duty
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
91	61	METALS, IRON AND STEEL—*contd.*			
		IRON OR STEEL—*concld.*			
		HOOPS AND STRIPS—			
		Hoops, Crown and superior qualities ...	ton	250 0	10 per cent.
		„ other kinds	„	200 0	10 „ „
		„ „ „ if galvanised, tinned, planished, lead coated or aluminium coated.	„	250 0	10 „ „
		Strips, Crown and superior qualities ...	„	250 0	10 „ „
		„ other kinds	„	200 0	10 „ „
		„ „ „ if galvanised, tinned, planished, lead coated or aluminium coated.	„	250 0	10 „ „
		NAILS, RIVETS AND WASHERS, all sorts—			
		Nails, wire or French	cwt.	14 0	10 „ „
		„ rose deck, and flat-headed ...	„	20 0	10 „ „
		other kinds, including galvanised, tinned or lead coated and panel pins and tacks	„	33 0	10 „ „
		Rivets, Black	„	14 0	10 „ „
		„ other sorts	„	24 0	10 „ „
		Washers, galvanised nickel plated, tinned or lead coated and dome shaped, spring or locking washers.	...	*Ad valorem*	10 „ „
		„ other sorts	cwt.	19 0	10 „ „
		PIPES AND TUBES, and fittings therefor, that is to say, bends, boots, elbows, tees, sockets, flanges, plugs, valves, cocks and the like.	...	*Ad valorem*	10 „ „
		RAILS, chairs, sleepers, bearing and fish-plates, spikes (commonly known as dog-spikes), switches, and crossings, other than those described in No. 101, also lever boxes, clips and tie-bars.	...	„	10 „ „
		SHEETS AND PLATES, not fabricated, all sorts, including discs, and circles.			
		Plates, boiler firebox and special qualities above ⅜ inch in thickness.	ton	300 0	10 „ „
		Sheet ⅜ inch and under in thickness, annealed, which have been either cold-rolled, smoothed (including planished, pickled, or cleaned by acid or other material or process.	„	200 0	10 „ „
		Sheets corrugated, galvanised or black up to and including 26 Gauge.	„	300 0	10 „ „
		„ „ galvanised or black above 26 Gauge.	„	400 0	10 „ „
		Sheet and plate cuttings	„	140 0	10 „ „
		Tin plates	„	400 0	10 „ „
		„ cuttings	...	*Ad valorem*	10 „ „
		Sheets, other kinds, black, up to and including ⅜ inch in thickness.	ton	175 0	10 „ „
		Plates, ship, tank, bridge and common above ⅜ inch in thickness.	„	150 0	10 „ „
		Sheets, other kinds, if galvanised, tinned, lead coated, or aluminium coated, up to and including 26 Gauge, also chequered and galvanised plates.	„	320 0	10 „ „
		Sheets, other kinds, if galvanised, tinned, lead coated, or aluminium coated, above 26 Gauge, including tin taggois.	„	425 0	10 „ „
		Other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	10 „ „
		SHEETS and PLATES, fabricated, all sorts, including discs and circles.	...	„	10 „ „
		WIRE, including fencing wire, piano-wire, and wire-rope, but excluding wire-netting which is dutiable under No. 93.	...	„	10 „ „

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
		METALS, IRON AND STEEL—*concld.*			
92	62	STEEL—			
		ANGLE—			
		Angle and T, not fabricated, if galvanised, tinned, or lead coated.	ton	200 0	10 per cent.
		All other sorts	,,	150 0	10 ,, ,,
		Angle and T, fabricated	...	*Ad valorem*	10 ,, ,,
		BAR, ROD AND CHANNEL, including channel for carriages—			
		Bar, Swedish, and similar qualities ...	ton	220 0	10 ,, ,,
		,, common merchant nail-rod, round-rod, square, ½ inch in diameter or thickness and under.	,,	150 0	10 ,, ,,
		,, ,, ,, other sizes and sections.	,,	135 0	10 ,, ,,
		,, galvanised, tinned, planished, polished, or lead coated.	,,	180 0	10 ,, ,,
		,, crucible, cast steel (tool steel) including—	...	*Ad valorem*	10 ,, ,,
		(*a*) High speed. (*b*) Carbon steel.			
		,, high tensile steel ...	...	,,	10 ,, ,,
		Channel, including channel for carriages.	ton	170 0	10 ,, ,,
		All other sorts, including faggot steel	...	*Ad valorem*	10 ,, ,,
		CAST, including spring, blistered and tub steel.	...	,,	10 ,, ,,
		INGOTS, BLOOMS, BILLETS AND SLABS ...	...	,,	10 ,, ,,
93	97	All sorts of IRON AND STEEL and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specified—			
		Iron or steel cans or drums, when imported containing kerosene and motor spirit which is separately assessed to duty under No. 34, namely :—			
		Cans, tinned, of four gallons capacity.	can	0 5	15 ,, ,,
		Cans or drums, not tinned, of two gallons capacity—			
		(*a*) with faucet caps ...	can or drum	1 8	15 ,, ,,
		(*b*) ordinary ...	,,	0 6	15 ,, ,,
		Drums of four gallons capacity—			
		(*a*) with faucet caps ...	drum	2 3	15 ,, ,,
		(*b*) ordinary ...	,,	1 8	15 ,, ,,
		Iron or steel cans or drums, other sorts ...	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Iron or steel, all other sorts, including wire-netting.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
		METALS, OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL.			
94	19	CURRENT NICKEL, BRONZE, AND COPPER COIN of the Government of India.	...	...	Free.
95	20	GOLD AND SILVER BULLION and coin ...	...	...	Free.
96	132	GOLD PLATE, GOLD THREAD and WIRE, and GOLD MANUFACTURES, all sorts.	...	*Ad valorem*	30 per cent.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
		METALS, OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL—*concld.*			
97	133	SILVER PLATE, SILVER THREAD and WIRE, and SILVER MANUFACTURES, all sorts.	...	*Ad valorem*	30 per cent.
98	98	ALL SORTS OF METALS OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL, and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specified—			
		Aluminium circles	lb.	0 5	5 „ „
		„ sheets	„	0 14	15 „ „
		Brass, patent or yellow metal, sheets and sheathing, weighing 1 lb. or above per square foot, and braziers, and plates.	cwt.	60 0	15 „ „
		„ patent or yellow metal (including gun metal) ingots.	„	35 0	15 „ „
		„ patent or yellow metal, old ...	„	30 0	15 „ „
		„ sheets, flat or in rolls, and sheathing, weighing less than 1 lb. per square foot.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
		„ wire	...	„	15 „ „
		„ all other sorts	...	„	15 „ „
		Copper, bolt and bar, rolled	...	„	15 „ „
		„ braziers, sheets, plates and sheathing.	cwt.	65 0	15 „ „
		„ sheets, planished	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
		„ nails and composition nails ...	...	„	15 „ „
		„ old	cwt.	36 0	15 „ „
		„ pigs, tiles, ingots, cakes, bricks and slabs.	„	55 0	15 „ „
		„ China, white, copperware ...	lb.	3 0	15 „ „
		„ foil or dankpana, plain, white, 10 to 11 in. × 4 to 5 in.	hundred leaves.	2 4	15 „ „
		„ foil or dankpana, plain, coloured, 10 to 11 in. × 4 to 5 in.	„	2 12	15 „ „
		„ wire, including phosphor-bronze ...	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
		„ all other sorts, unmanufactured and manufactured, except current coin of the Government of India, which is free.	...	„	15 „ „
		German silver	..	„	15 „ „
		Lead pig	cwt.	20 0	15 „ „
		Lead, all sorts (except pig)	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
		Quicksilver	lb.	2 4	15 „ „
		Tin, block	cwt.	150 0	15 „ „
		„ foil, and other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
		Zink or spelter, tiles, slabs or plates, hard or soft.	cwt.	25 0	15 „ „
		„ „ all other sorts, including boiler tiles and sheets.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
		All other sorts of metals, and manufactures thereof.	...	„	15 „ „
		PAPER, PASTEBOARD AND STATIONERY.			
99	99	PAPER AND ARTICLES MADE OF PAPER AND PAPIER MACHÉ, PASTEBOARD, MILLBOARD, AND CARDBOARD, all sorts, and STATIONERY, including ruled or printed forms and account and manuscript books, drawing and copy books, labels, advertising circulars, sheet or card almanacs and calendars, Christmas, Easter, and other cards, including cards in booklet form, including also wastepaper and old newspapers for packing except old newspapers in bales and bags, but excluding trade catalogues and advertising circulars imported by packet, book, or parcel post (*see* No. 100) and also excluding the descriptions given below :—	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
		Old newspapers, in bales and bags ...	cwt.	8 0 0	51 „ „

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff valuation.	Duty.
				Rs. A. P.	
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
		PAPER, PASTEBOARD AND STATIONERY—*concld.*			
		News printing paper, glazed and unglazed—			
		White or grey	lb.	0 2 3	15 per cent.
		Coloured	,,	0 2 6	15 ,, ,,
		Printing paper, white or coloured—			
		Real Art	,,	0 6 6	15 ,, ,,
		Imitation Art, machine finish, super calendered, ivory finish, antique, stereo, litho, poster, cartridge (other than drawing or photographic cartridge), and cover paper.	,,	0 4 3	15 ,, ,,
		Other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Packing and wrapping paper—			
		Nature brown, and machine-glazed pressings and machine-glazed wrappings.	lb.	0 2 3	15 ,, ,,
		Manilla, machine-glazed or unglazed, and sulphite envelope.	,,	0 2 9	15 ,, ,,
		Kraft and imitation kraft	,,	0 3 3	15 ,, ,,
		Other sorts including tissues ...	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Writing paper—			
		Bond or bank, glazed and unglazed ...	lb	0 6 6	15 ,, ,,
		Creamlaid, other than mechanical ...	,,	0 4 6	15 ,, ,,
		Mechanical creamlaid	,,	0 4 0	15 ,, ,,
		Other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		Straw boards	cwt.	8 8 0	15 ,, ,,
100	21	TRADE CATALOGUES AND ADVERTISING CIRCULARS imported by packet, book, or parcel post.	...	...	Free.
		RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING STOCK.			
101	63	RAILWAY MATERIALS for permanent-way and rolling-stock, namely, cylinders, girders, and other material for bridges, rails, sleepers, bearing and fish-plates, fish-bolts, chairs, spikes, crossings, sleeper fastenings, switches, interlocking apparatus, brake gear, couplings and springs, signals, turn tables, weigh-bridges, carriages, wagons, traversers, trollies, trucks, and component parts thereof; also the following articles when imported by, or under the orders of, a railway company, namely, cranes, water cranes, water tanks, and standards, wire and other materials for fencing. Provided that for the purpose of this entry "railway" means a line of railway subject to the provisions of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, and includes a railway constructed in a State in India and also such tramways as the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, specifically include therein: Provided also that nothing shall be deemed to be dutiable hereunder which is dutiable under No. 87 or No. 88.	...	*Ad valorem*	10 per cent.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff valuation.	Duty.
				Rs. A.	
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd*			
		RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING STOCK—*concld.*			
102	63A	COMPONENT PARTS OF RAILWAY MATERIALS, as defined in No. 101, namely, such parts only as are essential for the working of railways and have been given for that purpose some special shape or quality which would not be essential for their use for any other purpose : Provided that articles which do not satisfy this condition shall also be deemed to be component parts of the railway material to which they belong, if they are essential to its operation and are imported with it in such quantities as may appear to the Collector of Customs to be reasonable.	...	*Ad valorem*	10 per cent.
		YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS.			
103	45	COTTON PIECE-GOODS	...	*Ad valorem*	11 per cent.
104	44	COTTON TWIST AND YARN, and COTTON SEWING OR DARNING THREAD.	...	,,	5 ,, ,,
105	22	SECOND-HAND OR USED GUNNY BAGS made of jute.	...	...	Free.
106	100	YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS, that is to say :—			
		Cotton thread other than sewing or darning thread, and all other manufactured cotton goods not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
		Flax, twist and yarn, and manufactures of flax.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
		Haberdashery and milinery, excluding articles made of silk.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
		Hemp manufactures	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
		Hosiery, excluding articles made of silk	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
		Jute, twist and yarn, and jute manufactures, excluding second-hand or used gunny bags (*see* No. 105) *	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
		Silk yarn, noils and warps, and silk thread.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
		Woollen yarn, knitting wool, and other manufactures of wool, including felt.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
		All other sorts of yarns and textile fabrics, not otherwise specified.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
107	134	SILK PIECE-GOODS, and other manufactures of silk—			
		Silk piece-goods (white or coloured, plain or figured and all widths) from Japan and China (including Hongkong)—			
		Japan—			
		Paj, Thama, Junken and Nankin, all kinds, including striped, printed, embossed and pine-apples.	lb.	28 0	30 ,, ,,
		Satins and Kohaku, all kinds, including striped, printed, woven and embossed.	,,	33 0	30 ,, ,,
		Twill, all kinds	,,	28 0	30 ,, ,,

* Under Government of India Notification No. 281, dated the 26th May 1923, used gunny cloth made of jute is exempt from payment of import duty.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Name of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—contd.		Rs. A.	
		YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS—*concld.*			
		Japan—concld.			
		Jarina (gold embroidered) ...	lb.	37 0	30 per cent.
		Fugi and Boseki, all kinds ...	,,	21 0	30 ,, ,,
		Fancies, printed and woven, including Georgettes, Kobe crepes, crepe-de-chine (Chirimn), ninons and gauzes	,,	42 0	30 ,, ,,
		Embroideries, excluding Burmese scarves	,,	52 0	30 ,, ,,
		Shawls, dhuties, scarves, excluding Burmese mufflers, handkerchiefs and hosiery.	,,	48 0	30 ,, ,,
		Dupettas and China silk patkas ...	,,	23 0	30 ,, ,,
		Burmese scarves—(*a*) Paj ...	,,	40 0	30 ,, ,,
		(*b*) Other kinds ...	,,	50 0	30 ,, ,,
		Cotton and silk mixed satins, embroidered.	,,	16 0	30 ,, ,,
		Cotton and silk mixed satins, other kinds	,,	8 0	30 ,, ,,
		Cotton and silk mixed hosiery ...	,,	28 0	30 ,, ,,
		Cotton and silk mixed Fugi and Boseki, all kinds.	,,	12 0	30 ,, ,,
		Silk Fents	,,	14 0	30 ,, ,,
		China (including Hongkong but excluding Cantons)—			
		Honans, all kinds, and patkas ...	,,	9 0	30 ,, ,,
		Shantungs, all kinds, and patkas ...	,,	5 8	30 ,, ,,
		Corded, all kinds, except Woochow ...	,,	7 0	30 ,, ,,
		White cord (Woochow), all kinds ...	,,	15 0	30 ,, ,,
		Crepe, gauze, and paj, all kinds ...	,,	23 0	30 ,, ,,
		Satins and fancies, all kinds ...	,,	31 0	30 ,, ,,
		Cantons, all kinds	...	*Ad valorem*	30 ,, ,,
		Silk piece-goods, apparel and other manufactures of silk not otherwise specified.	...	,,	30 ,, ,,
		MISCELLANEOUS.			
108	53	AEROPLANES, aeroplane parts, aeroplane engines and aeroplane engine parts.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
109	23	ART, the following works of :—(1) statuary and pictures intended to be put up for the public benefit in a public place, and (2) memorials of a public character intended to be put up in a public place, including the materials used or to be used in their construction, whether worked or not.	...	...	Free.
110	101	ART, works of, excluding those specified in No. 109.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
111	120	BANGLES—			
		Celluloid, plain, flat, without border ...	dozen pairs	2 4	15 ,, ,,
		,, (rubber) rings	,,	0 8	15 ,, ,,
		,, other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
112	24	BOOKS, printed, including covers for printed books, maps, charts, and plans, proofs, music and manuscripts.	...	...	Free.
113	102	BRUSHES AND BROOMS	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
114	103	BUILDING AND ENGINEERING MATERIALS, including asphalt, bricks, cement other than Portland cement, chalk and lime, clay other than China clay (*see* No. 116), pipes of earthenware, tiles, firebricks not being component parts of any article included in No. 87 or No. 101, and all other sorts of building and engineering materials not otherwise specified, including bitumen and other insulating materials.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
		Portland cement	cwt.	3 0	15 ,, ,,

SCHEDULE II.—IMPOTRT TARIFF—*contd.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
		MISCELLANEOUS—*contd.*			
115	104	CANDLES	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
116	123	CHINA CLAY	ton	85 0	15 „ „
117	105	CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS—			
		Exposed standard positive films, new or used.	foot	0 4	15 „ „
		Other films	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
118	106	CORDAGE AND ROPE AND TWINE OF VEGETABLE FIBRE.	...	„	15 „ „
119	135	FIREWORKS*	...	„	30 „ „
120	107	FURNITURE, TACKLE AND APPAREL, not otherwise described, for steam, sailing, rowing and other vessels.	...	„	15 „ „
121	136	IVORY, manufactured	...	„	30 „ „
122	137	JEWELLERY AND JEWELS	...	„	30 „ „
123	46	MATCHES—			R. A.
		(1) In boxes containing on the average not more than 100 matches.	gross of boxes.	...	1 8
		(2) In boxes containing on the average more than 100 matches.	For every 25 matches or fraction thereof in each box per gross of boxes.	...	0 6
124	108	MATS AND MATTING	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
125	109	OILCAKES	...	„	15 „ „
126	110	OILCLOTH AND FLOOR CLOTH	...	„	15 „ „
127	111	PACKING, ENGINE AND BOILER—all sorts, excluding packing forming a component part of any article included in Nos. 87, 88 and 101.	...	„	15 „ „
128	112	PERFUMERY, not otherwise specified—			
		Gowla, husked and unhusked ...	cwt.	50 0	15 „ „
		Kapurkachri (zedoary) ...	„	25 0	15 „ „
		Patch leaves (patchouli) ...	„	30 0	15 „ „
		Rose flowers, dried ...	„	16 0	15 „ „
		Rose-water ...	Imperial gallon.	5 0	15 „ „
		All other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
129	113	PITCH, TAR AND DAMMER—			
		Coal pitch	cwt.	7 0	15 „ „
		Coal tar	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
		Stockholm tar	cwt.	20 0	15 „ „
		Dammer Batu	„	8 0	15 „ „
		Other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	15 „ „
130	139	PNEUMATIC RUBBER TYRES AND TUBES for motor cars, motor lorries, motor cycles, and motor scooters.	...	„	30 „ „
131	114	POLISHES AND COMPOSITIONS	...	„	15 „ „

* Under the Government of India Notification No. 4467, dated 2nd September 1922, such fireworks as are specially prepared as danger or distress lights for the use of ships are liable to duty at 15 per cent. *ad valorem*.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*concld.*

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*concld.*		Rs. A.	
		MISCELLANEOUS—*concld.*			
132	54	PRINTING AND LITHOGRAPHING MATERIALS, namely, presses, type, ink, aluminium lithographic plates, brass rules, composing sticks, chases, imposing tables, and lithographic stones, stereo blocks, wood blocks, half-tone blocks, electrotype blocks, roller moulds, roller frames and stocks, roller composition, standing screw and hot presses, perforating machines, gold blocking presses, galley presses, proof presses, arming presses, copper plate printing presses, rolling presses, ruling machines, ruling pen making machines, lead and rule cutters, type casting machines, type setting and casting machines, rule bending machines, rule mitreing machines, bronzing machines, leads, wooden and metal quoins, shooting sticks and galleys, stereotyping apparatus, metal furniture, paper folding machines, and paging machines, but excluding paper (*see* No. 99).	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
133	138	PRINTS, ENGRAVINGS AND PICTURES, including photographs and picture post cards.	...	,,	30 ,, ,,
134	55	RACKS for the withering of tea leaf ...	...	,,	2½ ,, ,,
135	115	RUBBER TYRES and other manufactures of rubber, not otherwise specified (*see* No. 130).	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
136	64	SHIPS AND OTHER VESSELS for inland and harbour navigation, including steamers, launches, boats and barges, imported entire or in sections : Provided that articles of machinery as defined in No. 87 or No. 88 shall, when separately imported, not be deemed to be included hereunder.	...	,,	10 ,, ,,
137	140	SMOKERS' REQUISITES, excluding tobacco (Nos. 26 to 28) and matches (No. 123).	...	,,	30 ,, ,,
138	116	SOAP	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
139	117	STARCH AND FARINA	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
140	118	STONE AND MARBLE, and articles made of stone and marble.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
141	119	TOILET REQUISITES, not otherwise specified.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,
142	141	TOYS, games, playing cards and requisites for games and sports, excluding bird-shot.	...	,,	30 ,, ,,
		Bird-shot	cwt.	35 0	30 ,, ,,
143	120	ALL OTHER ARTICLES wholly or mainly manufactured, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 ,, ,,
		IV.—Miscellaneous and unclassified.			
144	25	ANIMALS, living, all sorts	...	...	Free.
145	121	CORAL	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
146	57	FODDER, BRAN AND POLLARDS	...	,,	2½ ,, ,,
147	26	SPECIMENS illustrative of natural science, and medals and antique coins.	...	...	Free.
148	122	UMBRELLAS, including parasols and sunshades, and fittings therefor.	...	*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
149	123	ALL OTHER ARTICLES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, including articles imported by post.	...	,,	15 ,, ,,

SCHEDULE III.—EXPORT TARIFF.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation	Rate of duty.
	JUTE OTHER THAN BIMLIPATAM JUTE.		Rs A. P	Rs. A.
1	RAW JUTE—			
	(1) Cuttings	Bale of 400 lbs.	...	1 4
	(2) All other descriptions	„ „ 400 „	...	4 8
2	JUTE MANUFACTURES when not in actual use as coverings, receptacles or bindings for other goods—			
	(1) Sacking (cloth, bags, twist, yarn, rope and twine).	Ton of 2,240 lbs	...	20 0
	(2) Hessians and all other descriptions of jute manufactures not otherwise specified.*	„ „ 2,240 „	...	32 0
	RICE			
3	RICE, husked or unhusked, including rice flour, but excluding rice bran and rice dust, which are free.	Indian maund of 82⅔ lbs avoirdupois weight.	...	0 3
	TEA.			
4	TEA	100 lbs.	...	1 8
5	RAW HIDES AND SKINS IF EXPORTED FROM BURMA			
	(1) ARSENICATED AND AIR DRIED HIDES—			
	(a) Cows (including calf skins)	lb	0 5 0	5 per cent.
	(b) Buffaloes (including calf skins)	„	0 3 0	5 „
	(2) DRY SALTED HIDES—			
	(a) Cows (including calf skins) ...	„	0 4 0	5 „
	(b) Buffaloes (including calf skins)	„	0 2 0	5 „
	(3) WET SALTED HIDES—			
	(a) Cows (including calf skins) ...	„	0 3 0	5 „
	(b) Buffaloes (including calf skins)	„	0 1 6	5 „
	(4) GOAT AND KID SKINS	Piece	1 6 0	5 „
	(5) SHEEP SKINS	„	0 10 0	„
6	RAW HIDES AND SKINS IF EXPORTED FROM ANY PLACE IN BRITISH INDIA OTHER THAN BURMA			
	(1) ARSENICATED AND AIR [illegible]			
	(a) Cows (including calf skins) Framed	lb	0 9 0	5 per cent.
	(a) Cows (including calf skins) Unframed	„	0 5 0	5 „
	(b) Buffaloes (including calf skins) Framed	„	0 5 0	5 „
	(b) Buffaloes (including calf skins) Unframed	„	0 3 0	5 „
	(2) DRY SALTED HIDES—			
	(a) Cows (including calf skins) ...	„	0 4 0	5 „
	(b) Buffaloes (including calf skins) ...	„	0 2 6	5 „
	(3) WET SALTED HIDES—			
	(a) Cows (including calf skins) ...	„	0 3 0	5 „
	(b) Buffaloes (including calf skins) ...	„	0 2 0	5 „
	(4) GOAT AND KID SKINS	Piece	1 8 0	5 „
	(5) SHEEP SKINS	„	0 10 0	5 „

* Under Government of India Notification No 1426, dated 17th November 1923, Jute Rags such as are used for paper making are exempt from payment of export duty provided that the Customs Collector is satisfied that they are useless for any purpose to which cloth or rope is ordinarily put.

D. T. CHADWICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following orders issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 22nd December 1923, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Delhi, the 21st December 1923.

PART B.

RESIGNATIONS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

No. 1712.—The undermentioned officers are permitted to resign their commissions, with effect from the dates specified :—

* * * * * * * *

The Calcutta Scottish.

Second Lieutenant Benjamin Wyatt Bagshawe. Dated 14th November 1923.

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E. BURDON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following corrigendum issued by the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Labour, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 22nd December 1923, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

CORRIGENDUM.

Delhi, the 20th December 1923.

No. G(B)-6.—In sub-regulation (1) of regulation 125 of the Indian Boilers Regulations, 1924, published with the Government of India Notification No. A-470, dated the 27th October 1923, *for* the figure $\frac{\sqrt[3]{L \times D}}{C}$ *read* $\sqrt[3]{\frac{L \times D}{C}}$.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICE.

Examination of candidates for Muktarship in mufassal Courts subordinate to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

THE examination of candidates for Muktarship will be held at Calcutta, Gauhati and Sylhet on the 22nd and 23rd February next.

The examination of candidates for Calcutta will take place in the Senate House of the Calcutta University.

One paper will be set, each day, for Muktarship candidates from 12 noon to 3 P.M. on the 22nd and 23rd February 1924.

In no circumstances will any candidate be admitted to the examination after these hours.

The candidates will be required to produce at the examination the extracts from the register, which will be furnished to them by the District Judges through whom the applications have been sent to the Committee of Legal Education.

No candidate will be allowed to enter the examination room with any memoranda or loose paper of any description (with the exception of extracts).

All writing materials will be provided with the exception of pens which the candidates must bring with them.

B. K. MUKHERJEA, *Secretary, Committee of Legal Education,*
High Court.

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

BOARD OF INTERMEDIATE AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, DACCA.

EXAMINATIONS TO BE HELD IN 1924.

NOTIFICATION No. 4600.

1. Applications for admission to the High School (Matriculation) Examination of 1924, together with the examination fee of Rs. 15, should reach the Secretary on or before the 15th January 1924.

2. Applications from private candidates, male or female, should be made in the prescribed form which may be obtained from the office of the Board, and should reach the Secretary on or before the 1st December 1923.

3. Applications for admission to the High Madrassa (Special Islamic Matriculation) Examination of 1924, together with the examination fee of Rs. 15, should reach the Secretary on or before the 15th January 1924.

4. Applications from private candidates, male or female, should be made in the prescribed form which may be obtained from the office of the Board, and should reach the Secretary on or before the 1st December 1923.

5. The High Madrassa (Special Islamic Matriculation) Examination will be held at Dacca, Chittagong, Chinsura and Serajganj. Other examinations will be held only at Dacca.

6. The order of the different examinations will be as follows :—

Programme of Examinations, 1924.

High School and High Madrassa.

Day.	Time.	High School.	High Madrassa.
First day ...	Morning ...	English I	English I.
		Supplementary English I ...	Supplementary English I.
	Evening ...	English II	English II.
		Supplementary English II ...	Supplementary English II.
Second day ...	Morning ...	Vernacular (Bengali, Urdu and alternative paper in English).	Vernacular (Bengali and Urdu).
		Supplementary Vernacular (Bengali, Urdu and alternative paper in English).	Supplementary Vernacular (Bengali and Urdu) (1 hour).
	Evening ...	Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian ...	Logic.
		Supplementary Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian (compulsory)	Supplementary Logic (2 hours).
Third day ...	Morning ...	Mathematics (compulsory) ...	Mathematics.
		Supplementary Mathematics (compulsory)	Supplementary Mathematics.
	Evening ...	Hygiene	Kalam.
		Drawing and Practical Geometry ...	Supplementary Kalam (2 hours).
		Supplementary—	
		Additional Sanskrit.	
		„ Arabic.	
		„ Persian.	
Fourth day ...	Morning ...	Mathematics (Additional) ...	Arabic (compulsory).
		Supplementary Mathematics (Additional). ...	Supplementary Arabic Paper I.
	Evening ...	Mechanics	Arabic (Additional)
		Supplementary Mechanics ...	Supplementary Arabic Paper II.
Fifth day ...	Morning ...	History	History.
		Supplementary History ...	Supplementary History (2 hours).
	Evening ...	Geography	Fiqh.
		Supplementary Geography ...	Supplementary Fiqh (2 hours).
Sixth day ...	Morning ...	Science	

NOTE.—The dates of the examinations will be notified hereafter.

K. AHMED,
Secretary to the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education (offg.).

DACCA, *the 10th November 1923.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1729-C.—The following orders of the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are published for general information :—

Under section 22, read with section 21, sub-section (*3*) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), as amended by the Calcutta University Act, 1921 (VII of 1921), the Government of Bengal in the Ministry of Education are pleased to order that the Krishnachandra College at Hetampur in the district of Birbhum shall be affiliated to the University of Calcutta in English, Vernacular Composition, Sanskrit, Philosophy, Mathematics and History to the B. A. Pass standard with effect from the commencement of the session 1923-24, and in English, Vernacular Composition, Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry to the I. SC. standard and in Chemistry to the I. A. standard with effect from the commencement of the session 1924-25.

J. C. CHAKRAVORTI, *Registrar (offg.).*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 20th December 1923.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Prasanna Kumar Tagore Law Scholarship of Rs. 20 a month, tenable for one year with effect from 1st June 1923, is awarded to Prasad Chandra Bandyopadhyya who passed the final B. L. Examination held in the year 1923 from the Ripon Law College.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1923.*

Government Diploma in Accountancy of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay.

1. The examination for the above Diploma will be held at—

(1) the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Hornby Road, **Bombay,**
(2) the Government Institute of Commerce, Law College Building, **Madras,**
(3) the Government Commercial Institute, **Calcutta,**
(4) the Muir Central College, **Allahabad,** and
(5) the St. Paul's Institute, **Rangoon,**

from 2-30 to 5-30 (Standard time) from Monday, the 7th April 1924, to Saturday, the 12th April 1924, both days inclusive.

2. Applications for the examination must be forwarded, on the prescribed printed form, to the Secretary of the Accountancy Diploma Board, so as to reach his office in the Sydenham College Building, Hornby Road, Bombay, **on or before the 31st January 1924,** with a fee of Rs. 50 per candidate.

3. Applications will be accepted from—

(*a*) Qualified students of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, and Davar's College of Commerce, Bombay ; the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta ; and the Government Institute of Commerce, Madras ;
(*b*) Graduates of the Universities of India or of the United Kingdom ;
(*c*) Holders of Auditors' Certificates granted by a Local Government.

4. Applications from undergraduate ex-students of a college or institute recognized by the Accountancy Diploma Board must be submitted through the Principal of the college or institute.

5. Candidates are required to be in the examination hall by 2-15 P.M. (Standard time) every day and will not be allowed to leave the same on any account till 3 P.M. (Standard time).

6. Candidates are required to bring with them pencils and pens ; they will not be allowed to bring any paper or blotting paper with them.

7. Candidates must not write their names on the answer books supplied to them ; every candidate must write on his answer book the register number allotted to him by the Board.

8. The register number allotted to each candidate will be communicated in the third week of March 1924, direct to the postal address of the candidate as given in his application form ; this will be the only information supplied about his register number.

9. The examination will be held from 2-30 to 5-30 P.M. (Standard time) on each of the following days :—

Monday,	7th April ...	Accountancy and Auditing.	Paper No. I. (General Accounts.)
Tuesday,	8th „ ...	Ditto ...	Paper No. II. (Special Accounts.)
Wednesday,	9th „ ...	Ditto ...	Paper No. III. (Auditing.)
Thursday,	10th „ ...	Mercantile Law ...	Paper No. I. (Law of Contracts and Arbitration.)
Friday,	11th „ ...	Ditto ...	Paper No. II. (Company and Insolvency Law.)
Saturday,	12th „ ...	Ditto ...	Paper No. III. (Negotiable Instruments, Bills of Lading and Insurance.

M. L TANNAN,
Secretary, Accountancy Diploma Board, Bombay.

BOMBAY, *the 13th December 1923.*

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Middle Scholarships in 1923.

[Each Scholarship is of the value of Rs. 4 a month tenable for four years from the 1st January 1924.]

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of the school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M. E. or M. V.
	CALCUTTA.			
	Three scholarships for general competition.			
1	Ganendra Nath Roy	Ahiritola Bangala Pathsala.	Hare School, Calcutta	M. E.
2	Kebal Lal Chatterji	Ahiritola Banga Vidyalaya.	Hindu School, Calcutta	M. E.
3	Rabindra Nath Banerji	Shambazar A. V.	Saraswati Institution, Calcutta.	M. E.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Abdul Quadir	Kareya Moslem Boys' School.	Calcutta Madrassa	M. E.
	24-PARGANAS.			
	Nine scholarships for general competition.			
1	Krishna Chandra Lahiri	Baranagar Rameswar M. E.	Baranagar Victoria H E.	M. E.
2	Ram Krishna Chatterji	Belghoria M. E.	Kamarhati Sagar Dutt H. E.	M. E.
3	Bhupati Nath Sen Gupta	Bodra Gokul M. E.	Bowbazar H. E., Calcutta.	M. E.
4	Kishori Mohan Kashyapi	Mudiali M. E.	C. M. S. Garden Reach High English.	M. E
5	Indrabhusan Biswas	Baranagar Rameswar M E.	Baranagar Victoria H. E.	M E.
6	Ajit Kumar Ghosh	Mudiali M. E.	Kidderpur Academy	M E.
7	Subodh Chander Bhattacharjee	Belghoria M. E.	Kamarhati Sagar Dutt H. E.	M. E.
8	Jatindra Nath Mandal	Bhadura M. E.	Sarisa H. E.	M E.
9	Narain Chandra Mandal	Kalsur M. V.	Dhankuria H. E.	M V.
	24-PARGANAS.			
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Abdur Rahaman Gazi	Hakimpur M. E.	Babulia H. E., Khulna	M. E.
2	Muhammad Abdul Latif	Dakshin Chatra M. E.	Arbelia H. E.	M. E.
	NADIA.			
	Five scholarships for general competition.			
1	Surendra Nath Guin	Navadwip M. E.	Navadwip H. E.	M. E.
2	Kazi Wahed Hossain	Sengram M. E.	Kushtia H. E.	M. E.
3	Earuddin Pramanik	Talberia M. E.	Ditto	M. E.
4	Ajit Kumar Sarkar	Jagannathpur M. E.	Ditto	M. E.
5	Arabinda Bose	Baradi M. E.	Ditto	M. E.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Mukshed Hossain	Damukdia M. E.	Kushtia H. E.	M. E.
2	Jendar Ali Sheikh	Khorshedpur M. E.	Kumarkhali H. E.	M. E.
	MURSHIDABAD.			
	Five scholarships for general competition.			
1	Mriganka Sekhar Das	Baidyapur M. E.	Kandi Raj H. E.	M. E.
2	Tridibesh Chandra Roy	Azimganj M. E.	Jiaganj H. E.	M. E.
3	Muhammad Asiruddin Mandal	Hassanpur M. E.	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.	M. E.
4	Sheikh Niyamat	Panchgram M. E.	Ditto	M. E.
5	Sudhakinkar Roy	Saharah M. E.	Labhpur H. E., Birbhum	M. E.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Jahur Ali Sheikh	Eroali M. E.	Kandi Raj H. E.	M. E.

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of the school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M. E. or M. V.
	JESSORE.			
	Five scholarships for general competition.			
1	Abdul Karim Sheikh ...	Sailkupa M. E. ...	Sailkupa H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Rofazuddin Sardar ...	Gangaanandpur M E. ...	Jessore Zilla ...	M. E.
3	Moklash Molla ...	Muhammadpur M. E. ...	Boalmari H. E., Faridpur ...	M. E.
4	Kalibilash Sanyal ...	Sailkupa M. E. ...	Sailkupa H. E. ...	M. E.
5	Ranjit Kumar Bhattacharjee ...	Mallikpur M. E. ...	Magura H. E. ...	M E.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Munshi Abdul Salam ...	Chanchuri-Purulia M.E.	Fultala H. E., Khulna ...	M. E.
2	Munshi Sarafat Hossain ...	Hazipur M. E. ...	Magura H. E. ...	M. E.
	KHULNA.			
	Seven scholarships for general competition.			
1	Prafulla Kumar Mukerji ...	Dakshin Sripur M. E....	Raruli H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Haridas Bose ...	Mowbhog M. E. ...	Bahirdia H. E. ..	M. E.
3	Muhammad Abdas Sovan ...	Akrakhola M. E. ...	Babulia H. E. ...	M. E.
4	Panchanan Chatterji ...	Ghatbhog M. E. ...	Bahirdia H. E. ...	M E.
5	Saraj Kumar Banerji ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	M. E.
6	Sanjoy Gopal Banerji ...	Gopinathpur M. E. ...	Babulia H. E. ...	M. E.
7	Kalipada Nath ...	Banka Bhowanipur M.E.	Raruli H. E ...	M. E.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Asiruddin Fakir ...	Raghunathpur M. V. ...	Senhati H. E. ...	M. V.
	Scholarships for depressed classes.			
1	Lalit Mohan Sadhukhan ...	Kidderpur M. E., Calcutta.	South Suburban, Calcutta ...	M. E.
2	Radhakanta Purkait ...	Mathur M. E., 24-Parganas.	Sarisa H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Kunja Behari Haldar ...	Nabia M E., 24-Parganas.	Hatuganj H E. ...	M. E.
4	Ajit Kumar Roy Choudhury ...	Kumari M. E., Nadia ...	Chuadanga H. E. ...	M. E.
5	Dinabandhu Biswas ...	Falia M. E., Jessore ...	Jessore Zilla ...	M. E.
6	Benoy Krishna Shaha ...	Chanchuri-Purulia M.E., Jessore	Kalia H. E. ...	M. E.
7	Aswinikumar Roy ...	Bagerhat M. E., Khulna.	Bagerhat H. E. ...	M. E.
8	Taraknath Saha ...	Phulihar M. E., Khulna.	Satkhira H. E. ...	M. E.
9	Kesab Lal Biswas ...	Hurka Jhalmalia M. E., Khulna.	Khararia H. E. ...	M. E.

T. O. D. DUNN, *Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.*

CALCUTTA, *the 24th December 1923.*

L. P. SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

Calcutta.

RESULT of the Lower Primary Scholarship Examination of 1923 for the award of the Special Lower Primary Scholarship, reserved for candidates from the Deaf and Dumb Schools.

(The scholarship is of the value of Rs. 2 a month, tenable for two years in the Deaf and Dumb School, Calcutta, with effect from the 1st January 1924.)

Name of scholar.	Name of school from which appeared.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.
Benode Bihari Sen ...	Deaf and Dumb School, Calcutta ...	Deaf and Dumb School, Calcutta.

MUHAMMAD KHURSHED HUSSAIN,
Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Calcutta, in charge.

CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1923.*

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Upper Primary Scholarships, 1923.

[Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 8 a month, tenable for two years from the 1st January 1924.]

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Name of the school from which appeared.	Name of the school where the scholarship is tenable.
	CALCUTTA.		
	Two scholarships for general competition.		
1	Nanda Lal Mallik	... Bowbazar Training U. P.	... Hindu School, Calcutta.
2	Indra Narayan Dhar	... Ditto	... Ditto.
3	Kesab Chandra Bhattacharjee	... Bosepara Lane U. P.	... Saraswati Institution.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.		
1	Nabi Buksh	... Thanthania U. P.	... Woodburn M. E., Calcutta.

Scholarship reserved for a candidate from the Calcutta Deaf and Dumb School transferred to general competition for want of any such candidate.

	24-PARGANAS.		
	Six scholarships for general competition.		
	SADAR SUBDIVISION.		
1	Radhanath Haldar	.. Fatehpur U. P.	... Mudiali M. E.
2	Tarini Charan Das	... Sunia Board U. P.	... Burul H. E.
	BARRACKPUR AND BARASET SUBDIVISIONS.		
3	Sambhu Nath Banerji	... Agarpara U. P.	... Kamarhati Sagar Dutt H. E.
	DIAMOND HARBOUR SUBDIVISION.		
4	Kartick Chandra Raj	... Simulberia U. P.	... Nischintapur M. E.
5	Adhar Chandra Bhandari	... Babarmull U. P.	... Ditto.
	BASIRHAT SUBDIVISION.		
6	Bahuballav Mandal	... Harishpur U. P.	... Basirhat H. E.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.		
1	Mahammad Nurul Haque	... Benipur U. P	... Magrahat H. E.
	NADIA.		
	Four scholarships for general competition.		
	RANAGHAT AND SADAR SUBDIVISION.		
1	Fusiulla Mandal	... Bhaupur U. P.	... Chakdah H. E.
	CHUADANGA SUBDIVISION.		
2	Jagadish Chandra Indra	.. Dehati U. P.	... Santipur Municipal.
	KUSHTIA SUBDIVISION.		
3	Haridas Karmakar	... Bora Gandia Board U. P.	... Amla Sadarpur H. E.
	MEHERPUR SUBDIVISION.		
4	Muhammad Samiruddin	... Bhatpara U. P.	... Meherpur Junior Madrassa.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.		
1	Safiuddin Sheikh	... Paikpara Model U. P.	... Alamdanga H. E.
	MURSHIDABAD.		
	Four scholarships for general competition.		
	SADAR SUBDIVISION.		
1	Abdur Rahaman	... Bhabta U. P.	Beldanga H. E.

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Name of the school from which appeared.	Name of the school where the scholarship is tenable.
		LALBAG SUBDIVISION.	
2	Sheikh Anes Ali	... Goora U. P.	... Sagardighi M. E.
		KANDI SUBDIVISION.	
3	Kalipada Saha	... Maliandi U. P.	... Panchthupi H. E.
		JANGIPUR SUBDIVISION.	
4	Nepal Chandra Mahara	... Noapara U. P.	... Harindanga Mission M. E.
		One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.	
1	Mahiuddin Sarkar	... Balutungi U. P.	... Jiaganj H. E.
		JESSORE.	
		Five scholarships for general competition.	
		SADAR SUBDIVISION.	
1	Ahmed Ali Biswas	... Balaramnagore U. P.	... Jessore Zilla School.
		JHENIDAH SUBDIVISION.	
2	Kazi Abdul Owel	... Umedpur Practising U. P.	.. Sailkupa H. E.
		NARAIL SUBDIVISION.	
3	Krishna Dhan Mandal	... Dighalia U. P.	... Dighalia H E.
		MAGURA SUBDIVISION.	
4	Munshi Abdar Rezak	... Hatdariapur Board U. P.	... Magura H. E
		BOGRA SUBDIVISION.	
5	Noor Bux Karigor	... Lakshanpur Practising U. P.	Benapole M. E.
		One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.	
1	Afsaruddin Biswas	... Rowtown Maktab	... Basundia Junior Madrassa.
		KHULNA.	
		Four scholarships for general competition.	
		SADAR SUBDIVISION.	
1	Sheikh Ajahar Rahman	... Jaigirmahal U. P.	... Sriulla M. E.
		BAGERHAT SUBDIVISION.	
2	Vishnudas Chakravarti	... Mulghar U. P.	... Khararia H. E.
		SATKHIRA SUBDIVISION.	
3	Haripada Dhali	... Kushkhali U. P.	... Bansdaha M. E
4	Birendra Nath Sardar	... Baiguni U. P.	... Khashrah M. E.
		One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.	
1	Syed Murshed Ali	... Kasipur Baintola U. P.	... Bagerhat H. E.

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Name of the school from which appeared.	Name of the school where the scholarship is tenable.
	Scholarships for the depressed classes.		
1	Shib Chandra Nath ...	Bakulbagan U. P., Calcutta ...	South Suburban Calcutta.
2	Hrishikesh Naskar ...	Guja Chandipur U. P., 24-Parganas.	Burul H. E., 24-Parganas.
3	Patitpaban Naskar ...	Julpia U. P., 24-Parganas.	
4	Gokul Chandra Mandal ...	Karpur U. P., 24-Parganas ...	Hansuri M. E., 24 Parganas.
5	Bholanath Haldar ...	Morapai U P., 24 Parganas ...	Magrahat H. E, 24-Parganas.
6	Sarada Charan Haldar ...	Tablerkhope U P, 24-Parganas.	Kowtala M E., 24-Parganas.
7	Kansari Mohan Haldar ...	Bolsiddhi U. P., 24-Parganas	Mandirabazar M. E., 24-Parganas.
8	Satis Chandra Das ...	Taki U. P., 24-Parganas ...	Taki Government M. E., 24-Parganas.
9	Khapai Chandra Mandal ...	Kazipur, U. P., Nadia ...	Shikarpur H. E., Nadia.
10	Sambhusan Roy ...	Bhagwangola Practising U P., Murshidabad.	Jiaganj H. E., Murshidabad.
11	Renupada Das ...	Muniadihi U. P., Murshidabad	Geetgram M. E., Murshidabad.
12	Devendranath Saha ...	Mathanpur U. P., Jessore ...	Kotechandpur H. E, Jessore.
13	Amulya Charan Biswas ...	Padmabila U. P., Jessore ...	Sachiadaha M. E., Jessore.
14	Kunja Behari Sadhukhan ...	Boalia U. P., Khulna ...	Kapilmani M. E., Khulna.
15	Kasiswar Roy ...	Panchpara U. P., Khulna ...	Chithalmari M. E, Khulna.
16	Nalini Kanta Saha ...	Damodar U. P., Khulna ...	Fultala H. E., Khulna.

T. O. D. DUNN, *Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.*

CALCUTTA, *the 24th December 1923.*

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

Award of Middle Scholarships for the year 1923.

[Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 4 a month, tenable for four years in a recognised High English School and for two years in a Government Normal School, with effect from 1st January 1924.]

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School where the scholarship will be tenable.
	TIPPERA DISTRICT.		
	(Open scholarships.)		
1	Jatindra Mohan Roy ...	Comilla M E. ...	Comilla Zilla.
2	Sashimohan Dutta ...	Fultali M. E. ...	Barkanta H. E.
3	Abu Ahmed Khalilur Rahman Chaudhuri.	Comilla M. E. ...	Comilla Zilla.
4	Prabhat Chandra Kar ...	Ram Mohan M. E. ...	Barkanta H E.
5	Fazar Ali ...	Bijoypur Circle ...	Comilla Zilla.
6	Chand Bakhsh Mian ...	Tengarchar Circle ...	Ditto.
	(Reserved scholarships for Muhammadans.)		
1	Rahimuddin Patwari ...	Dhamra M. E. ...	Comilla Zilla.
2	Abdus Sattar ...	Bargaon M. E. ...	Ditto.
3	Abdul Latif ...	Alinakipur M. E. ...	Chatkhil H. E
4	Jainal Abedin Mazumdar ...	Rampur Circle ...	Chandpur H. J. H. E.
	(Reserved scholarship for backward classes.)		
1	Hemanta Kumar Mazumdar ...	Mayura M. E. ...	Cheora H. E.
	NOAKHALI DISTRICT.		
	(Open scholarships.)		
1	Obaidul Haque ...	Dagonbhuyan M. E.	Noakhali R. K. Zilla.
2	Serajul Haque	Ditto ...	Ditto.
3	Abdul Bari ...	Gopalpur Alihaidar M. E. ...	Ditto.
4	Muhammad Tarikullah ...	Hajirpara Circle ...	Begumganj H. E.
	(Reserved scholarships for Muhammadans.)		
1	Osman Ali ...	Fazarganj M. E.	Lakshipur H. E.
2	Mamtazuddin ...	Feni M E. ...	Feni H. E.
3	Jitu Meah ...	Hajirpara Circle ...	Lakshipur H. E.
	(Reserved scholarship for backward classes.)		
1	Ananga Mohan Sil ...	Katghar M. E. ...	Sandvip Cargill H. E.

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School where the scholarship will be tenable.
	CHITTAGONG DISTRICT.		
	(Open scholarships.)		
1	Chintaharan Talukdar	... Colonel Hat M. E.	... Chittagong Collegiate.
2	Mozharul Haque	... Kutubdia Kiron M. E.	... Ditto.
3	Abul Khair Muhammad Bazlus Sattar.	Chittagong Govt. M. E.	... Chittagong Moslem H. E.
4	Muhammad Ataur Rahman Chaudhury.	Colonel Hat M. E.	... Chittagong Collegiate.
	(Reserved scholarships for Muhammadans.)		
1	Abdul Aziz	... Binajuri M. E.	... Raozan H. E.
2	Sultan Ahmad	... Gossildanga M. E.	... Chittagong Collegiate.
3	Abdul Jabbar	... Satbaria Model M. E.	... Gasbaria H. E.
	(Reserved scholarship for backward classes.)		
1	Kyaching Woo	... Harbhang Model M. E.	Chittagong Collegiate.

Special Middle scholarships reserved for depressed and backward classes in the division sanctioned under the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal's No. 1058P., dated the 23rd February, 1923 :—

	TIPPERA DISTRICT.		
1	Kamini Kumar Karmakar	... Khajuria M. E.	... Singhargaon H. E.
2	Sachindra Mohan Das	... Himechar M. E.	... Chandpur H. J. H. E.
	NOAKHALI DISTRICT.		
1	Dinabandhu Nath	... Feni M. E.	... Feni H. E.
2	Taranikumar Paul	... Munshirhat Circle	... Begumganj H. E.
3	Shanta Kumar Das	... Karaya Circle	... Noakhali R. K. Zilla.
	CHITTAGONG DISTRICT.		
1	Nirmal Chandra Barua	... Dhakakhali M. E.	... Chittagong Collegiate.

Award of Upper Primary Scholarships for the year 1923.

[Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 3 a month, tenable for two years with effect from the 1st January 1924.]

	TIPPERA DISTRICT.		
	Sadar subdivision—(Open scholarships).		
1	Akul Hossain	... Sreenagar Primary	... Hoglakandi Junior Madrasa.
2	Jyotirindra Mohan Deb	... Begumganj Primary	... Muradnagar H. E.
3	Waiz Mian	... Pihar Primary	... Barkanta H. E.
	Brahmanbaria subdivision—(Open scholarship).		
1	Abdul Mannaf	... Paratali Primary	... Rupasdi H. E.
2	Nibaran Chandra Ghosh	... Nasirabad ditto	... Syamagram H. E.
	Chandpur subdivision—(Open scholarships).		
1	Ashannaban Ihu Chakravarty	... Khidirpur Primary	... Muhammadpur Ramendra H. E.
2	Gopal Chandra Das	... Bishnudi ditto	... Chandpur H. J. H. E.
3	Makhlesur Rahman	... 112, Charkrishnapur Primary.	Himechar M. E.
	(Reserved scholarships for Muhammadans in the Tippera district.)		
1	Sadir Bakhsh	... Shahapur Board Primary	Barkanta H. E.
2	Elahi Bakhsh	... Sreenagar Board Primary	Hoglakandi Junior Madrasa.
	NOAKHALI DISTRICT.		
	Sadar subdivision—(Open scholarships.)		
1	Gaur Chandra Nath	... Batagram Upper Primary	Gopalpur Ali Haidar M. E.
2	Ramesh Chandra Nath	... Manipur Upper Primary	Dalalbazar M. E.
3	Muhammad Yunus	... Batagram U. P.	... Kalikapur M. E.
4	Bhagaban Chandra Mazumdar	... Narottampur U. P.	... Begumganj H. E.
5	Radhagobinda Chakravarty.	... Ditto	... Chaumuhani M. E.

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School where the scholarship will be tenable.
	(Reserved scholarship for Muhammadans.)		
1	Ali Afzal	... Narottampur U. P.	... Chaumuhani M. E.
	Feni Subdivision—(Open scholarships.)		
1	Nurul Haque Mian	... Jagatpur U. P.	... Pratappur M. E.
2	Bepin Chandra Das	... Dewanganj U. P.	Feni M. E.
	(Reserved scholarship for Muhammadans.)		
1	Ali Noaz	... Gobindapur U. P.	... Dagonbhuian M. E.
	CHITTAGONG DISTRICT.		
	Sadar subdivision—(Open scholarships).		
1	Nazir Ahmad	... Rajapur Primary	... Durgapur H. E.
2	Khetra Mohan Biswas	... Sultanpur Victoria Primary	Raozan H. E
3	Devendra Kumar Nath	... Rajapur Primary	... Durgapur H. E.
4	Snehalata Devi	... Anandakanan Primary	... Chittagong Girls' H. E.
5	Muhammad Ishaque	... Tailardwip Primary	... Anwara H E.
6	Muhammad Ayub	... Sultanpur Victoria Primary	Raozan H. E.
	Cox's Bazar subdivision—(Open scholarship).		
1	Syed Ahmed I	... Idgaon Primary	... Sanua Junior Madrasa.
	(Reserved scholarships for Muhammadans in the Chittagong district.)		
1	Eradul Haque	... Rajapur Primary	... Durgapur H. E.
2	Syedullah	... Idgaon ditto	... Sanua Junior Madrassa.
3	Syed Ahmed II	... Ramu ditto	... Sagir Muhammadghat Junior Madrasa.
	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.		
	(Open scholarships.)		
1	Pulin Chandra Chakma	... Chhotamahaprung Primary	Rangamati H. E.
2	Surendra Nath Karbari	... Ditto	... Ditto.
	(Reserved scholarships for backward classes in the division.)		
1	Swit Bert Fernandez	... Noakhali R. C. Mission U. P	Noakhali Arun Chandra H. E.
2	Gouri Kanta Chakma	... Jhagrabil Primary	... Rangamati H. E.

Special Upper Primary scholarships reserved for depressed and backward classes in the division sanctioned under the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal's No. 1058P., dated the 23rd February 1923 :—

	NOAKHALI DISTRICT.		
1	Khetranath Nath	... Panchpara U. P.	... Pratapganj M. E.
2	Harmohan Nath	... Ramnagar U. P.	... Dagonbhuyan M. E.
3	Ramesh Chandra Nath	... Ditto U. P.	... Ditto.
	CHITTAGONG DISTRICT.		
1	Baradakumar Nath	... Ichakhali Moharia Primary	Mirsarai M. E.
2	Satis Chandra Changa	... Syedpur ditto	... Kadhurkhil H. E.
3	Samiran Barua	... Unainpara ditto	... Patiya Rahatali H. E.
	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.		
1	Bhaganban Chandra Chakma	... Jhagrabil Primary	... Rangamati H. E.
2	Dayamaya Chakma	... Kaokhali ditto	... Ditto.
3	Surendramohan Chakma	... Khabangparia ditto	... Ditto.
4	Chandramohan Chakma	... Ditto ditto	... Ditto.
5	Rasik Chandra Tripura	... Ramgarh ditto	... Ditto.

AHSANULLAH, *Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division.*

CHITTAGONG, *the 22nd December 1923.*

BURDWAN DISTRICT.

List of candidates elected to Middle Scholarships in the Burdwan Division, 1923.

[The value of each of the Middle scholarships is Rs. 4 a month, tenable for four years from 1st January 1924.]

No.	Name of candidate.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship is made tenable.	M. E. or M. V.
	BURDWAN DISTRICT (9+1†).			
1	Kamala Pati Dan	... Jamna M. E.	... Nasigram H. E.	... M. E.
2	Bimala Nanda Banerjee	... Gopalpur M. E.	... Raniganj H. E.	... M. E.
3	Tarapada Das	... Anukhal M. E.	... Kalna Raj H. E.	... M. E.
4	Satyagopal Mukherjee	... Palasdiha M. E.	... Asansole E. I. Ry. H. E.	... M. E.
5	Sudhakar Gorain	... Manteswar M. E.	... Okersa H. E.	... M E.
6	Pankajakhya Banerjee	... Aharbelma Board M. E.	Raina H. E.	... M. E.
7	Kalidas Mukherjee	... Rajpur Nandi Board M. E.	Ikra H. E.	... M. E.
8	Joy Gopal Chatterjee	... Kanchannagar M. E.	... Burdwan Raj Collegiate H. E.	M. E.
9	Shaik Majamal	... Barugram M. E.	... Salar H. E. (Murshidabad)	... M. E.
	† Reserved for depressed class.			
1	Dibakar Das	... Gushkara M. E.	... Bolpur H. E.	... M. E.
	BIRBHUM DISTRICT (5+1†).			
1	Sudhir Kumar Mandal	... Fatehpur M. E.	... Rampurhat H. E.	... M. E.
2	Harogopal Mukherjee	... Suri M. E.	... Birbhum Zilla School	... M. E.
3	Pasupati Sarkar	... Ditto	... Ditto	... M. E.
4	Bhola Nath Mandal	... Fatehpur M. E.	... Rampurhat H. E.	... M. E.
5	Kamalakshaya Mitra	... Dubrajpur M. E.	... Hindu School, Calcutta	... M. E.
	† Reserved for depressed class.			
1	Ramkanai Mandal	... Suri M. E.	... Birbhum Zilla	... M. V.
	BANKURA DISTRICT (5+1*).			
1	Kalipada Paria	... Gargaria M. E.	... Bankura Zilla	... M. E.
2	Nalini Kanta Chakravarti	... Sarenga Circle M. V.	... Hooghly Normal	... M. V.
3	Profulla Ratan Patra	... Bheduasole M. E.	... Bankura Zilla	... M. E.
4	Bimala Prosad Sahu	... Raipur M. E.	... Ditto	... M. E.
5	Kamala Prosad Kundu	... Chansal M. E.	... Maliara H. E.	... M. E.
	*** Reserved for depressed class.**			
1	Narendra Nath Murmu	... Sarenga Santhal Practising M. V.	Hooghly Normal	... M. V.
	MIDNAPUR DISTRICT (11+1*+1†).			
1	Radha Kanta Dutt	... Midnapur Hardinge M. E.	Midnapur Collegiate	... M. E.
2	Bhusan Chandra Giri	... Subdi M. E.	... Mugberia H. E.	... M. E.
3	Pulin Behari Prodhan	... Baramohanpur M. E.	... Midnapur Collegiate	... M. E.
4	Abinash Chandra Mandal	... Kakhurda M. E.	... Tamluk H. E.	... M. E.
5	Nalinaksha Das Mahapatra	... Baramohanpur M. E.	... Contai H. E.	... M. E.
6	Debakar Maiti	... Islampur M. E.	... Ditto	... M. E.
7	Achyuta Nath Maiti	... Nandanpur M. E.	... Sonakhali H. E.	... M. E.
8	Atul Chandra Das	... Nayabasan M. E.	... Midnapur Collegiate	... M E.
9	Krishna Prosanna Boyal	... Chakdwipa M. E.	... Calcutta Training	... M. E.
10	Satis Chandra Khatua	... Hanschara M. E.	... Asadtolia H. E.	... M. E.
11	Navadwip Chandra Set	... Nayabasan M E.	... Midnapur Collegiate	... M. E.
	***Reserved for Muhammadans.**			
1	Muhammad Musa	... Midnapur Hardinge M. E.	Midnapur Collegiate	... M. E.
	†Reserved for depressed class.			
1	Jiban Krishna Dandapat	... Islampur M. E.	... Contai H. E.	... M. E.

No.	Name of candidate.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship is made tenable.	M. E. or M. V.
	HOOGHLY DISTRICT (5+1*+1†).			
1	Kesab Chandra Mandal	... Baradangal M E.	... Birsinha H. E.	... M. E.
2	Kalidas Bhattacharjya	... Ballavpur M E.	... Serampur Union H. E.	... M. E.
3	Kushadhwaj Das	... Gutiudaychand M. E.	Udaynarayanpur H E.	... M. E.
4	Kali Krishna Basu	... Patul M. E.	... Sekenderpur H. E.	... M. E.
5	Dhirendra Nath Das	... Bansberia M. E.	... Hooghly Branch	... M. E.
	***Reserved for Muhammadans.**			
1	Shaik Motior Rahaman	... Bandipur M. E.	... Hooghly Collegiate School	M. E.
	†Reserved for depressed class.			
1	Nakul Chandra Bera	... Shyampur M. E.	... Rajbalhat H. E.	... M. E.
	HOWRAH DISTRICT (4+1*+1†).			
1	Sovanendu Roy	... Deulpur M. E.	... Calcutta Training	... M. E.
2	Atul Krishna Dutt	... Ramkrishnapur M. E.	Howrah Zilla	... M. E.
3	Susil Kumar Chowdhury	... Santragachi M. E.	... Ditto	... M. E.
4	Bhola Nath Chatterjee	... Bally M. E	... Uttarpara Government	... M. E.
	***Reserved for Muhammadans.**			
1	Shaik Khairuddin Ahmed	... Kulia Board M. E.	... Khalna H. E.	... M. E.
	†Reserved for depressed class.			
1	Tarapada Pramanik	... Udang M. E.	... Amta H. E.	... M. E.

* Reserved for Muhammadan candidates.

The scholarship-holders should join their schools within one month from the publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

W. E. GRIFFITH, *Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.*

CHINSURA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

BURDWAN DIVISION.

List of candidates elected to Final Primary Scholarships (Upper Primary) in the Burdwan Division for 1923.

[The value of each of the Final Primary scholarships is Rs. 8 a month, tenable for two years from 1st January 1924.]

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship is made tenable.
	BURDWAN DISTRICT (8+1*+2†).		
1	Siba Kali Gui	... Jagadabad U. P.	... Burdwan Municipal H. E.
2	Dhirendra Nath Roy	... Amarargarh U. P.	... Mankar H. E.
3	Sadananda Karmakar	... Bamsore U. P	... Burdwan C. M. S., M. E.
4	Radharaman Agasti	... Purusha U. P.	... Mankar H. E.
5	Annada Kumar Roy	... Muraru U. P.	... Susundighi M. E.
6	Bhriguram Ghosh	... Palisgram U. P.	... Majigram M E.
7	Megnath Biswas	... Dhamachi U. P.	... Sridharpur H. E.
8	Nandadulal Chandra	... Haldipara U. P.	... Okarsha H. E.
	*** Reserved for Muhammadans.**		
1	*Muhammad Abu Taheb	... Bamsore U. P.	... Bhatar M. E.
	† Reserved for depressed class.		
1	Anath Nath Gorain	... Palishgram U. P.	... Mathrun M. E.
2	Debendra Nath Gorain	... Asansole Municipal Model U. P.	... Asansole E. I. Ry. H. E.
	BIRBHUM DISTRICT (6+2*).		
1	Nibaran Chandra Mandal	... Bamnigram U. P.	... Sainthia M. E.
2	Pasupati Roy	... Bhandirban U. P.	... Fatehpur M. E.
3	Kinkar Chandra Gorain	... Sangra U. P.	... Purandarpur M. E.
4	Jagannath Pramanik	... Tentulia U. P.	... Bishnupur H. E.
5	Biswa Nath Mandal	... Kharbona U. P.	... Chituri M. E.
6	Bijali Bhusan Chatterjee	... Kalitha U. P.	... Nalhati H. E.
	*** Reserved for depressed class.**		
1	Gadadhar Let	... Jaykrishnapur U. P.	... Rampurhat Union H. E.
2	Nakfura Mandal	... Idrakpur U. P.	... Paikar M. E.

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship is made tenable.
	BANKURA DISTRICT (6+1*+2†).		
1	Bhola Nath Pramanik	... Biharjura U. P.	... Bankura Zilla School.
2	Narendra Nath Nayak	... Kapista U. P.	.. Maliara H. E.
3	Pranabananda Mukherjee	... Bibarda U. P.	... Bheduasole M. E.
4	Gokul Chandra Mallik	... Bankati U. P.	... Khatra H E.
5	Sambhu Nath Mandal	... Magura Board U. P.	... Kuchiakole H. E.
6	Bibhabasu Dutta	... Bishnupur East U. P.	... Bishnupur H. E.
7	Haripada Misra	... Bishnupur Bailapara U. P.	.... Ditto.
8	Krishna Chandra Rakshit	... Bishnupur East U. P.	... Ditto.
	*** Reserved for Muhammadans.**		
1	Shaik Sabajad Mandal	... Mankhamar Board U. P.	... Bankura Zilla School.
	† Reserved for depressed class.		
1	Bhola Nath Sardar	... Rajakata U. P	... Ambicanagar M. E.
2	Jogendra Nath Majhi	... Bankati U. P.	... Ditto.
	MIDNAPUR DISTRICT (12+3†).		
1	Ramrup Bhattacharjya	... Handol Board U. P.	... Bagnabar M. E.
2	Ashutosh Maiti	... Shamsundarpur Board U. P.	Ditto.
3	Satish Chandra Mahato	... Salgeria U P.	... Danton M. E.
4	Dharanidhar Pradhan	... Bejaberia U. P.	... Kajlagarh Board M. E
5	Prasanna Kumar Jana	... Chiranjibpur U. P.	... Hanschara M. E.
6	Hem Chandra Bhuiyan	... Tekapura U. P.	... Khodambari M. E.
7	Nalinikanta Samanta	... Dwaribera U. P. (No. 1)	... Barghasipur M. E.
8	Sudhir Chandra Maiti	... Jibanpur U. P.	... Haschhara M. E.
9	Bankim Chandra Shui	... Gobra U. P.	... Islampur M. E.
10	Trailokya Nath Bera	... Kalindi U. P.	... Ditto.
11	Rampada Tripathi	... Baghadanri U. P.	... Haripur M E.
12	Radhasyam De	... Brahmanbasan U. P.	... Basudebpur Board M. E.
	† Reserved for depressed class.		
1	Radhagobinda Giri	... Ichapur U. P.	... Tamluk H E.
2	Amulya Charan Pramanik	... Kasipur U. P.	... Tamluk M. E.
3	Barada Kanta Manya	... Jafuly U. P.	... Raghunathbari H. E.
	HOOGHLY DISTRICT (6+1*+1†).		
1	Bishnupada Ghosal	... Baloon U. P.	... Mahanad M. E. U. P.
2	Dhankrishna Sarkar	... Khejurda U. P.	... Bhastara H. E. U. P.
3	Thakur Das Chakraverti	.... Kolachora Board U. P.	... Gorolgachha H. E U. P.
4	Gour Mohan De	... Boinchipota U. P.	... Uttarpara Government U. P.
5	Probhat Chandra Chandra	... Bhurkunda Board U. P.	... Kotalpur H. E. U. P.
6	Sudhir Chandra Samui	... Pukhuria U. P.	... Anur M. E. U. P.
	***Reserved for Muhammadans.**		
1	Talabar Rahman Sarkar	... Depara U. P.	... Ilsoba Mondlai H. E.
	†Reserved for depressed class.		
1	Jatindra Nath Dhara	... Kultighari U. P.	... Bandipur M. E.
	HOWRAH DISTRICT (3+1*).		
1	Nripendra Nath Mandal	... Manikpur U. P.	... Sankrail H. E (Depressed class)
2	(a) Bhola Nath Sandel	... Chakraberia U. P.	... Santragachi M E.
*3	Santosh Kumar Ghosh	... Durgapur Naral U. P.	... Ganeshpur M. E.
4	Annada Prosad Guria	... Poltaberia U. P.	... Shyampur M. E.
	***Reserved for depressed class.**		
1	Bijoy Chandra Bag	... Kurit U. P.	... Amta H. E.

(a) Scholarship to be awarded by the Howrah Municipality.

W. E. GRIFFITH, *Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.*

CHINSURA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1661	Taluk Shibjoy Baroiya, pargana Bozor-Gomedpur.	6,130 3 4	.....	6 as. 4 gds. 1 c. 2 k't. 1 dt. residuary share will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Pal Chaudhury and others.	2,383 15 7	.....	165 12 1

Barisal, the 13th November 1923.

D. MACPHERSON, Addl. Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Midnapore, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1924 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
195	Pargana Baraichore, mahal Achchhut chak.	501 7 1	Entire ...	.....	Priyo Nath Ghose and others.	...	8 2 8	...
276	Pargana Tappa Balisita, mahal Bhitorbinode, 4 annas share.	1,636 14 10	...	Separate account No. I, 8 annas share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ratnakar Das ...	829 7 5	...	65 9 6
1022	Pargana Kashijora, mahal Salika Dhanichak.	940 10 11 including police.	Entire ...	.....	Surabala Dasi, mother and guardian of Ramprosad Kar, minor, and another.	...	70 5 11 including police.	...
1025	Pargana Kashijora, mahal Sridharbasan, *alias* Dhanlara.	1,466 13 6 including police.	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 1 and 2 only. 6 as. 1 gd. 2 krs. 2 kts. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale	Rameswar Mesanta and others.	553 14 4 including police.	...	5 6 7
1077	Pargana Kurulchore, mahal Alangiri, *alias* Alangarul.	974 12 10	...	Separate account No. I ... ... The following shares of the mauzas will be sold— A. G. Cr. Kt. Mauzas— Atla ... 16 0 0 0 Akundi ... 16 0 0 0 Alangiri ... 16 0 0 0 Bela ... 16 0 0 0 Kulida ... 16 0 0 0 Kharki-jhapri 16 0 0 0 Maisamari ... 16 0 0 0 Mustafabad ... 16 0 0 0 Chunlkasia ... 5 6 2 2 Dalkuchal ... 5 6 2 2 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mr. R. K. Nag and others.	756 2 3	...	9 15 9
1439	Pargana Khandar, mahal Amra *alias* Bonal.	1,365 13 2	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 1, 2 and 3 only. The following shares of the mauzas will be sold— A. G. Cr. Mauzas— Jagatnh chak ... 7 12 3 Junbalida ... 9 10 1 Kisore chak ... 7 12 3 Naran chak ... 7 12 3 Sareng chak ... 7 12 3 Amra ... 9 13 2 Bonal ... 8 5 1 Bonal chak ... 7 12 3 Daniar chak ... 7 12 3 Ekbar chak ... 7 12 3 Gohaldangri ... 7 12 3 Haripore ... 7 12 3 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rajendra Nath Maity and others.	625 13 3	...	13 3 4
2409	Pargana Sahapur, mahal Dingal.	2,892 8 0	...	Separate account No. 1 ... 8 annas share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Jiban Krishna Ghosh	1,446 4 1	...	112 0 11
				Part II.				
2887	Pargana Patashpore, mahal Madhabpore.	560 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Jibanmohon Das and others	...	2 0 6	...

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lot No 1, tauzi No. 18.	Char Afzal Fakir and Char Lakhi, pargana Sandip.	2,847 12 8	Share ...	Residue Hishya—Ac. gda. kg. dhur. 2 10 5 20 (All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale).	Munshi Moazzam Hossain Chaudhury and others.	417 10 4	...	Land Revenue— 103 13 3 Cess— 22 5 0 126 2 3
Lot No. 5, tauzi No. 1577.	Thak Char Sekandar, pargana Zazira.	604 13 0	Whole ...	.....	Ram Keshab Paddar and others.	...	Land Revenue— 137 3 0 Cess— 7 5 4 144 8 4	...
				Khas mahal tenure.				
Lot No. 8, tauzi No. 1576.	Nilakhi Dcara Tenure No. 84.	941 12 0	Whole ...	.....	Sm. Hari Priya Saha and others.	...	Land Revenue— 516 14 6 Cess— 46 12 10 563 11 4	...
Lot No. 13, tauzi No. 1627.	Char Meher, Abad No. 4 ...	921 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Jadab Chandra Bhattacharjee and others.	...	Land Revenue— 201 7 0 Cess— 30 9 0 232 0 0	...
Lot No. 14, tauzi No. 1627.	Char Meher, Abad No. 6 ...	1,627 14 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	Land Revenue— 356 2 0 Cess— 53 12 0 409 14 0	...
Lot No. 16, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 1.	2,999 7 0	Do. ...	.....	Sm. Asmaleswa Chaudhurani.	...	Land Revenue— 279 0 6 Cess— 80 0 0 359 0 6	
Lot No. 17, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 24.	777 6 0	Do. ...	.....	Aptarali and others ...	...	Land Revenue— 170 1 6 Cess— 32 13 0 202 14 6	

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Khas mahal tenures*—concld.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lot No. 18, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 28.	622 13 0	Whole ...	.....	Bhabananda Nama and others.	...	Land Revenue— 136 4 0 Cess— 17 6 6 153 10 6	...
Lot No. 20, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 32.	503 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	Land Revenue— 110 1 0 Cess— 13 10 6 123 11 6	...
Lot No. 36, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 47.	559 8 0	Do. ...	.....	Jatirmay Sen and others.	...	Land Revenue— 122 6 3 Cess— 35 5 6 157 11 9	...
Lot No. 37, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 48.	559 8 0	Do. ...	.....	Joi Fakkor Haider ...	...	Land Revenue— 122 6 3 Cess— 14 10 2 137 0 5	...
Lot No. 38, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 49.	559 8 0	Do. ...	.....	Chhayada Khatun and others.	...	Land Revenue— 122 6 3 Cess— 18 11 1 141 1 4	...
Lot No. 50, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 59.	1,240 3 0	Do. ...	.....	Jatirmay Sen and others.	...	Land Revenue— 271 4 6 Cess— 65 2 0 336 6 6	...
Lot No. 47, tauzi No. 1672.	Nalchira Chaudhurir Kutta, tenure No. 50.	773 3 0	Do. ...	.....	Munshi Mosahoruddin Ahmed.	...	Land Revenue— 386 10 0 Cess— 46 8 10 432 13 10	...
Lot No. 61, tauzi No. 1677.	Char Amanulla, tenure No. 290.	1,273 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Kadir Bux Mia and others.	...	Land Revenue— 102 12 0 Cess— 10 5 8 113 1 8	...
Lot No. 64, tauzi No. 1686.	Char Alexander, tenure No. 1.	940 15 6	Do. ...	.....	Serajal Haque and others.	...	Land Revenue— 205 14 0 Cess— 20 0 0 225 14 0	...

Noakhali, the 15th November 1923.

A. MUMIN, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 7th January 1924, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the Sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5584	Taluq Mohamad Jaki Chaudhuri, pargana Kartikpur, Sujabad.	946 7 2	No ...	Residuary 10 annas share. The following shares are excluded from sale— Separate account No. 1, 4 annas share. Separate account No. 2, 2 annas share.	Bankim Chandra Sew and others.	591 8 6	.....	83 11 1
6755	Taluq Raja Srinath Ray and others, pargana Nasti.	2,574 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Raja Srinath Roy and others.	.....	1,929 7 0	.....
6797	Taluq surplus land of Thak Kayaria, pargana Kasimpur, Schalapatti.	849 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Barada Kanta Ghosh ...	.....	2 5 4	.....

A. R. BOSE, Collector (offg.).

Faridpur, the 20th November 1923.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 9th January 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
8	Mauza Jalphiha and others, pargana Magura.	3,464 11 10	.....	Four annas share in the estate. The above share is covered by separate account No. 8-2.	Lal Kumar Ray Chaudhuri and others.	867 7 6	...	182 8 2
10	Kismat Chetla and others, pargana Magura.	807 12 0	Whole ...	.....	Jay Narayan Chandra and others, executors to the estate of late Subal Chand Chandra and other proprietors.	...	40 0 9	...
386	Mauza Iswaripore and others pargana Sahanagore.	6,444 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Atul Chandra Mukherjee and Sahayaram Chakravarti, Trustees to the estate of Gopi Nath Jew Thakur and other deities.	...	1,206 8 10½	...
566	Khariberia and others, pargana Anwarpur.	917 13 7	Do. ...	..... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Hem Chandra Ray and others	...	273 14 6	...

Alipore, the 21st November 1923. J. H. LINDSAY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 47 (2), Schedule II of Act III of 1913, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Certificate Officer of that district on the 9th January 1924 at 11 A.M. for arrears of cess and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1730	Zamindari, pargana Chandradwip.	44,518 12 8	...	4 as. 15 gds. share covered by separate account Nos. 1 and 8 will be sold.	Babu Durgakanta Sen, receiver to the estate of late Hiralal Roy Chaudhury, of Madhabpasa, district Bakarganj.	13,213 7 6	...	4,739 8 0

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Barisal, the 15th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th January 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
100	Gobindapur, pargana Boro	8,407 13 0	Nil ...	16 annas share of all the mauzas except mauzas Panikhola, Hasimpur, Bahadoorpur and Bakshagori.	Kamal Krishna Kundoo Chaudhuri and 8 others.	3,152 4 0	Nil ...	14 13 1
108	Mahamad Aminpur, pargana Mahamad Aminpur.	1,859 1 8	Entire ...	Nil ...	Dijendranath Rai Chaudhuri and 11 others.	Nil ...	251 1 11	Nil.
2025	Rampur char, pargana Raipur.	858 0 0	Do. ...	Nil ...	Settled with Khagendrananda Asram.	Nil ...	214 8 0	Nil.
2027	Kristobati new char, pargana Raipur.	2,105 0 0	Do. ...	Nil ...	Ditto ...	Nil ...	526 4 0	Nil.
2035	Kristobati char, pargana Raipur.	1,039 0 0	Do. ...	Nil ...	Ditto ...	Nil ...	84 12 0	Nil.
2092	Kristobati chherra char, pargana Raipur.	2,266 0 0	Do. ...	Nil ...	Ditto ...	Nil ...	566 8 0	Nil.
3479	Rosulpur char, pargana Patinchal.	568 0 0	Do. ...	Nil ...	Ditto ...	Nil ...	142 0 0	Nil.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 19th November 1923.

J. G. DUNLOP, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th day of January 1924 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3 408	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Pulchari, mahal Noabad, taluk Moberak Ali Bakshally.	3,125 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Makbulali Chowdhury, son of Md. Sharif Miaji, of Chota Samia, Basharaball Chowdhury, son of Jafar Ali, of Pulchari.	.....	Rent— 1,171 14 0 Cess— 173 4 0	.....
17 420	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Chambal, mahal Noabad, taluk Tajanissa.	1,954 4 0	Do ...	.....	Abdul Karim Chowdhury, son of Fazar Ali Chowdhury, of Tallardwip.	.....	Rent— 187 14 0 Cess— 86 4 0	.....
4051 35000	Thana Bashkally, mauza Baroomohara, mahal Noabad, Sk. Ramdin Hazari.	1,942 5 6	Do. ...	.....	Sm. Mathu Debya, widow of Ramdin Hazari and on behalf of her minor son Haj Narayan Hazari, and Shib Doyal Sing Hazari, son of Vagnath, of Shahar Andar Killa.	.....	Rent— 59 5 6 Cess— 126 1 0	.....
6239 5617	Thana Satkania, mauza Charamba, mahal Noabad, taluk Kali Kinkar.	1,965 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Kalias Chandra, Purna Chandra, sons of Ram Sharan Chowdhury, Tarak Chandra, son of Kali Kinkar, Trabi Ram, son of Hari, Nilmani, son of Debi Das Chowdhury, Pran Hari, son of Haradas Chowdhury, of Charamba.	.....	Rent— 195 13 9 Cess— 55 9 9	.....

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Chittagong, the 20th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act IX of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th day of January 1924 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue remaining unpaid on the 28th September 1923.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share or shares.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
1—855 20134	Mauza Dakalia, thana Panchhaiah, taluk Ahmed Ali.	1,755 4 0 353 9 0	Whole ...	...	Abdul Quadir Sowdagar and Sreemati Sabjan Bibi and others.	...	46 13 6 5 13 0	...
2—4573 23879	Mauza Zunkhola, thana Fatickcherry, taluk Obedulla.	1,149 0 0 89 9 0	Do. ...	...	Anisa Khatun Chowdhurani ...	...	430 14 0 35 9 0	...

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Chittagong, the 20th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Nadia, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
212/0	Gargari, pargana Sahanalal.	...	No ...	9 annas 10 gandas 3 karas 3½ kara 20 tils 7⅞ dantis. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Samia Khatun and others.	2,332 16 9	...	1,119 4 6
316/8	Gobra, pargana Palashi.	...	No ...	4 annas 8 gandas 11 tils ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kumar Bedowari Mukunda Deb, shebayet of Kishori Benuwari Jew Thakur.	684 3 0	...	288 10 4
399/6	Ukhra, pargana Ukhra	...	No ...	13 gandas 1 kara 3 dantis ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Surendra Nath Banerjee and others.	2,857 15 10	...	42 12 5
399/32	Ditto ...	...	No ...	4 gda. 1 kara 7 dantis ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nihartala Debi, wife of Surendra Nath Mukherjea.	384 0 0	...	180 4 0
867	Char Manikdihi, pargana Rajpur.	541 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Brojeswari Dassi and another.	...	135 0 0	...
3681	Char Goalgram, pargana Rajpur.	719 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Debendranath Biswas	...	235 0 0	...
3635/0	Diara taluk Promotho Nath Roy and others, pargana Hapania.	...	No ...	13 annas 2 gandas 3 karas 1 kranti 15 tils. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nilmoni Roy Chowdhury and others.	811 10 6	...	189 7 6

Krishnagar, the 22nd November 1923.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Rangpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1924, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
218	Harinarainpur O'gayrah mauza, pargana Barabila.	5,801 14 4	Whole ...	16 annas share of the estate	Banawari Mukund Deb ...	...	1,451 11 9	...

Rangpur Collectorate, the 23rd November 1923.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1924 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue for kist ending 28th September 1923.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abul Fazal.	643 3 7	Whole ...	.....	Fazar Ali Sowdagar ...	...	190 15 2	...
656	Thana Patya and Raozan, taraf Chitra Sen Kanungoe.	559 3 8	Do. ...	.....	Abdul Khalek Chowdhury and Abdul Goni Chowdhury.	...	82 14 6	...
746	Thana Mireswari, taraf Chili Doulat.	2,906 9 8	Do. ...	.....	Sm. Majibakhatun, manager for (a) Saistha Khan.	...	213 14 8	...
1343	Thana Satkania, C. S. Banskhali and Patya, C. S. Anwara, taraf Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Do. ...	.....	Wahed Ali ...	...	206 15 0	...
1379	Thana Satkania and Patya, taraf Joyram Chowdhury.	1,416 5 6	Share ...	Share No. 1 ...	Minnat Ali Dobhasi, Saradu Kripa Lala.	708 2 9	...	201 3 3
1407	Thana Fatikchery, Patya, Satkania and Raozan, taraf Kibankhan.	1,654 4 0	Whole ...	.....	Sm. Mojiba Khatun Chowdhurani, manager for (a) Aboo Bashar, (b) Md. Shaista Khan.	...	191 0 10	...
1886	Thana Hathazari and Raozan, taraf Mahamad Rafee Khansama.	924 9 6	Do. ...	.....	Ram Kumar De and others.	...	7 14 11	...
3054	Thana Raozan, Hathazari, Patya, Town Fatikchery, taraf Shib Durga Charan Chowdhury.	2,942 2 0	Share ...	Share No. 2 ...	Kamal Kumar Ray ...	638 1 10	...	186 7 2
3054	Thana Raozan, Hathazari, Patiya, town and Fatikchery, taraf Shib Durga Charan Chowdhury.	2,942 2 0	Do. ...	Share No. 3 ...	Srimati Lakhi Kamini Sen.	514 3 4	...	152 10 0
3171	Thana Fatikchery and town, taraf Tita Tewari.	1,495 6 9	Whole ...	.....	Abdul Bari Chowdhuri, Srimati Safia Khatun.	...	443 8 11	...
33049	Thana Chakaria, mouza Manikpur, taluk Tufan Ali Munshi.	893 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Dinendra Kumari, Akbar Ahamed Sikdar.	...	39 15 6	...
33294	Thana Chakaria, mouza Harbang, taluk Mobarek Ali Babait, taluk Chandi Charan and Tarini Charan.	874 0 6	Do. ...	.....	Munshi Md. Soleman Khan.	...	329 13 2	...

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Chittagong, the 20th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Murshidabad, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1924, at 12 A M, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share of shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Goespur, pargana Sarupsing ...	18,844 9 0	Yes ...	.....	Banwari Mukunda Das Nandi.	...	945 0 0	...
00	Nowda Beloon, pargana Dhawa	1,769 7 8	Do. ...	.....	Mirja Sujatali Beg ...	...	355 8 10	...
345	Mohanpur, pargana Mohanpur	4,390 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Nirode Mohon Ghosh Moulik and others.	...	451 2 1	...
361Bj	Madhupur, pargana Kulberia	...	No ...	8 annas	Ditto ...	925 8 4	...	157 0 10
3027	Diara taluk Sisir Chandra Moitra and others.	833 0 0	Yes ...	.....	Sisir Chandra Moitra of Putia and others.	...	28 1 8	...

W. S. ADIE, Collector.

Berhampore, the 23rd November 1923.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
									Revenue—
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	724 12 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5 June and September 1923.	...	7 3 5
									Cess—
									11 3 7

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector.

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of sale.

(*See rule 161.*)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government specified in the condition of sale below to the undermentioned estate, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the Burdwan Collectorate at 12 noon on Monday, the 7th January 1924, corresponding with 22nd Pous 1330 Bengali Era.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, revenue free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close, holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
Tauzi No. 3610 ...	Estate Mandra, pargana Jahangirabad ...	·465	0 11 0	

S. G. HART, Collector.

Burdwan, the 14th November 1923.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situated in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, Krishnagar, on 18th day of February 1924, corresponding with 6th Phalgun of 1330 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force : and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
3533	Kalupole thana land, pargana Mahammad Shahi	85	3 0 0	In thana Chuadanga.

Nadia, the 21st December 1923.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an order made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction and dated the 17th April 1923 in execution of the decree in suit No. 14 of 1922 of the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Lahore, dated the 11th day of April 1922 (wherein Bombay Cycle & Motor Agency, Ltd., is the plaintiff, and Mr. C T. Boswell and another are the defendants), by the Sheriff of Calcutta at his sale-room by public auction on Saturday, the 5th day of January 1924, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon the undermentioned moveable property belonging to the judgment-debtor :—

List of property.

One Apperson Car No. 8691 belonging to Mr. C. T. Boswell licensed and now lying at the yard of Messrs. R. S Hart Bros.

1st.—The abovementioned property is to be sold for realization of Rs. 6,186-4-9 being the decretal amount and Rs. 464 for costs and also for interest and also for further costs of execution.

2nd.—The condition of sale can be seen at the office of the said Sheriff of Calcutta any time before the sale and will be read at the time aforesaid.

M. M. ALI NAKEY, Sheriff.

S. M. S. Rahman, Attorney for the plaintiff.

7, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, Sheriff's Office, the 17th December 1923. (9—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 85 OF 1921.

Osmond Herbert Bowers, of 4, Beliaghatta Road, 24-Parganas, applicant.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 21st day of January 1924, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 5th day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2067—1—2159)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 37 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 31st January 1923, filed by Isan Chandra Mistri of Durgamagore, Dak Bora, thana Diamond Harbour, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Isan Chandra Mistri and on reading the petition and hearing Babus Bibhuti Bhusan Ghosal and Srish Chandra Sarkar, pleaders, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2022—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 69 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 19th March 1923, filed by Abu Hossain Molla, of Akra Dam-Dama, thana Matiabruz, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Abu Hossain Molla, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Gajendra Nath De, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2023—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III o 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 11 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 9th January 1923 filed by Akhoy Kumar Dhali, of Khiristola, thana Bishnupur, district 24-Parganas and on the application of Akhoy Kumar Dhali and on reading the petition and hearing Babus Birendranath Lahiri and Mani Kumar Mukherjee, pleaders, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

Dated this 6th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2024—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 oft he Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 241 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 28th October 1922, filed by Sheikh Hossain, of Chetla, thana Alipore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Sheikh Hossain and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Dhupendranath Sarkar, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of September 1923

A. T PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2025—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 114 OF 1923

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th April 1923, filed by Ban Behari Ghose, of Raja Rajendra Mitra Road, Raja's House, Beliaghata, and on the application of Ban Behari Ghose, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Sarat Chandra Sen, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub Judge.

(2026—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 104 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 16th April 1923, filed by Umesh Chandra Sen, of 128, Linton Street, thana Beniapuker, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Umesh Chandra Sen, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Nagendra Nath Chatterjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

Dated this 6th day of September 1923

A T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2027—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 272 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 28th November 1922, filed by Surendranath Ghose Aluni, of Siewli, thana Titagar, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Surendranath Ghose and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Rashehari Gupta, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2028—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 265 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 22nd November 1922, filed by Tustu Charan Mandal, of Ramdama Ati, thana Metiabruz, and on the application of Tustu Charan Mandal and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Amulyadhan Mukherjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 25th day of September 1923.

A T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2029—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 131 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 14th May 1923, filed by Benode Behari Saha, of Baldeopara Road, thana Maniktola, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Benode Behari Saha and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Makhanlal Banerjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 25th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2030—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 135 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 21st May 1923, filed by Sitanath Biswas, of Media, thana Paduria, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Sitanath Biswas and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Bilendu Ray, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 18th day of September 1923.

A. T PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2031—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 14 OF 1923

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 10th January 1923, filed by Abdul Aziz Serang, of Urapara, Kidderpore, thana Watgunge, and on the application of Abdul Aziz Serang and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Amulya Krishna Mitra, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 18th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2032—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 95 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 11th April 1923, filed by Khater Gazi, of Durgapur, thana Joynagore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Khater Gazi and on reading the petition and hearing Moulavi Mofazzelur Rahaman, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2033—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 263 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 21st November 1922, filed by Rahaman Sheik, of Kowradangi, thana Bistupur, and on the application of Rahaman Shaik and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Dhirendranath Lahiri, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 19th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2034—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 138 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 25th May 1923, filed by Sk. Kabiruddin, of 39, Kalighat Road, thana Bhowanipur, and on the application of Sk. Kabiruddin, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Narendranath Chakerbatty, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2035—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 132 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 14th May 1923, filed by Satis Chandra Ray, of 101, Monoharpukur Road, thana Tollygunge, and on the application of Satis Chandra Ray and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Jagindranath Mukherjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of September 1923

A. T. PAL, Sub Judge.

(2036—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 250 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 6th November 1922, filed by Haradhan Das, of Jamalpur, thana Budge-Budge, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Haradhan Das and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Annada Prasad Mitra, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

Dated this 19th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2037—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 29 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th January 1923, filed by Shama Charan Ghose, of Sukhpur Goynapara, thana Naihati, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Shama Charan Ghose and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Naresh Chandra Mitra, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 25th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2038—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 281 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 4th and 6th December 1922, filed by Sk. Ismail Buchar, of Barrackpore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Sk Ismail Buchar and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Sisir Kumar Banerjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 19th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2039—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 134 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 17th May 1923, filed by Ramdas Kanu of Kharda, thana Kharda, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Ramdas Kanu and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Charu Chandra Ghose, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 19th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2040—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 96 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 11th April 1923, filed by Zaharaddi Gari of Joynagore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Zaharaddi Gari and on reading the petition and hearing Maulvi Mafazzelur Rahaman, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2041—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 80 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 29th March 1923, filed by Chandi Charan Das, of Dam Dam, thana Alambazar, and on the application of Chandi Charan Das and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Annada Charan Das, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of September 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2042—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*].

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 73 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 21st March 1923, filed by Shaikh Abdul Wahid, of 20, Dilkasha Street, police-station Baniapukur, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Abdul Wahid and on reading the petition and hearing Maulvi Syed Nasimali, Vakil, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of October 1923.

A. T PAL, Sub-Judge.
(2046—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 153 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th June 1923, filed by Jharu Khan, of Begumpur, thana Baruipur, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Jharu Khan and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Kshirode Kumar Chakrabatty, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 8th day of October 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(2047—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 274 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 30th November 1923, filed by Ashadali of 24 godown of the Port Commissioners' Dock, Kidderpur, thana Watgange, and on the application of Aahadali and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Ram Krishna Show, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of October 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(2048—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 270 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th November 1922, filed by Jatindranath Mukherjee of 12, Sahanagore Road, thana Tollygange, and on the application of Jatindranath Mukherjee, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Bimal Krishna Ghosh, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 6th day of October 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(2049—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 122 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 8th May 1923, filed by Sheik Manir of Panchpara, thana Metiabrus, and on the application of Sheikh Manir and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Surendra Nath Basu (III) it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of October 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(2050—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 145 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th June 1923, filed by Sailendra Nath Bhattacharjee of 64, Mahajan Pati Lane, thana Tollygunge, and on the application of Sailendra Nath Bhattacherjee and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Amulya Krishna Mitra, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 3rd day of October 1923.

A T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2051—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 156 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 20th June 1923, filed by Philip A. Burney of 31, Ismail Street, Entally, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Philip A. Burney and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Dwijendra Mohan Mukherjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of October 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(2052—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 103 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition dated 16th April 1923 filed by Latai Sha, of Kidderpore, Srimani Bazar, thana Watgange, and on the application of Latai Sha, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Manindra Nath Banerjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of October 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub Judge.
(2053—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 136 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 23rd May 1923, filed by Sheik Kaju, of Kidderpore Gazir Lane, thana Watgunge, and on the application of Shaik Kaju and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Abinas Chandra Pal, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of October 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2054—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 162 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th June 1923, filed by Pulin Chandra Ghose, of 47, Mansatola Lane, Kidderpore, and on the application of Pulin Chandra Ghose, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Prafulla Moy Pramanik, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 29th day of November 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2068—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 101 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 12th April 1923, filed by Sachindra Kumar Mitra, of 29-A, B, Mahesh Parik Lane, Narikeldanga thana, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Sachindra Kumar Mitra and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Prokash Chandra Bosu, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 13th day of November 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2069—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 106 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 20th April 1923, filed by Hemanta Kumar Dutta, of 45, Khalat Babu's Lane, Tala, thana Chitpur, and on the application of Hemanta Kumar Dutta and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Sarat Chandra Ghose and Bidhubhusan Kar, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 29th day of November 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2070—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 115 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th April 1923, filed by John MacGowan, of 134, Narkeldanga Main Road, and on the application of John MacGowan and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Upendra Nath Singha, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 29th day of November 1923.

A. T PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2071—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

n the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 130 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 12th May 1923 filed by Sachindra Mohan Das, of 41, Padmapukur Road, thana Ballygunge, and on the application of Sachindra Mohan Das, and on the reading the petition and hearing Babu Himal Chandra Das, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 30th day of November 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(2072—1)

AKSHAY KUMAR GHOSH, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(2101—4—2140)

ANIL CHANDRA DATTA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(2107—4—2141)

DHIRENDRA NATH BISWAS, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(2106—4—2150)

NIRAJANATH GHATAK, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.

(2124—4—2153)

PURNA CHANDRA MUKERJI intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court.

(2116—4—2149)

SARASIJA KANTA PALIT, M.A., B.L., intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court.

(2118—4—2148)

SHANTI KUMAR ROY CHAUDHURY, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court.

(2100—4—2146)

SURENDRA NATH GANGULI intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court.

(2115—4—2148)

SYAMADAS BHATTACHARYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(2105—4—2144)

NOTICE.

Imperial Bank of India.

THE members of the Local Board have made the following change in the Bank's establishment :—

Mr. Shiam Lall to be in temporary charge of Muttra Branch, as from 30th November 1923, *vice* Mr. R. D. Kamath, on sick leave.

By order,

D. S. McCLURE,

Secretary and Treasurer (offg.).

Calcutta, the 20th December 1923. (11—1)

NCTICE.

Imperial Bank of India.

THE Imperial Bank of India, *Simla Town Branch*, will be closed on the 22nd December 1923.

All business hitherto conducted at that Branch will thereafter be carried out at the *Simla Branch* of the Bank.

By order,

D. S McCLURE,

Secretary and Treasurer (offg.).

Calcutta, the 21st December 1923. (12—1)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for information of the public that, under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, Act III (B. C) of 1885, the District Board of Burdwan resolved, at their special meeting held on the 14th December 1923, that the road cess be levied in the Burdwan district at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc., as heretofore, during the next financial year 1924-25.

MANILAL SINGH ROY, RAJA, C.I.E, M.L.C.,
Chairman, District Board, Burdwan.

Burdwan, the 22nd December 1923. (13—1)

Road Cess Notice.

THE District Board of Pabna have at their special meeting held on the 17th December 1923 fixed the rate of Road Cess for the year 1924-25 in that district at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of all lands, etc., under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, 1908.

W. U. AHMED, *or* Chairman.

Pabna, the 17th December 1923. (2134—2)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION No. 47.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under the provisions of section 107 of the Calcutta Port Act III of 1890, and with the approval of the Local Government, that the dumping charge of annas three per ton on all coal shipped from the Kidderpore Docks, published under notification No. 38, dated the 20th March 1922, in the *Calcutta Gazette*, Part II, page 412, Section 22, will be suspended for a period of twelve months from the 1st January 1924.

By order of the Commissioners,

C. W. T. HOOK, Secretary (offg.).

The 21st December 1923. (10—1)

Currency Note.

THE following Currency Note of the Calcutta Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

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J. J. LATTA, Currency Officer.

Paper Currency Department, Calcutta, the 20th December 1923.

Descriptive Catalogue of Sanskrit Manuscripts.

PARTS I, II, and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College, are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

NOTICE.

The 10th June 1922.—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject, the following revised rates have been fixed for the *Calcutta Gazette* and its parts, with effect from the date of this notice. This will not, however, affect the subscriptions already paid at previous rates until they have expired :—

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NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Saturday.

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APPENDIX.

Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department

The 21st December 1923.

JAVA, NORTH COAST.

(*1*) *Tanjong Priok—Intended Alteration in Time-Signal.*

(*2*) *Surabaya—Intended Alteration in Time-Signal.*

No. 425 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1794 of 1923), are republished—

(1) Tanjong Priok.

Date of alteration.—On or about 1st January 1924; without further Notice.

Position.—On the southern side of Tanjong Priok harbour.
Lat. 6° 06′ S., long. 106° 53′ E. (*approx*).

Details.—In the note shown against this time-signal, on chart No. 933, the Greenwich Mean Time is to be altered from "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 45{\cdot}5^s.$" to "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 00^s.$"

(2) Surabaya.

Date of alteration.—On or about 1st January 1924; without further Notice.

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ miles westward of Kalabangkang point.
Lat. 7° 12′ S., long. 112° 44′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—In the note shown against this time-signal on the plan quoted below, the Greenwich Mean Time is to be altered from "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 45{\cdot}5^s.$" to "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 00^s.$"

Remarks.—The above alterations will be necessitated by the intended alteration in the Standard Time of Central Java, on the date quoted, to $7^h.\ 20^m.\ 0^s.$ fast on Greenwich.

Charts affected.—No. 934, Plan of Surabaya strait (2).

„ 933, Batavia roads. (1).

„ 1654, Island of Java—eastern portion (2).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 5032, 5033.

Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 3, 98, 138.

Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1923 (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2421 of 1923. (*H. 6893-23.*)

JAVA, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

Trowers (Tinjil) Island—Non-existence of rock northward of

No. 426 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1814 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles north-westward of the eastern end of Trowers (Tinjil) island.

Lat. 6° 56′ S., long. 105° 48′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The rock, marked "P. D.," with a depth of less than 6 feet (1m8), shown on the charts in the above position, does not exist and is to be expunged accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 1653, Island of Java—western portion.

„ 941*a*, Eastern archipelago—sheet 1.

„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 32.

Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1923 (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2422 of 1923. (*H. 6894-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—TORRES STRAIT.

Prince of Wales Channel, Western Approaches—Amendments to Charts re Depths.

No. 427 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1815 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Booby island, lat. 10° 36′ S., long. 141° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—Decreased depths south-westward of Booby island, and between that island and Larpent bank, have been revealed by a recent survey. The necessary corrections to charts Nos 437, 2375 and 2354 are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of those charts.

A depth of 5¼ fathoms (9m6) also exists westward of White rocks in each of the following positions, and the charts are to be corrected accordingly :—

(*a*) Lat. 10° 26′ 40″ S., long. 141° 57′ 36″ E.
(*b*) „ 10° 26′ 57″ S., „ 141° 58′ 10″ E.
(*c*) „ 10° 27′ 04″ S., „ 141° 58′ 24″ E.
(*d*) „ 10° 27′ 03″ S., „ 141° 59′ 05″ E.
(*e*) „ 10° 26′ 42″ S., „ 141° 59′ 30″ E.
(*f*) „ 10° 29′ 45″ S., „ 141° 56′ 48″ E.

Charts affected.—No. 437, Albany pass to Booby island.

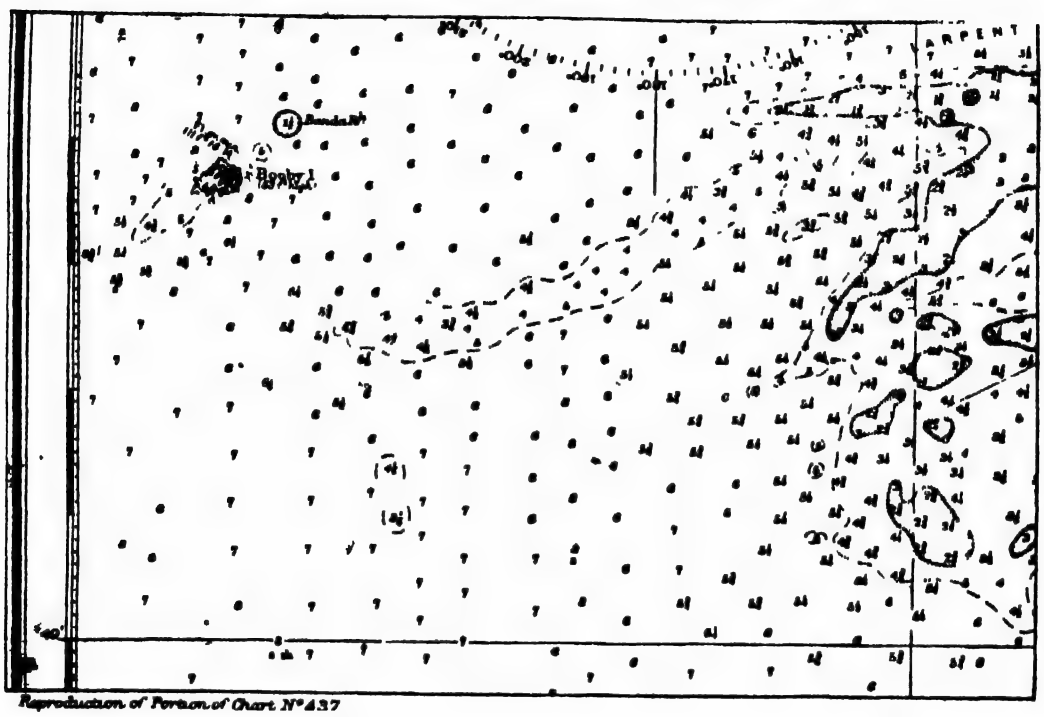
„ 2375, Torres strait—western channels.

„ 2354, Cape Grenville to Booby island.

„ 447, Western approaches to Torres strait. (*b*), (*c*) and (*f*).

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, pages 234, 249.

Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome.* (*H. 6708-23.*)



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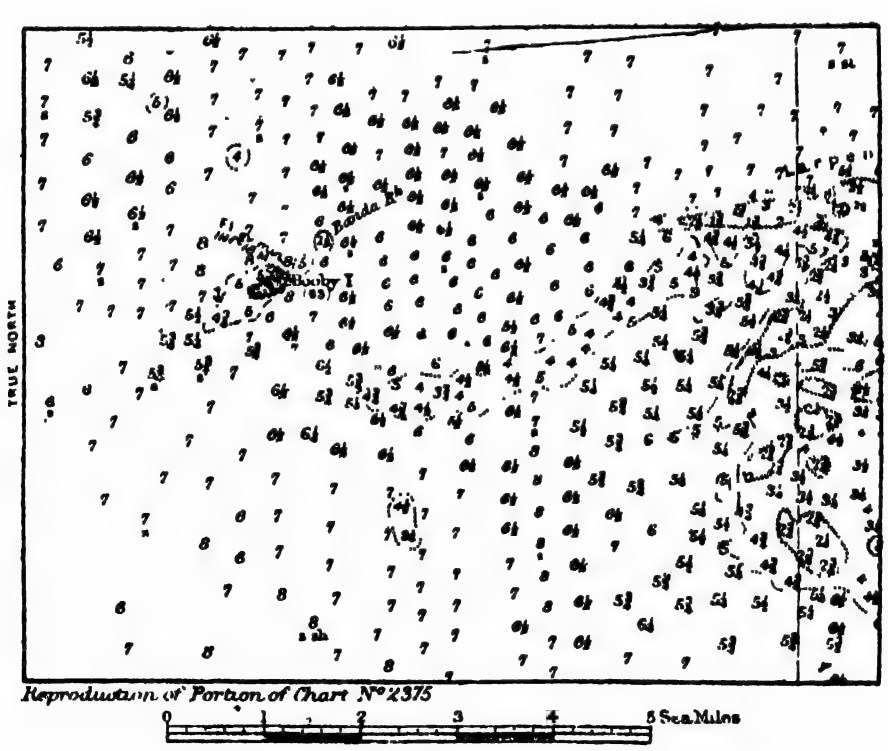

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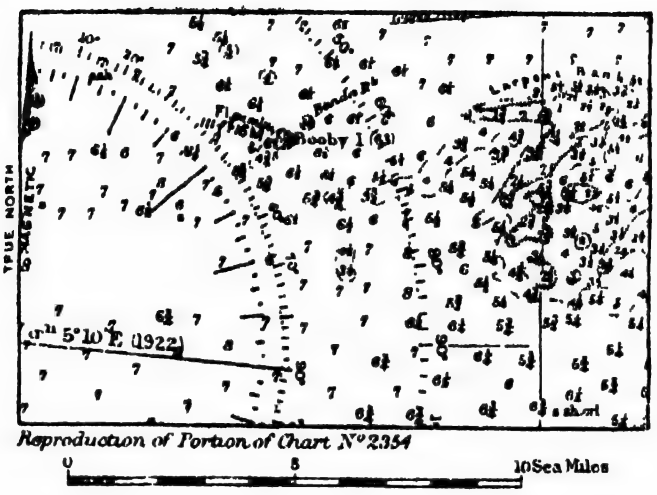


NEW GUINEA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—CHINA STRAIT.

East Iguari Island—Light established.

No. 428 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1816 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—On the 400 ft. (121m9) summit, at a distance of 9·6 cables 011° from the eastern point of Lessamanu (Brewer) island.
Lat. 10° 34′ S., long. 150° 44′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl. *ev. sec., vis. 10 m.*

Characteristics :

Character.—Flashing white every second.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Note.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 1088, China strait and approaches.
„ 2123, Orangerie bay to Bramble haven.
„ 2764, Coral sea and Great Barrier reefs—sheet 2.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2789*a*.
Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, page 115.

Authority.—H.M.A.S. *Brisbane*, Hyd. Note No. 4 of 1923. (*H. 7508-23.*)

BORNEO, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Baram Point—Discoloured Water reported westward of.

No. 429 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1817 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 80 miles westward of Baram point lighthouse.
Lat. 4° 41′ 00″ N., long. 112° 39′ 30″ E., on chart No. 2660*b*.

Details.—The above position is to be encircled on the charts by a danger line with the note "*Discoloured Water Repd. (1923).*"

Charts affected.—No. 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 2683, Pacific ocean.

Publications.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, pages 87, 88.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2489 of 1923. (*H. 7016-23.*)

CHINA SEA—SOUTHERN PORTION.

Thi-tu-Island—Shoal reported north-westward of.

No. 430 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1818 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 20 miles north-westward of Thi-tu island. Lat. 11° 11′ 00″ N., long. 113° 58′ 00″ E.

Note.—The above shoal, which is reported by German SS. *Munsterland*, is to be encircled on the charts by a danger line with the note "*Reported (1923).*"

Charts affected.—No. 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 2483, Atlantic and Indian oceans, &c.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 97.

Authority.—Berlin Notice No. 2794 of 1923. (*H. 6692-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Beira Harbour Approach—Buoy replaced by Light-Buoy.

No. 431 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1827 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—On the southern side of the western end of Portella channel. Lat. 19° 57′ 07″ S., long. 34° 52′ 25″ E., on chart No. 1003.

Details.—No. 3 black spar buoy with topmark has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *fixed red* light.

Note.—The notation "(*P. A.*)" is to be inserted against this light-buoy on chart No. 1003. The former No. 3 spar buoy was not shown on some copies of the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 1003, Beira harbour.
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 225.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 47 of 1923. (*H. 7556-23.*)

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG APPROACH.

Shaweishan Island—Less water reported southward of.

No. 432 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1828 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Shaweishan island, lat. 31° 25′ N., long. 122° 14′ E (*approx.*).

Details.—The note "*Considerably less water Rep*^{d} *(1923.)*" is to be inserted on the charts at a distance of about 1½ miles southward of the above island. Pending further Notice vessels are warned not to approach within 2 miles of Shaweishan island lighthouse.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.
„ 1199, Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 381.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 679 of 24th September 1923. (*H. 7681-23.*)

TASMANIA—NORTH COAST—Stanley.

Hyfield Point—Intended New Light (U.)

No. 433 (first publication).—

Subject.—A Group Flashing White Light (U) will be established on Hyfield Point on or about 16th February 1924.

Position.—On the summit of Hyfield Point (134′), 1·6 cables distant, bearing 201° from Circular Head Light.

Lat. 40° 44′ S., long. 145° 17′ E. on Chart No. 3687.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing White* Light showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *nine* seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	6 sec.

Elevation.—150 feet.

Visibility.—18 miles.

Power.—3,000 candles.

Structure.—Square concrete house with white lantern 22 feet in height.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. The fixed light on Circular Head will be continued as heretofore.

Note.—Further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Rocky Head.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695b, Bass Strait, sheet No. 2.
„ 2759b, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot Vol. II, 1918, page 286.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 25 of 1923.

AUSTRALIA—SOUTH COAST—Spencer Gulf.

South Light, Eastern Shoal—Intended New Light. Buoy to be withdrawn.

No. 484 (first publication).—

Subject.—A Group Flashing White Light (U) will be established on the south end of Eastern Shoal, and the Red and White striped buoy will be removed on or about 1st March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 33° 10½′ S., long. 137° 43¼′ E. on Chart No. 403.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing White* Light showing *four* flashes in quick succession every *twelve* seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	7½ secs.

Elevation.—18 feet.

Visibility.—9 miles.

Power.—300 candles.

Structure.—Lantern, painted white, carried on pile structure 20 feet high.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 403, Wood Point to Lowly Point.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1918, page 222.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 26 of 1923.

The 15th December 1923.

AUSTRALIA. SOUTH COAST—Spencer Gulf.

Tipara Reef Light—Light to be temporarily extinguished. Provisional lights to be established.

No. 408 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Group Flashing Light with white and red sectors on Tipara Reef will be temporarily extinguished during alterations to the structure, and two lights of low power having the undermentioned characteristics will be exhibited in its place, from about 7th January 1924 to 25th March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 34° 04′ S., Long. 137° 24′ E. on Chart No. 2389.

Details.—

(a) *West Provisional light*—To be exhibited from a lantern supported by a post 25 ft. high standing on the west side of the pile structure carrying the present lighthouse.

Character—*Group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes in quick succession every *ten* seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	1½ sec.	8 secs.

Elevation.—60 feet.

Visibility.—13 miles from 319° (N. 46° W. Mag.) through north, east, and south to 242° (S. 57° W. Mag.) approx.

(*b*) *East Provisional Light*—To be exhibited from a lantern supported by a post 12 ft. high, standing on the east side of the pile structure carrying the present lighthouse.

Character.—*Fixed white* light.

Elevation.—45 feet.

Visibility.—10 miles from 242° (S. 57° W. Mag.) through west to 319° (N. 46° W. Mag.).

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 402, Tickera Point to Cape Elizabeth.

,, 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

,, 2689B, Australia, southern portion.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923, No. 2323.

Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1918, page 206.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 23 of 1923.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Tipara Reef Light—Alteration in elevation and visibility.

No. 409 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Group Flashing light with white and red sectors (U) on Tipara Reef will be re-established at reduced elevation on or about 25th March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 34° 04′ S., Long. 137° 24′ E. on Chart No. 2389.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing* with *white* and *red* sectors, showing *two* flashes in quick succession every *ten* seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	8 secs.

Sectors.—*White* from 341° (N. 24° W. Mag.) through north to 219° (S. 34° W. Mag.); *red* thence to 242° (S. 57° W. Mag.); *white* thence to 319° (N. 46° W. Mag.); *red* thence to 341° (N. 24° W. Mag.).

Elevation.—68 feet.

Visibility.—*White* light, 14 miles. *Red* light, 8 miles.

Power.—*White* light, 5,000 candles. *Red* light 2,000 candles.

Structure—White lantern on red cylinder house carried on piles 72 feet in height.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 402, Tickera Point to Cape Elizabeth.

,, 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

,, 2689B, Australia, southern portion.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI. 1923, No. 2323.

Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1918, page 206.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 24 of 1923.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—TANGANYIKA TERRITORY.

Tanga Harbour and Approach—New Traffic Regulations.

No. 410 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1737 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Ras Kasone signal beacon, lat. 5° 04′ S., long. 39° 08′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The following new traffic regulations, which have been brought into force for vessels approaching or leaving Tanga, are to be substituted for those given in the Supplement to the Sailing Directions.

1.—(*a*) No steamer shall enter, leave, or get under way within the limits of the inner harbour of the Port of Tanga unless the signal station at Ras Kasone indicates that the channel is clear for her to do so as prescribed in the schedule of signals hereto.

(*b*) For the purposes of these rules the inner harbour shall include all waters within the Port of Tanga to the west of an imaginary line between Ras Kasone and Ulenge lighthouse.

2. Subject to the discretion of the Port Officer outgoing steamers shall have a right of way over ingoing steamers.

3. Steamers wishing to leave harbour shall hoist international code flag H and shall not get under way until two black balls (signal No. 4 in the schedule) have been hoisted on the Southern yard-arm of the signal station.

4. Steamers entering harbour shall not enter the inner harbour until the black ball on the Northern yard-arm (signal No. 3 in Schedule) has been half masted.

5. When more than one steamer wishes to leave harbour at the same time, the steamer which is berthed to the eastward of the other shall get under way first.

6. When more than one steamer wishes to enter harbour, the steamer which has arrived off the inner harbour first shall take priority.

7. Harbour craft, small sailing craft, native craft and rowing boats shall keep clear fo rsteamers over 300 tons gross under way within the limits of Tanga inner harbour.

SCHEDULE OF SIGNALS.

Signal.	*Signification.*
1. Square flag at Southern yard-arm	Steamer sighted approaching port.
2. One black ball at Northern yard-arm	Steamer or steamers in Ship channel approaching port.
3. One black ball half mast at Northern yard-arm ...	Permission to approaching steamer to enter inner harbour. Steamers in harbour may not get under way.
4. Two black balls at Southern yard-arm	Permission to steamers to leave harbour. Approaching steamers may not enter inner harbour.

Publications.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 449; Supplement No. 6, 1922.

Authority.—Governor, Tanganyika Territory. (*H. 7158-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST.

Torres Strait—Shoals to be expunged from Charts.

No. 411 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1738 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Booby island, lat. 10° 36′ S., long. 141° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Positions by distance and bearing from Booby island lighthouse.	Depths.
(*a*) 8·8 miles 123° ...	... 5 fathoms (9m1).
(*b*) 6·0 „ 139° ...	... 5 „ (9m1).
(*c*) 2·7 „ 151° ...	... 4½ „ (8m2).
(*d*) 3·1 „ 154° ...	... 3½ „ (5m9).
(*e*) 2·2 „ 329° ...	... 5 „ (9m1).
(*f*) 1·4 „ 343° ...	... 4 „ (7m3).

Details.—The above shoals do not exist and are to be expunged from the charts accordingly.

On chart No. 447 a depth of 5½ fathoms (9m6) is to be inserted in lat. 10° 34′ 30″ S., long. 141° 52′ 30″ E.

Charts affected.—No. 437, Albany pass to Booby island.

„ 2375, Torres strait—western channels. (*b*) (*c*) (*d*) (*e*) (*f*).

„ 2354, Cape Grenville to Booby island. (*c*) (*d*) (*e*) (*f*).

„ 447, Western approaches to Torres strait. (*b*) (*d*) (*e*) (*f*).

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 234.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 6912-23.*)

BORNEO, NORTH COAST.

(1) Banguey South Channel—Buoy withdrawn ; Beacon established.

(2) Mallawalle Channel—Beacon established.

No. 412 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 1739 of 1923), are republished :—

(1) Banguey South Channel.

(*a*) Buoy withdrawn :

Position.—Formerly marking the north-western side of Outer shoal.

Lat. 7° 02′ N., long. 117° 00′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A buoy painted in red and white veritical stripes.

(*b*) Beacon established :

Position.—On the north-eastern side of Outer shoal.

Lat. 7° 02′ 16″ N., long. 117° 00′ 38″ E. (*approx.*), on chart No. 3728.

Description.—A tripod beacon, with globe topmark painted black and white.

Note.—The notation "(*P.A.*)" is to be inserted against this beacon on the charts.

(2) Mallawalle Channel.

Position.—On the north-eastern edge of Passage reef.

Lat. 6° 59′ 27″ N., long. 117° 16′ 54″ E., on chart No. 1650.

Description.—A tripod beacon, with globe topmark painted black and white.

Charts affected.—No. 3728, Marudu bay. (1).

„ 1650, Mallawalle island to Lankayan. (2).

„ 948, Balabac strait.

„ 287, Gaya bay to Sandakan harbour.

„ 967, Palawan island.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 137.

Authority.—Commissioner of Customs and Excise, Sandakan. (*H. 5353-23.*)

AFRICA, EAST COAST—TANGANYIKA TERRITORY.

Ras Kanzi Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 413 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1750 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 7° 01′ S., long. 39° 33′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 10 sec., 62 ft., vis. 13 m.*

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every ten seconds*, thus :—Flash 2 sec., eclipse 8 sec.

Remarks.—The visibility of the light is now 13 miles; the power is 2,500 candles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 662, Kilwa point to Zanzibar channel.

„ 669, Cape Delgado to Port Mombasa.

„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 100.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 367.

Authority.—Acting Chief Secretary, Dar-es-Salaam. (*H. 7189-23.*)

JAPAN—INLAND SEA.

Yashiro Jima—Shoal southward of.

No. 414 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1751 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Southward of Kodomari, at a distance of 3·75 cables 033° from the summit of Sasa shima.

Lat. 33° 54′ N., long. 132° 24′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—4¼ fathoms (7m8), sand.

Charts affected.—No. 3154, Ominase to Gogo shima.
„ 3469, Hiroshima wan.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 397.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 284 of 1923. (*H. 4903-23.*)

SUMATRA, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Deli River Entrance—Light-Buoys established.

No. 415 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1752 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Close westward of outer leading line, at a distance of about 5¼ miles north-eastward of Belawan water tower.

Lat. 3° 52′ 18″ N., long. 98° 43′ 18″ E. (*approx.*) on plan quoted below.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted white, exhibiting an *occulting white* light *every six seconds*, thus :—Light 3 sec., eclipse 3 sec.

(*b*) *Position.*—Abreast of (*a*) and close eastward of the outer leading line.
Lat. 3° 52′ 18″ N., long. 98° 43′ 25″ E. (*approx.*) on plan quoted below.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

Note.—The notation "(*P.A.*)" is to be inserted against each of the above light-buoys on the plan quoted below.

Chart affected.—No. 1353, Diamond point to Pulo Berhala, with plan.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 99.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2490 of 1923. (*H. 7017-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—CLEARANCE STRAIT.

Howard Channel—Amended Positions of Light-Buoys.

No. 416 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1753 of 1923) are republished :—

(*a*) Light-buoy No. 2 :

Position.—At a distance of about 3¼ cables southward of former position.
Lat. 11° 59′ 42″ S., long. 131° 18′ 48″ E.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *group flashing red* light.

(*b*) Light-buoy No. 4 :

Position.—At a distance of about one cable southward of former position.
Lat. 12° 05′ 12″ S., long. 131° 05′ 36″ E.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted red, exhibiting a *flashing white* light.

(*c*) Light-buoy No. 5 :

Position.—At a distance of about 3½ cables southward of former position.
Lat. 12° 05′ 18″ S., long. 131° 00′ 56″ E.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *group flashing red* light.

Remarks.—The positions given above refer to chart No. 1095 The former positions of these light-buoys differed on some copies of the chart.

Note.—The words "*See Cautionary Note,*" with reference to the caution respecting buoys given below the title of the chart, is to be inserted south-westward of Marsh shoal at the western end of Howard channel.

Chart affected.—No. 1095, Clarence strait.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1923, pages 91, 92.

Authority.—H.M.A.S. *Melbourne* Hyd. Note No. 3 of 1923. (*H. 6887-23.*)

STRAIT OF MALACCA—MALAY PENINSULA.

North Klang Strait—Light-Buoy established.

No. 417 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1770 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—On the western side of channel, north-eastward of Tanjong Bakau. Lat. 3° 04′ 10″ N., long. 101° 20′ 20″ E., on chart No. 3453.

Description.—A conical light-buoy, painted white, exhibiting a *flashing white* light *every ten seconds.*

Remarks.—The flashing white light, shown on Tanjong Bakau on certain copies of chart No. 1355, is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 3453, Klang strait and approaches.

,, 794, Pulo Berhala to Cape Rachado.

,, 1355, Malacca strait.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 210.

Authority.—The Harbour Master, Selangor. (*H. 7474-23.*)

JAVA—NORTH COAST.

Pemalang Point—Extension of Bank.

No. 418 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1771 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Pemalang point, lat. 6° 48′ S., long. 109° 29′ E. (*approx.*).

Caution.—The shore bank at this point is reported to be extending further to seaward as stated in the following note which is to be inserted on the chart :

"*Shoal water reported to extend one mile further North than charted* (*1923*)."

Chart affected.—No. 1653, Island of Java, western portion.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 114.

Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1923 (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2424 of 1923. (*H. 6896-23.*)

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN—

RANGOON RIVER APPROACHES.

Elephant Point—Mooring Buoys laid.

No. 419 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 86M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about ·50 cable, 000° from Elephant Point leading lights.

Lat. 16° 28¼′ N.
Long. 96° 19¼′ E. } approx.

Details.—Two mooring buoys (second class) have been laid in the above position for the use of Launches and small craft engaged on the special Survey.

These buoys are laid 160 feet apart from each other.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 833, Rangoon River and Approaches.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 458.

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, dated 5th November 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST—MALABAR COAST, GOA.

Marmagao Rock—Buoy re-established.

No. 420 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 88M. of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice.—Admiralty No. 937 of 1923. (*This Office No. 247 of 1923.*)

Position.—At a distance of 4·0 cables 305½° from Marmagao breakwater light occulting.

Lat. 15° 25′ N.
Long. 73° 47′ E. } approx.

Description.—A black can buoy, marking the Marmagao Rock.

Charts affected.—No. 492, Aguada to St, George Islands.

„ 740, Achra River to Cape Ramas.

Publications.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1919, page 177.
Indian List of Lights in press.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, H. M. S. "Southampton". Hydrographic Note No. 1, dated 12th November 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN—
RANGOON RIVER APPROACHES.

Fairway Light-buoy—Floating Marks laid eastward of.

No. 421 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 89M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 16° 17′ N.
Long. 96° 17′ E. } approx.

Details.—It is hereby notified that several floating marks surmounted by flags in connection with the Outer Bar surveying operations will be moored to the eastward of the Fairway Light-buoy at intervals during the next two or three months.

Remarks.—No notice should be taken of these as they are not in any way connected with the navigation of the Port.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 833, Rangoon River and Approaches.

„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, dated 10th November 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN—RANGOON RIVER APPROACHES.

Fairway Light-buoy—Correction to the character of light.

No. 422 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 90M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 16° 17′ N.
Long. 96° 16′ E. } approx.

Details.—The Fairway light-buoy is now exhibiting a *flashing* white light and not the occulting white light as given in the Admiralty Publications.

The period between the flashes being 6½ seconds.

Charts affected.—No. 833, Rangoon river and Approaches.
„ 823, Koronge island to White points.
Publications.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 460. Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.
Authority.—The Commanding Officer, R. I. M. S. "Clive", dated 13th October 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

Rangoon River—Information with regard to Buoys.

(1) Chokey Lumps Lower Buoy—Replaced by an "Aga" Light-buoy.

(2) Liffey island—Buoy established southward of.

No. 423 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 91M. of 1923), are republished :—

(1) Chokey Lumps Lower buoy.

Position.—At a distance of about 4·0 cables, north-westward of D'Silva North point in the position of red conical buoy which it replaces.
Lat. 16° 40′ N.
Long. 96° 14′ E. } approx.
Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. ev. 3 sec., vis. 8m.
Description.—An Aga light-buoy, painted red with the letters L. C. in white, and exhibiting a flashing white light every 3 seconds, visible about 8 miles.

(2) Liffey Id.

Position.—At a distance of about 3¼ cables westward of I. B. P. works or (Middle point lower) Jetty, in 12 feet of water at L. W. O. S.

Lat. 16° 42½′ N.
Long. 96° 13½′ E. } approx.

Description.—A can buoy painted black with letters L. S. This buoy will be known as the "Liffey Sand Buoy".

Chart affected.—No. 833, Rangoon river and Approaches.

Publications.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, pages 462 and 463.

Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, dated 10th November 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL—COROMANDEL COAST.

Porto Novo—Existence of a shoal water patch southward of.

No. 424 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above; issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 92M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 11° 21′ N.
Long. 79° 50½′ E.

Details.—SS. "Tara" reports that owing to the new Outlet of the Coleroon river about 2 miles southward of the charted position a shoal water patch has existed approximately in the above position.

This patch lies about one mile eastward of the shore and extends about 1½ miles northward from its southern position.

Charts affected.—No. 71, Madras to Colimere point.
„ 828, Cape Comorin to Cocanada.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 213.

Authority.—Presidency Port Officer, Madras, dated 13th November 1923.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

The 8th December 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Chittagong (Karnafuli) river—Alterations of buoys and leading marks.

No. 397-I. (third publication).—

Subject.—Alterations of buoys and leading marks made over Outer and Inner Bars—

(1) Track over Outer Bar is marked by Channel buoys. White disc in line with black diamond should be disregarded.
(2) Lower red buoy of Outer Bar has been moved 327° 35′ (N. 33° W. Mag.) to a distance of 300 feet.
(3) Lower black buoy of Outer Bar has been moved 325° (N. 35° 35′ W. Mag.) to a distance of 250 feet.
(4) Upper red buoy of Inner Par has been moved 242° 50′ (S. 62° 15′ W. Mag.) to a distance of 1,600 feet.
(5) Batten beacon (white) has been moved 1° 35′ (N. 1° E. Mag.) to a distance of 99 feet.
Batten beacon in line with Coomb's Pillar 56° 20′ (N. 55° 45′ E. Mag.) leads over Inner Bar.

Track No. II—Inner Bar—(Batten beacon and Coomb's Pillar) 10′ 3″.

Variation.—0° 35′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 84, Chittagong (Karnafuli) river.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 321.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice dated 30th November 1923.

INDIA—WEST COAST.

Beit Harbour Approaches—Caution with regard to Surveying Operations.

No. 398 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 82M. of 1923), are republished :—

Subject.—The R. I. M. Surveying Ship "Palinurus" will shortly be engaged in surveying operations in the undermentioned area until further notice :—

Beacon-buoys for sounding marks to the north and north-west of Beit, will be laid in line east and west in Latitude 22° 25′ 30″N. (approximately) and between Longitudes 68° 45′ E. and 69 12′ E. The buoys will be laid about 2 miles apart from each other.

Caution.—Mariners are cautioned accordingly when navigating this locality.

Note.—Further Notice will be given when the beacon-buoys have been removed, after completion of the survey.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 47, Beit Harbour.
„ 43, Gulf of Kutch.
„ 39, Sind and Kutch Coasts.
„ 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug.
„ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.

Authority.—Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, dated 12th November 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

Western Channel, "Aga" Light-buoy—Information with regard to character and period of light.

No. 399 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 83M. of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 75-M of 1923. (*This Office No. 359 of 1923.*)

Position.—Lat. 16° 21′ N.
Long. 96° 17½′E. } approx.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. ev. 6 sec., vis. 8m.

Details.—Further information has been received that the centre western "Aga" Light-buoy is exhibiting a *flashing* white light every 6 seconds thus; flash 5 seconds; eclipse 1 second.

Remarks.—Other particulars are the same as notified in the former notice quoted above.

Chart affected.—No. 833, Rangoon river and approach.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 466. Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, dated 5th November 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Bombay Harbour—Caution with regard to Dredging Operations.

No. 400 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 84M. of 1923), are republished:—

Details.—On the 14th November 1923, Dredging Operations will commence between the position of 4¼ cables 222° from Oyster Rock and the Eastern shore of Colaba

A pipe line will extend between this position and the shore.

Caution.—Vessels of all sorts are hereby warned that the passage between Oyster Rock and the Shore is closed to all navigation.

Note.—The pipe line during the night will be lit by white lights.

Charts affected.—No. 655, Port of Bombay.

„ 2621, Bombay Harbour.

„ 737, Arnala Island to Kundari Island.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1919, page 223

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, Notice, dated the 12th November 1923.

SOUTH AFRICA—Cape of Good Hope, Algoa Bay.

Port Elizabeth—Alteration in Visibility of light; Information re leading lights.

No. 401 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1694 of 1923), are republished:—

Position.—Close to Lady Donkin's monument ▲.

Lat. 33° 58′ S., long. 25° 37′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 10 sec., Red & White, 225 ft., vis. 12 m.*

Alteration.—The visibility of the *flashing* light with *red* and *white* sectors is now 12 miles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

Remarks.—The anchorage leading lights at Humewood are only visible with full brilliancy over an arc of 006° on each side of the leading line.

Charts affected.—No. 641, Port Elizabeth, with inset.

„ 642, Algoa bay.

„ 2095, Hondeklip bay to Port Natal.

„ 2085, Cape St. Francis to Waterloo bay.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 25, 26, 27.

Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 120; Supplement No. 6, 1922.

Authority.—General-Manager, South African Railways and Harbours. (*H. 4260-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—DELAGOA BAY.

(*1*) *Lourenco Marques—Alterations in Characteristics of leading lights.*

(*2*) *South (Cockburn) Channel—Amended Position of Buoy.*

No. 402 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1695 of 1923), are republished :—

(1) Lourenco Marques.

Former Notice.—No. 1438 of 1923. (*This Office No. 361 of 1923.*)

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—On the south-western side of entrance to Espirito Santo river.

Lat. 25° 59′ S., long. 32° 35′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. sec., vis. 11 m.*

Alteration.—The colour of the *flashing* light *every second* has been altered from red to *white.*

Visibility.—11 miles.

Remarks.—In other respects the light is unaltered.

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—At a distance of about one mile south-westward of front light (*a*).

New abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl. *ev 5 sec., 79 ft., vis. 14 m.*

Alteration.—The flashing white light every four seconds has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—Flashing white every five seconds, thus :—

Flash 1·7 sec., eclipse 3·3 sec.

Elevation.—79 feet (24m1)

Visibility.—14 miles.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

(2) South (Cockburn) Channel.

Amended position.—At a distance of about 1½ cables south-eastward of charted position and 1·45 miles 129° from Cockburn shoal light-beacon.

Lat. 25° 54′ S., long. 32° 35′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A black buoy, with topmark.

Charts affected.—No. 646, Lourenco Marques. (1).
„ 644, Delagoa bay.
„ 2089, Tugela river to Delagoa bay. (1).
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi. (1).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 63, 64.

Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 191, 197 ; Supplement No. 6, 1922.

Authority.—The Commander-in-Chief, Africa Station, and Lisbon Notices, Nos. 34 and 36 of 1923. (*H. 6821-23.*)

JAPAN—INLAND SEA, SUWO NADA.

Tokuyama Bay—Amendments to Charts re Depths and Wharves ; light extinguished.

No. 403 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1704 of 1923), are republished :—

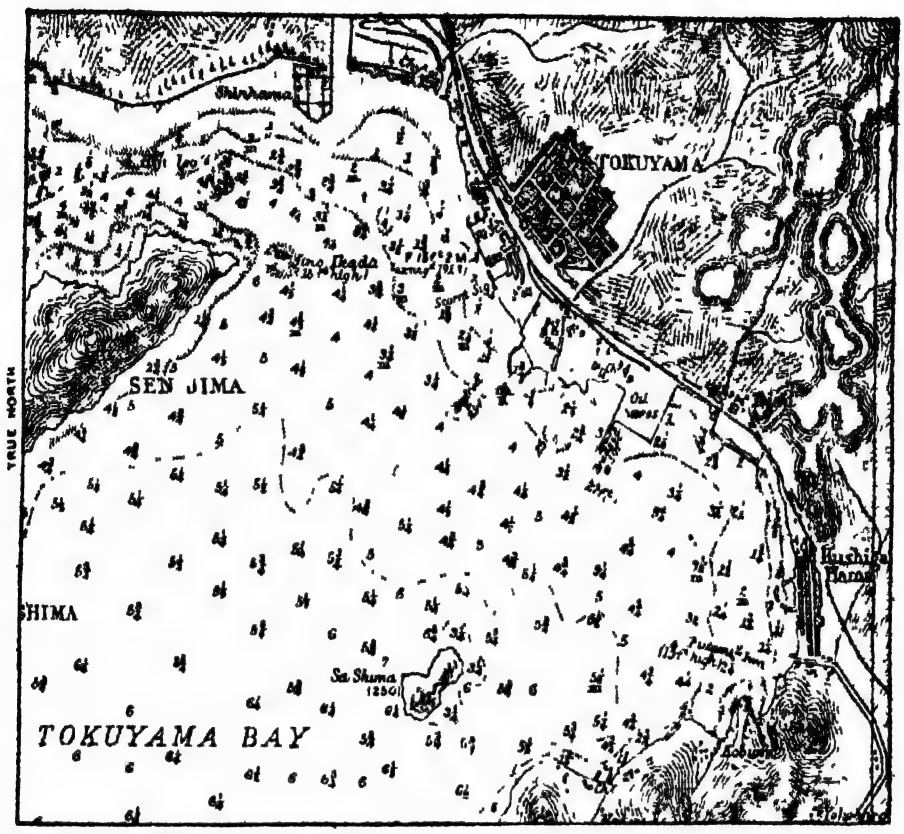
Position.—Tokuyama, lat. 34° 03′ N., long. 131° 48′ E. (*approx.*).

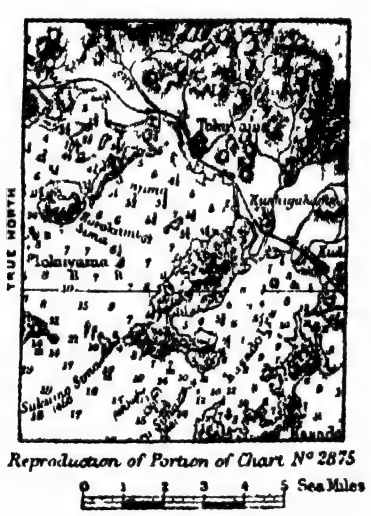
Details.—The accompanying reproduction of portions of charts, Nos. 3153 and 2875 shows amendments to the charts with regard to depths and wharves at the head of Tokuyama bay. The fixed white light at Tokuyama is at present extinguished, as indicated on the reproduction.

Charts affected.—No. 3153, Maruyama zaki to Ominase.
„ 2875, Naikai or inland sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI., 1923, No. 1931.
Japan Pilot, 1914, pages 406, 407.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 355 of 1923. (*H. 5556-23.*)





NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN—CAROLINE ISLANDS.

Decapolis and Blacklock Shoals, Paz Bank—Non-existence of.

No. 404 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1706 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—(*a*) Decapolis shoal, lat 8° 26′ N., long. 150° 20′ E. (*approx.*).
(*b*) Blacklock shoal, „ 7° 35′ N., „ 149° 36′ E. „
(*c*) Paz bank, „ 6° 40′ N., „ 149° 40′ E. „

Details.—The above shoals and bank, of which (*a*) and (*b*) were marked "(P.D.)" and (*c*) was marked "(E.D.)," on the charts, do not exist and are to be expunged accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 980, Caroline islands.
" 781, Pacific ocean—north-west sheet.
" 2483, Atlantic and Indian oceans, &c. (*c*).
" 2683, Pacific ocean. (*c*).
" 2937, Oceanic soundings, Indian and Western Pacific oceans. (*c*).

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, pages 617, 618, 620.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 42 of 1923 and Japanese Government Charts. (*H. 2151-23.*)

CHINA—Gulf of Pe-Chili.

Pei-Ho (Peking River) Entrance—Alteration in Tidal Signals.

No. 405 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1710 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Site of North fort, lat. 39° 00′ N., long. 117° 42′ E. (*approx.*).

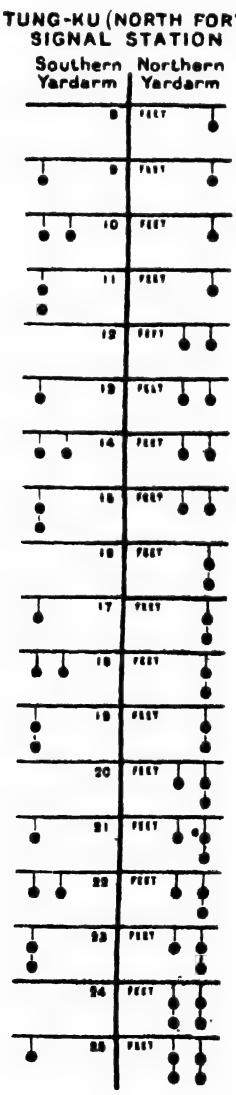
The tidal signals for Taku bar have been altered, owing to increased depth, and are now as shown in the accompanying table. The signals consist of balls by day and *white* lights at night.

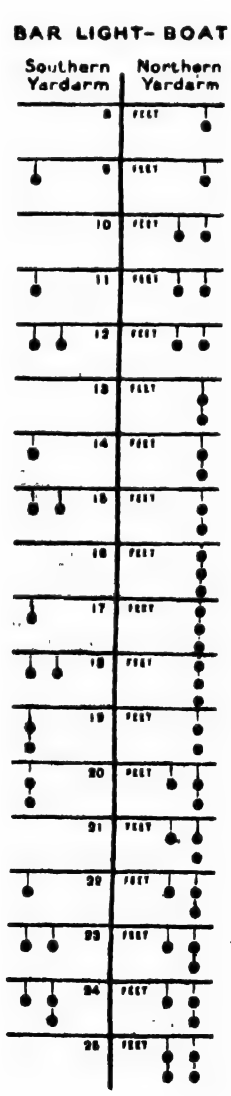
The existing tidal signal table and note shown on the chart is to be expunged.

Chart affected.—No. 2653, Pei-ho or Peking river.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, pages 496, 497 ; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 778, dated 24th July 1923. (*H. 5964-23.*)





JAPAN—HONSHU, SOUTH COAST.

Kaneda Wan—Obstruction.

No. 406 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1723 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Ashika jima, lat. 35° 13′ N., long. 139° 44′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—An obstruction has been laid within an area defined as follows :—

Limits :

(1) *On the North-East.*—By a line drawn from a position 6 cables 211° from Ashika jima light-beacon in a 297° direction to the shore near Senda saki.

(2) *On the West.*—By a line drawn from a position 2·36 miles 222° from Ashika jima light-beacon in a 354° direction to the shore.

(3) *On the South-East.*—By a line joining the outer extremities of limits (1) and (2).

Two red can buoys have been established within this area ; the buoys are situated in the undermentioned positions :—

(*a*) 9·3 cables 225° from Ashika jima light-beacon.

(*b*) 2·0 miles 225° from Ashika jima light-beacon.

Note.—The above area is to be indicated in pecked lines on the charts and marked "*Obstruction (1923).*"

Charts affected.—No. 3548, Tsurugi zaki to Yokohama.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai saki to Tsurugi saki.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 194.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 532 of 1923. (*H. 0845-23.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—HUGHLI RIVER APPROACH.

Sandheads—Alteration in position of light-vessels ; Light-buoy established.

No. 407-I (third publication).—

Subject.—On the 1st February 1924, the following alterations in the positions of light-vessels and the establishment of a light-buoy will be effected :—

(1) Eastern Channel light-vessel.

New position.—At a distance of 5¼ miles 028° from her charted position in 13½ fathoms reduced.

Lat. 20° 57′ 41″ N., long. 88° 14′ 40″ E.

Remarks.—The Eastern Channel Station buoy will be moved to the position 1 mile, 000° from the new position of the light-vessel.

(2) Lower Gaspar light-vessel.

New position.—At a distance of 0·9 mile, 154° from her charted position in 4½ fathoms reduced.

Lat. 21° 24′ 09″ N., long. 88° 09′ 38″ E.

Remarks.—The Lower Gaspar Station buoy will be removed and a gas buoy, to be known as the Lower Western Gaspar buoy, will be laid in the following position in 25 feet reduced.

Position.—Lat. 21° 27′ 08″ N., long. 88° 06′ 03″ E.

Description.—The light-buoy will exhibit a flashing white light every 6½ seconds, thus :—

Light.	Eclipse.
½ sec.	6 sec.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.
„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.
„ 814, The Sandheads—False Point to Matla river.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 606 and 610.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, pages 289, 297.

Authority.—Deputy Conservator for the Port of Calcutta, Notice No. 345 of 1923.

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Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banerji, Kt.

No. 4814M.—The 27th December 1923.—The following paper is published for general information.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

REPORT OF THE CALCUTTA HOUSING AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE (1923).

PREFACE.

This Committee was constituted in resolution No. 1232 M., dated the 12th April 1923, of the Government of Bengal, Local Self-Government Department, with the following members :—

(1) Mr. C. F. Beadel, C.I.E.—*President.*

(2) The Chairman of the Calcutta Improvement Trust.

(3) The Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation.

(4) The Chairman of the Port Commissioners.

(5) Rai Ram Taran Banerjee Bahadur.

(6) The Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway.

(7) Raja Reshee Case Law, C.I.E., M.L.C.

(8) Mr. W. J. Traise.

(9) Mr. F. E. Winmill.

(10) Mr. J. Campbell-Forrester, M.L.C.

(11) Rai M. L. Ganguli Bahadur, Assessor to the Corporation.

(12) The Chairman of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality.

(13) The Chairman of the Garden Reach Municipality.

(14) Rai Saheb Ramdeo Chokani.

(15) Mr. A. de Bois Shrosbree.

(16) Mr. Mahboob Ali, M.L.C.

(17) Mr. J. H. de C Ballardie.

(18) Babu U. N. Kar.

(19) Mr. D. J. Cohen, M.L.C.

(20) Mr. C. W. Gurner, I.C.S., District Magistrate of Howrah—*Member and Secretary.*

The name of Mr. U. Dowla, Vice-Chairman, Garden Reach Municipality, was subsequently substituted for the Chairman of the Garden Reach Municipality, who had resigned shortly before the resolution was issued. Mr. Charu Sinha, Chairman of the Howrah Municipality, was subsequently appointed to the Committee by the Minister, as Howrah is intimately concerned with the problem. Mr. C. F. Beadel, C.I.E., resigned the office of President in August, as he was about to leave India and Mr. T. Emerson, C.I.E., Chairman of the Calcutta Improvement Trust, was appointed President in his place. Colonel G. R. Hearn, D.S.O., officiating Agent of the Eastern Bengal Railway, also resigned in August, as he was proceeding on leave.

The Committee are especially indebted to Mr. A. de Bois Shrosbree for technical advice on questions of land and building, and to Mr. A. H. Johnstone, Chief Engineer to the East Indian Railway, for elaborating proposals for an overhead railway. We are also indebted to Colonel G. R. Hearn for advice on railway matters. We have further to express our acknowledgments to Mr. S. N. Mallik, Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation, for facilities given for the holding of meetings at the Municipal Office.

The members of the Committee desire also to express their thanks to Mr. C. F. Beadel and Mr T. Emerson for their guidance of the Committee's deliberations from the Chair, and to Mr. C. W. Gurner for the very efficient manner in which he did the work of secretary

REPORT OF THE CALCUTTA HOUSING AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE, 1923.

CHAPTER I.

The Calcutta Housing Problem in recent years.

1. **Terms of Reference.**—The terms of reference to this Committee as given in paragraph 5 of the Government of Bengal, Local Self-Government Department's resolution No. 1332 M., dated the 12th April 1923, are:—

(1) to examine the conditions which operate to produce a permanent lack of equilibrium between supply and demand in respect of housing accommodation in Calcutta; and

(2) generally to suggest what measures appear likely to offer some practicable solution, in spite of financial stringency, of the housing problem, and to enable improvement to be made in the communications between Calcutta and the suburbs;

and in the paragraphs of the resolution mentioned above, which precede this statement of our task, there is given a brief summary of the main facts which have preceded the appointment of our Committee. These include a reference to the Committee of 1919-20, which enquired into "land values and rents in Calcutta" and to the Calcutta Communications Committee of the same year. We think it necessary to refer briefly to the deliberation of these two previous Committees which dealt with the two main aspects of our problem, because we consider it impossible otherwise to understand clearly the peculiar difficulties and limitations which we have to encounter.

2. **Housing Committee of 1920.**—The former Committee, which sat during the cold weather of 1919-20, had to deal with the following terms of reference:—

(1) to enquire into the unprecedented rise in land values and house rents which had recently occurred in Calcutta;

(2) to investigate the cause;

(3) to define its extent and degree;

(4) to examine the charges of profiteering against landlords;

(5) to suggest remedies if they considered it practicable to control or limit the rise in rents;

and their report, stated in general terms, was to the effect:—

(1) that the Committee had been able to obtain comparatively little help by way of direct evidence;

(2) that the rise in values and rents must be considered to be, at least in part, permanent, due to the readjustment in values consequent on the war;

(3) that the greater rise was post-war in date;

(4) that the only real remedy would be found in the immediate provision of additional house accommodation, which necessitated the provision of new building sites forthwith;

(5) that some temporary measure to deal with cases of hardship was desirable, and the Committee proposed the creation of an authority with power to extend the period of a notice to quit up to one year.

3. **Rent Act.**—It will be known to all, as regards the last-mentioned recommendation, that the Government of Bengal, not accepting the Committee's recommendation, finally decided to restrict rents by a special Act. This Act was to have force for a period of three years, but was extended for a further twelve months, which will expire at the end of March 1924.

4. **Communications Committee of 1920.**—Turning now to the second Committee, which dealt with the importance of means of transport to and from, and in Calcutta, and which was appointed by the Government of India to consider this problem, it may be stated in brief that its members placed on record their opinion that a direct connection between suburban stations and the business centre of the city was required to enable suburban passengers to reach their station without a change of vehicle and that the requirements of the case could be met satisfactorily only by the provision of an east and west tube railway from the Eastern Bengal to the East Indian Railway; that the electrification of the railway serving Calcutta should be considered; that the construction of the Bally Bridge, with provisions for both road and rail traffic, should be expedited, and that a number of other measures should be taken up, which, in the opinion of the Committee, were calculated to remove congestion and to facilitate rapid transportation.

5. **The economic factor less prominent in 1920.**—In regard to both Committees, it may be stated that the *economic factor*, though undoubtedly present in both cases, and particularly in the former, was to some extent kept in the background, while their members were formulating their facts and arriving at their conclusions. Nor is this difficult to explain. The general economic conditions of the province, and indeed of the world at large, were during the year 1919-20 abnormal and unstable. Here in India the long drawn-out continuance of war-time conditions, with its restricted production of many essential commodities, and the stringent scarcity of tonnage, had produced a marked shortage, almost approaching a famine, in respect of many articles of ordinary consumption; at the same time the unusual demand created by the war for many commodities and raw materials produced in India, had brought about the receipt of large sums of money which created a feeling of exceptional prosperity. These two main factors resulted in a burst of industrial activity, which, it is now easy to see, was doomed to be short-lived, but which at the time brought about an extraordinary demand for land, buildings, raw materials and staff, with the general result that the city of Calcutta was called upon to accommodate, both for industrial and residential purposes, a much larger population than would normally have been expected.

6. There was in this way essentially a temporary element in the problem before the Committee of 1919-20, in that the normal position was due to the post-war boom coincident with the post-war shortage of materials. At the time conditions appeared extraordinarily favourable, and the Committee dwelt less on the ability to pay for accommodation at the price asked than on the means of increasing it at the lowest cost feasible. The pressure on accommodation still remains, especially in the case of the middle classes, while the ability to pay has now become a far more prominent feature in the problem than it was three years ago.

7. As regards means of communication, the terms of reference were approached more as defining practical and engineering problems than from the point of view of finance. The Committee directed their attention to the different types of urban railways, the improvement of the tram service and the ferry service, the elimination of slow and unsuitable vehicular traffic and connected problems; but they worked on the tacit assumption that a city, expanding its industrial activities in many directions, whose inhabitants were daily asking for and often obtaining, higher scales of remuneration, would experience no difficulty in paying for the facilities which were demanded. In both cases the watchword was "development" as a remedy for existing evils and as a means of obviating a worse state of affairs in the future.

8. **Present Financial Position.**—Our problem, while more modest, is in our opinion even more difficult than those of these previous Committees. The economic situation is completely changed. Not only are we faced with the fact that the abnormal industrial activity has terminated, but we have to bear in mind that the conditions of trade all over the world are more restricted than they were before the war. And since the prosperity of a Government is necessarily bound up with that of the community governed, the economic position of the province of Bengal is such that there is little scope for expansion and development in the province. In introducing the budget of 1923-24, the Hon'ble Member in charge said : " After all we cannot look on this budget with any great satisfaction. It makes no provision for development and allows for no progress and it merely permits of the carrying on of the administration in its minimum essentials, and that too only by drawing to some extent on our balance."

9. Neither from Government nor from private enterprise can there be expected, for some time to come, the provision of funds for any important measure in the direction either of land development or means of transport; for retrenchment is the order of the day, and neither from public nor private sources, is there available capital for expenditure other than what is essentially necessary, or the return from which is assured.

10. **Gap between cost of housing and transport and ability to pay.**—It may be argued that this state of affairs brings with it the advantage that the demand for accommodation, and correspondingly for means of transport between the city and the residential districts, is substantially reduced and the problem before this Committee *pro tanto* diminished in importance. That there is something in this argument may be accepted; but, on the other hand, the large amount of unemployment which is unfortunately prevalent, has reduced the means of the community in a greater proportion, with the result that the economic pressure caused by the disparity between rents and incomes is probably greater than ever. Thus we come to the main dominating fact of the whole situation, viz., that the rents for the type of accommodation demanded by members of the different communities are out of all proportion to their ability to pay, as indicated, *e.g.*, by the percentage of one-tenth commonly accepted as reasonable. In such circumstances, the remedy which suggests itself is, of course, the provision of further accommodation, in order that the supply should overtake the demand, and to prevent the forcing up of rents by undue competition for the accommodation available. But here, again, we come at once to the same main fact in another form, since we find that the cost of providing additional accommodation is such that a rental, which gives a normal return on the money expended, is far beyond the means of ordinary tenants. In whatever way we approach the problem, whether as concerned with existing accommodation or that to be provided under any manner of scheme, public or private, there is the same economic gap between cost and ability to pay, and our duty is to indicate ways and means of reducing this disparity. We have been able by much discussion and investigation of facts, to arrive at certain conclusions which we think can best be enunciated in the same order as we have adopted for the main issues, which appear to us to arise from our terms of reference.

11. **Main issues.**—These main issues may be stated as follows :—

(*a*) To determine for the different classes of the community with whom we consider ourselves concerned, viz., the less prosperous European or Anglo-Indian, and the middle class Indian or *bhadralok*, the respective types of accommodation demanded by the members of their communities, and to consider what modification, if any, can suitably be made in these demands with a view to economy, and with regard to the rents payable.

(*b*) To consider the effect of land values and the Calcutta land system on the present housing situation, and possible measures for improvement.

(*c*) To consider what measures, whether legislative or administrative, can be taken by the local Government, without the direct acceptance of heavy financial burdens, which would facilitate the provision and cheapen the cost of suitable accommodation of the standard demanded.

(*d*) In conjunction with the provision of additional accommodation, to consider where such accommodation could most cheaply be provided at a distance from the centre of the city—the cheapest and most effective means of tansport between house and place of occupation.

CHAPTER II.

Types of accommodation and suggested modifications.

12. **Classes of accommodation defined.**—After careful consideration, we are generally agreed that in respect of large Indian houses, single houses in groups, and what may be called first-class flats (which we have interpreted to mean those with a rental of more than Rs. 300 per mensem), conditions have so far changed since the year 1920, that the supply is now comparable with the demand, though in respect of such first-class flats, the prices asked and paid are abnormally high for the accommodation provided, as compared with other places and countries. But we feel that the occupants of these residences, though compelled to pay unusually heavy rentals, are in enjoyment of sufficiently large incomes to admit of their paying the rents asked, at all events without serious detriment to their health and efficiency, and we have therefore excluded them from consideration. As a result, we have confined our deliberations to the following classes of the population :—

Indians.

(1) The middle classes, housed as small families, often with sub-letting and with shops on the ground floor.

(2) Dwellers in bustees and tenanted lands with huts.

Europeans.

(1) Population living in flats with rents varying from Rs. 150 to Rs. 300.

(2) Anglo-Indian tenement houses, *i.e.*, houses let out in small suites of rooms.

The above classification is based on the actual conditions of living at present and in no way implies that these should be perpetuated.

13. **Families in single rooms.**—We cannot shut our eyes to the fact that there remain still lower strata of the population, in which whole families are crowded together in single rooms. These poverty-stricken conditions, with their disastrous effects on health and morale, offer one of the most distressing social problems in Calcutta. So far as the demand for better types of accommodation can be more amply met, the pressure which keep these classes down to their present conditions will be alleviated, and the family now crowded into one room will more easily find two rooms vacant at the rent now paid for one. No constructive policy for the housing of these particular classes can, however, be put forward without entering into the whole economic question of enabling them to find the means to live which lies beyond our scope.

14. **Present scale of building unnecessarily extravagant: Indian houses.**—For the four classes defined in paragraph 12 we have considered with some care the amount of accommodation now expected and whether these standards are susceptible to modification without detriment to the people concerned As the result of this consideration, we have come to the conclusion that the existing scale of buildings, both for the European and Indian communities, is unnecessarily extravagant, and we regard the recognition of this fact as a first and most important step towards the solution of our problem. As regards Indian housing, we are unanimously of opinion that in Calcutta the idea of building family houses, designed to provide for large joint families and to last for generations, must be given up, and that the community must recognise the economic reasons on account of which they would be well-advised to confine their building operations to minimum requirements. For example, the type of house which we would put forward as suitable for a small Indian family would be a four-roomed house with a light terraced or pucca tiled roof, a plinth 3 feet high, built with walls 10 inches in thickness, provided with a small single courtyard, and including a cook-room and the necessary outhouses. In the urban residential area such a house could be constructed on three cottahs of land and would also be suitable for a five cottah plot in the suburbs. The actual cost of building under the most economical conditions may, we think, be susceptible of reduction to Rs. 4,000 or Rs. 5,000.

15. **European houses.**—In respect of the housing of Europeans, the Committee also think that the present-day requirements might well be reconsidered. For example, they doubt whether under modern conditions, with electric fans always available, the lofty rooms and wide verandahs of the past need be perpetuated They would suggest that the minimum height of a room prescribed by the Municipal Building Rules, *i.e.*, practically 10½ feet, need not be ordinarily exceeded, at least for secondary rooms, provided ventilation is adequate, that rooms may be (and to an increasing extent are now being made) of smaller dimensions, and that verandah space can be curtailed. These changes may not be welcomed, but we regard them as an inevitable consequence of economic facts.

16. **Cost of building and rents.**—We consider that the radical feature of the housing problem, as regards the classes of the community mentioned above, is that it is economically impossible to provide for them the kind of accommodation which they at present demand at rents which, on the usual scale of earnings of these classes in Calcutta, they can be expected to pay. The fact that large public bodies, such as the Railways, Port Commissioners and certain large firms have, in fact, succeeded in housing certain classes of their employees at a moderate cost, does not disprove this general proposition, for the reason that housing in these cases has not been provided on commercial lines to secure a full direct return, though indirectly the expenditure may be economically justified. Generally speaking, and excluding on the one hand the operations of such bodies, and on the other the work of the petty owner builder who builds piece-meal, it may be said that, apart from the cost of land, the construction of a small Indian house costs Rs. 10,000, a middle class house Rs. 30,000 to Rs. 60,000 and a European house Rs. 35,000 to Rs. 80,000, involving rents, respectively, of Rs 70 upwards, Rs. 210 upwards, and Rs. 245 to Rs. 560, in order to secure a nett return of 7 per cent. *plus* cost of repairs and rates and taxes. And these figures are entirely exclusive of the cost of land, which, as will be seen later, is at least as important a factor. The average income of the wage-earners for whom houses of these types are built may be taken to be Rs. 80 to Rs. 150, Rs. 250 to Rs. 800 and Rs 1,000 upwards, respectively. The poorer class of *bhadralok*, on pay of and below Rs. 50, who do not live in family houses of their own, can hardly be brought into the scale at all, except in so far as they are crowded together in houses of the smallest types.

17. **No relief from decrease of building costs.**—It is by no means clear that apart from a reduction in the accommodation to be provided, any marked relief is to be looked for in the decrease of the cost of building, and such decrease as there may be must fall far short of doing away with the excessive

cost of housing which these figures suggest. The logic of our recommendation for every possible reduction in the standard of building is irresistible.

CHAPTER III.

Measures for the reduction of cost of land value and for security of building titles.

18. **Cost of land more important than cost of building.**—We are informed that the actual cost of brickwork is substantially lower in and all around Calcutta than for instance in the United Kingdom, and though it may be necessary to set off against this fact the higher price asked for steel work, timber and imported fittings, there is little room for doubt that, notwithstanding the above figures, the actual cost of building is not the main factor in the present situation. The main factor in our view is indubitably the high cost of land suitable for building purposes.

19. **Cost of land in Calcutta and in the West.**—It is beyond question both that land in Calcutta costs several times more in sterling than land similarly situated in a Western city; and that in spite of the excessive amount spent on building the cost of the site is often as much or more than the cost of construction. In the West the building often costs many times the price of the land. We may mention that the average cost of the land taken in housing schemes throughout England between the years 1919 and 1922 works out at less than Rs. 50 per cotta, that is *less than a tenth of Calcutta land values in the outer residential areas.*

20. The Committee have examined the reasons for the high cost of land and analyse them as follows:—

(*a*) The great demand for land ownership.

(*b*) Unwillingness to sell at less than a rate in the owner's mind. He prefers to wait until he "gets his price."

(*c*) Complete absence of any conception of loss of interest on capital invested in land.

(*d*) Satisfaction of the great body of landholders with a low rate of interest (on their idea of capital value) in the form of rent.

(*e*) The attractiveness of landholding as a form of investment for safety.

(*f*) The opportunity that landholding gives for gradual investment by way of building development. Building is almost a national recreation in Bengal.

(*g*) The desire to provide housing for descendants

(*h*) The tendency of the Indian family system to keep relatives in one locality and so produce inter-acting pressure.

(*i*) Factories and industries in town areas.

(*j*) Government buildings, estates and activities in the central areas which could be equally well carried on in the outer areas.

(*k*) Malaria on the outskirts.

(*l*) Lack of communications.

(*m*) Satisfaction with overcrowded houses and insanitary conditions.

(*n*) High cost of development of outer areas, particularly of sewage disposal.

(*o*) Feelings of the people in regard to sewage disposal by septic tanks, etc.

(*p*) Growth of population and attraction of towns to wage-earners.

21. **Application of Land Acquisition Act.**—We feel little doubt that if means can be found by which additional land in every way suitable for buildings can be provided promptly with certainty of title and at a reason-

able figure, and if this land can be brought within ready reach of the centre of the city, according to the standards and methods we suggest later on in our report, the most difficult part of our problem will have been partially met. In considering the remedies necessary, we are impressed with the unsatisfactory nature of existing conditions. Not only are the prices asked in private treaty in most cases higher even than present-day figures as determined by any available standard, but in the background there lurks the greater danger of dubious titles with its restricting influence on the number and extent of all transactions in land, while there are also special difficulties inherent in the law and customs of Bengal, such as joint-family ownership, widow's rights, *wakf* and *debattar* property. We have considered whether these difficulties might not be met to some extent at least by the establishment of a Land Court, which would at all events ensure a prompt and certain title; but we are advised that many difficulties would stand in the way of such an institution, and we are therefore compelled to turn to the Land Acquisition Act as offering the only possible means of affecting our project. In suggesting the use of this Act, which we would limit to cases of *bona fide* building schemes designed to secure suitable housing accommodation for considerable sections of a big population, we are only repeating a recommendation made by the Rents Committee of 1920, and we are aware that this proposal has received consideration from Government, with, up to the present, negative results. At the same time we see no other way out of the difficulty and would recommend that the question of amending the Act, if necessary, to make this purpose admissible, be taken up.

22. **Co-operative Building Societies.**—In recommending recourse to the Land Acquisition Act for purposes of housing we have assumed the existence of approved building societies which would not necessarily be of a co-operative nature. An objection, however, to the use of the Land Acquisition Act, which we believe has been felt in the past, is that a Building Society or Company, however well accredited, would, in the ordinary course, be operating for the profit of its shareholders as well as for the benefit of the public. We do not consider this a valid objection, for the same is the case with other public utility companies, such as the Tramways Company, on whose behalf the Land Acquisition Act has actually been employed. We have, however, been impressed by the possibilities of the co-operative principle in building, and have appended to our report a concrete scheme for a Building Society on co-operative lines adapted to local conditions, prepared by Mr. A. de Bois Shrosbree. Without committing ourselves to acceptance of the details, we regard it as a suggestive proposal for stimulating building in Calcutta.

23. **State lands, Railways, Schools and Factories in Central area.**—As regards land values in the heart of the city, we would call attention to the area occupied by Government and other public buildings. The question assumes two aspects, namely, the continuance in the central area of established institutions which could profitably be moved elsewhere, such as the Mint; and, secondly, the comparatively recent acquisitions by Government of land in the centre of the town, for instance for the Presidency College and Medical Hospital. We would recommend that Government should be very sparing in its acquisition in the central area. We strongly support the proposal for removing the Mint, and would draw special attention to the Chitpur marshalling yard and the proposed Port Commissioners' marshalling yard at Behala. In general, we would welcome any scheme for moving residential schools and similar institutions out of the town, as for instance, that suggested for the Free School. We would also urge on the Calcutta Corporation the duty of pressing on with the removal of factories from the central area.

24. **Education in building questions.**—As regards the general reluctance to sell and the insistence on a fixed price, regardless of the loss of interest on capital while that price is awaited, often for a period of some

years, we have no further definite recommendation to make beyond education of the Calcutta public in the elements of land finance. Education, too, is the only remedy against the satisfaction with overcrowded and insanitary conditions especially characteristic of the coolie class, and against uninformed objections or such matters as septic tank effluents.

25. **Building Finance.**—Before leaving the question of land values, we desire to draw attention to the elementary state of building finance in Calcutta and the complete absence of almost all the essential features which form the financial basis of the building industry in England.

26. **Leasehold.**—Leasehold, which is an indirect aid to financing building and essential for building on the improved ground rent system, is practically unknown in Calcutta, except in the case of small landholders. The leasehold system has, however, begun to make its appearance in the last ten years, and we believe that, if property owners could be induced to think in terms of leases, the development of building would be much facilitated.

27. **Mortgages on property.**—Again mortgages on property, which are a normal Bank security in England, are not now entertained by the Calcutta Banks. The reason lies partly in the insecurity of land titles, already referred to, and also in the fact that the mortgage system in Calcutta is altogether different from that in a Western city, as possession cannot be obtained without a suit. We would suggest examination of the law on this point in order, to determine whether any amendment is possible with a view to facilitating the creation of mortgages on property which would be acceptable to the Banks.

28. **Property Exchange.**—The absence of a reliable property Exchange has hitherto been a serious detriment to the establishment of confidence in a level of value that is a necessary precedent to a credit system of building, and we would welcome such an Exchange as tending to set up a standard in land values and dealings in land.

CHAPTER IV.

Suggested measures for improvement (Development Board).

29. **Existing authorities for improvement.**—At present there are two bodies with statutory powers enabling them to undertake the improvement of specified approved areas within their jurisdiction, namely, the Calcutta Corporation and the Calcutta Improvement Trust, and the useful work which has been and is being done by both bodies is fully recognised. The former body, however, has before it the grave and difficult problems of water-supply and drainage necessarily connected with the well-being of a large city, and we are informed that it will have but a small margin available in the near future, either of finance or staff, for the undertaking of other major schemes of improvement. The Calcutta Improvement Trust has already carried out a number of important works and has on its programme a large number of further improvements, the necessity for which is generally recognised, but it is at present suffering from the increased cost of land acquisition, reclamation and improvement, on the one hand, and from the temporary fall in land values on the other, while its revenue from independent sources is also suffering, temporarily at least, from the general depression in trade, to which we have already referred. Moreover, in respect of both bodies, it is necessary to remember that the jurisdiction has definite limits and that they are unable, even if they are willing, to spend their monies on areas outside those boundaries, while if the development we have in mind is confined to areas already within the city limits, any likelihood of making available suitable land at a reduced price of course disappears. Thus, as we see the problem, action is required in the outer suburban areas as well as in the immediate vicinity of the city. It follows, therefore, that something further than these bodies is required. We have considered a number of methods by which the desired end could be obtained. The Rent Committee in 1920 recommends the formation of a Development

Board, while the Communications Committee in the same year suggested the utilisation of the Public Works Conference in an improved and enlarged form. We have considered both these suggestions and have also asked ourselves whether the work of development could be left to private enterprise assisted by certain powers of land acquisition.

30. **Limitations of private enterprise.**—As regards the utilisation of private enterprise, we wish to emphasise the fact that we are wholly in favour of the fullest possible exploitation of private enterprise, both on the part of individuals and of companies or of building societies in the handling of this problem; and we have indicated the lines on which more could be done by the work of approved building societies. But however far such private operations may be induced to extend—and we must recognise that up to the present their accomplishment has been disappointing—we consider the indubitable fact must be faced that there are functions to be performed which cannot be, and so far as we are aware are not in any part of the world, entrusted entirely to private enterprise. We have in mind particularly the construction of main roads, the provision of filtered water-supply and of water-borne sewage system. Whether it may be possible to dispense with one or both of the two latter requirements may be open to doubt, but we feel little doubt that for any comprehensive scheme of building development to meet modern requirements it will be found necessary sooner or later to fall back on the operations of a public or *quasi*-public body, which alone can deal satisfactorily with these problems.

31. We have therefore considered whether such work would best be undertaken by a separate and independent Development Board specially appointed *ad hoc*, as we understand has been done in Bombay, or whether the requisite organisation should be obtained by the extension of the jurisdiction and activities of the existing Improvement Trust.

32. **Restrictions of Calcutta Improvement Trust.**—It must be admitted that there are certain difficulties in the way of adapting the Calcutta Improvement Trust to the purposes of a Development Board for Calcutta and the suburbs in the widest sense. In the first place, partly as its original function, arising out of plague prevention, was to clear out congested areas in the heart of the city and partly through the restricted interpretation of its powers in the suburbs, to which Government adhered in the early years of its existence, the activities of this Board have now become especially associated with the city and its immediate neighbourhood. In the second place, the financial resources of the Improvement Trust, which were planned on the basis of money values before the war, have not been adapted, and probably cannot be adapted, without a complete overhaul, to the fall in the purchasing value of the rupee, especially in land, which has occurred in Calcutta in the last ten years. Again, the piecemeal methods by which the Trust is compelled to proceed, have the inevitable effect of pushing up land prices in areas in the vicinity of completed improvements to which the Trust may subsequently extend their schemes, and this would necessarily hinder operations on the scale which we contemplate.

33. **Proposed Development Board.**—We are agreed, therefore, that if the problem is to be handled in a radical and fundamental manner, it will be necessary to constitute a new Development Board. The Development Board would have the double function of carrying out development operations on a large scale in the suburbs, and also of exercising a controlling authority over the activities of various bodies concerned in the improvement of Calcutta as a whole. In the former capacity it would operate in the suburbs, not in terms of acres, but of square miles, and its functions would end with the provision of the bare building land with communications, drainage and water. In the latter capacity, which goes beyond the recommendations of the Committee of 1920, it would be responsible for the co-ordination of all endeavours for the expansion of Calcutta as a residential town in the widest sense.

34. **Constitution and powers of Development Board.**—There would obviously not be room on such a Board for representatives of every local body in whose area the Board operated, but representatives of local bodies would be associated with Committees for schemes of suburban development as is done in the Calcutta Improvement Trust. At the same time we should be glad to see introduced the principle which we understand is recognised in many similar authorities that any member having a landed or other local interest in an area to be developed stands down from the Committee during consideration of any scheme affecting that area. We do not contemplate that the Board should have statutory powers to enforce or veto the execution of improvement schemes by other bodies. The general functions of supervision and co-ordination could, we believe, be exercised without these powers through discussion with local bodies, but the Board should perhaps be given the right of reference to Government against the action of a local body which persisted, against the advice of the Board, in carrying out a policy, whether of executing or delaying a local improvement, which could be shown to be perverse and antagonistic to the good of Calcutta as a whole.

35. **Finance of Development Board.**—As regards finance, we believe that provided such a Board planned its operation with sufficient foresight and on a large enough scale a greater part of its cost would be recouped from the improved values in the suburbs. It lies beyond our terms of reference, however, to work out the financial scheme which would obviously imply the raising of a large loan with adequate guarantee in the first instance. We cannot go further than recommending that Government should proceed to take up the examination of this proposal in order that when financial conditions improve there may be a scheme ready for the creation of the Board.

36. **Amendment of Calcutta Improvement Act.**—In these proposals for a new Development Board we put forward an ideal which at the same time we hold to be a practical ideal. Some years must in any case elapse before such a Board comes into being. In the meanwhile we regard the extension of the powers of the Calcutta Improvement Trust in the suburbs as a step in the right direction. We welcome the proposed amendments of the Calcutta Improvement Act, which would empower the Board to operate in the environments of Calcutta, as an approximation to the ideal of an independent Development Board which we have sketched; and would urge that the opportunity be taken, when this amending legislation comes before Council in the near future, to carry this tendency as far as possible, keeping in view the financial aspect.

CHAPTER V.

Outer Suburban Development (Communications).

37. We believe that, as things are, in the absence of drainage and extensive building sites ready for use, there is little scope for organised expansion into the suburbs.

38. The question of communications is, however, itself an important element in our terms of reference, and it would be useless to touch on the possibilities of a Development Board for the suburbs without consideration of the cost of communication with the areas which it would develop. Moreover, any improvement of access from the suburbs without appreciable increase in its cost will, by itself, necessarily tend to relieve pressure in the centre of the town.

39. **Limits of fare and time.**—We have adapted the standard of a maximum fare of two annas each way (or a monthly ticket of Rs. 7) and a maximum duration of one hour's journey as marking the limits within which the question of communications comes into practical relation with Calcutta housing. There is ample evidence that a large number of the

clerical classes do, in fact, meet a higher charge at present. We consider, however, that daily travelling expenses in excess of four annas per diem go so far to neutralise any saving in the cost of housing that we need not go beyond this zone, and there are ample opportunities for development within it.

40. Low as this fare is, these limits would include the whole of the tramway service to the centre of the town, excluding the Tollyganj section, and the Port Commissioners' ferry service, while on the railways the zone extends from Budge Budge to Tchapore from Andul to Bhadreswar and from Makardah to Baraset.

41. **Suburban Railway.**—The fact is commonly overlooked in depreciating the suburban railways that Calcutta is really endowed with excellent radial lines of railway communication in all directions provided by the three main lines and by the light railways. This is well-illustrated by the diagram appended to this report showing suburban traffic within the zone defined. The potentialities of such a system for suburban development are still far from being fully developed, especially on the light lines. More frequent trains and more ample accommodation are required in the mornings and evenings. For our purposes, however, it is enough to say that defective as suburban railway communications may be in comparison with those of a Western city or even of Bombay, they do at present afford means of access to most of the area which can be brought within the residential suburbs of Calcutta There is room, however, for an additional line to serve the riverside zone on the east bank of the Hooghly, to the North of Calcutta.

42. **Difficulty of access to city from Howrah and Sealdah.**—But unfortunately when the suburban passenger has reached the terminus, only half his journey is done, and, alike from Howrah and Sealdah, he has to make his way from one to two miles, to reach his place of business. If he makes the journey on foot, it will take him from twenty minutes to half an hour; and such is the state of thoroughfares, that if he takes the tram at the earliest opportunity he may barely reduce the time of his journey by five minutes. The essential problem as regards suburban railway communications in Calcutta begins not on the line but at the terminus, and the difficulty of access to and from Sealdah and Howrah impedes the whole course of suburban development for all classes of the community who work in Calcutta.

43. **Access from Sealdah.**—The question of access from Howrah we must exclude, as this turns on the construction of the Howrah Bridge. It will be something if any definite suggestion can be made for improving access from Sealdah.

44. There are two methods which have been frequently discussed, namely, the improvement of the tramway service and the construction of a tube railway. We believe that no improvement of the tram service, even with the addition of a track along the new east to west road contemplated by the Improvement Trust can adequately cope with the situation. The cost of building a tube, even if it can be constructed, would amount to £900,000 exclusive of rolling stock, for the length from Sealdah to Dalhousie Square, a figure which we regard as prohibitive.

45. **Bullock cart traffic on tramway route.**—The line of trams from Sealdah to Dalhousie Square cannot accommodate more than a small percentage of 7,300,000 passengers per annum, averaging 20,000 passengers per day (not excluding Sundays), who arrive at Sealdah. Not all of these, of course, are bound for Dalhousie Square; but probably 12,000 passengers daily must be allowed for. No possible intensification of the tram service along this route could fully meet this demand. Some small improvement would, however, be affected if the passage of cars could be accelerated. With this end in view we recommend that the authorities should consider whether bullock cart traffic, which is perhaps the chief cause of congestion

in the streets, could not be prohibited on the main tramway routes, especially between the city and Sealdah, during the hours 8-30—10-30 A.M. and 5—6-30 P.M.

46. **Overhead railway from Sealdah to City.**—We would put forward for consideration a new solution of the problem of communications between the city and Sealdah, which, while less expensive than the construction of a tube, will be capable of providing the whole of the accommodation required. This is the construction of an overhead railway in connection with the east to west road which the Improvement Trust have aligned and are expected to take up within the next few years.

47. We have had the advantage in this connection of reading a note formulating detailed proposals prepared by Mr. A. H. Johnstone, Chief Engineer to the East Indian Railway. He has outlined two alternative schemes for providing railway communication through the city, viz., east to west from Howrah to Sealdah *via* the new Bridge and north to south from the new Bridge to be constructed across the river at Bally *via* Barrackpur Trunk Road, Central Avenue, Chowringhee and Russa Road to join the Eastern Bengal Railway on the south. The former is regarded as practicable only as an overhead railway, while for the latter Mr. Johnstone would prefer a track at the road level.

48. We are particularly impressed with the possibilities of the overhead alignment from Sealdah to the city, a length of about 1½ miles, which forms a portion of the east to west alignment which Mr. Johnstone is inclined to reject as a whole. This would run not over the street, but through the back portion of the belt of land to be acquired for the east and west road aligned by the Improvement Trust from Sealdah to the city. Between the railway and the street would be the premises built to front on the new roadway, and the hire of godown space under the arches for business purposes in connection with these premises should form an important subsidiary source of revenue.

49. Mr. Johnstone estimates the cost of this type of railway built on masonry arches at Rs. 15 lakhs per mile for construction *plus* Rs. 18 lakhs per mile for land taken at an average of Rs. 15,000 per cottah. We are of opinion that the cost of land to be acquired in the belt described would be considerably below this figure and should regard an average of Rs. 10,000 a cottah as ample and probably excessive provision for land. On this basis the total cost would be reduced to Rs. 27 lakhs per mile or Rs. 36,00,000 for the whole section, exclusive of terminals. With a maximum total traffic to and from Sealdah of 16,000,000 per annum at a fare of one anna each way, and with the addition of the income from godown space, we do not see why such a line should not be found remunerative or at least covering the cost of interest on capital. The site for a terminus could conveniently be found behind St. Andrews Church.

50. We have considered objections likely to be raised on the score of vibration, noise, and loss of privacy. In the case of a line constructed on modern principles with electric traction noise and vibration are reduced to a minimum and would at least be no more marked than in the case of the tramway. As the line would be passing through a business and not a residential quarter loss of privacy would hardly be a factor arising, while any reasonable apprehension on this ground would be obviated by light screens. We are told that these were proposed, but eventually found unnecessary in the case of an overhead railway at Agra

51. We recommend that this proposal for constructing an overhead railway from Sealdah to the city as a means of facilitating access to the suburbs should receive the serious consideration of the railway authorities. As regards the north to south alignment, we have no opinion to express beyond suggesting that all necessary facilities could be given to the riverside area if such an alignment were brought into Sealdah *via* Cossipore, and so on to the proposed east-west line, instead of being taken from north to south through the heart of the city.

52. **Tramways.**—We are informed by the Company that only one extension of the tramway system is contemplated at present, viz., from Circular Road *viâ* Park Street extension to Ballyganj. It is urged on behalf of the Company, that the bad state of the roads, the low return at present received and the fact that some of the routes in undeveloped areas, such as the Kalighat-Tollyganj section, are still unremunerative, preclude further expansion. We understand, however, that the Improvement Trust are negotiating with the Tramways Company, for the construction of a tramway line in scheme XV, from Russa Road to Ballyganj station, which would open up a large area in South Calcutta, much of which has already been developed by the Improvement Trust. We venture to hope that with a broad outlook on both sides these negotiations may be speedily pushed through to a successful conclusion. We would further point out the opportunity which presents itself of completing an outer circular tramway system on the south-east of Calcutta by linking up the Park Street extension line with the proposed line on the Improvement Trust's Ballyganj-Chetla Road. The Tramways Company have already agreed to carry the line to the end of the Improvement Trust Park Street extension. On the completion in about a year of the Ballyganj-Chetla Road there will only remain a gap of half a mile between this and the Ballyganj main road. The earliest possible arrangements should be made to facilitate taking the tram line across this gap, thus completing a circular system.

53. **Proposed Committee on Tramways.**—The Communications Committee of 1920, in discussing the tramways, wrote: "We are strongly of opinion that any measure for the improvement or extension of the present tramways service in the shape of additional facilities to the public will help the position to a very great extent; and further that the present services and the attitude of the Company are on the whole unsatisfactory from the point of view of the general public. Specifically we recommend the appointment of a small expert committee, which we suggest should include one representative of local interests and an expert with, if possible, Eastern experience, to enquire in full detail into the working of the Company, in order to determine what improvement and extensions should be made, and further, into the question of subsidiary services by motor buses and railless trams."

54 We most emphatically endorse the findings of the 1920 Committee and regret that the Government of Bengal has not seen its way to carry out the specific recommendation to appoint a small committee to enquire fully into the working of the Tramway Company. The recommendation is pre-eminently one which involves no expenditure. We would further suggest that the Directors should be invited to send out from Home one or two more responsible representatives to participate, and we have reason to believe that the Directors might not be unwilling to accede to this suggestion. We consider that the fact that the Tramways Company is administered by Directors in England is prejudicial to the interests of Calcutta and is likely to hinder the improvement of the present working of the Company and the extension of the system. The terms of reference to this small expert committee, if appointed, should include the question how far, if at all, some form of subsidy or guarantee is essential to the extension of the tramway system, and on what conditions, as regards public control, it should be granted. They should extend to Howrah, where the improvement and expansion of the tramway system is an important requirement for the development of the residential area.

55. **The Motor Omnibus.**—In connection with the extension of the tramway system, we have looked into the question of the possibilities of the motor omnibus, the railless electric tram, and steam or motor rail trams. We do not feel qualified to express any definite opinion on the essentially technical question of the relative merits of these forms of traction as conducing to suburban development. The evidence placed before us, however, goes to show that by reason of the high running costs and the inadequacy of the Calcutta roads for an intensive motor bus service we cannot look for

a solution of the problem by motor buses on anything like the scale found possible in Western cities, or within the small fares which we have fixed as the limit of our consideration. At the same time we are informed that small and isolated motor bus services find it possible to run at a profit in the suburbs as they do in certain places in the mufassal. There is probably room for enterprise in this field on the part of small owners belonging to the class who at present put their money into running a few taxi-cabs. Some of these might well find it more profitable to invest their capital in one or two light motor buses than in swelling the number of idle vehicles on the cab ranks. Existing restrictions on the adaption of light motor buses for passenger services should be examined with a view to allowing the utmost facilities compatible with public safety.

56. **Ferry service.**—The Port Commissioners' ferry service, which carries the gross total of 12,000,000 passengers in a year, is actually run at a net loss of Rs. 1,50,000 per annum, and we are satisfied that the present facilities could not be given by any service run as a commercial undertaking, or be largely extended on a commercial basis.

57. **Inadequacy of bridges.**—Before leaving the subject of communications we would draw attention once more to the defective condition of the bridges round Calcutta, and the absence of any attempt to handle this problem. The Calcutta Rent Committee of 1920 wrote: "Calcutta's position in a deltaic marsh makes it practically an island, and to its initial disadvantages in this respect must be added the fact that it has now become completely hemmed in by canals and railways which have to be crossed by bridges for communications with the outer world. The matter would be serious enough if the authorities had been compelled in the past to pay any attention to the inevitable growth of the town, and to the necessity of making such bridges as they did construct adequate even for a few years; but in practically every case we find the existing bridges ridiculously inadequate to present considerations without taking the future into consideration at all. Further isolation of the city should be strenuously opposed and the improvement of the existing bridges should receive special and immediate attention." Every word of this passage is true to-day, with the added force given by the lapse of three years. The inadequacy of the bridges on the north and north-east of the town is the chief reason for the comparative isolation of the Cossipore-Chitpur and Maniktolla suburbs and prevents a desirable extension of the tramways service. The inclusion of this area in the Calcutta Municipality is a measure which will be robbed of half its value unless something can be done to remove this grave obstacle to expansion in this direction.

58. **Conclusion.**—In this conclusion, we must acknowledge that many of the recommendations which we have made only repeat, or carry slightly further forward recommendations of the Communications Committee, 1920, and the Rent Committee, 1920. To the Rent Committee we owe the first proposal for a Development Board, and for the use of Land Acquisition powers for housing, which we still regard as essential features in any radical handling of the situation. The Rent Committee also urged the removal of Mint, and of the Chitpur marshalling yard, and drew attention to the defective state of the bridges. The Communications Committee of 1920 first made the recommendation for the appointment of a small expert committee to consider the expansion of the tramway system, which we still regard as of the highest importance.

59. In the case of some of these recommendations, such for instance as that for the removal of the Mint, though no tangible results have appeared, we understand that the matter is still under active preliminary discussion. As regards, however, the recommendations for the application of the Land Acquisition Act to building purposes, the constitution of a Development Board, and the appointment of a committee on the tramways, it cannot be said that the deliberations of our predecessors have been followed by such action on the part of Government as might encourage us to believe that our own labours would have some practical outcome. So far as we can see,

in regard to these matters of the first importance, we are following in the track of committees which have been ploughing the sand, and may ourselves be engaged in the same unprofitable task. It is not, however, too much to hope that, now that Government have accomplished the task of reconstituting the municipal basis of civic life, attention will be given to the wider fields of urban and suburban development. We would earnestly appeal to Government firstly to bring to some practical issue the few definte recommendations we have been able to make which do not involve immediate expenditure, and secondly to face at the earliest possible opportunity the broad truth that urban development without expenditure is an impossibility and a contradiction in terms. We feel that the whole policy as regards the development of Calcutta is at present in a state of drift, and in the handling of the problems of a great modern city drift comes dangerously near decay.

CHAPTER VI.

Summary.

Our conclusions and recommendations may be summarised as follows:—

Economic Position.

1. The ability to pay is a far more important feature in the problem of housing and communications now than it was three years ago, and it is useless to make proposals in disregard of this. (Paragraphs 5—7.)

Building.

2. The whole scale of building, both for European and Indian houses, is at present unnecessarily extravagant. Buildings must be constructed on the most economical scale possible and for limited periods A type plan for a single-storey Indian dwelling is suggested. (Paragraphs 14—17.)

Land.

3. The chief factor in the cost of housing is still the high price of land. This is due largely to the reluctance of owners to sell, and to the holding up of land through the absence of sound ideas of land finance. (Paragraphs 19-20.)

4. It is essential that powers should be taken under the Land Acquisition Act for the compulsory acquisition of land for building purposes, both in order to render land available, and to afford security of title, the want of which is one of the chief obstacles to building enterprise. (Paragraph 21.)

5. Attention is drawn to the large area occupied by State lands and institutions, railway yards, residential schools and factories in the central and inner suburban area. (Paragraph 23.)

Building Finance.

6. We recommend steps for the introduction of a better system of building finance, such as the encouragement of leasehold, the improvement of mortgages on property as a security, and the establishment of a property exchange. (Paragraph 25—28.)

7. Suggestions are made for the constitution of co-operative building societies to operate with the assistance of compulsory acquisition of land. (Paragraph 22.)

Development Board.

8. We recommend the constitution of a new Development Board, with the double function of developing building land on a large scale in the suburbs, and of controlling and co-ordinating measures for the improvement of Calcutta as a whole. (Paragraphs 29—35.)

9. As a temporary measure we approve proposals for the extension of the powers of the Calcutta Improvement Trust to the suburbs and trust that full effect will be given to this principle in the amendment of the Calcutta Improvement Act which is expected to come before Council in the near future. (Paragraph 36.)

Communications.

10. While the suburban railway system is susceptible of improvement, the real obstacles to suburban expansion lies in the difficulty of access to the terminal stations from the business quarters of Calcutta. (Paragraph 42.)

Railways.

11. As regards access from Sealdah to the city, we recommend, in preference to the proposed tube, the construction of an overhead track with electric traction in conjunction with the Improvement Trust Scheme for opening up a new road from the Royal Exchange to Sealdah. (Paragraphs 46—51.)

Tramways.

12. We welcome negotiations by the Improvement Trust with the Tramways Company for the construction of a line from Russa Road to Ballyganj station. (Paragraph 52.)

13. The only extension of the tramway system at present definitely in hand is from Circular Road *viâ* Park Street extension to Ballyganj. We recommend that this should, as soon as possible, be linked up with the proposed line along the Improvement Trust Ballyganj-Chetla Road, referred to in the preceding paragraph thus completing a circular system for South-East Calcutta. (Paragraph 52.)

14. We recommend the appointment of a small expert committee on the tramways during this cold weather, to include a representative of the Directors from England, and regret that effect was not given to a similar recommendation of the Communications Committee. (Paragraphs 53-54.)

The Motor Omnibus.

15. We see little opportunity, in present conditions, for the development of motor omnibus services on the lines of those in a western city, but consider that encouragement should be given to small owners experimenting with light motor buses. (Paragraph 55.)

Bridges.

16. We draw attention once more to the neglect of the bridges round Calcutta, and regard the inadequacy of the bridges on the north and north-east of the towns as the chief cause of the isolation of Cossipore-Chitpur. (Paragraphs 57-58.)

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MINUTE.

Provisions of a more drastic nature should be inserted in the Calcutta Municipal Act, as would compel the holders of waste building sites to build thereon themselves within a certain lapse of time, or be compelled to sell such sites to buyers who will enter into an agreement to build. One method would be to impose drastic taxation on all such vacant sites.

J. CAMPBELL FORRESTER.

The 14th December 1923.

APPENDIX I.

SCHEME FOR A BUILDING SOCIETY IN CALCUTTA.

General Features.

(1) Land should be "back land" so far as the main estate is concerned, and an "access strip" would be included so as to provide the approach road, and the frontages thereto, from existing and future communications. Compulsory powers would be necessary for such a scheme.

(2) The lay-out would provide for the retention and enlargement of the best existing tanks, which would become the centres of public open spaces. The earth obtained would be used for filling elsewhere and for brick-making.

(3) It is doubtful whether a successful scheme can be organised if developed lands cost more than Rs. 800 per cottah on road frontages. To enable this to be done, prime cost must not exceed Rs. 200 per cottah for solid land, and the development roads would be 40 feet wide with grass margins, surface drainage only, water mains and gas mains.

Size of Scheme.

(4) For convenience assume a co-operative scheme with 250 members each requiring a plot of an average of 5 cottahs of front land. Rear plots would be proportionately larger and plots of two or more unit plots would also be provided, but assume the requirements to be 1,250 cottahs of building land.

(5) Allowing for roads and open spaces, assume a gross area of 84 bighas for development. Additional lands being required for brickmaking, these should pay for themselves and eventually be added to the open spaces; say 90 bighas in all.

(6) Assume for safety Rs. 4,000 per bigha. Purchase price equals Rs. 3,60,000. Add 10 per cent. for contingencies; say Rs. 4 lakhs.

Preliminary Finance Required.

(7) In addition to cost of land, provision must be made for cost of road construction, earthworks, lay-out of open spaces, costs, etc. Under these heads I propose the following:—

Road construction.

		Rs
1,250 cottahs, at Rs. 83 per cottah,	say ...	1,05,000
Earthwork,	say ...	50,000
Parks, etc,	say ...	50,000
Costs, etc,	say ...	50,000
	say ...	2,50,000
Cost of land	...	4,00,000
Money to be raised	...	6,50,000

Probable Eventual Receipts.

(8) Of the 1,250 cottahs to be sold, assume one-half sold at Rs. 800 per cottah, and the remainder at Rs. 534 per cottah. The total receipts would be Rs. 8,33,333.

Raising Preliminary Finance.

(9) I suggest that this should be raised as a special form of share capital, which may be called "A" shares. The building subscribers would subscribe for "B" shares, which would eventually be exchanged for their title-deeds.

(10) A shares would rank for dividend at say 7 per cent. per annum as a first charge on the profits, and any balance of profits beyond this would be divided in some proportion to be agreed upon between the A and B shares.

(11) To pay 7 per cent. on Rs. 6,50,000 a sum of Rs. 45,500 per annum would be required

(12) Provision might be made for redeeming a certain number of "A" shares yearly, especially if they were of a debenture character.

Building Subscribers.

(13) It is proposed that B shares should be subscribed for by payments of Rs. 40 per mensem for 20 years. The subscribers would obtain for this—

(*a*) A plot of land of an average value of Rs. 3,333 on payment of an average of Rs. 833 down, within say 3 years of the commencement of the scheme. (See below.) The plots would be balloted for.

(*b*) An advance of Rs. 1,200, free of interest, in payment of 80 per cent. of value of actual buildings erected on the site each 10 years the scheme is in being. These advances would be periodically drawn for by ballot.

(*c*) Rights to borrow on terms from the Society.

(*d*) A share in surplus of profits yearly.

Programme of Operations.

(14) The estate having been purchased, the lay-out would be determined and the works put in hand. Arrangements would be put in hand also for the improvement of communications.

(15) The roads, etc., would be constructed according to a schedule, and under this the whole of them would be completed in, say, 3 years, according to the programme.

(16) A draw would take place amongst the B shareholders for all the plots, although some would have no roads available at first. Each subscriber would be entitled to possession at any time on payment of Rs. 833 down, and the plots would have to be taken up when the roads are ready. Failing this, being done in a certain period, the right to the plot would be auctioned, either to shareholders, or publicly, and the share would be cancelled on accounts being adjusted.

(17) At the end of each year a draw would take place for 25 advances of Rs. 1,200, as stated above, until in 10 years all members would have received the right. Any member not wishing for the advance could have it auctioned amongst the shareholders and receive any premium paid for it, less say 20 per cent. to the Society.

(18) The Society would make advances against buildings from its surplus funds at reasonable interest to be fixed yearly.

(19) All deeds would be held by the Society until the end of the 20 years. B shareholders would be paying for shares throughout, and, in the event of default, the property would be sold and the share cancelled after adjustment of accounts.

Illustration of Working.

	Rs.	Rs.
(20) Income first year—		
250 subscribers at Rs. 40 per mensem—per annum		1,20,000*
Outgoings—A shares	45,500	
Advances	30,000	
Surplus at 5 per cent. for 20 years on Rs. 6,25,000 ...	18,902	
		94,402
Balance for expenses of office, reserves, taxes and profit		25,598

* Note.—This would have been partly productive of interest.

(21) At the end of the first year, assuming one-third of the plots were ready, there would be an immediate income, on possession being given, of Rs. 833 × 83=Rs. 69,139. This would be available for investment by way of mortgages or otherwise. A similar sum would be received in each of the next 2 years. But for these amounts, which would total Rs. 2,07,417 in all, the income would be similar to that in paragraph 20.

(22) The sinking fund could be vested at a profit on 5 per cent.

(23) If part of the A share capital could be raised as debentures, or advanced by some public authority, interest charges could be reduced.

Insurance.

(24) All B shareholders would have to insure under the ægis of the Society to cover the value of their advances.

Generally.

(25) All the above proposals are put forward rather as illustrations to form the basis of discussion, which I hope will produce a final scheme.

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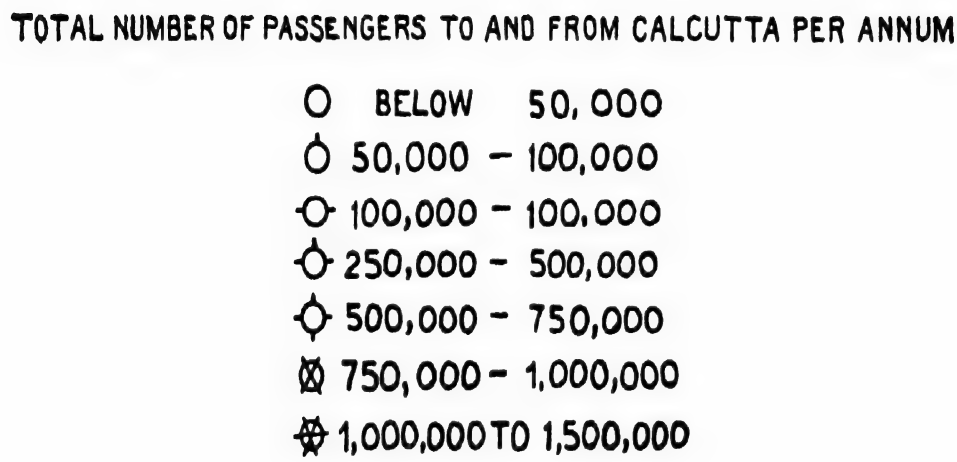
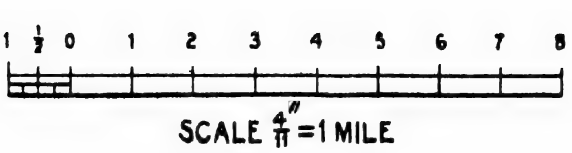
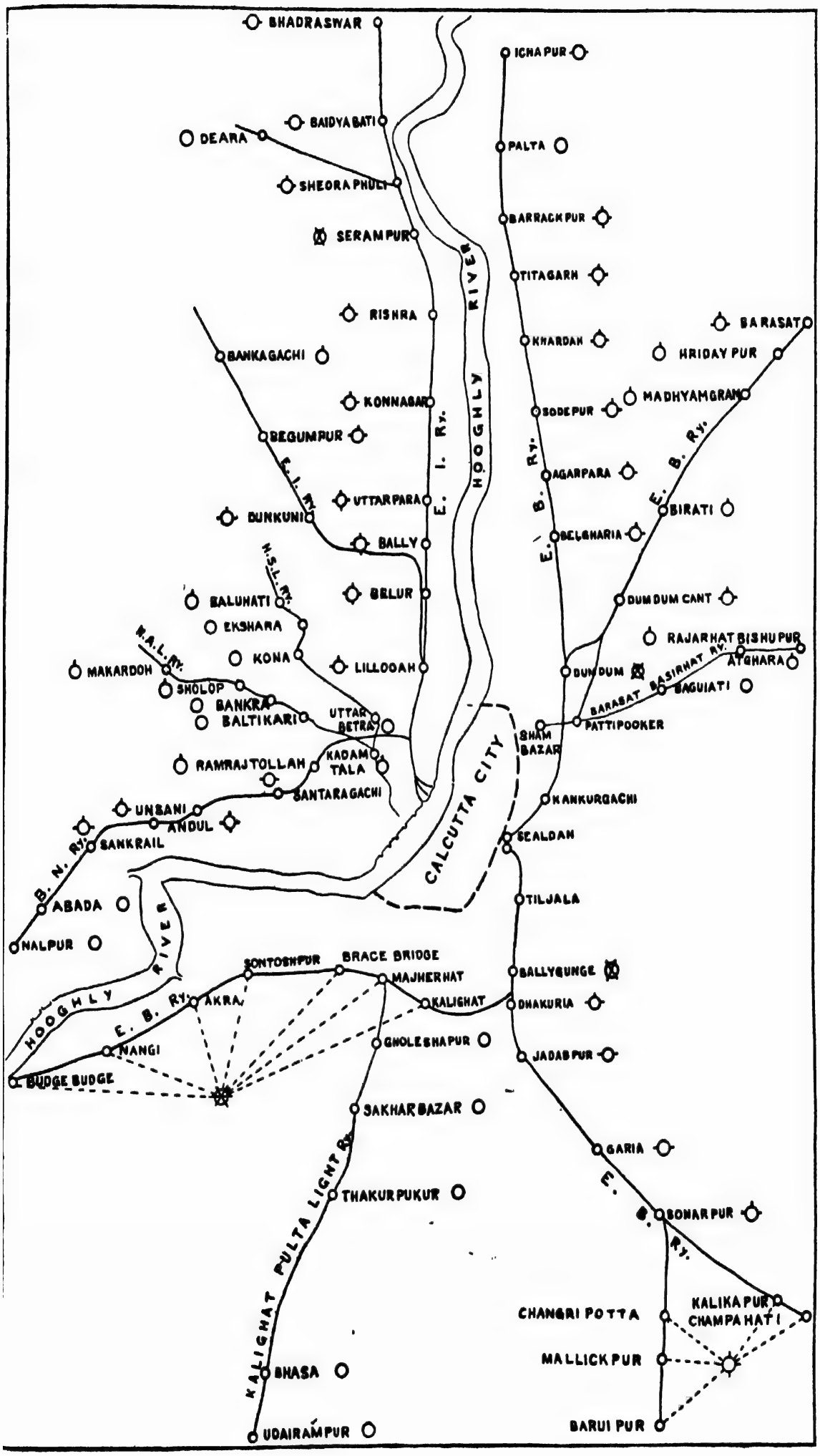
DIAGRAM SHOWING CALCUTTA SUBURBAN RAILWAYS AND TRAFFIC DURING THE YEAR 1921/22 WITHIN THE LIMITS OF A MONTHLY FARE OF Rs.7 AND AVERAGE DURATION OF ONE HOURS JOURNEY



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AKRA
KALIGHAT
DHAKURIA
NANGI
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K.A.L. Ry.
BARASAT BASIRHAT Ry.
KALIGHAT PULTA LIGHT Ry.
CALCUTTA CITY

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Forecast of the Winter *Til* (Sesamum) crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

(NOTE.—On an average of the five years ending 1921-22, the area under *til* in Bengal has represented some 4·8 per cent. of the total area under *til* in British India.)

Character of the Season.—The rainfall in August was sufficient for the preparatory tillage and for the sowing to be done at the usual time. Failure of the monsoon in September and October adversely affected the outturn in most parts of West and North Bengal. In East Bengal, however, a favourable crop is anticipated. On the whole, the season has been fair.

Acreage.—The total area sown with the crop this year is estimated at 44,200 acres against 45,500 acres last year.

Outturn.—According to District Officers' estimates the outturn of the crop for the province, as a whole, works out at 86 per cent. of the normal against 92 per cent. last year. Taking 6½ maunds as the normal rate of yield per acre, the gross outturn for the province is estimated at 8,500 tons this year against 9,400 tons last year, or a decrease of about 10 per cent.

R. S. FINLOW,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

DACCA, *the 21st December 1923.*

APPENDIX I.

Forecast of the Winter *Til* crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter *til*.	Estimated area under winter *til*.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which sowing generally began this year and whether that date was early, moral or late.	Date by which harvesting generally commenced this year and whether that date is early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1922-23).	This year (1923-24).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
24-Parganas ...	100†	300	300	67	67	End of July. Normal.	End of October. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable. Damage to the extent of 4 annas is reported from Basirhat owing to heavy rainfall during the growth of the crop.
Nadia ...	5,300	1,100	1,000	67	42	September. Normal.	End of November. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with last year is due to want of timely rainfall. The effects of weather have not been favourable for want of rainfall. Damage is reported from Kushtia and Meherpur subdivisions.
Murshidabad ...	1,400†	1,100	1,000	75	50	End of July and beginning of November. Normal.	End of December. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with that of the last year is due to unfavourable weather conditions. Owing to continued drought there has been some damage.
Jessore ...	1,000	1,000	1,300	75	67	October. Normal	End of December. Normal.	The increase in area as compared with that of the last year is due to favourable weather conditions. Damage to the extent of 4 annas has been done by drought.
Khulna ...	2,500†	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	
Burdwan ...	100†	500	600	100	75	.....	.....	The weather has been fair.
Birbhum ...	400†	500	500	67	58	September. Normal.	December. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable for want of rain.
Bankura ...	3,100†	4,500	4,600	100	100	August. Normal	Middle of December. Normal.	The weather has been favourable.
Midnapore ...	6,700†	2,100	1,100	67	75	September ...	Not yet begun ...	The decrease in area as compared with that of last year is due to drought at the sowing time. The weather has been fair.
Hooghly ...	200	200	200	50	50	End of September. Late.	Not yet commenced.	The weather has not been favourable. Damage to the extent of six annas crop is reported from Arambagh subdivision for want of rainfall.
Howrah ...	100	(46)	(51)	67	67	Beginning of October. Normal.	Not yet commenced.	Crops suffered for want of rain.
Rajshahi ...	2,900	1,000	1,200	83	58	Middle of August. Normal.	January. Normal	The weather has not been favourable. Damage to the extent of 4 annas crop for want of rain is reported from Nator. Increase in area is due to increased cultivation in Naogaon subdivision.
Dinajpur ...	400†	400*	500	61	50	August. Normal	December. Normal	The weather has not been favourable. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal owing to insufficient rainfall.
Jalpaiguri ...	1,000	400	900	150	100	Middle of August. Normal.	Not yet commenced.	The decrease in area is due to lack of interest in the crop on the part of the cultivators. The weather has been favourable.
Rangpur ...	1,500	1,500*	1,500*	100	100	October. Normal	January. Normal	The weather has been favourable.
Bogra ...	800†	500	400	50	36	Middle of August. Normal.	Middle of November. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with that of last year and the low outturn are due to want of rain.

* Conventional area.

† Revised

District.	Estimated normal area under winter *fil*.	Estimated area under winter *fil*.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which sowing generally began this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which harvesting generally commenced this year and whether that date is early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1922-23).	This year (1923-24).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
Pabna ...	2,000†	2,000	2,000	88	88	Middle of September. Normal.	End of December. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable. About 8 annas crop was damaged by drought.
Malda ...	1,400†	1,100	1,100	92	100	Beginning of September. Normal.	Latter part of December. Normal.	The weather has been favourable.
Dacca ...	3,900	4,600	4,400	72	76	August. Normal	November. Normal.	Lack of rainfall in October and November retarded the growth of the crop and consequently the outturn is below the normal.
Mymensingh ...	8,600	8,600	8,600	117	117	August to October. Normal.	November to February. Normal.	The weather has been favourable.
Chittagong ...	200	200	200	100	100	August. Normal	November. Normal.	The weather has been seasonable and its effects on the crop have been good.
Tippera ...	1,500	1,400	900	75	83	October. Normal	February. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to the fact that a large portion of the *til* land was under water at the sowing time. The weather has not been favourable.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	10,000†	12,600	12,600	100	83	Middle of April. Normal.	1st week of November. Normal.	Character of weather and its effects on the cultivation are moderate. About 2 annas crops was destroyed by excessive rainfall.
Total Bengal...	63,100	45,500	44,200	92	86			

† Revised

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of estimated acreage and outturn of the Winter *fil* crops of Bengal for 1923-24.

Province.	Area (in acres).						Yield (in tons).					
	Of current year's crop (1923-24.)	Of previous year's crop (1922-23).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (-), area in—		Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+), or is less than (-), yield in—	
					Column 3.	Column 4.					Column 8.	Column 9.
1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9		10	11
			Five years.	*Ten years.*		*Five years*	*Ten years.*			*Five years*	*Ten years.*		*Five years*	*Ten years.*
Bengal ...	44,200	45,500	46,700	52,300	- 3·1	- 5·6	- 15·7	8,500	9,400	7,300	7,400	- 9·6	+15·9	+14·9

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of October 1923, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1923-24.					
	Weight of Cargo		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Major Works.						
Midnapore Canal	2,497	21,920	1,300	15,575	3,301	23,636
Hijili Tidal Canal	8,527	59,541	434	2,208	7,561	55,040
Total ...	11,024	81,461	1,734	17,783	10,862	78,676
Minor Works and Navigation.						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	48,041	258,939	21,847	34,340	29,844	1,62,594
Tolly's Nala	24,580	158,078	30,000	207,100	6,889	44,204
Madaripur Bil Route ...	123,327	642,062	1,587	3,348	29,047	1,57,224
Total ...	195,948	1,059,079	53,434	244,788	65,780	3,64,022
Magrahat Channels ...	7,659	35,962	890	3,250	2,177	13,268
Orissa Coast Canal	3,586	30,207	2,056	5,725	1,482	11,222
Nadia Rivers	...	16,065	...	365,215	...	5,119
Grand Total ...	207,193	1,141,313	56,380	618,978	69,439	5,93,631

Canals.	1922-23.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Major Works.						
Midnapore Canal	2,364	42,828	...	6,450	2,956	21,960
Hijili Tidal Canal	7,090	49,450	434	2,115	7,206	51,502
Total ...	9,454	92,278	434	8,565	10,162	73,462
Minor Works and Navigation.						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	41,989	255,554	472	5,145	25,481	1,51,724
Tolly's Nala	20,811	142,631	53,550	206,279	6,716	42,241
Madaripur Bil Route ...	167,016	844,726	5,687	11,416	34,982	1,84,958
Total ...	229,816	1,242,911	59,709	222,840	67,179	3,78,923
Magrahat Channels ...	4,686	27,101	4,582	21,287	2,072	11,409
Orissa Coast Canal	4,781	28,559	3,643	6,796	1,932	10,942
Nadia Rivers	3,751	27,886	212,356	610,420	1,147	7,148
Grand Total ...	243,034	1,326,457	280,290	861,343	72,330	4,08,422

T. C. Bhattacharya,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Calcutta, *the 22nd December 1923.*

Vital statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 15th December 1923.

District.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths registered.																								
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding week of the previous year.		
																									Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Calcutta	1	Calcutta	617,680	290,261	907,851	298	29	12	—	—	16	6	1	—	19	51	25	7	10	51	28	68	28	3	234	310	229	539	301	250	551
Burdwan	2	Asansol Mining Settlement.	176,814	152,539	329,353	173	3	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	5	4	—	—	15	—	13	7	1	50	55	45	100	15	15	30
Howrah	3	Howrah	128,472	66,829	195,301	103	8	3	—	—	9	3	—	1	1	21	14	7	—	9	3	17	1	1	27	65	52	117	73	51	124
Dacca	4	Dacca	67,333	52,117	119,450	121	3	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	40	4	1	—	5	—	2	—	2	31	43	49	92	41	35	76
24-Parganas	5	Manicktala	40,996	26,376	67,372	23	—	2	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	3	2	2	1	4	2	5	—	—	20	22	24	46	11	22	33
	6	Bhatpara	45,722	19,886	65,609	13	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	3	—	1	1	1	—	1	1	—	9	13	5	18	4	6	10
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur.	36,289	20,185	56,474	20	1	4	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	3	1	—	—	4	—	1	—	—	10	15	11	26	12	14	26
	8	Titagarh	36,533	15,918	52,451	26	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	7	4	11	9	6	15

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 26th December 1923.

Summary.—There has been cloudy weather accompanied by slight showers in East and parts of West Bengal; elsewhere the weather was dry. Reaping of winter paddy and sowing of spring crops are well advanced. The prospects of spring crops have somewhat been improved by the recent weather. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 0·5 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	0·20	6½	6½	Effects of weather on crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	(n)	(n)	(n)	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	0·90	8	7½	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8½	9	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Rain is badly needed. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	(n)	(n)	8½	Report not received.
	Lalbagh ...	(n)	(n)	8	
	Jangipur ...	(n)	(n)	8½† / 8	
	Kandi ...	(n)	(n)	8½ / 9†	
4	Jessore .	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy are finished. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	8½	9	
	Magura ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Narail ...	(n)	(n)	10	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	0·50	8	8	Transplantation of *boro* paddy has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

(n) Not reported. † New.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Export and import as usual. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7	6½	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Rain is wanted for *rabi* crops. Fodder is sufficient and water is not sufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	Nil	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is completed. Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Export of rice and paddy continues.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Prospects of sugarcane are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Contai ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	10	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7⅝	
	Jhargram ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	6½	Report not received.
	Serampore ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	6½	
	Arambagh ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8½	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·13	6½	6½	Harvesting of paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are proceeding.
	Uluberia ...	0·13	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are tolerable. Fodder is sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8	6½	
	Nator ...	Nil	6½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	6 9/16	7	Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	7½	7½	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Alipur ...	Nil	6	6	
15	DARJEELING ...	Nil	5	5	*Marua*, millet and paddy are being harvested. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease exists at places.
	Kurseong ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
	Siliguri ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
	Kalimpong ...	Nil	5½	(*n*)	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	Rangpur ...	Nil	6	6	Harvesting of winter rice is going on. Cattle-disease is reported from Sadar, Kurigram and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	6	6	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6½	6½	
17	Bogra ...	Nil	5 13/16	5 13/16	Harvesting of winter paddy and sowings of *rabi* crops are in progress. Prospects of standing crops are bad owing to drought.
18	Pabna ...	Nil	6½	6½	Rain is wanted for *rabi* crops and for preparation of lands for sugarcane. Harvesting of *aman* paddy still continues. Fodder and water are adequate. Stock of food-grains is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6	6	
19	Malda ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of winter paddy is progressing. Prospects of standing crops are favourable.
20	Cooch Behar	Nil	8⅛	8	Weather cloudy. Preparation of lands for *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy are going on. Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease exists in the interior.
21	Dacca ...	0·02	7	7	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is nearing completion. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Narayanganj ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7⅞	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	Nil	7½	7½	
22	Mymensingh ...	Nil	7	7	Weather favourable. Harvesting of winter paddy is practically finished and its prospects are good. Fodder and water are available.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6⅞	(*n*)	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	Nil	7	7	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Weather cloudy. Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	0·02	7½	7½	
	Madaripur ...	0·	9	9	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	10	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	0·11	7½	7½	Harvesting of winter rice continues. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	0·20	8	(*n*)	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	0·03	8	8½	
25	CHITTAGONG ...	0·52	6½ / 6½*	6½ / 6½*	Cultivation of the *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter rice are in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Water and fodder are sufficient. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers per rupee at Sadar.
	Cox's Bazar ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	0·09	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Stock of rice is adequate.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	0·08	7½	7½	
27	NOAKHALI ...	0·04	7½	7½	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is almost completed. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	8	8	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	0·61	7	7	Weather cloudy. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prospects of the standing *rabi* crops are fair. Cleansed cotton sells at Rs. 30 to Rs. 45 and jute at Rs. 5 to Rs. 7 per maund.

* Burma rice. (*n*) Not reported.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 27th December 1923.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 22nd December 1923.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1923.					
16th December ...	7 A.M.	9·2	9·2	9·2	Zero is placed at mean sea level
17th „ ...	7 „	9·0	9·0	9·3	The bench mark for this gauge is
18th „ ...	7 „	8 9	8·9	9·2	marked on a pucca pillar
19th „ ...	7 „	8·8	8·8	9·2	between the passenger ghat and
20th „ ...	7 „	8·7	8·7	9·2	Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
21st „ ...	7 „	8·8	8 8	9·1	
22nd „ ...	7 „	8·7	8·7	9·0	Its reduced level is 26·84.

Highest recorded flood ... ... 24·1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood ... ... 25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25 66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Lowest recorded water-level ... ... 5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923.
Previous recorded low water-level ... ... 1·0 on the 9th February 1914.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909

B. N. GANGULI, for *Subdivisional Officer*,
RAJBARI, *the 22nd December 1923.* *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending 22nd December 1923.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1923.					
16th December ...	7 A.M.	41·20	41·20	39·35	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet
17th „ ...	7 „	41·15	41·15	39·30	above Kidderpore old
18th „ ...	7 „	41·10	41·10	39·25	dock sill.
19th „ ...	7 „	41·05	41 05	39·20	B. M on Rajshahi Col-
20th „ ...	7 „	41·00	41·00	39·15	lege step 64·93.
21st „ ...	7 „	40·90	40·90	39·10	Value of zero = 0·00
22nd „ ...	7 „	40·85	40·85	39 00	P. W. D.

		Old value.	According to P. W. D. datum.
The previous year's	Highest water-level ...	on 27th August 1923 ...	61·05
Do.	Lowest „ ...	on 4th May 1923 ...	35·80
Record	Highest „ ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879 ...	64 44
Do.	Do. „ ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885 ...	64 27
Do.	Do. „ ...	68·80 on 25th August 1906 ...	68·47
Do	Do. „ ...	68·21 on 26th August 1890 ...	68·40
Do	Lowest „ ...	37·68 on 25th April 1884 ...	32·82
Do.	Do „ ...	38·18 on 14th and 15th April 1888 ...	33·32
Do.	Do. „ ...	39·02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897 ...	34·21
Do.	Do. „ ...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908 ...	34·47
Do.	Do. „ ...	on 9th May 1922 ...	34·70

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer*,
BOALIA, *the 22nd December 1923.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 15th December 1923.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1923.							
9th Dec.	54·5	11-50	55·7	Dark	...	54·3	H. T. at 12-5.
10th „ ...	53·85	12-35	55·6	Dark	...	54 4	H. T. at 12 53. F. T. at 6-35.
11th „ ...	53·9	13-25	55·4	6-30	53·8	54·7	H. T. at 13-40. F. T. at 7-25.
12th „ ...	53·9	14-10	55·25	7-15	53·8	54 55	H. T. at 14-35. F. T. at 8-32.
13th „ ...	53·75	15-0	55·0	8-20	53·6	54·45	F. T. at 15-15. F. T. at 9-35.
14th „ ...	53 6	15-55	54·6	9-25	53·3	54·2	H. T. at 16-12. F. T. at 10-35.
15th „ ...	53 45	16-45	54·05	10-20	53·2	53·95	H. T. at 16-50.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

		High.				Low.	
27th August	1906	... 70·5		28rd February	1907	... 51·06	
5th September	1909	... 67·86		18th „	1908	... 51 06	
10th August	1910	... 69·86		12th March	1912	... 51 06	
1st „	1911	... 68 46		6th „	1914	... 50·60	
18th „	1912	... 67·16		22nd February	1915	... 50 80	
31st „	1915	... 69·7		15th „	1916	... 50 60	Taken at low tide.
18th „	1916	... 68·1	Taken at high tide.	3rd March	1917	... 51·0	
12th „	1917	... 67 1		21st February	1918	... 51·40	
31st „	1918	... 69·12		26th „	1919	... 50·4	
2nd „	1919	... 66·5		18th „	1920	... 50·9	
8th September	1920	... 66·9		19th „	1921	... 50 9	
28th July	1921	... 68 4		8th March	1922	... 51 06	
10th August	1922	... 68·00					

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −43·51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

S. C. MAZUMDAR, *Executive Engineer,*
Khulna Division

CALCUTTA, *the 20th December 1923.*

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5722A.R.—The 31st December 1923.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (*3*) of rule 3 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate the following gentlemen to be members of the Bengal Legislative Council :—

1. To represent the Indian Christian Community ... ... Mr. Satish Chandra Mukharji.
2. To represent the Depressed Classes... Babu Charu Chandra Das.
3. To represent the Labouring Classes... Mr. Krishna Chandra Roy Chaudhuri and Mr. Muhammad Daud.
4. Babu Debi Prosad Khaitan.
5. Rai Abinash Chandra Banarji Bahadur.
6. Mr. D. J. Cohen.
7. Babu Priya Nath Guha.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (off'g.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5732A.R.—The 31st December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 3 (*3*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate the officials, named below, to be members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Bengal :—

1. Major General Benjamin Hobbs Deare, C.S.I., I.M.S.
2. Mr. Donald Hector Lees, I.C.S.
3. Mr. Malcolm Caird McAlpin, C.I.E., I.C.S.
4. Mr. Herbert Philip Duval, I.C.S.
5. Mr. Alexander Marr, C.I.E., I.C.S.
6. Mr. John Arthur Laing Swan, I.C.S.
7. Mr. Guru Saday Dutt, I.C.S.
8. Mr. George Tremenheere Huntingford.
9. Mr. George Goodair Dey.
10. Mr. John Thomas Donovan, I.C.S.
11. Mr. William Woodward Hornell, C.I.E.
12. Mr. Thomas Emerson, C.I.E., I.C.S.
13. Mr. Sydney Charles Stuart-Williams.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (off'g.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5747A.R.—The 31st December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 3 (*3*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Arthur Norman Moberly, I.C.S., an official, to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

C. W. GURNER,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 1924.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 62A.—The 4th January 1924.—Vacancies having occurred in the office of Minister owing to the resignation of the Hon'ble Sir Surendra Nath Banerjea, Kt., the Hon'ble Mr. Provash Chandra Mitter, C.I.E., and the Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E., His Excellency the Governor of Bengal, in exercise of the power conferred by section 52, sub-section (*1*) of the Government of India Act (5 & 6 Geo. 5 Ch. 61; 6 & 7 Geo. 5 Ch. 37; and 9 & 10 Geo. 5 Ch. 101), is pleased to appoint Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, Mr. Abul Kasim Fazl-ul-Haq and Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi to be Ministers for the Presidency of Bengal for the administration of transferred subjects, as defined in the said Act and rules thereunder.

The aforesaid Ministers took upon themselves the execution of their office on the forenoon of the fourth day of January 1924.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

during January 1924.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
January.	HOURS.		
9th, Wednesday ...	8-36	Leave Bankura ...	By motor car.
	9-36	Arrive Vishnupur.	
	14-6	Leave Vishnupur.	
	16-36	Arrive Midnapore.	

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
January.	HOURS.		
10th, Thursday ...	...	Halt.	
11th, Friday ...	12-16	Leave Midnapore ...	By special train.
	15-40	Arrive Howrah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Countess of Lytton.
Mr. A. N. Moberly, I.C.S., Chief Secretary (offg.).
Lieut.-Col. J. Mackenzie, C.I.E., Military Secretary.
Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Private Secretary.
Captain S. B. Horn, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.
Captain H. Bruce Johnstone, Aide-de-Camp.

(2) The arrivals at Bankura on 7th January at 7-36 hours and at Midnapore on 10th at 7-36 hours will be public ; all other arrivals and departures will be private.

(3) All letters and telegrams for the party should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

J. MACKENZIE, LIEUT.-COL.,
Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 32A.R.—The 5th January 1924.—With reference to notification No 5670A.R. dated the 28th December 1923, His Excellency the Governor is pleased, in pursuance of sub-rule *1*) of rule 26 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, to call upon the 24-Parganas Rural Muhammadan constituency to elect, on or before the 15th February 1924, a member to the Bengal Legislative Council for the purpose of filling the vacancy caused by the election of Maulvi Saiyid Nasim Ali having been declared void.

A. N. MOBERLEY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 35A.R.—The 5th January 1924.—Whereas by notification No. 32A.R., dated the 5th January 1924, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to call upon the 24-Parganas Rural Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council to elect a member to the said Council in place of Maulvi Saiyid Nasim Ali ;

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, and in pursuance of sub-rule (*3*) of that rule, to prescribe the 16th January 1924 as the date for the nomination of candidates and for the delivery of nomination papers to the Returning Officers of these constituencies, and the 18th January 1924 as the date on which the scrutiny of nominations shall be held.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 1524A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

Calcutta.

GENERAL.—*No. 22A.—The 2nd January 1924.*—Mr. Nalini Bhushan Gupta, C.I.E., Bar-at-Law, is appointed temporarily to act as Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, and as Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Judicial Department, with effect from the 3rd January 1924.

No. 30A.—The 2nd January 1924.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district.

Noakhali. Chittagong.

No. 100A.—The 4th January 1924.—Mr. L. S. Bingemann, I.C.S., is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector, Murshidabad, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. S. Adie, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Murshidabad.

No. 297A.—The 5th January 1924.—Mr. L. S. S. O'Malley, C.I.E., I.C.S., is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector with effect from the 1st January 1924.

No. 309A —The 5th January 1924.—Mr. Praphulla Shankar Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bakarganj, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Tippera district.

Bakarganj. Tippera.

No. 315A.—The 5th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in continuation of notification No. 10462A., dated the 19th September 1923, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the term of appointment of Maulvi Saleh Ahmed as Special Magistrate up to the 31st March 1924.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 294A.—The 5th January 1924.*—Maulvi B. W. M. Abdur Rahaman, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on average pay for three months under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 22nd October 1923.

No. 317A.—The 5th January 1924.—Babu Haridas Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and one day (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81(*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and the note thereunder, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 11th August 1923.

POLICE.—*No. 72A.—The 3rd January 1924.*—Mr. F. P. Prior, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Bakarganj, is allowed leave on average pay for twelve days, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 29th August 1923.

Bakarganj.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 37A.R.—The 5th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*c*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulation XXV of the Bengal Electoral Regulations, the Governor in Council hereby appoints the 2nd and 4th February 1924 as the dates and 10 A.M to 3 P.M. as the hours for the recording of votes in the by-election for the 24-Parganas Rural Muhammadan constituency.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 40A.R.—The 7th January 1924.—Whereas the Governor General has been pleased to call upon the Bengal Chamber of Commerce Constituency of the Council of State to elect a member to the said Council in place of Sir Robert Watson-Smyth, Kt., resigned ;

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Council of State Electoral Rules and in pursuance of sub-rule (*3*) of that rule, to prescribe the 21st January, 1924 as the date for the nomination of candidates and for the delivery of nomination papers to the Returning Officer and the 23rd January 1924 as the date on which the scrutiny of nominations shall be held.

The Governor in Council is also pleased in exercise of the powers conferred by regulations 37 and 41 of the Council of State Electoral Regulations to prescribe the 31st January 1924 as the last date for sending out ballot papers by the Returning Officer to electors.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 107A.—The 5th January 1924.—The following is substituted for rule 1 (*f*) and rule II (*g*) in Appendix III to the rules for the departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, as amended by the Appointment Department notification No. 11475A., dated the 25th October 1922 :—

An Introduction to Indian Government Audit by Sir Frederic Gauntlett, K.B.E., C.I.E., I.C.S., second edition, chapters 3, 4, 17 and 19 (omitting paragraphs 203 and 204).

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 65 Pl.—The 3rd January 1924.—The following draft of amendments which in exercise of the power conferred by section 101 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council proposes to make in the rules published under Political Department notification No. 2197P.J., dated the 21st May 1920, at pages 1047-54 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 26th May 1920, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 21st February 1924, and any objection or suggestion with regard thereto received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft amendments.

(1) *For* rule 29 in Part IV of the said rules, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"29. As soon as the pay parade is over, the board shall send to the nearest treasury for credit to the district chaukidari reward fund the total amount realised as fine accompanied by a chalan in triplicate for the sum total of the fines realised, upon which shall be endorsed the details of the realisations made. Of the two copies of the chalan which will be returned by the treasury, one copy shall be forwarded to the circle officer and one filed in the board's office. In the alternative the board may send the amount by money-order direct to the treasury, sending intimation at the same time by letter to the Magistrate. The treasury shall show the money order coupon to the chaukidari department, which shall note the payment and inform the circle officer."

(2) *For* Form E appended to the said rules *substitute* the following :—

FORM E.

(*Vide* Rule 30.)

Salaries of chaukidars and dafadars of *union in police-station* *for the* $\frac{\text{month}}{\text{quarter}}$ *of*

Date of payment.	Name of presiding member.	Number of chaukidars (including dafadars) on the roll.	No. paid in full.	Names of those not paid owing to absence.	Names of those not paid for other reasons.	Statement of reasons for non-payments shown in columns 5 and 6.	Details of fines realised from chaukidars and sent to treasury.	REWARDS DISTRIBUTED.		Details of mutations in the names of dafadars and chaukidars since the preceding pay parade.
								Names.	Amount.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11

No. 58Pl.—The 3rd January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section *1*) and clauses (*h*) and (*m*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 101 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve of the substitution of the revised rule below for rule 33 in Part V of the rules and the cancellation of Form G appended to the said rules, published under Political Department notification No. 2197P.J., dated the 21st May 1920, in connection with the control, appointment, discipline, etc., of dafadars and chaukidars :—

"The board shall pay the cost of equipment of chaukidars and dafadars' in quarterly instalments. All such payments shall be made in full in respect of every chaukidar or dafadar without exception. The amount shall be sent by the board to the treasury accompanied by a chalan in triplicate, not later than the day following the last pay parade in each quarter. Of the two copies of the chalan which will be returned by the treasury, one copy shall be forwarded to the circle officer and one filed in the board's office. In the alternative the board may send the amount by money-order direct to the treasury, sending intimation at the same time by letter to the Magistrate. The treasury shall show the money-order coupon to the chaukidari department, which shall note the payment and inform the circle officer."

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1525A.

POWERS.

No. 70A.—The 3rd January 1924.—Babu Pran Kumar Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Diamond Harbour, 24-Parganas, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

24-Parganas.

No. 79A.—The 4th January 1924.—Babu Sambhu Charan Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Khulna.

No. 84A.—The 4th January 1924.—Babu Bijay Krishna Sen, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Hooghly.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 8516J.—The 31st December 1923.—Babu Suresh Chandra Sen, No. II, munsif of Patiya, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be a munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Satkania, and is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Chittagong.

No. 8518J.—The 31st December 1923.—Babu Indu Bhusan Biswas, munsif of Satkania, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be a munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Patiya.

Chittagong.

LEAVE.

No. 85J.—The 22nd December 1923.—Babu Bipin Bihari Chatarji, munsif, on leave, is allowed leave on half average pay for three months, under article 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 21st September 1923.

No. 86J.—The 27th December 1923.—In modification of the orders of the 30th October 1923, Babu Gopal Chandra Basu, munsif of Dinajpur, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, from the 12th November to the 22nd December 1923, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules, with permission to prefix thereto the civil court vacation of 1923, under article 82 (*d*) of the same rules.

Dinajpur.

No. 18J.—The 3rd January 1924.—Babu Pasupati Basu, Subordinate Judge, Khulna, is allowed leave on average pay for three days (on account of privilege leave on full pay at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 10th December 1923.

Khulna.

RESIGNATION.

No. 8510J.—The 31st December 1923.—The Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Rai Girish Chandra Dutta Bahadur of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Diamond Harbour bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 1J.—The 2nd January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Bidhu Bhusan Singh, an Honorary Magistrate of the Kandi bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Murshidabad, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench,—

Murshidabad.

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Kandi subdivision of the said district, and to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

J. BARTLEY,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

No. 4817M.—The 31st December 1923.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government), are pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Naihati Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Mr. J. D. Paterson.
„ H. W. MacGuire.
„ David Freir.
Munshi Abdur Rahaman.
Rai Barada Kanta Mitra Bahadur.
Babu Jatindra Nath Mazumdar.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Sir. S. N. Banarji, Kt.

No. 1M.—The 2nd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Mr. William Stewart to be a Commissioner of the Kamarhati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Babu Shama Charan Chatarji, deceased.

24-Parganas.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

No. 3M.—The 2nd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Titagarh Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

1. Mr. R. N. Neish.
2. „ W. Dewer.
3. „ W. Henderson.
4. „ J. M. Grant.
5. „ J. R. Walker.
6. „ J. Williamson.
7. Maulvi Golam Muhammad.
8. „ Abdus Sobhan.
9. Babu Tarak Nath Chatarji.
10. „ Karunamoy Chatarji.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

No. 20M.—The 3rd January 1924.—Under section 11(*1*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Rai Haridhan Datta Bahadur as Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta with effect from the 4th January 1924. Under section 39 (*1*)(*d*) of the said Act, the Rai Bahadur ceases to be a Commissioner of the Corporation from that date.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

No. 28M.—The 3rd January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 8 (*2*) (*d*) and 62 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Major Hassan Suhrawardy, M.D., M.L.C., to be a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, resigned.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

No. 31M.—The 3rd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section 4 of section 241 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and at the request of the Commissioners of the Basirhat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made at a meeting, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend the provisions of section 241 of the said Act to the area of the said Municipality, the boundaries of which are specified below :—

North—By the Ichhamati river.

East—By an imaginary straight line drawn at an angle of 1°—30′ from the point in the straight line which is 822 feet distant from the intersecting point of the centre lines of both the Itinda and Dandirhat roads and runs in direction of 78°—30′ east with the magnetic meridian. (The eastern boundary line passes along the eastern wall of the existing post-mortem house.)

South—By the imaginary line every point of which being 120 feet distant from the corresponding opposite point on the southern edge of the Itinda road.

West—By an imaginary straight line drawn in continuation of the existing pucca wall lying on the eastern edge of the Khan Bahadur road near the junction of the said road with the Itinda road making an angle of 14° with the magnetic meridian.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Sir. S. N. Banarji, Kt.

No. 32M.—The 3rd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Basirhat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend the provisions of sections 236 to 248 (except section 241), 267, 270 (*5*) and 273 (*1*) of Part VI of that Act to the area of the said municipality, the boundaries of which are specified below :—

24-Parganas.

North—By the Ichhamati river.

East—By an imaginary straight line drawn at an angle 1°—30′ from the point in the straight line which is 822 feet distant from the intersecting point of the centre lines of both the Itinda and Dandirhat roads and runs in direction of 78°—30′ east with the magnetic meridian. (The eastern boundary line passes along the eastern wall of the existing post-mortem house.)

South—By the imaginary line every point of which being 120′ feet distant from the corresponding opposite point on the southern edge of the Itinda road.

West—By an imaginary straight line drawn in continuation of the existing pucca wall lying on the eastern edge of the Khan Bahadur road near the junction of the said road with the Itinda road making an angle of 14° with the magnetic meridian.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

No. 35M.—The 3rd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Babu Baman Das Banarji, B.L., to be Chairman of the Rishra-Konnagore Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Hari Charan Chatarji, resigned.

Hooghly.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

Dacca. *No. 37M.—The 3rd January 1924.*—Under section 19 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) direct that, in accordance with the recommendation made at a meeting by the Commissioners of the Dacca Municipality in the district of Dacca, Babu Sita Nath Dey Sarkar, Babu Nabendra Nath Bysak and Maulvi Alla Bux Sarkar be removed from their office as Commissioners of the Dacca Municipality for their disgraceful conduct.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

24-Parganas. *No. 39M.—The 3rd January 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend to the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, all the provisions of the said Act except sub-section (*1*) of section 6.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

24-Parganas. *No. 40M.—The 3rd January 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 84 of the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the Commissioners of the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to exercise and perform in the said municipality the same powers and duties as are conferred or imposed by the said Act on the Corporation of Calcutta and the Commissioner of Police, respectively.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

24-Parganas. *No. 41M.—The 3rd January 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 71 of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make for the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, the by-laws which were published for information with notification No. 327L. S.-G., dated the 10th February 1923.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (*offg.*).

MEDICAL.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

Calcutta. *No. 2Medl.—The 3rd January 1924.*—Lt.-Col. E. E. Waters, I.M.S., Surgeon-Superintendent, Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay for twelve days, with effect from the 14th October 1923, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 179Medl., dated the 1st February 1923.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (*offg.*).

NOTIFICATION.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 61Medl.—The 7th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 91 of the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912 (IV of 1912), *read* with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make the following amendments in the rules relating to lunatics, published with notification No. 2227Medl, dated the 11th November 1915, as subsequently amended, namely :—

(*1*) In rule 53 *after* the word "under" *insert* the following :—

"section 466 (*2*) or".

(*2*) In rule 54 *for* clauses (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) *substitute* the following :—

(*a*) In the case of an order passed under section 466(*2*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898—

(1) a copy of the order of detention ;
(2) a brief report in regard to the crimes which the accused person is alleged to have committed ;
(3) a copy of the deposition of the medical witness ;
(4) a descriptive roll in Form C annexed to these rules, or if the lunatic has already been in a Mental Hospital, his medical history sheet in Form D annexed to these rules.

(*b*) In the case of an order passed under section 471 (*1*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898—

(1) a copy of the judgment of the Court;
(2) a copy of the deposition of the medical witness;
(3) a descriptive roll in Form C annexed to these rules, or if the lunatic has already been in a Mental Hospital, his medical history sheet in Form D annexed to these rules.

(*3*) In rule 56 (*1*) *insert* the word "immediate" before the word "transfer".

(*4*) In rule 56 (*2*) *for* the words "and if the Court or District Magistrate considers the case a suitable one to be so dealt with, the transfer shall be postponed until the orders of Government have been obtained" *substitute* the following :—

"the Court or District Magistrate or the Chief Presidency Magistrate in Calcutta shall submit it to the Local Government with his opinion:

Provided that if any such application is submitted before any Court subordinate to the District Magistrate or the Chief Presidency Magistrate, the application shall be submitted through the District Magistrate or the Chief Presidency Magistrate, as the case may be, who shall forward it to the Local Government with his opinion."

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 18313, dated Calcutta, the 22nd December 1923.—Assistant Surgeon Tarak-Nath Deb of the Brahmanberia subdivision, Tippera district, is granted combined leave for eight months, viz., leave on average pay for six months and nine days under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules on medical certificate as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the rules and leave on half average pay for one month and twenty-one days under article 81 (*d*) of those rules, in extension of the leave already granted to him in this department notifications Nos. 15653 and 16234, dated the 2nd and 15th November 1923, respectively.

No. 11, dated Calcutta, the 2nd January 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Manindra-Nath Mallik is appointed as House Physician, Carmichael Hospital for Tropical Diseases, with effect from the 8th December 1923.

B. H. DEARE,
Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Director of Public Health, Bengal.

No. 57A.—The 4th January 1924.—The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Sanitary Inspectorship Examination and to be duly qualified for employment as second grade sanitary inspectors under municipalities and district boards :—

1. Himayatuddin Ahmad.
2. Jatindra Nath Pal.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, M.B., D.P.H.,
Director of Public Health, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3777Edn.—The 18th December 1923.—Babu Makhan Lal Ray Chaudhuri, head master, Jalpaiguri Zilla School, is allowed leave on average pay for two months and fifteen days (including privilege leave on full pay for one month and fourteen days at his credit), with effect from the 15th January 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Jalpaiguri.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3778Edn.—The 18th December 1923.—Babu Dwijendra Mohan Sen Gupta, assistant head master, Jalpaiguri Zilla School, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as head master in the same school, with effect from the 15th January 1924 or any subsequent date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Makhan Lal Ray Chaudhuri, on leave, or until further orders.

Jalpaiguri.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 3781Edn.—The 28th December 1923.—Babu Dhiresh Chandra Acharya Shastri, District Inspector of Schools, Darjeeling, in the Bengal Educational Service, on return from leave, is appointed to act as a Lecturer, Krishnagar College, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hari Lal Chatarji, or until further orders.

Darjeeling. Nadia.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 7Edn.—The 3rd January 1924.—Mr. Matloob Ahmad Khan Chaudhuri, Second Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, is allowed leave on average pay (entirely on account of privilege leave at his credit), up to the 28th January 1924, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules and the note thereunder, in extension of the leave already granted to him.

Dacca Divn.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 19Edn.—The 4th January 1924.—Maulvi Serajuddin Ahmed, officiating head master, Government Moslem High School, Chittagong, was allowed leave on average pay for two days, viz., the 26th and 27th October 1923, under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Chittagong.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 2423Mis.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Saiyid Moshfiqus Saleheen, Sub-Registrar in charge of the Sadar Registration office at Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is granted leave from 1st to 22nd December 1923 on average pay (on account of privilege leave at his credit) under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Nadia.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 20th December 1923.

No. 775A.—In partial modification of this office notification No. 719A., dated the 8th December 1923, the following arrangements are sanctioned with effect from the 1st January 1924 :—

(1) Maulvi Golam Mustafa, assistant master, Barrackpur Government High School, on Rs. 75—5—200, is appointed to be assistant master, Hare School, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Maulvi Nabi Nawaz Khan Lodi, discharged.

24-Parganas. Calcutta.

(2) Maulvi Abdur Rasid, assistant master, Faridpur Zilla School (on probation), on Rs. 75—5—200, is appointed, on probation, as assistant master, Barrackpur Government High School, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Maulvi Golam Mustafa, transferred.

Faridpur. 24-Parganas.

The 21st December 1923.

No. 776A.—Erratum.—In this office notification No. 714A(*1*), dated 6th December 1923, appointing Babu Sarat Chandra Banerjee, Sub-Inspector of Schools, West Kustia, Nadia, on Rs. 75—5—200, to act as Sub-divisional Inspector of Schools, Rangpur Sadar, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Pramatha Nath Das Gupta, transferred, *for* Rangpur Sadar *read* Jalpaiguri Sadar.

Nadia. Rangpur. Jalpaiguri.

No. 777A.—Erratum.—In this office notification No. 719A., dated the 8th December 1923, sanctioning new postings of certain retrenched teachers in Government High Schools for boys against the entry No. 11, under the head "officers," *read* Babu Sripati Mohan Banerjee *for* Babu Krishna Mohan Acharjee.

No. 778A.—Maulvi Sherafat Ali Khan, assistant master, Government Moslem High School, Dacca, in the scale of Rs. 75—5—200, is granted in terms of rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*), read with rule 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules, leave on average pay for three days from the 4th to 6th October 1923, both days inclusive.

Dacca.

He is also permitted to affix Sunday, the 7th October 1923, to his leave.

No. 779 4.—The following arrangements are sanctioned :—

(1) Maulvi A. M. Muhammad Arshad, English master, Dacca Madrasah, on Rs. 75—5—200, is appointed to act as assistant headmaster, Jessore Zilla School, and in the scale on Rs. 150—10—250, on the usual acting allowance admissible under the rules, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Khaleque, transferred.

Dacca. Jessore. Calcutta.

(2) Maulvi Muhammad Yunus, officiating assistant master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasah, on Rs. 75—5—200, under orders of discharge with effect from 1st January 1924, is appointed to act as English teacher, Dacca Madrasah, and in the scale of Rs. 75—5—200, with effect from 2nd January 1924, or any subsequent date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Maulvi A. M. Muhammad Arshad, transferred.

The 22nd December 1923.

No. 780A.—The following arrangements are sanctioned in partial modification of this office notification No. 596A., dated the 30th November 1923 :—

(1) Babu Jogendra Chandra Das, assistant master, Rangamati Government High School, is appointed to be assistant master, Comilla Zilla School, with effect from the 17th November 1923, *vice* Babu Harendra Kumar Sen Gupta, transferred.

Rangamati. Tippera.

(2) Babu Harendra Kumar Sen Gupta, assistant master, Comilla Zilla School, is appointed to be assistant master, Rangamati Government High School, with effect from the 24th November 1923, *vice* Babu Jogendra Chandra Das, transferred.

(3) Babu Rajkishore Datta, officiating assistant master, Comilla Zilla School, on Rs 75—5—200, is appointed to act as assistant master, Rangamati Government High School, on the pay of his present grade with effect from the 2nd January 1923, or any subsequent date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Gourhari Das, transferred.

No. 781A.—Babu Nilmani Mukherji, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Khatra, Bankura, on Rs. 75—5—200 (since deceased), was on leave on average pay for fifty-three days (of which thirteen days being on account of privilege leave at his credit), with effect from 6th October 1923, in terms of rule 81(*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Bankura.

No. 782A.—Babu Nagendra Kumar Sen, officiating Sub-Inspector of Schools, Chhagalnaiya, Noakhali, on Rs. 75—5—200, under orders of discharge with effect from 1st January 1924, is appointed to act as Sub-Inspector of Schools, Khatra, Bankura, on the pay of his present grade with effect from 1st January 1924, *vice* Babu Nilmani Mukherji deceased, or until further orders.

Noakhali. Bankura.

The 23rd December 1923.

No. 783A.—In partial modification of this office notification No. 410A, dated 17th July 1923, Mrs. Prativa Bose, assistant mistress of Dr. Khastagir's High School for Girls, Chittagong, in the scale of Rs. 75—5—200, is allowed leave on half average pay under rule 81 (*c*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules for twenty-two days, *i.e.*, for the period from 25th January 1923 to 15th February 1923 (both days inclusive).

Chittagong.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 575.—The 20th December 1923.—Babu Bijay Chandra Dhar, Sub-Registrar of Mahisadal, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and fifteen days (sixteen days being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Midnapore.

No. 576.—The 20th December 1923.—Babu Bidhu Bhusan Bhowmik, Sub-Registrar of Balurghat, in the district of Dinajpur, was on leave on average pay for three weeks, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 3rd Novemoer 1923.

Dinajpur.

No. 577.—The 20th December 1923.—Maulvi Salamatulla, probationer of Noakhali, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Bancharampur, in the district of Tippera, with effect from the afternoon of the 10th November 1923.

Noakhali. Tippera.

No. 578.—The 21st December 1923.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Barhanuddin Havildar's Hat, in the district of Bakarganj, is allowed leave on average pay for one month (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 24th November 1923.

Bakarganj.

No. 579.—The 21st December 1923.—Babu Bimal Chandra Nag, Sub-Registrar attached to Mymensingh, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Barhanuddin Havildar's Hat, in the district of Bakarganj, with effect from the 24th November 1923, *vice* Babu Ramesh Chandra Mukharji, on leave.

Mymensingh. Bakarganj.

No. 580.—The 21st December 1923.—Babu Sarbabijay Ray Chaudhury, Sub-Registrar of Mathurapur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay for fourteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules (entire period being privilege leave at credit), with effect from the 9th December 1923.

24-Parganas.

No. 581.—The 21st December 1923.—Babu Upendra Lal Deb, Sub-Registrar of Gunabati, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and twenty-nine days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 27th October 1923.

Tippera.

No. 582.—The 21st December 1923.—Babu Hemendu Bikas Ray, Sub-Registrar attached to Chittagong, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Gunabati, in the district of Tippera, with effect from the 27th October 1923, *vice* Babu Upendra Lal Deb, on leave.

Chittagong. Tippera.

No. 583.—The 21st December 1923.—Maulvi Gholam Kasem, Sub-Registrar attached to Howrah, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and fifteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), with effect from the afternoon of the 4th November 1923, on being relieved of his officiating appointment as Sub-Registrar of Keshabpur, in the district of Jessore.

Howrah. Jessore.

No. 584.—The 21st December 1923.—Maulvi Muhammad Yasin, Sub-Registrar attached to Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, acted as Sub-Registrar of Keshabpur, in the district of Jessore, from the afternoon of the 4th November 1923 to 8th December 1923.

Murshidabad. Jessore.

No. 585.—The 21st December 1923.—Maulvi Barhanuddin Ahmad Siddiq Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar, on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Nawabganj, in the district of Dacca, with effect from the 24th April 1923.

Dacca.

No. 586.—The 21st December 1923.—Babu Lalit Mohan Chatarji, Sub-Registrar of Mankar, in the district of Burdwan, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 6th December 1923.

Burdwan.

No. 587.—The 21st December 1923.—Babu Sasanka Sekhar Batabyal, Sub-Registrar attached to Burdwan, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Mankar, in the same district, with effect from the 6th December 1923, *vice* Babu Lalit Mohan Chatarji, on leave.

Burdwan.

No. 588.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Jasimuddin Ahmed, Sub-Registrar attached to Pabna, officiating at Pirganj, in the district of Rangpur, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and eleven days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the afternoon of the 11th November 1923.

Pabna.
Rangpur.

No. 589.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Saiyid Dilwar Ali Mirza, Sub-Registrar attached to Murshidabad, acted as Sub-Registrar of Pirganj, in the district of Rangpur, from the 21st November 1923 to the 6th December 1923 (both days inclusive).

Murshidabad.
Rangpur.

No. 590.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Saiyid Dilwar Ali Mirza, officiating Sub-Registrar of Pirganj, in the district of Rangpur, is allowed leave on average pay for sixteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 7th December 1923.

Rangpur.

No. 591.—The 22nd December 1923.—Babu Prabhat Chandra Sarkar, probat oner of Malda, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Pirganj, in the district of Rangpur, with effect from the 7th December 1923, *vice* Maulvi Saiyid Dilwar Ali Mirza, on leave.

Malda.
Rangpur.

No. 592.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Farid Bakht Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Senbagh, in the district of Noakhali.

Noakhali.

No. 593.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Abdul Wahab, Sub-Registrar of Senbagh, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Gunabati, in the district of Tippera.

Noakhali.
Tippera.

No. 594.—The 22nd December 1923.—Babu Binod Bihari Datta, Sub-Registrar of Hathazari, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for two months and ten days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 6th December 1923.

Chittagong.

No. 595.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Mahbubal Alam, Sub-Registrar attached to Chittagong, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Hathazari, in that district, with effect from the 6th December 1923, *vice* Babu Binod Bihari Datta, on leave.

Chittagong.

No. 596.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Saiyid Abul Matahar, Sub-Registrar attached to Hooghly, acted as Sub-Registrar of Pandua, in that district, from the 6th to the 9th November 1923.

Hooghly.

No. 597.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Saiyid Abul Motahar, Sub-Registrar attached to Hooghly, acted as Sub-Registrar of Naihati, in the district of the 24-Parganas, from the afternoon of the 8th September 1923 to the 25th October 1923.

Hooghly.
24-Parganas.

No. 598.—The 22nd December 1923.—Babu Surendra Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar of Kishoreganj, in the district of Rangpur, on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Ratua, in the district of Malda.

Rangpur.
Malda

No. 599.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Hamid-ud-din Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Ratua, in the district of Malda, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kishoreganj, in the district of Rangpur.

Malda.
Rangpur.

No. 600.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Mataherul Karim, Sub-Registrar attached to Calcutta, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances for seven days, under rule 85 (*a*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 465, dated the 12th October 1923.

Calcutta.

No. 601.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Muhammad Saleh, Sub-Registrar of Debra, in the district of Midnapore, was on leave on average pay for fifteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 356, dated the 30th August 1923.

Midnapore.

No. 602.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Saiyid Mahmud Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, is allowed leave for six months, viz., furlough on medical certificate for five days, under article 301 (*a*) of the New Leave Rules, and extraordinary leave without allowances for the remaining period, under rule 306 (*a*) (*i*) of the said rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 216, dated the 7th June 1923.

No 603.—The 22nd December 1923.—Babu Haripada Sen, Sub-Registrar of Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, is allowed leave on average pay for five days (entire period being on account of privilege leave), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 26th October 1923.

Khulna.

A. ISLAM,

Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 221F.—The 7th January 1924.—Mr. William Henry Gordon Mackenzie is appointed to officiate, with effect from the 3rd December 1923, as Deputy Superintendent in the Bengal Government Press, *vice* Mr. George Wilfrid Davis, officiating as Press and Forms Manager, Bengal.

No. 225F.—The 7th January 1924.—Mr. W. H. Shea, Deputy Superintendent, Bengal Government Press, is allowed leave on average pay for four months under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 3rd December 1923.

No. 229 F.—The 7th January 1924.—Mr. James Horace Golder is appointed to officiate, with effect from the 3rd December 1923, as Deputy Superintendent in the Bengal Government Press, *vice* Mr. William Horace Shea on leave.

A. MARR,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1Marine.—The 2nd January 1924.—Mr. G. B. Hodley, provisional Mate Pilot, is granted leave on average pay for six weeks from the 1st January 1924 under rule 81(*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules.

A. MARR,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 75.—The 29th December 1923.—Babu Madhu Sudan Sen Gupta, Executive Engineer, is granted leave on average pay for nine days, in extension of the leave granted to him in notification No. 52, dated the 15th September 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E.

No. 76.—The 29th December 1923.—Babu Madhu Sudan Sen Gupta, Executive Engineer, is, on return from the leave granted to him in notifications Nos 52 and 75, dated respectively the 15th September and 29th December 1923, attached to the office of the Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, until further orders.

G. G. DEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No 1.-I.—*The 2nd January 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 13 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Subdivisional Officer, Chandpur, to be *ex-officio* the supervisor of the line of channel (approximately 4 miles in length) called the Chandpur khal, from its junction with the Meghna river near Chandpur to its junction with the Dakatia river at Char Measa, in the district of Tippera, which has been declared under section 2 of the said Act in Bengal Government notification No. 61., dated the 20th August 1923, published in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem.

No. 2.-I.—*The 5th January 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Bengal Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that from the date of the publication of this notification the provisions of the said Act shall apply to and be in force as regards the undermentioned navigable rivers in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Howrah and Midnapore :—

(1) The whole of the river Hooghly from Budge Budge to the sea.

(2) Portions of the river Damodar in the district of Howrah and of the Rupnarain in the Midnapore district at their junctions with the river Hooghly as specified below :—

Name of rivers.	From—		To—		Approximate length.
	Village.	Pargana.	Village.	Pargana.	
Damodar ...	Marshal ...	Mundleghat ...	Dingekhola ...	Mundelghat ...	4 miles.
Rupnarain ..	Chandramer Chara.	Tamluk ...	Natsal ...	Mohisadal ...	10 ,,

No. 3-I.—*The 5th January 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the provisions of clause (*b*) of section 76 of the said Act of 1882 shall take effect on and from 15th February 1924 over a tract of country extending for one mile from the right bank of the river Hooghly from a point opposite Budge-Budge Khal to the mouth of the Damodar in the district of Howrah excluding the areas where the Act is already in operation.

2. The erection of any new embankment or any addition to an existing embankment or the obstruction or diversion of any water-course within the above area, without the previous permission of the Collector, is prohibited.

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

No. 53Exc.—The 22nd December 1923.—Babu Manindra Nath Roy, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Burdwan, is allowed two months' privilege leave with effect from the 2nd January 1924. He is permitted to prefix the X'mas and New Year's Day holidays to his leave.

G. P. HOGG,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Malda

No. 49L.R.—The 2nd January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825), read with section 20 of the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822), the Governor in Council is pleased to vest Maulvi Nazir Hussain, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Malda, who has, by notification No. 8153C.P., dated the 22nd December 1923, been vested by the Board of Revenue with the powers of a Collector in the Mathurapur estate, in the district of Malda, for the purpose of the work of maintenance of the records-of-rights of that estate, with powers under section 19 of the said Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822, within the local limits of that estate, to require and compel persons mentioned in the section to attend and produce accounts and other papers and to examine such persons under that section for the purposes of the said work of the maintenance of the records-of-rights.

Bakarganj.

No. 82L.R.—The 4th January 1924.—Maulvi Serajul Islam, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be the Colonisation Officer, Bakarganj, *vice* Khan Bahadur Quamaruddin Ahmed, transferred.

Darjeeling.

No. 161L.R.—The 7th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by the second proviso to section 10 of the Darjeeling and Kurseong Municipal (Porters) Act, 1883 (Bengal Act V of 1883), the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm an order made and published under the said section 10 by the Commissioners of the Darjeeling Municipality, revising in the manner noted below the rates of hire in respect of all coolies empowered to work by the job or for any period not exceeding twenty-four hours, as confirmed in Government notification No. 3316L R., dated the 29th March 1923, published on pages 467 to 469, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th April 1923 :—

"That the minimum charge up to one hour should be annas four by day and annas six by night per rickshawalla or dandywalla, and annas eight per hour or fraction thereof for a rickshaw, the other rates standing as at present."

Khulna.

No. 135L.R.—The 7th January 1924.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned settlement kanungos are authorised to discharge, in the district of Khulna, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights :—

1. Babu Sidheswar Haldar.
2. ,, Shyama Kanta Gangaly.
3. ,, Jogendra Chandra Datta.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

Howrah.

No. 106L.A.—The 5th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha of standard measurement, equivalent to ·3306 of an acre, which was notified for acquisition under declaration No. 4305L.A., dated the 12th May 1923, published at page 677, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, and required to be taken by Government for the Grāmīya Hitakari Balika Bidyalaya in the village of Andool, pargana Mozafferpur, zilla Howrah.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 124L.A.—The 5th January 1924.—In lines 5 and 14 of declaration No. 3429L.A., dated the 5th April 1923, published at page 472, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, in respect of the acquisition of additional land required by the East Indian Railway Company for Baraboni additional line at the 8th mile of the Sitarampur-Domohani extension in the district of Burdwan, *for* the words "villages of Baraboni, Bhanwara, and Chak-Krismath" *read* "village of Baraboni," and in lines 5-6 of the declaration *for* the words "parganas Kanthanagar and Shergarh" *read* "pargana Kanthanagar."

Burdwan.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

No. 39For.—The 27th December 1923.—Mr. S. J. Curtis, Deputy Conservator of Forests, is transferred from special duty attached to the circle to the charge of the Chittagong Division with headquarters at Chittagong, *vice* Mr. M. A T. Marchant, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, transferred to special duty.

Direction. Chittagong.

No. 40For.—The 27th December 1923.—Mr. M. A. T. Marchant, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, is transferred from the charge of the Chittagong Division to special duty and is attached to the Chittagong Division with headquarters at Chittagong.

Chittagong.

No. 41For.—The 27th December 1923.—Notification No. 37For., dated the 13th December 1923, transferring Mr. D. A. G. Davidson, Assistant Conservator of Forests, attached to the Direction division, from Chittagong to the Buxa Division, is cancelled.

Direction. Buxa.

R. C. MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

No. 17740, dated Calcutta, the 24th December 1923.—Major E. B. Munro, I.M.S., made over charge of the Burdwan Jail to Civil Surgeon Rai Hem Chandra Sarker Bahadur on the forenoon of the 17th December 1923.

No. 23, dated Calcutta the 4th January 1924.—Dr. Surendra Nath Sen Gupta made over charge of the Comilla Jail to officiating Civil Surgeon Rash Behari Bakshi on the forenoon of the 17th December 1923.

F. S. C. THOMPSON, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 45L., dated Calcutta, the 7th January, 1924.—It is hereby notified, in pursuance of rule 14(*g*) of the rules for the election and nomination of members to the Bengal Legislative Council, that the candidates mentioned in the first column of the schedule appended to this notification have been declared under rule 14(*2*) of the aforesaid rules to have been duly elected by the constituencies mentioned in the second column of that schedule, to be members of the Bengal Legislative Council :—

Schedule.

Name of candidate declared to be elected.	Constituency for whom the candidate has been elected.
Mr. C. R. Das ...	... Midnapore South (Non-Muhammadan).
Mr. Altaf Ali ...	... Mymensingh East (Muhammadan).

C. TINDALL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Dates of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Criminal Sessions for the year 1924.

No of sessions	Day of the week	Date
First Sessions	... Monday	... 11th February.
Second Sessions	... Do.	... 5th May.
Third Sessions	... Do.	... 23rd June.

Dates of the 4th and 5th Criminal Sessions will be notified hereafter.

By order,

O. MOSES,
Clerk of the Crown.

HIGH COURT, CROWN OFFICE, *the 18th December 1923.*

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—CIVIL.

The 5th January 1924.

No. 191A.—Babu Janaki Nath Mukharji, officiating Subordinate Judge, Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar munsifi of Faridpur.

By order of the High Court,

J. D. V. HODGE,
Registrar.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7, Act IX of 1887 (The Provincial Small Cause Court Act), that, in the months of February and March 1924 until further orders, the Judge of Small Cause Court, Serampore and Howrah, and 2nd Additional Subordinate Judge of Howrah will hold his sitting as detailed below :—

February 1924.

Serampore	... 1st to 6th.
Howrah (as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge) ...	... 7th to 19th.
Howrah (as Judge, Small Cause Court) ...	... 20th to 28th.

March 1924.

Serampore	... 1st to 6th.
Howrah (as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge) ...	... 7th to 19th.
Howrah (as Judge, Small Cause Court) ...	... 20th to 31st.

Excluding Sundays and holidays.

TEJ CHANDRA MITTER, *Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.*

HOWRAH, *the 21st December 1923.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5485J.—In modification of this office notification No. 5038J., dated the 28th November 1923, Babu Surendra Nath Sen Gupta, No. 1, Sub-Deputy Collector and whole-time Batwara officer, Rangpur, is allowed leave for four days under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 7th November 1923.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVISION, JALPAIGURI, *the 28th December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 25J.G.—Babu Harendra Lal Chatterjee, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Nalhati, Birbhum, is allowed leave on average pay for one month under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 14th January 1924, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 29J.G.—Babu Brindaban Chandra De, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Tamluk, Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for one month under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 31J.—Babu Charu Chandra Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, on probation, Mymensingh, is transferred temporarily to the Kishoreganj subdivision of that district.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 20M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the by-election held on the 15th December 1923 in ward No. I of the North Dum-Dum Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, Babu Sahai Chandra Banerjee has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Pran Krishna Chatterjee, deceased.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 21M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Chakdah Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the last general election of the Commissioners held on the 8th December 1923 :—

No. of ward.	Name
I	Babu Nibaran Chandra Chatterji, B.A. Munshi Habibar Rahaman Daftry.
II	Babu Rai Charan Bhattacharji. „ Rajendra Lal Pramanik.
III	Babu Kali Kumar Mitra. „ Tarak Nath Ghosh.
IV	Babu Nagendra Nath Ghose. Kazi Mahammad Afif.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2502L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been elected as members of the Sadar Local Board, Birbhum :—

	Names of members.		Name of thana.
1.	Babu Hari Narayan Misra	...	... Suri.
2.	,, Panchanan Ghosh ...	...	... Do.
3.	,, Kshitish Chandra Mitra	...	.. Dubrajpur.
4.	,, Kamala Kinkar Banerjee	...	... Do.
5.	,, Debendra Nath Sarkar	...	... Bolpur.
6.	,, Guruprasanna Chaudhury	...	... Do.
7.	,, Bijay Chandra Sarkar	...	... Nanur.
8.	,, Nirmal Shib Banerjee	...	... Labpur.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Act III of 1885) and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29B of the same Act, I hereby appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the said local board :—

1. Babu Dwijendra Nath Mukherjee.
2. Maulvi Syed Abdul Haq.
3. ,, Sajjad Karim.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 29th December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2505L S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been elected as members of the Rampurhat local board in the district of Birbhum :—

	Names of members.		Thana.
1.	Babu Bhupati Bhusan Mukherjee	...	Rampurhat.
2.	,, Satish Chandra Ghosal	...	Ditto.
3.	,, Bhobesh Chandra Mukherjee	...	Maureswar.
4.	,, Bhobesh Chandra Ray Chaudhury	...	Nalhati.
5.	,, Bhola Nath Ray Chaudhury	...	Ditto.
6.	Shaikh Jelani	...	Muraroi.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Act III of 1885) and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29B of the same Act, I hereby appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the said local board :—

1. Babu Upendra Nath Rai.
2. Maulvi Abdul Aziz.
3. ,, Modeswar Hossain.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 29th December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 63L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power conferred on me by section 43 of the Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint Babu Bishva Nath Banerjee to be a member of the Malihati union committee in thana Bharatpur, in the Kandi subdivision of the Murshidabad district, in place of Babu Bidhu Bhusan Ray, deceased.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 2nd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 16M. —It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 9 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the following gentlemen have been duly elected as members of the several local boards in the district of Dinajpur :—

Name of local board	Name of thana.	Name of member.
Sadar ...	Kotwali	... Maulvi Nasiruddin Ahmed Choudhuri.
	Biral	... Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Bagchi.
	Kaliaganj	... „ Khitish Chandra Roychoudhuri.
	Itahar	... „ Kanai Lal Das.
	Raiganj	... „ Nalini Mohan Sinha.
	Hemtabad	... Maulvi Osman Gani Choudhuri.
	Bangshihari	... „ Mahiuddin Ahmed Choudhuri.
	Kushmandi	... „ Abdur Rahaman Choudhuri.
	Chiriribandar	... „ Mahammad Abdul Jabbar.
	Parbatipur	... Babu Tarakeswar Chakravarti.
	Nawabganj	... „ Sashkaran Dugar.
	Ghoraghat	... Maulvi Aftabuddin Choudhuri.
Thakurgaon ...	Thakurgaon	... „ Mahammad Saif Uddin.
	Baliadangi	... „ Tamizuddin Ahmed.
	Atwari	... „ Mir Karim Bakash.
	Birganj	... „ Nazib Uddin Choudhuri.
	Khansama	... „ Hashan Ali, M.A., B.L.
	Kaharole	... „ Tafir Uddin Ahmed Choudhuri.
	Pirganj	... „ Khoirat Ali Choudhuri.
	Bochaganj	... „ Khorsed Ali Choudhuri.
	Ranishankail	... Babu Durga Das Mukherjee.
	Haripur	... „ Nishit Nath Kundu, B.L.
Balurghat ...	Balurghat	... „ Suresh Ranjan Chatterjee, M.A., B.L.
	Kumarganj	... „ Ramakanta Samajdar, M.SC., B.L.
	Tapan	... „ Nalini Kanta Goswami.
	Patnitala	... Maulvi Samsuddin Ahmed.
	Porsha	... „ Amiruddin Choudhuri.
	Dhamoirhat	... „ Mafizuddin Chaudhuri.
	Fulbari	... Babu Suresh Chandra Roy.
	Gangarampur	... „ Surendra Chandra Bagchi.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 8M.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19 (*2*) of the Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885) and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29B of the same Act, I hereby appoint Maulvi Aklimuddin Ahmed as a member of the Jalpaiguri District Board in place of Maulvi Kamiruddin Ahmed, deceased.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 3rd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Babu Kshetra Nath Sinha, a defeated candidate of the Rangpur Non-Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, has on the 4th January 1924 lodged with me return of election expenses together with a declaration required under rule 19 of the said rules, and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day when the offices will remain open on payment of the prescribed fees.

S. K. HALDAR, *Returning Officer (District Magistrate).*

RANGPUR, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Syed Sadeq Reza, one of the duly nominated candidates for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Murshidabad Muhammadan Rural Constituency, has filed on the 2nd January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Murshidabad, Berhampore, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

W. S. ADIE, *Returning Officer.*

BERHAMPORE, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information that Maulvi Syed Nausher Ali, who was nominated as a candidate for the election of a member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore South Muhammadan constituency, lodged with the undersigned return of election expenses and declaration in the proper form on 3rd January 1924. They may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between 1 P.M. to 3 P.M., on payment of a fee of one rupee.

C. C. V. R. SELLS, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

JESSORE, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of the election expenses and declarations made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidates on the 3rd January 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M., on payment of a fee of rupee one only :—

Babu Nalini Ranjan Sarkar, Mymensingh East Non-Muhammadan constituency.
„ Manomohan Neogi, Mymensingh West Non-Muhammadan constituency.

W. S. HOPKYNS, *Returning Officer.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923, that Babu Umesh Chandra Chatterji, who has been declared as elected from the Bankura East Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, has, on the 21st December 1923, lodged with me return of election expenses, together with the declaration required under rule 19 (*3*) of the said rules ; and the same can be inspected in my office between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day excepting holidays and Sundays on payment of the prescribed fee of rupee one only and copies of such returns can be had on payment of a fee of Rs. 2 only.

B. D. HAZARA, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

BANKURA, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Babu Mohendra Nath Maiti and Mr. Birendra Nath Sasmal, duly elected members from the South Midnapore Non-Muhammadan constituency, have lodged with me, on the 2nd January 1924, returns of election expenses in the prescribed form duly signed by them and accompanied by their declaration as laid down in rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Any person desiring to inspect each of these returns may do so on payment of a fee of rupee one only between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. in the Midnapore Collectorate.

G. H. W. DAVIES, *District Magistrate, Midnapore, and Returning Officer.*

MIDNAPORE, *the 3rd January 1924,*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified, under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Khan Saheb Maulvi Abdul Aziz and Nurul Haq Chaudhury, candidates for election from the Noakhali Muhammadan constituency to the Bengal Legislative Council, have on the 5th day of January 1924 lodged with me return of election expenses, together with the declaration required under rule 19 of the said rules; and the same can be inspected in my office between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M., on business days, on payment of the prescribed fee of one rupee.

O. M. MARTIN, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

NOAKHALI, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declarations made in respect thereof under rule 19 of Bengal Electoral Rules, published in Government notification No. F-213V. of the 30th July 1923, have been lodged with the undersigned by the following candidates on the dates noted against each and they are ready for inspection at the office of the District Magistrate of Dacca between the hours of 11 A.M. to 5 P.M. on week days from the 3rd January 1924 on payment of rupee one only :—

Dacca Rural (Non-Muhammadan).

(1) Babu Jogendra Nath Roy ... ... 2nd January 1924.

Dacca Rural (Muhammadan) West.

(2) Major Hossan Suhrawardy ... ... 2nd January 1924.

J. G. DRUMMOND, *Returning Officer.*

DACCA, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the return of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of Bengal Electoral Rules, published in Government notification No. F-213 V of the 30th July 1923, have been lodged with the undersigned by the following candidate on the date noted against him and they are ready for inspection at the office of the District Magistrate of Dacca, between the hours of 11 A.M. to 5 P.M., on week days from the 5th January 1924 on payment of rupee one only :—

Dacca City (Non-Muhammadan) constituency.

Satish Chandra Sarkar ... ... 4th January 1924.

J. G. DRUMMOND, *Returning Officer.*

DACCA, *the 4th January 1924*

Bengal Chamber of Commerce Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of No. 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that the return of election expenses, and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, were duly lodged by Sir George Cochrane Godfrey with me on the 2nd day of January 1924. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee of one rupee, be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one week from this date.

H. M. HAYWOOD, *Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd January 1924.*

Khulna Muhammadan Constituency, Bengal Legislative Council.

NOTICE under rule 19 (*5*), Bengal Electoral Rules, is hereby given that Maulvi Sayyed Sultan Ali, M.L.C., has lodged his duly affirmed return of election expenses before me this day, the 2nd January 1924. The same may be inspected at my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of the prescribed fees.

D. GLADDING, *Returning Officer.*

KHULNA COLLECTORATE, *the 2nd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Mr. S. R. Dass, a duly nominated candidate of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta North-West Non-Muhammadan constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 2nd day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 1st January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Satcowripati Roy, a duly elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta North-West Non-Muhammadan constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 31st day of December 1923.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 31st December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that K. L. Datta, a duly nominated candidate of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta North Non-Muhammadan constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 27th day of December 1923.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 27th December 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Razaur Rahman Khan, a duly nominated candidate of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta North Muhammadan constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 2nd day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer,*

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd January 1923.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Legislative Assembly Rules that Bipin Chandra Pal, a duly elected member of the Indian Legislative Assembly from the Calcutta Urban Non-Muhammadan constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 2nd day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that A. K. Fazlul Haque, a duly nominated candidate of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta South Muhammadan constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 2nd day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of Raya Yatindra Nath Chaudhury, a candidate for election from the Presidency Landholders' constituency to the Bengal Legislative Council, together with the declarations has been lodged with the returning officer on the 2nd January 1924. The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at 3, Charnock Place, Calcutta, on business days during business hours.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner, Presidency Division (Returning Officer).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 3rd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of the Hon'ble Mr. Provash Chunder Mitter, who has been declared to be duly elected as a member to the Bengal Legislative Council, together with the declarations was lodged with the returning officer on the 29th December 1923 The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at 3, Charnock Place, Calcutta, on business days during business hours.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner, Presidency Division (Returning Officer).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 3rd January 1924.*

Bengal Legislative Council Indian Mining Association Constituency.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of No. 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that the return of election expenses, and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Indian Mining Association constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, were duly lodged by Mr. Willoughby Langer Carey with me on the 29th day of November 1923. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee of one rupee, be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one week from this date.

H. M. HAYWOOD, *Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 28th December 1923.*

Bengal Legislative Council Indian Mining Association Constituency.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of No. 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that the return of election expenses, and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Indian Mining Association constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, were duly lodged by Mr. Woomesh Chunder Banerjee with me on the 22nd day of December 1923. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee of one rupee, be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one week from this date.

H. M. HAYWOOD, *Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 28th December 1923.*

Calcutta University Constituency.

A RETURN of election expenses (duly accompanied by the required declaration) in respect of the following candidate has been lodged with the undersigned, and the same may, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 be inspected in the Registrar's room, Darbhanga Library Building, Calcutta, any day (excepting Sundays or holidays) between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M. :—

Name of candidate.	Date of submission of the return.
Mr. Bijaykrishna Basu, B.L.	... 28th December 1923.

J. C. GHOSH, *Registrar, Calcutta University, and Returning Officer.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 3rd January 1924.*

Dacca University Constituency.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under sub-rule (*5*) of rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Mr. Sarat Chandra Chakrabarti, a duly nominated candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dacca University constituency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration on the 22nd December 1923.

They may be inspected in my office at the University Central Buildings, Ramna, Dacca, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on week days (excepting holidays) on payment of the prescribed fee.

N. AHMED, *Registrar, University of Dacca and Returning Officer.*

Khulna Muhammadan Constituency, Bengal Legislative Council.

NOTICE under rule 19 (*5*) the Bengal Electoral Rules is hereby given that Maulvi Shamsur Rahman has lodged his duly affirmed return of election expenses before me this day, the 3rd January 1924. The same may be inspected at my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of the prescribed fees.

D. GLADDING, *Returning Officer.*

KHULNA COLLECTORATE, *the 3rd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19(*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Mr. Prasanna Deb Raikut, who has been duly elected from the Jalpaiguri Rural Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, has, on the 20th day of December 1923, lodged with me return of election expenses together with the declarations required under rule 19 (*3*) of the said rules, and the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day when the office will remain open on payment of the prescribed fee.

W. H. NELSON, *Returning Officer (Deputy Commissioner, Jalpaiguri).*

DEPUTY COMMR.'S OFFICE, JALPAIGURI, *the 20th December 1923.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under the provisions of the Bengal Electoral Rule 19 (*5*) that Rai Kalipada Banerjee Bahadur, duly nominated a candidate for election from the Jalpaiguri Rural Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, has, on the 21st day of December 1923, lodged with me return of election expenses together with the declarations required under rule 19 (*3*) of the said Rules, and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M on any day when the office will remain open on payment of the prescribed fee.

W. H. NELSON, *Returning Officer,*
Deputy Commissioner, Jalpaiguri.

DEPUTY COMMR.'S OFFICE, JALPAIGURI, *the 21st December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 87J.G.— It is hereby notified that Maulvi Muhammad Yasin, one of the elected members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Burdwan Division, North Muhammadan constituency, has filed on the 5th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Babu Jogendra Chandra Chakravarti, one of the elected members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dinajpur Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has filed on the 4th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Dinajpur on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. DE, *District Magistrate* (*Returning Officer*).

DINAJPUR, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information that Maulvi Abdul Kader, who was declared duly elected under rule 14 (*7*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules as a member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore South Muhammadan Constituency on 28th November 1923, lodged with the undersigned return of election expenses and declaration in the proper form on 2nd January 1924. They may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between 1 P.M. to 3 P.M on payment of a fee of one rupee.

C. C. V. R. SELLS, *District Magistrate* (*Returning Officer*).

JESSORE, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of the Bengal Electoral Rule 19 (*5*), that the return of election expenses and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Chittagong District Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, was duly lodged by Maulvi Asad Ali with me on the 22nd December 1923. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee of one rupee, be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one month from this date.

L. B. BURROWS, *District Magistrate and*
Returning Officer.

CHITTAGONG, *the 3rd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of the Bengal Electoral Rule 19 (*5*), that the return of election expenses and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Chittagong District Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, was duly lodged by Maulvi Md. Nurul Huq Choudhuri with me on the 2nd January 1921. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee of one rupee, be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one month from this date.

L. B. BURROWS, *District Magistrate and*
Returning Officer.

CHITTAGONG, *the 3rd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of the Bengal Electoral Rule 19 (*5*), that the return of election expenses and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Chittagong District Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, was duly lodged by Babu Annada Charan Datta, M.A., B.L., with me on the 22nd December 1923. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee of one rupee, be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one month from this date.

L. B. BURROWS, *District Magistrate and*
Returning Officer.

CHITTAGONG, *the 2nd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of the Bengal Electoral Rule 19 (*5*), that the return of election expenses and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Chittagong District Non-Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, was duly lodged by Maulvi Syed Moqbul Hossain with me on the 3rd January 1924. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee one rupee. be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one month from this date.

L. B. BURROWS, *District Magistrate and*
Returning Officer.

CHITTAGONG, *the 3rd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of the Bengal Electoral Rule 19 (*5*), that the return of election expenses and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Chittagong District Non-Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, was duly lodged by Babu Kamini Kumar Das, M.B.E., with me on the 19th December 1923. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee of one rupee, be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one month from this date.

L. B. BURROWS, *District Magistrate and*
Returning Officer.

CHITTAGONG, *the 3rd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

MAULVI ABDUL KARIM, who was declared to be duly elected as a member to the Council of State from the East Bengal Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged with me his return of election expenses and declarations on the 24th day of December 1923. They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Dacca Division, on payment of proper fees during the office hours 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner and*
Returning Officer.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

KHWAJA ABDUL KARIM, who was declared to be duly elected as a member to the Legislative Assembly from the Dacca Division Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged with me his return of election expenses and declarations on the 2nd day of January 1924. They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Dacca Division, on payment of proper fees during the office hours 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Khan Sahib Maulvi Abdur Rahaman Dobash, a candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Chittagong Landholders' constituency, lodged with the Returning Officer on the 3rd January 1921 his return of election expenses and the declarations.

The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Chittagong Division, Chittagong, on business days during business hours on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (Returning Officer).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Mr. Arun Chandra Sinha, who has been duly elected a member of the Bengal Legislative Council by the Chittagong Landholders' constituency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration with the undersigned on the 24th December 1923.

The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Chittagong Division, Chittagong, on business days during business hours on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (Returning Officer).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Babu Lall Mohan Saha Chaudhuri, a candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Chittagong Landholders' Constituency, lodged with the Returning Officer on the 24th December 1923 his return of election expenses and the declarations.

The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Chittagong Division, Chittagong, on business days during business hours on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (Returning Officer).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Babu Khirod Chandra Roy, who was nominated as a candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Chittagong Landholders' Constituency but subsequently withdrew his candidature, lodged with the Returning Officer on the 27th December 1923 his return of election expenses and the declarations

The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Chittagong Division, Chittagong, on business days during business hours on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (Returning Officer).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 4th January 1924.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th December 1923, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

STAMPS.

Delhi, the 15th December 1923.

No. 1693.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 20, sub-section (*2*) of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce No. 348, dated the 13th January 1923, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In the third column of the second item of the table for the words and figures "$\frac{3}{4}$ of a rupee, *i.e*, francs 75=Rs. 15" the words and figures "$\frac{4}{5}$ of a rupee, *i.e.*, francs 80=Rs. 15" shall be substituted, and in the third column of the third item of the table for the words and figures "1-8,000,000,000 of a rupee, *i.e.*, Marks 120,000,000,000=Rs. 15" the words and figures "1-1,000,000,000,000 of a rupee, *i e.*, Marks 15,000,000,000,000=Rs. 15" shall be substituted.

A. C. MCWATTERS,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification issued by the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Labour, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 29th December 1923, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

POST OFFICE.

Delhi, the 29th December 1923.

No. 175-P. & T.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 10 of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898, (VI of 1898), the Governor General in Council is

pleased to direct that with effect from the 1st January 1924, the following amendment shall be made in the rules published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 2883-45, dated the 26th April 1913, namely—

In sub-rule (2) of rule 4 of the said rules, for the words "two annas" the words "four annas" shall be substituted.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following resolution issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, dated the 29th December 1923, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

No. F. 312—23-Estabts.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 27th December 1923.

RESOLUTION.

The undermentioned gentlemen, who have been appointed in England to the Indian Civil Service, are, under the orders of the Governor General in Council, allotted to the provinces shown against their names :—

Mr. B. M. Mitra	...	...	...	Bengal.
Mr. R. G. D. Walton	...	...	...	United Provinces.
Mr. S. H. Zaheer	...	...	...	
Mr. Amin-ud-Din	...	...	...	Punjab.
Khin Maung Yin	...	...	...	Burma.
Mr. K. T. Mangalmurti	...	...	...	Central Provinces.
Mr. M. Mitra	...	...	...	Assam.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the local Governments concerned for information and guidance. Also that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India* and that a copy be forwarded to each of the gentlemen named.

J. CRERAR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following resolution issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, and published in the *Gazette of India*, is republished for general information.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 2083-C.S.R., dated Delhi, the 26th November 1923.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Finance Department.

The following Resolution by the Secretary of State for India in Council is published for general information :—

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 96B (2) of the Government of India Act, the Secretary of State in Council, with the concurrence of the majority of votes at a meeting of the Council of India held the 26th day of September 1923, hereby makes the following rule to be substituted for Rule 95 of the Fundamental Rules :—

Rule.

"95. Subject to any exceptions and modifications which the Secretary of State in Council may by rule prescribe, the special leave rules in sections I to V of this Chapter apply to Chaplains of the Church of England and Church of Scotland on the Bengal, Madras and Bombay Ecclesiastical Establishments, including the Bishops of Lahore, Rangoon, Lucknow and Nagpur."

ORDERED that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India.*

The following notifications issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 1st January 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDER OF THE STAR OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 1st January 1924.

No. 1-S.I.—His Excellency the Grand Master of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India is pleased to announce that His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to make the following promotion in, and appointments to, the said Order :—

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To be Companions.

The Honourable Mr. James Donald, C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Bengal Executive Council.

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G. D. OGILVIE,
Secretary to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

ORDER OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 1st January 1924.

No. 2-I.E.—His Excellency the Grand Master of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire is pleased to announce that His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the said Order :—

To be a Knight Grand Commander.

The Honourable Maharajadhiraja Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab Bahadur, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., of Burdwan, Vice-President of the Bengal Executive Council.

To be Knights Commanders.

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The Honourable Mr. Hugh Lansdown Stephenson, C.S.I., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Bengal Executive Council.

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To be Companions.

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Herbert Philip Duval, Esquire, Indian Civil Service, Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial Department, and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal.

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G. D. OGILVIE,
Secretary to the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire.

KNIGHTHOOD.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 1st January 1924.

No. 3-H.—His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on :—

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The Honourable Mr. Charles Lennox Somerville Russell, Indian Civil Service, Resident at Hyderabad.

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The Honourable Mr. Justice William Ewart Greaves, Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

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Willoughby Langer Carey, Esquire, President, Bengal Chamber of Commerce.

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G. D. OGILVIE,
Political Secretary to the Government of India.

KAISAR-I-HIND MEDAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 1st January 1924.

No. 4-H.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to announce that His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to award the Kaisar-i-Hind Medal of the First Class for Public Service in India to :—

Robert Niel Reid, Esquire, Indian Civil Service, Collector, Rajshahi, Bengal.

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No. 5-H.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to award the Kaisar-i-Hind Medal of the Second Class for Public Service in India to :—

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John Robson, Esquire, Chief Inspector, Bengal Smoke Nuisances Commission, Bengal.
Miss Florence Amy Hodgson, Chief Lady Superintendent, Lady Minto Indian Nursing Association.

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Mrs. Winifred Nellie Vale Oakley, M.B.E., Calcutta, Bengal.

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G. D. OGILVIE,
Political Secretary to the Government of India.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 1st January 1924.

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No. 7-H.— His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Raja, as a personal distinction, upon—

Rai Bahadur Janaki Nath Ray, Zamindar and Merchant, Bhagyakul, Dacca, Bengal.

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No. 10-H.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Mahamahopadhyaya, as a personal distiction, upon—

Pandit Krishna Charan Tarkalankar, Bikrampur, Dacca, Bengal.
Pandit Chandi Charan Smritibhusan, Calcutta, Bengal.

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No. 14-H.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Khan Bahadur, as a personal distinction, upon—

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Maulvi Nasir-ud-din Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bengal.
Maulvi Haji Khondkar Muhammad Mohsen, Zamindar, Sijgram, Murshidabad District, Bengal.

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No. 15-H.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Rai Bahadur, as a personal distinction, upon—

Babu Debendra Nath Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bengal.
Rai Sahib Ashutosh Guha, Assistant Engineer, Bengal Engineering Service.
Mr. Durga Das Chakrabatti, District and Sessions Judge (Retired), Bengal.
Babu Suresh Chandra Sarkar, M.B., Medical Practitioner, Calcutta, Bengal.
Babu Shital Prasad Ghosh, Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Midnapore, Bengal.
Babu Harendra Kumar Ray Chaudhuri, Zamidnar, Baliati, Dacca, Bengal.
Rai Sahib Hira Lal Maulic, Mukhtear, Madaripur, Faridpur District, Bengal.
Babu Satish Chandra Chaudhuri, Zamindar and Banker, Nagarpur, Tangail, Mymensingh District, Bengal.
Babu Keshub Lal Ray Chaudhuri, Government Pleader, Jessore, Bengal.
Rai Sahib Bama Charan Ray, Pleader, Bankura, Bengal.
Babu Dwarka Nath Chakrabatti, M.A., B.L., Senior Government Pleader, High Court, Calcutta, Bengal.

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Babu Surendra Nath Banerjee, Officiating Deputy Superintendent of Police, Bengal.
Babu Romoni Mohan Banerji, Vakil, Alipore, Calcutta, Bengal.
Babu Manindra Nath Banerji, Personal Assistant to the Postmaster-General, Bengal and Assam.

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No. 19-H.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Khan Sahib, as a personal distinction, upon—

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Maulvi Azizulla, Head Maulvi, Noakhali Zilla School, Noakhali, Bengal.
Chaudhuri Maizuddin Biswas, Landholder, Faridpur, Bengal.
Maulvi Hafiz Nazir Ahmad, Muhammadan Marriage Registrar and Kazi of Tenia-pukur, 24-Parganas, Bengal.

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No. 20-H.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Rai Sahib, as a personal distinction, upon—

Babu Nalinaksha Datta, Zamindar and Honorary Magistrate, Nadia, Bengal.
Babu Radha Gobinda Kundu, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Bengal.
Babu Madan Gopal Mahata, Landlord, Banker and Merchant, Tippera, Bengal.
Babu Dibakar De, Bengal Veterinary Service.
Babu Jashoda Kumar Ghosh, Pleader, Noakhali, Bengal.
Babu Prabodh Chandra Chatarji, Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, Bengal.
Babu Sauri Bilash Gupta, Revenue Head Assistant, Office of Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, Bengal.

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Babu Jnanendra Nath Ghosh, Inspector of Police, Bengal.
Babu Haripada Ray, B.A., Inspector of Police, Bengal.

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Babu Upendranath Kanji Lal, Chief Clerk, District Locomotive Superintendent's Office, Eastern Bengal Railway, Calcutta.

Babu Monindra Nath Bhattacharjee, Treasurer, East Indian Railway, Calcutta.

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Babu Beni Madhab Mitra, Postmaster, Barabazar, Calcutta.

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G. D. OGILVIE,
Political Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 1st January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

KING'S POLICE MEDAL.

NOTIFICATION.

(POLICE.)

Delhi, the 1st January 1924.

No. F.-25-III—23.—His Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been pleased to confer the King's Police Medal, and in one case, a bar to the medal previously awarded, on the following officers and men of the Indian Police establishments :—

Name of officer and rank.	Statement of services for which in particular the decoration has been conferred.
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BENGAL.	
19. Raghabendra Nath Banarji, Deputy Superintendent, Bengal Police.	On the night of the 12th March 1920, this officer was in charge of a party of police which succeeded in surprising a gang of dacoits armed with swords. Three of the dacoits were captured and in the course of the struggle he received a sword cut on his hand from one of them. On another occasion, on the night of the 13th December 1921, he was again in charge of a police party and surprised another gang of dacoits who were armed with daggers and a revolver. He closed with the dacoit who had a revolver and with another who had a knife, and succeeded in arresting the former after a struggle. Two other dacoits were also caught by other members of the party. On both occasions the Deputy Superintendent exhibited considerable personal courage and provided the force under him with a splendid example of steadiness and leadership.
20. Keshab Lal Bhattacharji, Inspector, Bengal Police.	This officer joined the Bengal Police as a Sub-Inspector in the year 1903 and has by his good work risen to his present position. In June 1922 he accompanied Mr. Hodson, Additional Superintendent of Police, Tippera, to Mohini in the jurisdiction of the Chauddagram police-station, where an outbreak of lawlessness among the inhabitants necessitated the quartering of an additional police force. When the police party were surrounded and threatened with assault by an angry mob and were about to open fire the Inspector rushed into the crowd unarmed and challenged the ring-leaders who, on seeing his firm attitude, pacified the mob, and excitement gradually subsided. This officer's courageous action averted the necessity of firing and saved many lives. He has shown great devotion to duty and absolute fearlessness.

Name of officer and rank.	Statement of services for which in particular the decoration has been conferred.
BENGAL—*concld*	
21. Eric Hodson, Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police.	Mr. Hodson joined the Indian Police in Bengal in December 1913. In June 1922 while employed as Additional Superintendent of Police in Tippera he accompanied a party of police to Mohini, a village in the jurisdiction of the Chauddagram police-station, where additional police were posted in consequence of an outbreak of lawlessness among the inhabitants. On their arrival the police party were surrounded by a large mob and were threatened with assault. Mr. Hodson displayed considerable tact and energy in dealing with the situation, and with the assistance of his subordinates succeeded in dispersing an infuriated mob without firing. He maintained confidence among his men by living with them for a period of three weeks in a small hut at the most trying time of the year. He has shown great devotion to duty at a critical time.
22. William Cook, Assistant Commissioner, Calcutta City Police.	Mr. Cook joined the Calcutta Police on the 21st May 1914, and from the 4th of October of that year held charge of the Reserve Force with the rank of Superintendent, and was promoted to the post of Assistant Commissioner on its creation on the 1st November 1918. Mr. Cook has been responsible for the discipline and order of the Headquarters Force, including the force of European Sergeants. This at all times is a difficult task and has been managed by him during his incumbency with conspicuous success. Mr. Cook acted as Deputy Commissioner, Port Police, from the 20th March to the 17th November 1921 and was then appointed Additional Deputy Commissioner, North District, for a period of six months, and was placed in charge of special patrols required to deal with the non-co-operation campaign. In this capacity his work merited the highest praise and he displayed great tact and patience under the most trying circumstances, and on numerous occasions he faced very grave personal risks without the slightest hesitation. He was entirely successful in dealing with non-co-operation in the North District. Mr. Cook has participated in the suppression of every big disturbance in Calcutta during the last seven years and has always displayed singular presence of mind and courage.
23. Surendra Nath Banarji, Officiating Deputy Superintendent, Bengal Police.	This officer entered the police as a Head Constable in 1894 and has risen to the rank of Officiating Deputy Superintendent of Police. He was employed for several years in the Diamond Harbour subdivision of the 24-Parganas district and by the exercise of admirable tact and thoroughness and by extreme hard work, he succeeded in keeping that subdivision free from dacoity, both by the detection of specific cases and by the successful prosecution of a very large number of gangs under the preventive sections of the Criminal Procedure Code. He was transferred to the Central Intelligence Branch in January 1915 where all officers under whom he has served have bestowed very high encomiums on him for the exceptionally painstaking and thorough manner in which he performed his work in that department always at great personal risk.

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J. CRERAR,
Secretary to the Government of India

No. 91F.—The 7th January 1924.—The following Resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, is republished for general information.

A. MARR,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 2274-C.S.R., dated Delhi, the 20th December 1923.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Finance Department.

With the approval of the Secretary of State the Government of India have decided that the concession specified in Rule II (3) of the Government of India, Finance Department Resolution No. 1085-E.A., dated the 15th November 1919, should be regarded as applying to all officers who retired after the 23rd July 1913, not only in the case of the services and departments specifically mentioned in the Rule referred to, but also in the case of services, etc., which have subsequently been included in Article 404-A of the Civil Service Regulations.

Ordered that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India*.

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

RESULT OF THE MIDDLE ENGLISH SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION, 1923.

THE undermentioned girls are awarded Middle English scholarships with effect from 1st January 1924. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 5 a month, and it is tenable for four years in a High English School :—

(*In order of merit.*)

Serial No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship will be tenable.
1	Iswari Moya Thapa ...	Scots Mission Girls' School, Kurseong, Darjeeling ...	Maharani H. E. School, Darjeeling.
2	Minnie Singh ...	Ditto ...	Kalimpong Girls' School.
3	Jyotsna Dutta ...	Faizunnessa M. E. Girls' School, Comilla	Dr Khastagir's H. E. School, Chittagong.
4	Usharani Roy ...	Rangpur M. E. Girls' School ...	Vidyamoyee H. E. School, Mymensingh.
5	Anu Prova Guha ...	Dinajpur Sadar Girls' School ...	Dinajpur Sadar Girls' School.
6	Binapani Debi ...	Tangail Bindubashini Girls' M E. School	Vidyamoyee H. E. School. Mymensingh.
7	Nanibala Sen ...	Faizunnessa M. E. Girls' School, Comilla	Eden High School, Dacca.

M. V. IRONS, *Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.*

DACCA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

RESULT OF THE MIDDLE VERNACULAR SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION, 1923.

THE undermentioned girls are awarded Middle Vernacular scholarships with effect from 1st January 1924. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 4 a month, and it is tenable for two years in high and middle English schools and training classes and training schools :—

(*In order of merit*)

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school from which the candidate appeared.	Where the scholarship is made tenable.
1.	Alorani Datta ...	Jalpaiguri M. E. Girls' School ...	Dr. Khastagir's H. E. School, Chittagong.
2.	Kiranmoyee Devi ...	Kurigram M. V. Girls' School ...	Vidyamoyee H. E. School, Mymensingh.
3.	Amiyaprova Sen ...	Barlow M. V. Girls' School, Malda	Eden High School, Dacca.
4	Bibharani Ghosh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

M. V. IRONS, *Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.*

DACCA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

THE undermentioned girls have passed the Training Class Examinations from the Vernacular Training Schools, Dacca, held in December 1923:—

Senior Vernacular.

Serial No.	Name.	Class.	Remarks.
1.	Kushumkumari Dutt ...	II	Distinction in Practical Work.
2.	Labanya Nalini Das ...	II	
3.	Utfulla Haldar ...	II	
4.	Jnanada Nayak ...	II	
5.	Amiya De ...	II.	
6.	Priyabala Das Gupta ...	II.	
7.	Shuhasini Dutt ...	II	Distinction in Practical Work.

M. V. IRONS, *Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.*

DACCA, *the 19th December 1923.*

THE undermentioned girls have passed the Training Class Examinations from the Vernacular Training Schools, Dacca, held in December 1923:—

Junior Vernacular.

Serial No.	Name.	Class.
1.	Zubeda Khatun ...	III.
2.	Jnana Prova Tarafdar ...	II.
3.	Prafulla Bala Roy ...	III.
4.	Amiya Sen ...	II.
5.	Nirmalabala Roy ...	II.

M. V. IRONS, *Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.*

DACCA, *the 19th December 1923.*

Result of Training Class Examination.

THE undermentioned girls have passed the Training Class Examination from the Vernacular Training School, Dacca, held in December 1923, in Theoretical work only:—

Senior Vernacular.

Serial No.	Name.	Class.
1.	Charubala Debi	II.
2	Sarajbala Das	III.

M. V. IRONS, *Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.*

DACCA, *the 19th December 1923.*

Result of Training Class Examination.

THE undermentioned girls have passed the Training Class examinations from the English Training Class attached to the Eden High English School, Dacca, held in December 1923:—

Serial No.	Name.	Class.
	Senior English.	
1.	Anupama Mandal	II.
2.	Tarulata Mandal	II.

M. V. IRONS, *Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.*

DACCA, *the 19th December 1923.*

RESULT OF SENIOR VERNACULAR TRAINING EXAMINATION.

THE undermentioned girls have passed the Senior Vernacular Training Examination of the Kalimpong Training Class, held in December 1923 :—

Serial No.	Name.	Class.	Remarks.
1	Makhanmit Lepchani	II	Distinction in Practical Work.
2	Martha Thio Pradhan	II	
3	Suniti Bahadur	II	Distinction in Practical Work.
4	Sukuti Lepchani	II	Ditto.
5	Sunemi Lepchani	III	

M. V. IRONS, *Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.*

DACCA, *the 19th December 1923.*

THE undermentioned girl has passed the Junior Vernacular Training examination of the Kalimpong Training Class held in December 1923 :—

Serial No.	Name.	Class.
1.	Astar Subba	III.

M. V. IRONS, Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.

DACCA, *the 19th December 1923.*

Government Diploma in Accountancy of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay.

1. The examination for the above Diploma will be held at—

   (1) the Sydenhan College of Commerce and Economics, Hornby Road, **Bombay,**

   (2) the Government Institute of Commerce, Law College Building, **Madras,**

   (3) the Government Commercial Institute, **Calcutta,**

   (4) the Muir Central College, **Allahabad,** and

   (5) the St. Paul's Institute. **Rangoon,**

from 2-30 to 5-30 (Standard time) from Monday, the 7th April 1924, to Saturday, the 12th April 1924, both days inclusive.

2. Applications for the examination must be forwarded, on the prescribed printed form, to the Secretary of the Accountancy Diploma Board, so as to reach his office in the Sydenham College Building, Hornby Road, Bombay, **on or before the 31st January 1924,** with a fee of Rs. 50 per candidate.

3. Applications will be accepted from—

   (*a*) Qualified students of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, and Davar's College of Commerce, Bombay ; the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta ; and the Government Institute of Commerce, Madras ;

   (*b*) Graduates of the Universities of India or of the United Kingdom ;

   (*c*) Holders of Auditors' Certificates granted by a Local Government.

4. Applications from undergraduate ex-students of a college or institute recognized by the Accountancy Diploma Board must be submitted through the Principal of the college or institute.

5. Candidates are required to be in the examination hall by 2-15 P.M. (Standard time) every day and will not be allowed to leave the same on any account till 3 P.M (Standard time).

6. Candidates are required to bring with them pencils and pens ; they will not be allowed to bring any paper or blotting paper with them.

7. Candidates must not write their names on the answer books supplied to them ; every candidate must write on his answer book the register number allotted to him by the Board.

8. The register number allotted to each candidate will be communicated in thes third week of March 1924, direct to the postal address of the candidate as given in his application form ; this will be the only information supplied about his register number.

9. The examination will be held from 2-30 to 5-30 P.M. (Standard time) on each of the following days :—

Monday,	7th April ...	Accountancy and Auditing.	Paper No. I. (General Accounts.)
Tuesday,	8th „ ...	Ditto ...	Paper No. II. (Special Accounts.)
Wednesday,	9th „ ...	Ditto ...	Paper No. III. (Auditing.)
Thursday,	10th „ ...	Mercantile Law ...	Paper No. I. (Law of Contract and Arbitration.)
Friday,	11th „ ...	Ditto ...	Paper No. II. (Company and Insolvency Law.)
Saturday,	12th „ ...	Ditto ...	Paper No. III. (Negotiable Instruments, Bills of Lading and Insurance.

M. L TANNAN,

Secretary, Accountancy Diploma Board, Bombay.

BOMBAY, *the 13th December 1923.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION No. C-1797.

THE following orders of the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are published for general information :—

Under section 24, sub-section (*5*), of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), as amended by the Calcutta Universities Act, 1921 (VII of 1921), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) have ordered that the rights conferred on the Hooghly College by affiliation in Physics and Chemistry up to the I.A. and B.A. (Pass) Standards shall be withdrawn with effect from the commencement of the Session 1923-24.

J. C. CHAKRAVORTI, *Registrar* (*offg.*).

SENATE HOUSE, *the 22nd December 1923.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

IT is hereby announced for general information that a centre is created at Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, for holding the I.A., I.Sc., and B.A. Examinations for 1924, on usual conditions.

By order of the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate,

N. SEN, *Controller* (*offg.*).

SENATE HOUSE, *the 31st December 1923.*

OVERSEER EXAMINATION BOARD.

BY order of the Overseer Examination Board, it is announced that the examinations under the control of the Board for students in the affiliated major and minor institutions will be held in March 1921 at two centres, viz :—

(1) Bengal Engineering College, Sibpur (for Lower Subordinate candidates only).

(2) Ahsanulla School of Engineering, Dacca.

The names of qualified candidates should be sent by the heads of the institutions in the prescribed registration forms so as to reach the office of the Secretary of the Board, at 40-1-A, Free School Street, Calcutta, on or before the 26th January 1924.

Each form should be accompanied by an examination fee of Rs. 40 for each Upper Subordinate (Part B) candidate and Rs. 20 for each Upper Subordinate (Part A) and each Lower Subordinate candidate.

An outline time-table is appended. The detailed time-table will be issued later to the institutions concerned :—

Upper Subordinate,	Part B	...	...	March 10th to 14th.
Ditto,	Part A	...	...	„ 10th to 12th.
Lower Subordinate,	Workshop	...	...	„ 4th to 7th.
Ditto,	Theory	...	...	„ 10th to 13th.

E. HOOGEWERF,

Secretary, Overseer Examination Board.

40-1-A, FREE SCHOOL STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 7th January 1924.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

WITH reference to the resolution of the Government of India in the Finance Department No. 1725F.E., dated the 23rd August 1922, prescribing revised rules and schedules for the examination of candidates in India for admission to the Indian Audit and Accounts Service (copies may be obtained from the undersigned), it is hereby notified that candidates for nomination from the Province of Bengal, including Native States under the Government of Bengal, should submit their applications, together with the necessary documents and the treasury receipt of the fee deposited, through the Principals of their Colleges, in strict accordance with the rules, so as to reach this office on or before the 1st of March 1924.

2. If any of the required particulars are not supplied by a candidate in due time, his application for nomination will not be considered.

3. The applications should, in addition to the information called for by the rules, be accompanied by a statement of particulars under the heads detailed below :—

(*a*) Date of birth and age on 1st of March 1924.

(*b*) Father's name and profession.

(*c*) Where educated—particulars from the fourteenth year of age.

(*d*) The nature of the candidate's employment, if any.

(*e*) Two optional subjects in which the candidate would, if nominated, offer himself for examination.

4. Nominations will be restricted to natives of India within the meaning of the Statute 33 Vict., chap. 3, section 6, including the subjects of Native States. The possession of high educational qualifications is essential.

E. F. OATEN,

Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th January 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	724 12 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5 June and September 1923.	...	Revenue— 7 3 5 Cess— 33 3 7

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector.

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Rangpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1924, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
216	Harinarainpur O'gayrah mauza, pargana Barabila.	5,801 14 4	Whole ...	16 annas share of the estate	Banawari Mukund Deb ...	...	1,451 11 9	...

Rangpur Collectorate, the 23rd November 1923.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bankura Damodar River Railway, in the district of Bankura, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 25th February 1924, corresponding with the 13th Falgun 1330 B.S

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of the purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reason for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Bankura	Bishnupur, mauza Alipur.	39	North ...	61 16 9	20·44	...	...	From chainage 117800 to 118300.	*North*—Fakir Mullik, Khorshed Shaikh and Khetu Tarafdar's land.
		Mauza Biur ...	39	Do. ...	5 17 4	1·93	...	...	Ditto.	*East*—Arjun Shaikh, Sopedar Shaikh, Alaj Mondal, Kartik Chandra Chakrabarty and Sashi Bhattacharjee's land.
										South—Bankura Damodar River Railway side lands.
										West—Local Board Road, Bhola Nath Bagdi, Makhan Bagdi, Khorshed and Jamadar Shaikh, Harzan Mullik and Fakir Mullik's land.

Bankura, the 2nd January 1924.

S. C. CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bankura-Damodar River Railway in the district of Bankura, will be put up to sale at 10 o'clock on Saturday, the 1st March 1924, corresponding with the 18th Falgun 1330 B.S.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
						Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
1	Bankura...	Pargana Vishnupur, mauza Murachita, Mallpushkarini and Anandapur.	33	Northern ...	22·96	...	...	From chainage 145,000 to chainage 149,000.	*North*—Saday Moyra, Tarachand Bauri, Natu Kumar, Krishto Muchi and Nanda Ghose's land. *East*—Prem Ghose, Hem Ghose, Jiban Bera and [illegible] Hazra's land. *South*—Bankura-Damodar River Railway side land. *West*—Bonu Das, Jadu Maral, Mriga Dasi, Banka Bauri and Saday Moyra's land.

Bankura, the 4th January 1924.

S. CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situated in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, Krishnagar, on 18th day of February 1924, corresponding with 6th Phalgun of 1330 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force : and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs 100, the whole amount to be paid down atonce

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
3533	Kalupole thana land, pargana Mahammad Shahi	85	3 0 0	In thana Chuadanga.

Nadia, the 21st December 1923.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Imperial Bank of India on the 31st December 1923.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS					4 PER CENT.		INDIAN WAR LOAN.		
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-47.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.
Balance of 15th December 1923 ...	21,66,700	60,27,200	2,95,58,700	1,27,97,000	36,51,400	27,59,350	27,700	2,40,27,400	29,46,050	100	500
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 14th December 1923	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 14th December 1923	17,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st December 1923 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	21,83,400	60,27,200	2,95,58,700	1,27,97,000	36,51,400	27,59,350	27,700	2,40,27,400	29,46,050	100	500
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	.....	15,600	62,000	.....	.....	3,800	... ...	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 31st December 1923 ...	21,83,400	60,27,200	2,95,58,100	1,27,35,000	36,51,400	27,59,350	23,900	2,40,27,400	29,46,050	100	500

Particulars.	SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN.			5 per cent. Loan, 1945-55.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1930.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1926.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1931.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1927.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1932.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1933.	Total.
	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1923.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1925.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1928.								
Balance of 15th December 1923 ...	4,100	47,600	2,28,075	4,60,900	22,82,500	51,38,000	67,21,400	25,75,500	44,90,600	100	10,59,19,175
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 14th December 1923	.....	.....	.....	21,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,700
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 14th December 1923	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,700
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st December 1923 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	4,100	47,600	2,28,075	4,81,900	22,82,500	51,38,000	67,21,400	25,75,500	44,90,600	100	10,59,58,575
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,00,000	.....	.....	.....	1,81,400
Balance on 31st December 1923 ...	4,100	47,600	2,28,075	4,81,900	22,82,500	51,38,000	66,21,400	25,75,500	44,90,600	100	10,57,77,175

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st October 1923—Enfaced from India 13,177 lacs re-transferred from London 15,452 lacs.
" 1st November 1923 to 15th November 1923 " " " 3 lacs " " " 8 lacs.
" 16th " " to 30th " " " " " " 1 lac.
" 1st December " to 15th December " " " " 1 lac " " " 16 lacs.
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " " " 2 "
13,181 lacs. 15,479 lacs.

F. E. DALTON,
Superintendent (offg.).

D. S. MCCLURE,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA
Calcutta, the 5th January 1924.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order *ex* the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 113 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and if not cleared on or before the 12th February 1924, on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "City of Simla."		
27th Nov. 1923	Axles Boxes in a block, B & N W R on top.	1	Case merchandise
30th „ „ ...	Spring Steel in a block, B & N W R on top.	1	Bundle steel spring.
4th Dec. „ ...	B & W Hukum	1	Case machinery.
	SS. "Ormara."		
1st Dec. 1923 ..	G S	1	Case dry dates.
	SS. "Inventor."		
8th Dec. 1923 ...	$\frac{1069}{4479}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	5	Cases scissors.
5th „ „ ...	$\frac{G\ M}{1919\ Ltd}$ in a diamond, G M on top, M Ltd below.	1	Case merchandise.
7th „ „ ...	$\frac{H\ F\ \&\ L}{1058}$ in a diamond, C L on top, M Co below.	2	Cases cotton.
7th „ „ ...	809 in a diamond, M R on top, K L below.	3	Ditto.
8th „ „ ...	P I Co in a diamond, J R on top, & S below.	3	Cases machinery.
5th „ „ ...	Y in a diamond, N J on top ...	1	Case do.
	SHED No. 8.		
	SS. "Craftsman."		
26th Nov. 1923 ...	E I R, 18	1	Case.
	SHED No. 9.		
	SS. "Akita Maru."		
3rd Dec. 1923 ...	M B A C in a diamond, O S on top ...	23	Cases glass ware.
1st „ „ ...	M R in a diamond	5	Cases cotton goods.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 9—*concld.*		
	SS. "Akita Maru"—*concld.*		
3rd Dec. 1923 ...	M B Y in a diamond	4	Cases crochet cotton.
3rd „ „ ...	T A H E R in a diamond	26	Cases porcelain.
3rd „ „ ...	Nil	7	Pieces canes.
	SS. "Orseolo."		
3rd Dec. 1923 ...	8167 in block, G Ltd. on sides ...	6	Cases clocks.
3rd „ „ ...	051 / F in a diamond, B F on top ...	8	Cases enamelled ware.
	SS. "Clan Macfadyen."		
6th Dec. 1923 ...	F H	1	Case perfumed spirit.
7th „ „ ...	H M S C	1	Case merchandise.
6th „ „ ...	R V	1	Ditto.
6th „ „ ...	T A P E in a block, B & N W R on top.	1	Ditto.
6th „ „ ...	L C and F Rangoon	1	Bundle case merchandise.
6th „ „ ...	L C and F Penang	1	Ditto.
6th „ „ ...	L C and F Calcutta	1	Ditto.
	SS. "Clan Macnaughton."		
11th Dec. 1923 ...	N L D in a diamond, T J on top, E Co. below	4	Crates earthenware.
12th „ „ ...	T / 512 in a block, N A on top / C ...	1	Case cotton.
12th „ „ ...	T / 513 in a block, N A on top / C ...	1	Ditto.
12th „ „ ...	S C H / Lucknow	3	Cases merchandise.
	SHED No. 5.		
	SS. "Indo Maru."		
8th Dec. 1923 ...	A D A / 134 in a block, 398, 400 ...	3	Cases.
8th „ „ ...	= Do. =, 407, 410-11	3	Do.
8th „ „ ...	= 0 = / = 1456 =, 417-21	5	Do.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 5—*contd.*		
	SS. "Indo Maru"—*concld.*		
8th Dec. 1923 ...	$\frac{A\ D\ A}{1369}$, in a block, 391-97 ...	7	Cases.
8th „ „ ...	=0= = 024 =, 422-3	2	Do.
7th „ „ ...	=0= = 972, =, 412-16	5	Do.
8th „ „ ...	=0= = 1019 =, 408-9, 387-88	4	Do.
8th „ „ ...	=0= = 330 =, 389-90	2	Do.
8th „ „ ...	=0= = 1369 =, 404-06	3	Do.
8th „ „ ...	=0= = 327 =, 402-3	2	Do.
7th „ „ ...	39 in a triangle, T C on sides, T below, 3-8.	6	Do.
7th „ „ ...	55 in a triangle, K C on sides, T below, 10.	1	Case.
8th „ „ ...	M R in a diamond, 6-7 ...	2	Cases.
7th „ „ ...	M B A in a diamond, 940-948 ...	9	Do.
8th „ „ ...	N T Handle Bank	1	Case printed matter.
7th „ „ ...	035 in a triangle, R N on sides, D below, 1-10.	10	Cases.
7th „ „ ...	T H in a diamond, 51-55	5	Do.
	SS. "Anniston City."		
5th Dec. 1923 ...	C E C Bellram 1056 Bombay, 2	1	Case.
4th „ „ ...	Messrs. Duncan Bros, 101, Clive Street	1	Case merchandise.
5th „ „ ...	K—L—J P Bombay in a block, Kishan Lall Janki Prasad on top.	1	Keg.
6th „ „ ...	Nil	3	Bundle hoops.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 5—*concld.*		
	SS. "Anniston City"—*concld.*		
6th Dec. 1923 ...	Nil	2	Pieces machinery parts.
6th „ „ ...	Nil	...	A quantity of black cloth.
6th „ „ ...	J. W. Stanley, Y M C A, Allahabad, ...	1	Automobile tyre and tubes.
4th „ „ ...	A figure, M on top, W S Co on sides ...	5	Bales cotton goods.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Trifels."		
28th Nov. 1923 ...	552 in a diamond, A W on top, J Co below, 43.	1	Case.
1st Dec. „ ...	97 in a diamond, A H on top, 1 ...	1	Do.
28th Nov „ ...	B in a triangle, 13264 below, 1-2 ...	2	Cases.
4th Dec. „ ...	Frars, 21	1	Case
27th Nov. „ ...	100 in a block, G G on top, C L below, 1-3	3	Cases.
1st Dec. „ ...	417 in a double triangle, H R on top, T R below, 29573-74.	2	Do.
1st „ „ ...	= 367 =, 27630-31	2	Do.
1st „ „ ...	= 313 =, 19042	1	Case.
29th Nov. „ ...	= 316 =, 18879-80	2	Cases.
28th „ „ ...	J in a diamond, J D on top, & Co below.	1	Case mica.
4th Dec „ ...	Ref. 9309 in a block, G G on top, C L below, 45.	1	Case.
27th Nov. „ ...	= Ref. 8933 =, 44	1	Do.
3rd Dec. „ ...	1 blue in middle ... ... Ends blue.	3	Pieces joists.
	SHED No. 2.		
	SS. "Malda."		
20th Nov. 1923...	E & Co	1	Case soap.
22nd „ „ ...	G L G R in a diamond	7	Casks cement.
24th „ „ ...	L B C 7134	2	Barrels cement.
24th „ „ ...	1 Moses in a triangle, M C on top, M below, 8527-28.	2	Bales.
22nd „ „ ...	S B S B	1	Case gin.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 2—*concld.*		
	SS. "City of Baroda."		
29th Nov. 1923 ...	A T in a triangle, 12266 on side, 2984 ...	1	Bale.
1st Dec. „ ...	A 5009 / 00048 in a diamond, 148-9 ...	2	Cases.
1st „ „ ...	Ditto, 144-7 ...	4	Pieces machinery parts.
29th Nov. „ ...	19 in a diamond, W V on top, B S below, 16-20.	5	Cases.
	SHED No. 4.		
	SS. "Matheran."		
15th Nov. 1923 ...	A C L / F & Co, 30	1	Case.
16th „ „ ...	A I E & Co, Calcutta, 609-10 ...	2	Cases.
19th „ „ ...	F / E in a double circle, 1-25 ...	25	Cases.
17th „ „ ...	F E in a figure, 1-25	25	Casks.
16th „ „ ...	K S / 108 / M M S, 180-9	10	Cases.
16th „ „ ...	K S / 107 / S B A, 175-9	5	Do.
16th „ „ ...	V A in a figure, 106	1	Keg.
	SS. "Kentucky."		
7th Dec. 1923 ...	1982 in a diamond, C C D below, 1 ...	1	Case.
17th „ „ ...	J E Crozier M D, Bilaspur C P, B N Railway, c-o American Express Co, India.	4	Cases machinery.
6th „ „ ...	1982 in a diamond, G C D below, 2 ...	1	Case.
8th „ „ ...	M P / 5282 / David & Son / 4278	1	Case merchandise.
6th „ „ ...	M P / 5209 / H M S / 42600, 1-4	4	Cases.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 4—*concld*		
	SS. "Kentucky"—*concld.*		
7th Dec. 1923 ...	S P L D in a diamond, 1-3 ...	3	Cases.
7th „ „ ...	S & F I L D in a diamond, 1 ...	1	Case.
10th „ „ ...	3348 in a diamond	1	Case lantern.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Osaka Maru."		
11th Dec. 1923 ...	A D A / 134 in a block, 453-4 ...	2	Cases.
11th „ „ ...	A D A / 227 in a block, 458-61, 468 ...	5	Do.
11th „ „ ...	= A D A / 972 =, 462-4	3	Do.
11th „ „ ...	A D A / 1367 in a block, 465-7	3	Do.
11th „ „ ...	A D A / 1023 in a block, 469-73	5	Do.
11th „ „ ...	= A D A / 327 =, 455-7	3	Do
11th „ „ ...	= A D A / 1019 =, 474-78	5	Do.
12th „ „ ...	A figure, 252 / 61	10	Do.
11th „ „ ...	Dawn in a diamond, 159 / 179	20	Do.
12th „ „ ...	D S in a diamond, 0425 below, 1-4 ...	4	Do
11th „ „ ...	From Manager, Assam Bengal Railway..	1	Package merchandise.
12th „ „ ...	13481 in a diamond, H Y on top ...	4	Crucibles.
11th „ „ ...	K S C in a diamond, 1-3	3	Cases.
12th „ „ ...	Suck	1	Bag merchandise.
11th „ „ ...	M R in a diamond, 18-25	8	Cases.
12th „ „ ...	Nil	3	Cases merchandise.
11th „ „ ...	M B in a diamond, 1-4	4	Cases.
11th „ „ ...	3726 in a traingle, M B on sides, 12 ...	1	Case.
11th „ „ ...	= 3727 =, 13	1	Do.
11th „ „ ...	= 3816 =, 14	1	Do.
11th „ „ ...	M B A in a diamond, 947-67 ...	19	Cases.
11th „ „ ...	A figure, 1-75	75	Bales.
12th „ „ ...	Nil	1	Piece earthen jar
11th „ „ ...	S D in a block, 1-4	4	Cases.
12th „ „ ...	T B K, 1	1	Case.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	DOCK SHED No. 14.		
	SS. "Dumana."		
23rd Oct. 1923	$\frac{2265}{29955}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below, 14.	1	Case.
24th " "	H 5884	1	Do.
22nd " "	U K N, 1-2	2	Bales.
	DOCK SHED No. 11.		
	SS. "Fooksang."		
21st Nov 1923	1564 in a diamond, O S on top, D C below, 1-12.	12	Cases.
	Unidentified goods at Docks.		
	Nil	1	Bundle plate.
	Nil	3	Pieces angles.
	Nil	9	Pieces round rod.
	Nil	5	Pieces T iron.
	Nil	3	Pieces pipes.
	Nil	1	Piece joist.
	Nil	...	A quantity of loose iron bands (weighing about 2 qrs.).
	Nil	...	A quantity of loose scrap iron (weighing about 1 cwt).
	DOCK SHED No. 29.		
	SS. "Clan Macnair."		
19th Nov. 1923 ...	E I R	2	Pieces iron railway materials.
14th " " ...	R H G M B H E R F Bombay, 1-2	2	Cases.
	SS. "Clan Skene."		
12th Nov. 1923 ...	Nil	1	Bundle net.
10th " " ...	Nil	1	Drum.
	SS. "Winkfield."		
22nd Oct. 1923 ...	Walker Goward & Co	2	Cases sugar sample.
22nd " " ...	Hongkong-Shanghai Banking Corporation.	1	Case sugar sample.
22nd " " ...	Eastern Bank, Ld	2	Cases sugar sample.
22nd " " ...	Chartered Bank of I A & China ...	1	Case sugar sample.
22nd " " ...	National Bank of India, Ld ...	1	Ditto.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	DOCK SHED No. 29—*concld.*		
	SS. "Tarnate."		
15th Nov. 1923 ...	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	1	Case sugar sample.
15th „ „ ...	Walker Goward & Co	3	Cases sugar samples
15th „ „ ...	W G & Co	1	Case sugar sample.
15th „ „ ...	W G & Co in a block, K N G on top ..	1	Ditto.
15th „ „ ...	P G or T L / T M	1	Ditto.
15th „ „ ...	H V A Matjan	1	Ditto.
	SS. "Andijk."		
27th Nov. 1923 ...	H & Co Ex , 61-96	35	Kegs.
27th „ „ ...	H & Co or Nil	1	Keg.
27th „ „ ...	H & S, 2	1	Case.
27th „ „ ...	H & S or Nil	1	Do.
27th „ „ ...	A R B, 1-3	3	Cases.
28th „ „ ...	891 / 4110 in a block, Belgica on top, 1-10	10	Do.
	DOCK SHED No. 1.		
	SS. "Japan."		
10th Dec 1923 ...	Pir Md. Noor Md. Co., Govt. Army Police Contractors, Ludhiana, Punjab.	1	Case.
10th „ „ ...	N M D, 34-35	2	Cases.
10th „ „ ...	R & Co in a triangle, 74-80 ...	7	Do.
	DOCK SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Lake Fielding."		
11th Dec. 1923 ...	A Sattar	3	Cases.
11th „ „ ...	C P S 2088	17	Do.
11th „ „ ...	The Type-writorium Colne Delhi, Dhooni mull Dharamdas.	2	Do.
11th „ „ ...	P V B in a diamond, D C on top, H Co below.	1	Case.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 9th January 1924.

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager.
(48—1)

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 21st December 1923.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,35,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	8,29,84,000	0	0
Other Deposits	72,88,54,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	4,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	1,62,90,000	0	0
	96,28,78,000	0	0

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,81,41,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,28,82,000	0	0
Loans	19,86,98,000	0	0
Cash credits	34,39,78,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	8,78,26,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	21,13,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,49,88,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries...	88,63,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	39,26,000	0	0
	79,11,11,000	0	0
Cash	17,17,67,000	0	0
	96,28,78,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London ... ... £ 579,300

Advances in London ... ... £ 429,300

Cash and balances at other Banks in London £ 257,100

Percentage 19·90.

Bank Rate 7 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M. MURRAY (offg.),
Managing Governors.

(24—1)

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 28th December 1923.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,35,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	8,13,80,000	0	0
Other Deposits	72,36,51,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 19A of the Paper Currency Act, against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	8,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	1,89,47,000	0	0
	1,00,36,28,000	0	0

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,81,50,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,28,82,000	0	0
Loans	20,98,52,000	0	0
Cash credits	35,86,01,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	10,05,89,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	27,36,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,50,28,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries	1,00,75,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	52,71,000	0	0
	83,31,79,000	0	0
Cash	17,04,49,000	0	0
	1,00,36,28,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London ... ... £ 645,600

Advances in London ... ... £ 435,200

Cash and balances at other Banks in London ... £ 352,000

Percentage 18·85

Bank Rate 8 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M. MURRAY (offg.)
Managing Governors.

(31—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

No. 206 OF 1921.

Re Abdul Majid, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE.

THE insolvent having died without filing a schedule of his affairs notice is hereby given to all persons claiming to be creditors of the said insolvent to submit their claims supported by affidavits and vouchers to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of February 1924 to enable him to prepare the insolvent's schedule. Those who have already sent in their claims supported by affidavits need not send a fresh claim

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 21st December 1923.

(14—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

No. 189 OF 1922.

Re Shaik Muhomed Ismail Chandna, *ex parte* the creditor.

NOTICE.

THE insolvent having been committed to prison and not having filed a schedule of his affairs, notice is hereby given to all persons claiming to be creditors of the said insolvent to submit their claims supported by affidavits and vouchers to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of February 1924 to enable him to prepare the insolvent's schedule. Those who have already sent in their claims supported by affidavits need not send a fresh claim.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 21st December 1923. (15—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 12 OF 1922.

Nepal Mondal, of Jagannathpur, thana Sonarpur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 21st day of January 1924 at 11 o'clock for hearing the application.

Dated this 3rd day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(1994—1—25)

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas, Alipore.

MISCELLANEOUS JUDICIAL CASE No 100 OF 1923.

TAKE notice that S. Mainuddin, S Matiuddin, S. Azimuddin and S. Ahiruddin, of 7, Nandan Lane, Bhowanipore, Mutwallis to the wakf created by the late Dr. S. Bechu, have applied for permission to lease plot No 26, scheme No. IV of the Calcutta Improvement Trust, for twenty years. Anybody having any objection may do so before 11 A.M. of 10th January 1924.

A. J. CHOTZNER, District Judge.

Alipore, the 6th December 1923. (2044—1—12)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that one Montajaddi Jamaddar, son of late Saritulla Jamaddar, of Charamaddi, police-station Bakarganj, district Bakarganj, has been adjudicated insolvent on the 8th day of December 1923 and that six months time from the date of adjudication has been allowed to the insolvent for filing a petition of discharge.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Barisal, the 2nd January 1924. (32—1)

ORDER ANNULLING ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 43 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1922.

Peru Khan, son of late Khatu Khan, of Sapagara, thana, chouki and district Bankura.

AS the above-named debtor has failed to apply for an order of discharge within the period specified by the Court it is ordered that the order of adjudication dated 25th November 1922 against the said debtor be and the same is hereby annulled.

IRADUTULLAH, District Judge.

Bankura, the 22nd December 1923. (29—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Deputy Commissioner at Darjeeling.

CASE No. 8 OF 1923.

Baldwin Mackenzie of Darjeeling, applicant.

WHEREAS the above-named applicant has filed a petition to be declared an insolvent the Court has fixed the 11th day of January 1924 for hearing.

N. K. RAY, *for* Deputy Commissioner.

Darjeeling, the 25th December 1923. (45—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Matilal Sao, son of late Ramdas Sao, of Mahesh Khatir Bazar (in the house of Kalika Sao), thana Srirampur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 44 of 1923, and that the 12th January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 28th September 1923. (1802—1—20)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Gopal Chandra Ghosh, father's name not known, of Konnagar, thana Uttarpara, district Hooghly has been admitted by this Court as No 43 of 1923 and that the 12th January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 26th September 1923. (1803—1—19)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920 to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Jakir Hosain *alias* Jafar Hosain, son of Ali Hosain, of Rishra, Armani Bagan, thana Serampur, at present residing at Mahesh, in the house of Matabbar Mia, thana Serampur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 48 of 1923 and that the 12th January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura the 12th November 1923. (1910—1—21)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section (12) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that this insolvency petition of Kali Charan Roy Chaudhuri, father's name not known, of Uttarpara, thana Uttarpara, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No 49 of 1923 and that the 12th January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge

Chinsura, the 22nd November 1923. (1947—1—22)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Sewsaran Ahir, father's name not known, of Champdani, thana Bhadreshwar, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 50 of 1923 and that the 12th January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 5th December 1923. (2055—1—24)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Gokul Show, son of late Bhimseni Show, of 28, Murgihata, Salikha, thana Golabati, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 90 of 1923, and that the 16th January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 10th December 1923. (2103—1—24)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 53 OF 1923.

SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.

Petitioner Manmatha Nath Pramanik, son of late Lobaram Pramanik, of Kumarkhali, police-station Kushtea, at present Nator, district Rajshahi.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 74 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 19th January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof. Proof of any claim the creditors desire to make must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

B. G. CHATTARJI, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 21st December 1923. (1—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 42 OF 1923.

WHEREAS Mahiruddi Sheik, son of late Somasulla Sheik of Krishnapura, police-station Bera, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 17th December 1923, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 12th January 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 20th December 1924. (8—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 24 OF 1923.

PRESENT:

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

ENASUDDIN, son of late Noota Mamud, of Diktari, police-station Pirgachha, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 21st day of December 1923, adjudged an insolvent by this Court. He must apply for his final discharge within six months.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 2nd January 1924 (30—1)

NOTICE

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 105 OF 1923.

Kunja Bihari Biswas, of Kadamgachi, thana Barasat, 24-Parganas, applicant

To Borada Kanta Biswas, of Kadamgachi, thana Barasat, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 15th day of May 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 28th January 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub Judge.

Alipore, the 9th August 1923. (1516—1—15)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 118 OF 1923

Krishna Das Chakravarty, of 42, Rupnarain Nandan Lane, Bhowanipur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Premsukdas Mudra of 8, Armenian Street, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of June 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 28th January 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 9th August 1923. (1517—1—16)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 198 OF 1923.

Khitinath Sardar, of Sakchura, thana Basirhat, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Tejendra Nath Ghosh, of Bagundi, thana Basirhat, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 30th day of August 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 28th day of January 1924, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A T PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923. (1998—1—26)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 212 OF 1923.

Hugh Emerson Burgess, of 5, Onrait Street, Entally, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Tincouri Ghosh, of 31-5, Ananda Palit Street, thana Entally, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

On the 26th day of September 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 28th day of January 1924, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923 (2000—1—27)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 215 OF 1923.

Prosad Chandra Chakraverty, of 7, Rangalal Street, Kidderpur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Chairman of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of September 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 28th day of January 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923. (2002—1—28)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 216 OF 1923.

Shaikh Rajabali, of Bhatpara, thana Jagaddal, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Hanif Mia, of Kankinara, thana Jagaddal, 24-Parganas, and others creditors.

ON the 4th day of October 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 28th day of January 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923. (2003—1—29)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 220 OF 1923.

Kabil Chandra Dey, of Sukhchar, thana Khardah, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Chandrick Singh, residing at Khardah, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 3rd day of October 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923. (2004—1—30)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 224 OF 1923.

Ejad Baksha Jamadar, of Krishnagore, thana Maheshtola, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Jabedali Shaikh, of Nandanpur, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 4th day of October 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923. (2005—1—32)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 225 OF 1923.

Ambica Charan Mondal, of Raipur, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Mahisya Banking and Trading Co., Ltd., 56-1, Harrison Road, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 6th day October 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923. (2006—1—33)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 229 OF 1923.

Sundar Sing, of 136-6, Narikeldanga Main Road, thana Beleghatta, applicant.

To Kerandum Bhatta, of 28, Strand Road, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 3rd day of October 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923. (2007—1—34)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 232 OF 1923.

Kartic Chandra Dutta, of 5-2, Benepukur Lane, thana Benepukur, 24 Parganas, applicant.

To Gour Mohon Dutta, of No 6, Benepukur Lane, thana Benepukur, and others, creditors

ON the 12th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923 (2008—1—35)

[redacted]SHAY KUMAR GHOSH, B L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(2101—4—2140)

ANIL CHANDRA DATTA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta

(2107—4—2141)

DHIRENDRA NATH BISWAS, M.A. B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta

(2106—4—2150)

INDU BHUSAN MUKHERJEE, M.Sc., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(17—4—17)

NIRAJANATH GHATAK, B L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.

(2124—4—2153)

PURNA CHANDRA MUKERJI intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court.

(2116—4—2149)

SACHINDRA NATH MUKERJEE intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta

(44—4—31)

SARASIJA KANTA PALIT, M A., B.L., intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court.

(2118—4—2143)

SHANTI KUMAR ROY CHAUDHURY, M A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court

(2100—4—2146)

SURENDRA NATH GANGULI intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court.

(2115—4—2148)

SYAMADAS BHATTACHARYA, B L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(2105—4—2144)

Notice.

THE post of the Sheristadar of the Faridpur Collectorate will fall vacant soon on the retirement of the permanent incumbent who has recently been granted long leave preliminary to retirement. The post is on a time-scale pay of Rs. 200—15—275

Applications are invited for the post No one need apply who has not a thorough knowledge of the revenue work of a district office Applications which should be sent under registered cover should contain the following particulars and will be received by the undersigned up to 25th January 1924 :—

(1) Present age,
(2) Total length of service from the date of permanent appointment in Government service,
(3) Nature of work done and posts held by the candidate, specially in the Collectorate side of a district office, and
(4) Present pay.

Copies of all remarks in the candidate's service-book should be attached to the application

The capability of the selected candidate will be tested during the period of leave of the permanent Sheristadar for whom he acts, and if he is found efficient he will be confirmed when the permanent incumbent retires from service in continuation of his leave.

D. H. WARES, Collector

Faridpur, the 4th January 1924.

Wanted

A HEAD CLERK for the Magistrate's office, Faridpur, on a time-scale pay of Rs. 175—5—200. No one need apply who has not a thorough knowledge of the criminal work of a District office. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 25th January 1924 They should be sent under registered cover and should contain the following particulars :—

(1) Present age.
(2) Total length of service from the date of permanent appointment in Government service.
(3) Nature of work done and posts held by the candidate, specially in the Magistrate's side of a District office.
(4) Present pay.

Copies of all remarks in the candidate's service book should be attached to the application. The appointment will first be made on probation for six months, after which period, if the selected candidate is found efficient, he will be confirmed in the post

D H. WARES, District Magistrate.

Faridpur, the 4th January 1924.

Road cess Notification.

THE District Board of Darjeeling at its special meeting held on the 22nd December 1923 resolved to levy the road cess in the district for the year 1924-25, at a maximum rate of six pies or two pice in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc., as before.

F. W. STRONG, Chairman.

Darjeeling, the 4th January 1924. (47—1)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest, warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on 1 package of Gin, marked J A & Co., 872, *ex* SS. "Hatarana" from London, bonded by Messrs Arratoon & Co, in their private warehouse situated at 28, Bentinck Street, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

W. W. NIND, Collector of Customs

Calcutta, the 20th December 1923. (22—2)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest, warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on 12 packages of Cigarettes, marked R R L out of No 39 54, *ex* SS. "Nardana" from London, bonded by Messrs Bruce Burrows & Co., in the Bengal Bonded Warehouse, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act

W. W NIND, Collector of Customs

Calcutta, the 20th December 1923. (23—2)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest, warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on 2 packages of Cigarettes marked A T 550 212, 213 *ex.* SS. "Gamaria" from London, bonded by the Manager, National Bank of India, Limited, in the Bengal Bonded Warehouse, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

W. W. NIND, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 3rd January 1924. (46—2)

Notice.

THE services of pensioned and discharged sepoys of the Native Army required for employment in civil capacities may be obtained on application to the—

(i) Recruiting Staff Officer at the following stations:—

Peshawar (Samana *via* Kohat from the 15th April to 15th October) for Pathans; Jhelum for Punjabi Mahomedans; Jullundar for Sikhs; Jullundar (Dharamsala from 15th April to 15th October) for Dogras; Agra for Rajputana and Central India Hindus and Mahomedans; Delhi for Jats and Hindustani Mahomedans; Lucknow for Hindustani Hindus; Poona for Mahrattas and Dekhani Mahomedans.

(ii) Pension Pay Master, Madras, for Madrasis.

All applications from employers should include the particulars shown below, and should be addressed to the officers referred to at the places above mentioned:—

(1) Name of person or firm offering employment
(2) Nature of and place at which employment is offered.
(3) Proposed pay and period for which employment offered.
(4) Whether railway fare to place of employment will be paid or not.
(5) Whether return railway fare will be paid in case of pensioner being discharged for no fault of his own, or after a definite period of service.
(6) Class of men required, *e.g.*, Sikh, Pathan, Dogra etc.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Currency Note.

THE following Currency Note of the Calcutta Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

Note wholly destroyed.

Register No.	Number of note.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
H. 438 of 1923-24.	$\frac{RC}{77}$ 96595	100	Vazir Nurmad Raji Chaudhuri, c-o Haji Nurmahammad Vazir Musa, Sodagar's Pole, Postman No. 26, Ahmedabad.

J. J. LATTA, Currency Officer.

Paper Currency Department, Calcutta, the 20th December 1923.

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 32285, dated 30th November 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities—

G. P. Notes Nos.	Loan	Amount.	Holder's Name.
		Rs.	
302493 to 96	3½ per cent., 1865	1,000 each	Karunamoyee Bose

Name of the proprietress—Karunamoyee Bose.

Residence—14, Lansdowne Road.

(2120—1—2)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 26726, dated 25th September 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name
		Rs.	
160837 to 39	3½ per cent. 1842-43.	1,000 each	P. Sett & Co.
174431	3½ per cent. 1854-55.	500	

Name of the Proprietor—P. Sett & Co.

Residence—13, Ram Narain Bhattacharjee's Lane, Calcutta. (18—1—9)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Cossipore Cotton Ginning Factory, Limited (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 209 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at 32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Monday, the 14th day of January 1924, at 12-30 P.M.

G. S. HYAMS, *for* Self and Co Liquidators.

32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 18th December 1923.

(4—1—5)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Cossipore Cotton Ginning Factory, Limited (In Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the abovenamed Company duly convened and held at 32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on the 18th day of December 1923, the resolution mentioned below, which was passed as an Extraordinary Resolution on 3rd December 1923, was confirmed as a special Resolution :--

"That this Company be wound up voluntarily under section 103 (*b*) of the Indian Companies Act and that Howeson Bros., Ltd., and Mr. A. C. E. Howeson and Mr. G. S. Hyams and other principal officers for the time being of that Company be appointed Liquidators of this Company with joint and several powers for the purpose of such liquidation and that the remuneration of such Liquidators, subject to the distribution to each registered shareholder of Rs. 11 in respect of each share of a nominal value of Rs. 10 held by such shareholder, be the surplus funds of the Company since in any case they will not be sufficient to pay an appreciable further dividend such remuneration to be dealt with as part of the assets of Howeson Bros, Ltd."

G. S HYAMS, for Self and Co-Liquidators.

32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 18th December 1923.

(2—1—3)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Cossipore Cotton Ginning Factory, Limited (In Liquidtion).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed Company which is being wound up voluntarily are required on or before the 10th day of January 1924 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names of their solicitors (if any) to the undersigned, the liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the liquidators or by their solicitors or personally to come in and prove the said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will not be admitted.

G. S HYAMS, *for* Self and Co-Liquidators.

32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 18th December 1923.

(3—1—4)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Messrs. T. M. Dowling & Co., Ltd. (In liquidation).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the abovenamed Company, duly convened and held at B5, Gillander House, 8, Clive Street, Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 19th day of December 1923, at 10-30 A.M., the following resolution was duly passed :—

That the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities and its failure in obtaining working capital, continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and that the Company be wound up compulsorily.

That Mr. M. L. Tarmaster, F S.A A , be and is hereby duly appointed liquidator to conduct the winding up on a remuneration of 5 cent. on gross realisation of the assets, subject to a minimum of Rs. 2,000 exclusive of all out-of-pocket expenses.

M. L. TARMASTER, F S A.A., Liquidatbr.

Calcutta, the 21st December 1923 (5—1—6)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Messrs. T. M. Dowling and Company, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 209 of the Co panies Act, 1913, that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at 11, Kyd Street, Calcutta, on Saturday, the 19th January 1924, at 12 noon, precisely.

M. L. TARMASTER, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 21st December 1923. (6—1—7)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Messrs. T. M. Dowling and Company, Limited.

THE creditors of the abovenamed Company are required on or before the 14th January 1924 to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts and claims and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any) to the undersigned at 11, Kyd Street, Calcutta, and if so required by notice in writing to come and prove their said debts and claims at such time as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

M. L. TARMASTER, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 21st December 1923. (7—1—8)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Indian Timber, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of share-holders of the above-named Company duly convened for and held at the registered office of the Company, F-1, Clive buildings, Calcutta, on Friday, the 14th day of December 1923, at 12 o'clock noon, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the said Company duly convened for and held on Saturday, the 29th day of December 1923, at the same time and place, the said resolution was duly confirmed as a special resolution :—

That the Company be wound up voluntarily and accordingly that Mr. R. Ray, M.A., A C.A., of Messrs. Ray and Ray, Chartered Accountants, Mercantile Buildings, Calcutta, be and he is hereby appointed liquidator for the purpose of such winding up at a remuneration of Rs. 500 exclusive of out-of-pocket expenses properly incurred.

K A. HILL, Chairman.

F-1, Clive Buildings, Calcutta, the 29th December 1923.

(20—1—17)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Indian Timber Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 209 (*1*) that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held on the 24th January 1924, at 4 P.M., at Mercantile Buildings, Lal Bazar, Calcutta.

R. RAY, Liquidator.

Dated this 2nd day of January 1924. (28—1—14)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Assam (Central) Bricks and Tiles, Ltd. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the above-named Company, duly convened for and held at the registered office of the Company, F-1, Clive Buildings, Calcutta, on Friday, the 14th day of December 1923, at 12-30 o'clock in the afternoon, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the said Company duly convened for and held on Saturday, the 29th day of December [illegible], at the same time and place, the said resolution was duly confirmed as a special resolution :—

That the Company be wound up voluntarily and accordingly that Mr. R. Ray, M.A., A.C.A., of Messrs. Ray and Ray, Chartered Accountants, Mercantile Buildings, Calcutta, be and he is hereby appointed liquidator for the purpose of such winding up at a remuneration of Rs. 500 exclusive of out-of-pocket expenses properly incurred.

K. A. HILL, Chairman.

F-1, Clive Buildings, Calcutta, the 29th December 1923.

(21—1—18)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Assam (Central) Bricks and Tiles, Ltd. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 209 (*1*) that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named Company will be held on 24th January 1924, at 3 P.M., at Mercantile Buildings, Lal Bazar, Calcutta.

R RAY, Liquidator.

Dated this 2nd day of January 1924. (27—1—13)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Bhasha Parishat Limited (In voluntary liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at the extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders held at the registered office of the Company on the 2nd January 1924, at 7 A.M., it was unanimously resolved by an extraordinary resolution that as the Company by reason of its liabilities cannot continue to carry on its business any further the said Company be wound up voluntarily and Babu K. C. Ganguly be appointed liquidator without remuneration.

R. K. BANERJEE, Chairman

67-9, Balaram De Street, Calcutta, the 9th January 1924.

(25—1—10)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Bhasha Parishat, Limited (In voluntary liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of all the creditors of the Bhasha Parishat, Limited (in voluntary liquidation), will be held on the 27th January 1924, at the registered office of the Company, at 2 P.M., to appoint a liquidator on behalf of the creditors of the Company.

K. C. GANGULI, Liquidator.

67-9, Balaram De Street, Calcutta, the 9th January 1924.

(26—1—11)

Post Office.

Despatch of Sea-borne Mails.

MAILS FOR—	Day or date of closing of mails.	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
		Without late fee.	With late fee.*	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		P.M	P.M	P.M.	P.M.
United Kingdom, Europe, Aden, Egypt, East and West Africa and America.	Thursday ...	5 45	6-45	4-45	5-15
		A M.	Noon.	A.M.	A M.
Ceylon	Daily ...	11-30	12-0	10 30	11 0
† Australia and New Zealand (*vid* Colombo) ...	Jan. 21 ...	11-30	12-0	10 30	11.0
		P M.	P M.	P.M.	P.M.
Straits Settlements, French Indo-China, Federated Malay States, Philippine Islands, Netherlands-India, Siam, China and Japan per SS. "Fook Sang."	„ 7 ...	2-30	3-0	2-0	2 30
Burma	„ 10 ..	7-30	8-0	5-0	6-0
Port Blair (*vid* Rangoon)	„ 10 ...	7-30	8-0	5-0	6-0

NOTE.—The latest date and hour for booking Money Orders and Parcels for despatch by the Homeward English mail is Wednesday, 8 P.M., and Thursday noon respectively.

* The late fee is 4 annas for each registered or unregistered article of the Letter Mail to any place in the countries named above except for Aden, Burma, Ceylon and Port Blair, the late fee for which is ½ anna for unregistered articles and 2 annas for registered articles. Letters are accepted with late fee only on occasions when a direct mail is closed by the Calcutta G. P. O. for Foreign countries.

† When there is no direct mail from Calcutta, correspondence for South Africa and Mauritius posted up to 5-15 P.M. in the Calcutta G. P. O is despatched to Bombay and correspondence for Australia, New Zealand and Japan posted up to 11-30 A.M. to Colombo for transmission by the first available steamer.

Calcutta, G. P. O., the 5th January 1924.

C. D. RAE, Presidency Postmaster.

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :-

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs. 25

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*" which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post.

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs Re. 1-1, 3 lbs Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Rs. 2.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

Government reserve the right to alter the price without notice.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Saturday.

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APPENDIX.

Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The 29th December 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Netrani or Pigeon Island—Existence of wreck south-westward of.

No. 435 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 94M of 1923), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 12 miles south-westward of Pigeon Island.

Lat. 13° 52′ N.
Long 74° 11′ E. } approx.

Details.—Further information has now been received that the derelict referred to in the former Notice No. 81-M. of 1923, as a heavy spar attached to a sunken wreck, is considered to be a sunken wreck showing a large mast about 8 feet above water.

Caution.—Mariners are hereby warned accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 827, Vengurla to Cape Comorin.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, northern portion.

Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, dated 29th November 1923.

PERSIAN GULF.

Kais Island Light-vessel—To be temporarily relieved by a Trawler.

No. 436 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 95M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 26° 28′ N.
Long. 53° 58′ E. } approx.

Details.—On or about 29th December 1923, the Kais Island light-vessel will be temporarily relieved by a trawler, showing a fixed white light visible about 8 miles and a blue flare every half hour.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, eastern sheet.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 300.
Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.

Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, dated 27th November 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

PORT OF RANGOON.

Monkey Point Channel, Front leading mark—Alteration in position.

No. 437 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 96M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position—Lat. 16° 46′ N.
Long. 96° 12′ E. } approx.

Details—The Arracan Chimney (dismantled), which was hitherto used as the Arracan Mark, has been removed from its present position to a new site further east maintaining the same central track transit.

Chart affected.—No. 833, Rangoon river and Approaches.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 465.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator of the Port of Rangoon Pilot Marine Circular No. 34, dated 19th November 1923.

MADAGASCAR, NORTH-WEST COAST—BOMBETOKE BAY ENTRANCE.

Mojanga (Mojunga) Rear Leading Beacon—Alteration in position.

No. 438 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1836 of 1923), are republished :—

New position.—At a distance of about 8 cables south-eastward of charted position and 3·0 miles 132° from Ile Verte (front) beacon.

Lat. 15° 48′ S., long. 46° 23′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A black and white beacon.

Remarks.—The former leading line, marked "Beacons in line 136°," shown on chart No. 701, is to be expunged and the new leading line marked "*Beacons in line 132°*" is to be inserted. The pecked line, marked "124°," shown on chart No. 701 to the north-westward of the outer end of the former leading line, is also to be erased.

Charts affected.—No. 701, Bombetoke bay, and delta of Betsiboka river.
„ 378, Maromanjo point to Makambytra bay.
„ 759*a*, Cape St. Andrew to Bevato island.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1923, pages 331, 332.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 1963 of 1923. (*H. 7396/23.*)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—ST. VINCENT GULF.

Port Adelaide River No. O Leading Lights—Alterations in character.

No. 439 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1839 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—Close westward of south-western end of Revetment mound.

Lat. 34° 47′ S., long. 138° 28′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every second.*

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—At a distance of about 4½ cables eastward of front light (*a*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl, *ev.* ½ *sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every half second.*

Remarks.—In other respects the leading lights are unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.

„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs, with plan.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 2356, 2356*a*.

Authority.—Adelaide Notice No. 12 of 1923. (*H. 6918/23.*)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—ST. VINCENT GULF.

Port Adelaide River No. 1 Leading Lights—Alterations in character.

No. 440 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1840 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—Near the north-eastern end of Revetment mound.

Lat. 34° 47′ S., long. 138° 29′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *R. ev. sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed red light has been replaced by a *flashing red* light *every second.*

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ cables north-eastward of front light (*a*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev.* ½ *sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every half second.*

Remarks.—In other respects the leading lights are unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.

„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs, with plan.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 2357, 2358.

Authority.—Adelaide Notice No. 12 of 1923. (*H. 6918-23.*)

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE APPROACHES.

Singapore Harbour Limits to be inserted on Charts.

No. 441 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1855 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—White obelisk on the foreshore, situated close westward of Tanjong Katong.

Lat. 1° 18′ N., long. 103° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—Pecked lines, marked "*Harbour Limit*" are to be drawn on the charts from the above white obelisk as follows :—

(*a*) In a 202° direction to Peak island white obelisk.
(*b*) Thence in a 224° direction to the south-eastern end of East St. John island.
(*c*) Thence in a 231° direction to the south-eastern end of West St. John island.
(*d*) Thence in a 260° direction to the south-eastern end of Middle island.
(*e*) Thence in a 270° direction for a distance of 2·79 miles.
(*f*) Thence in a 000° direction to the northern shore at the entrance to Sungi Pandan.

Remarks.—On chart No. 1994 pecked lines are also to be drawn as follows :—

(i) From the south-eastern end of Middle island in a 053° direction for a distance of one mile.
(ii) Thence in a 335° direction for a distance of 2·56 miles.
(iii) Thence in a 246° direction to the north-western end of Freshwater island.

Note.—The note "*Anchorage for Vessels carrying Petroleum*" is to be inserted within this area, to the south-westward of (ii).

Charts affected.—No. 1995, Singapore road. (*a*) (*b*) (*c*) (*d*)
,, 1994, Western approaches to Singapore.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 270, 274.

Authority.—Singapore Port Regulations. (*H. 5532/23.*)

CHINA SEA—SOUTHERN PORTION.

Pulo Sapatu—Discoloured water reported eastward of.

No. 442 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1866 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 44 miles eastward of Pulo Sapatu.

Lat. 10 02′ 00″ N., long. 109° 51′ 00″ E., on chart No. 2660*a*.

Details.—The above position, which is to be encircled by a danger line on the charts, is to be marked "*Discold. water Repd.* (*1923*)" on chart No. 2660*a*.

Charts affected—No. 2660*a*, China sea, southern portion, western sheet.
,, 1263, China sea.
,, 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 106.

Authority.—Lloyds List. (*H. 7071-23.*)

JAPAN—KYUSHU, WEST COAST.

Nagasaki Harbour—Information re Time Signals.

No. 443 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1867 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Oura, lat. 32° 44′ N., long. 129° 52′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The words "Time Ball," shown near Oura on the charts, are to be deleted, together with the following note :—

"Time Ball."

"The Time Ball at Oura is dropped at noon of the 135th Meridian, corresponding to $15^{hrs.}$ $00^{min.}$ $00^{sec.}$ G.M.T."

The following note is to be substituted for the above on the charts :—

"*Time*

"*Time Signals are made from the Harbour Board Observatory, Oura, at Noon of the 135th Meridian corresponding to 15h 00m 00s G.M.T., and at 9 p.m., corresponding to Noon G.M.T., the former by Time ball and the latter by Signal lights.*"

Charts affected.—No. 2815, Nagasaki harbour.
„ 2415, Approach to Nagasaki harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 5057*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 469.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 513 of 1923. (*H. 6943/23*).

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG ENTRANCE.

South Channel—Information re Light-Vessels and Light-Buoys.

No. 444 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1869 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Alteration in position of Tungsha light-vessel :

New position.—At a distance of about 3¼ miles south-eastward of charted position and 10·36 miles 088° from Nanhui beacon.

Lat. 31° 05′ N., long. 122° 02′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—As described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

(*b*) Alteration in position of Kiutoan light-vessel :

New position.—At a distance of about one mile south-eastward of charted position and 7·28 miles 014° from Nanhui beacon.

Description.—As described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

Remarks.—The note "*Less water repd.* (*1923*)," is to be inserted on chart No. 1602, at a distance of about 2 miles north-westward of the new position of Kiutoan light-vessel.

(*c*) Wreck-marking light-buoy withdrawn :

Position.—Close northward of new position of Tungsha light-vessel.

Description.—A wreck-marking light-buoy, with occulting white light.

Remarks.—The wreck, sunk in the year 1917, together with the unlighted green buoy, shown in this position, is to be retained on the charts.

(*d*) Light-buoy established :

Position.—At a distance of 7·47 miles 057° from Nanhui beacon.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted red, marked "Flats," exhibiting an *occulting white* light *every eight seconds*, thus :—

Light 4 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.
„ 1199, Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki. (*a*), (*b*)
„ 1263, China sea. (*a*)
„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liau-tung. (*a*).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 1586 and 1591.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 376 ; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 677 of 17th September 1923. (*H. 7339/23.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST, BASSEIN RIVER ENTRANCE.

Diamond island—Baroni rock buoy.

No. 445 (*first publication*).—

Former Notice.—No. 77 of 1923.

Subject.—The lighted gas buoy marking the Baroni rock has been replaced by an unlighted spherical buoy painted black with a white horizontal band.

Charts affected.—No. 834, Bassein river and approaches.
„ 3772, Calventuras to Bassein river.
„ 823, Koronge island to White point.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 447.

Authority.—Port Officer, Bassein, Burma, Notice dated 17th December 1923.

The 21st December 1923.

JAVA, NORTH COAST.

(1) Tanjong Priok—Intended Alteration in Time-Signal.

(2) Surabaya—Intended Alteration in Time-Signal.

No. 425 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1794 of 1923), are republished—

(1) Tanjong Priok.

Date of alteration.—On or about 1st January 1924 ; without further Notice.

Position.—On the southern side of Tanjong Priok harbour.
Lat. 6° 06′ S., long. 106° 53′ E. (*approx*).

Details.—In the note shown against this time-signal, on chart No. 933, the Greenwich Mean Time is to be altered from "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 45{\cdot}5^s$" to "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 00^s.$"

(2) Surabaya.

Date of alteration.—On or about 1st January 1924 ; without further Notice.

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles westward of Kalabangkang point.
Lat. 7° 12′ S., long. 112° 44′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—In the note shown against this time-signal on the plan quoted below, the Greenwich Mean Time is to be altered from "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 45{\cdot}5^s$" to "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 00^s.$"

Remarks.—The above alterations will be necessitated by the intended alteration in the Standard Time of Central Java, on the date quoted, to $7^h.\ 20^m.\ 0^s.$ fast on Greenwich.

Charts affected.—No. 934, Plan of Surabaya strait (2).
„ 933, Batavia roads. (1).
„ 1654, Island of Java—eastern portion (2).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 5032, 5033.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 3, 98, 138.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1923 (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2421 of 1923. (*H. 6893-23.*)

JAVA, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

Trowers (Tinjil) Island—Non-existence of rock northward of

No. 426 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1814 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles north-westward of the eastern end of Trowers (Tinjil) island.
Lat. 6 56′ S., long. 105° 48′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The rock, marked "P. D.," with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^m8), shown on the charts in the above position, does not exist and is to be expunged accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 1653, Island of Java—western portion.
„ 941*a*, Eastern archipelago—sheet 1.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 32.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1923 (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2422 of 1923. (*H. 6894-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—TORRES STRAIT.

Prince of Wales Channel, Western Approaches—Amendments to Charts re Depths.

No. 427 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1815 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Booby island, lat. 10° 36′ S., long. 141° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—Decreased depths south-westward of Booby island, and between that island and Larpent bank, have been revealed by a recent survey. The necessary corrections to charts Nos 437, 2375 and 2354 are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of those charts.

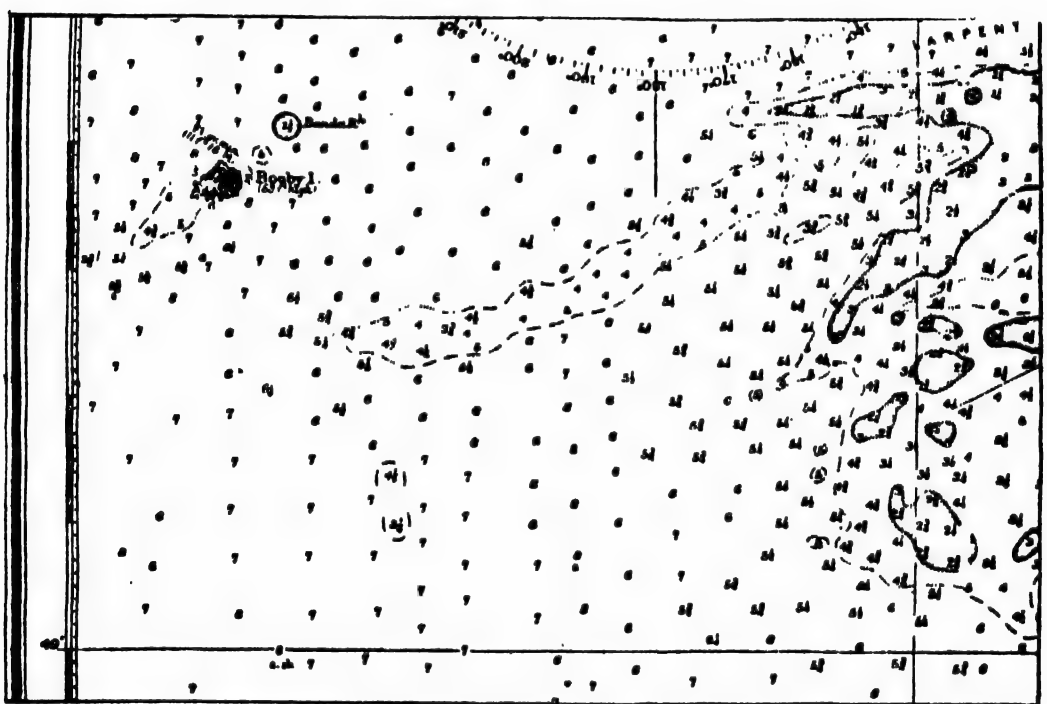
A depth of 5¼ fathoms (9m6) also exists westward of White rocks in each of the following positions, and the charts are to be corrected accordingly :—

(*a*) Lat. 10° 26′ 40″ S., long. 141° 57′ 36″ E.
(*b*) „ 10° 26′ 57″ S., „ 141° 58′ 10″ E.
(*c*) „ 10° 27′ 04″ S., „ 141° 58′ 24″ E.
(*d*) „ 10° 27′ 03″ S., „ 141° 59′ 05″ E.
(*e*) „ 10° 26′ 42″ S., „ 141° 59′ 30″ E.
(*f*) „ 10° 29′ 45″ S., „ 141° 56′ 48″ E.

Charts affected.—No. 437, Albany pass to Booby island.
„ 2375, Torres strait—western channels.
„ 2354, Cape Grenville to Booby island.
„ 447, Western approaches to Torres strait. (*b*), (*c*) and (*f*).

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, pages 234, 249.

Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome*. (*H. 6708-23.*)



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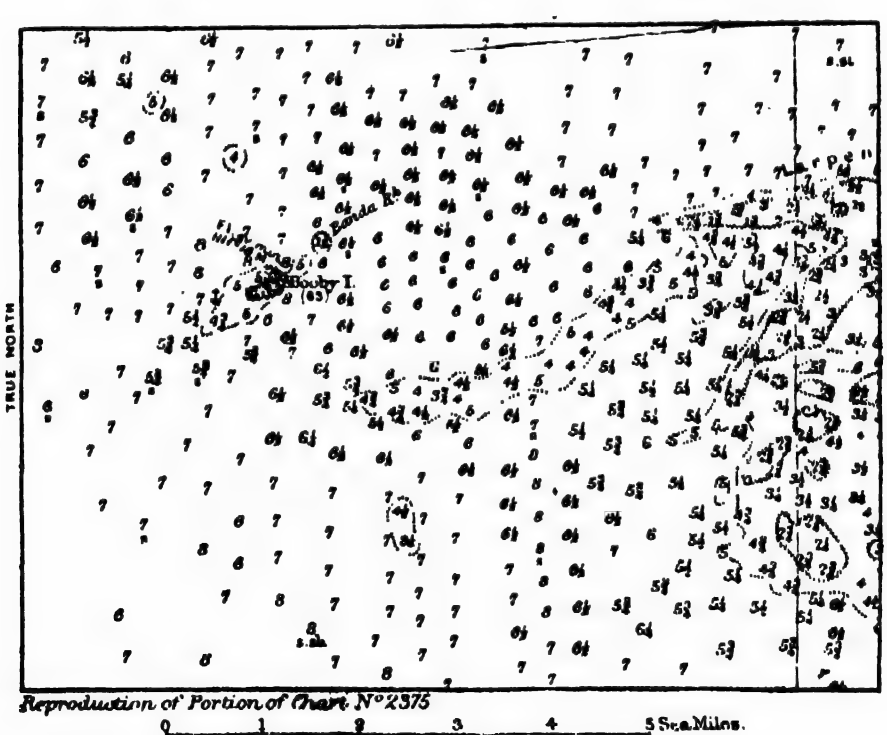

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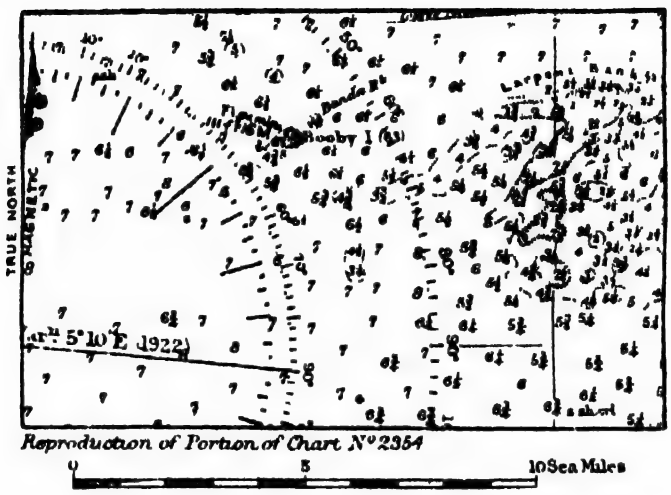

NEW GUINEA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—China strait.

East Iguari Island—Light established.

No. 428 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1816 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—On the 400 ft. (121m9) summit, at a distance of 9·6 cables 011° from the eastern point of Lessamanu (Brewer) island.
Lat. 10° 34′ S., long. 150° 44′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl. *ev. sec., vis. 10 m.*

Characteristics :

Character.—Flashing white every second.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Note.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 1088, China strait and approaches.
„ 2123, Orangerie bay to Bramble haven.
„ 2764, Coral sea and Great Barrier reefs—sheet 2.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2789*a*.
Pacific Islan ls Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, page 115.

Authority.—H.M.A.S. *Brisbane*, Hyd. Note No. 4 of 1923. (*H. 7508-23.*)

BORNEO, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Baram Point—Discoloured Water reported westward of.

No. 429 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1817 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 80 miles westward of Baram point lighthouse.
Lat. 4° 41′ 00″ N., long. 112° 39′ 30″ E., on chart No. 2660*b*.

Details.—The above position is to be encircled on the charts by a danger line with the note "*Discoloured Water Repd. (1923).*"

Charts affected.—No. 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 2683, Pacific ocean.

Publications.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, pages 87, 88.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2489 of 1923. (*H. 7016-23.*)

CHINA SEA—SOUTHERN PORTION.

Thi-tu-Island—Shoal reported north-westward of.

No. 430 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1818 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 20 miles north-westward of Thi-tu island. Lat. 11° 11′ 00″ N., long. 113° 58′ 00″ E.

Note.—The above shoal, which is reported by German SS. *Munsterland*, is to be encircled on the charts by a danger line with the note "*Reported (1923).*"

Charts affected.—No. 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 2483, Atlantic and Indian oceans, &c.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 97.

Authority.—Berlin Notice No. 2794 of 1923. (*H. 6692-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Beira Harbour Approach—Buoy replaced by Light-Buoy.

No. 431 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1827 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—On the southern side of the western end of Portella channel. Lat. 19° 57′ 07″ S., long. 34° 52′ 25″ E., on chart No. 1003.

Details.—No. 3 black spar buoy with topmark has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *fixed red* light.

Note.—The notation "(*P. A.*)" is to be inserted against this light-buoy on chart No. 1003. The former No. 3 spar buoy was not shown on some copies of the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 1003, Beira harbour.
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 225.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 47 of 1923. (*H. 7556-23.*)

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG APPROACH.

Shaweishan Island—Less water reported southward of.

No. 432 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1828 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Shaweishan island, lat. 31° 25′ N., long. 122° 14′ E (*approx.*).

Details.—The note "*Considerably less water Rep^d^ (1923.)*" is to be inserted on the charts at a distance of about 1½ miles southward of the above island. Pending further Notice vessels are warned not to approach within 2 miles of Shaweishan island lighthouse.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.
„ 1199, Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 381.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 679 of 24th September 1923. (*H. 7681-23.*)

TASMANIA—NORTH COAST—Stanley.

Hyfield Point—Intended New Light (U.)

No. 433 (second publication).—

Subject.—A Group Flashing White Light (U) will be established on Hyfield Point on or about 16th February 1924.

Position.—On the summit of Hyfield Point (134′), 1·6 cables distant, bearing 201° from Circular Head Light.

Lat. 40° 44′ S., long. 145° 17′ E. on Chart No. 3687.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing White* Light showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *nine* seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec	½ sec.	6 sec.

Elevation.—150 feet.

Visibility.—18 miles.

Power.—3,000 candles.

Structure.—Square concrete house with white lantern 22 feet in height.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. The fixed light on Circular Head will be continued as heretofore.

Note.—Further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Rocky Head.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695b, Bass Strait, sheet No. 2.
„ 2759b, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot Vol. II, 1918, page 286.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 25 of 1923.

AUSTRALIA—SOUTH COAST—Spencer Gulf.

South Light, Eastern Shoal—Intended New Light. Buoy to be withdrawn.

No. 434 (second publication).—

Subject.—A Group Flashing White Light (U) will be established on the south end of Eastern Shoal, and the Red and White striped buoy will be removed on or about 1st March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 33° 10½′ S., long. 137° 43½′ E. on Chart No. 403.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing White* Light showing *four* flashes in quick succession every *twelve* seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	7½ secs.

Elevation.—18 feet.

Visibility.—9 miles.

Power.—300 candles.

Structure.—Lantern, painted white, carried on pile structure 20 feet high.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 403, Wood Point to Lowly Point.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1918, page 222.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 26 of 1923.

The 15th December 1923.

AUSTRALIA. SOUTH COAST—Spencer Gulf.

Tipara Reef Light—Light to be temporarily extinguished. Provisional lights to be established.

No. 408 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Group Flashing Light with white and red sectors on Tipara Reef will be temporarily extinguished during alterations to the structure, and two lights of low power having the undermentioned characteristics will be exhibited in its place, from about 7th January 1924 to 25th March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 34° 04′ S., Long. 137° 24′ E. on Chart No. 2389.

Details.—

(a) *West Provisional light*—To be exhibited from a lantern supported by a post 25 ft. high standing on the west side of the pile structure carrying the present lighthouse.

Character—*Group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes in quick succession every *ten* seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	8 secs.

Elevation.—60 feet.

Visibility.—13 miles from 319° (N. 46° W. Mag.) through north, east, and south to 242° (S. 57° W. Mag.) approx.

(*b*) *East Provisional Light*—To be exhibited from a lantern supported by a post 12 ft. high, standing on the east side of the pile structure carrying the present lighthouse.

Character.—*Fixed white* light.

Elevation.—45 feet.

Visibility.—10 miles from 242° (S. 57° W. Mag.) through west to 319° (N. 46° W. Mag.).

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 402, Tickera Point to Cape Elizabeth.

,, 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

,, 2689B, Australia, southern portion.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923, No. 2323.

Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1918, page 206.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 23 of 1923.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Tipara Reef Light—Alteration in elevation and visibility.

No. 409 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Group Flashing light with white and red sectors (U) on Tipara Reef will be re-established at reduced elevation on or about 25th March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 34° 04′ S., Long. 137° 24′ E. on Chart No. 2389.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing* with *white* and *red* sectors, showing *two* flashes in quick succession every *ten* seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	8 secs.

Sectors.—*White* from 341° (N. 24° W. Mag.) through north to 219° (S. 34° W. Mag.) ; *red* thence to 242° (S. 57° W. Mag.) ; *white* thence to 319° (N. 46° W. Mag.) ; *red* thence to 341° (N. 24° W. Mag.).

Elevation.—68 feet.

Visibility.—*White* light, 14 miles. *Red* light, 8 miles.

Power.—*White* light, 5,000 candles. *Red* light 2,000 candles.

Structure—White lantern on red cylinder house carried on piles 72 feet in height.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 402, Tickera Point to Cape Elizabeth.

,, 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

,, 2689B, Australia, southern portion.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI. 1923, No. 2323.

Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1918, page 206.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 24 of 1923.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—TANGANYIKA TERRITORY.

Tanga Harbour and Approach—New Traffic Regulations.

No. 410 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1737 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Ras Kasone signal beacon, lat. 5° 04′ S., long. 39° 08′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The following new traffic regulations, which have been brought into force for vessels approaching or leaving Tanga, are to be substituted for those given in the Supplement to the Sailing Directions.

1.—(*a*) No steamer shall enter, leave, or get under way within the limits of the inner harbour of the Port of Tanga unless the signal station at Ras Kasone indicates that the channel is clear for her to do so as prescribed in the schedule of signals hereto.

(*b*) For the purposes of these rules the inner harbour shall include all waters within the Port of Tanga to the west of an imaginary line between Ras Kasone and Ulenge lighthouse.

2. Subject to the discretion of the Port Officer outgoing steamers shall have a right of way over ingoing steamers.

3. Steamers wishing to leave harbour shall hoist international code flag H and shall not get under way until two black balls (signal No. 4 in the schedule) have been hoisted on the Southern yard-arm of the signal station.

4. Steamers entering harbour shall not enter the inner harbour until the black ball on the Northern yard-arm (signal No. 3 in Schedule) has been half masted.

5. When more than one steamer wishes to leave harbour at the same time, the steamer which is berthed to the eastward of the other shall get under way first.

6. When more than one steamer wishes to enter harbour, the steamer which has arrived off the inner harbour first shall take priority.

7. Harbour craft, small sailing craft, native craft and rowing boats shall keep clear for steamers over 300 tons gross under way within the limits of Tanga inner harbour.

SCHEDULE OF SIGNALS.

Signal.	*Signification.*
1. Square flag at Southern yard-arm	Steamer sighted approaching port.
2. One black ball at Northern yard-arm	Steamer or steamers in Ship channel approaching port.
3. One black ball half mast at Northern yard-arm ...	Permission to approaching steamer to enter inner harbour. Steamers in harbour may not get under way.
4. Two black balls at Southern yard-arm	Permission to steamers to leave harbour. Approaching steamers may not enter inner harbour.

Publications.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 449; Supplement No. 6, 1922.

Authority.—Governor, Tanganyika Territory. (*H. 7158-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST.

Torres Strait—Shoals to be expunged from Charts.

No. 411 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1738 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Booby island, lat. 10° 36′ S., long. 141° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Positions by distance and bearing from Booby island lighthouse.	Depths.
(*a*) 8·8 miles 123° ...	... 5 fathoms (9^{m}1).
(*b*) 6·0 „ 139° ...	... 5 „ (9^{m}1).
(*c*) 2·7 „ 151° ...	... 4½ „ (8^{m}2).
(*d*) 3·1 „ 154° ...	... 3½ „ (5^{m}9).
(*e*) 2·2 „ 329° ...	... 5 „ (9^{m}1).
(*f*) 1·4 „ 343° ...	... 4 „ (7^{m}3).

Details.—The above shoals do not exist and are to be expunged from the charts accordingly.

On chart No. 447 a depth of 5½ fathoms (9^{m}6) is to be inserted in lat. 10° 34′ 30″ S., long. 141° 52′ 30″ E.

Charts affected.—No. 437, Albany pass to Booby island.

„ 2375, Torres strait—western channels. (*b*) (*c*) (*d*) (*e*) (*f*).

„ 2354, Cape Grenville to Booby island. (*c*) (*d*) (*e*) (*f*).

„ 447, Western approaches to Torres strait. (*b*) (*d*) (*e*) (*f*).

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 234.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 6912-23.*)

BORNEO, NORTH COAST.

(1) Banguey South Channel—Buoy withdrawn ; Beacon established.

(2) Mallawalle Channel—Beacon established.

No. 412 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1739 of 1923), are republished :—

(1) Banguey South Channel.

(*a*) Buoy withdrawn :

Position.—Formerly marking the north-western side of Outer shoal.

Lat. 7° 02′ N., long. 117° 00′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A buoy painted in red and white veritical stripes.

(*b*) Beacon established :

Position.—On the north-eastern side of Outer shoal.

Lat. 7° 02′ 16″ N., long. 117° 00′ 38″ E. (*approx.*), on chart No. 3728.

Description.—A tripod beacon, with globe topmark painted black and white.

Note.—The notation "(*P.A.*)" is to be inserted against this beacon on the charts.

(2) Mallawalle Channel.

Position.—On the north-eastern edge of Passage reef.

Lat. 6° 59′ 27″ N., long. 117° 16′ 54″ E., on chart No. 1650.

Description.—A tripod beacon, with globe topmark painted black and white.

Charts affected.—No. 3728, Marudu bay. (1).

„ 1650, Mallawalle island to Lankayan. (2).

„ 948, Balabac strait.

„ 287, Gaya bay to Sandakan harbour.

„ 967, Palawan island.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 137.

Authority.—Commissioner of Customs and Excise, Sandakan. (*H. 5353-23.*)

AFRICA, EAST COAST—TANGANYIKA TERRITORY.

Ras Kanzi Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 413 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1750 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 7° 01′ S., long. 39° 33′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 10 sec., 62 ft., vis. 13 m.*

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every ten seconds*, thus :—Flash 2 sec., eclipse 8 sec.

Remarks.—The visibility of the light is now 13 miles; the power is 2,500 candles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

Charts affected—No. 662, Kilwa point to Zanzibar channel.

„ 669, Cape Delgado to Port Mombasa.

„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 100.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 367.

Authority.—Acting Chief Secretary, Dar-es-Salaam. (*H. 7189-23.*)

JAPAN—INLAND SEA.

Yashiro Jima—Shoal southward of.

No. 414 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1751 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Southward of Kodomari, at a distance of 3·75 cables 033° from the summit of Sasa shima.

Lat. 33° 54′ N., long. 132° 24′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—4¼ fathoms (7^{m}8), sand.

Charts affected.—No. 3154, Ominase to Gogo shima.
„ 3469, Hiroshima wan.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 397.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 284 of 1923. (*H. 4903-23.*)

SUMATRA, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Deli River Entrance—Light-Buoys established.

No. 415 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1752 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Close westward of outer leading line, at a distance of about 5¼ miles north-eastward of Belawan water tower.

Lat. 3° 52′ 18″ N., long. 98° 43′ 18″ E. (*approx.*) on plan quoted below.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted white, exhibiting an *occulting white* light *every six seconds*, thus :—Light 3 sec., eclipse 3 sec.

(*b*) *Position.*—Abreast of (*a*) and close eastward of the outer leading line.
Lat. 3° 52′ 18″ N., long. 98° 43′ 25″ E. (*approx.*) on plan quoted below.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

Note.—The notation "(*P.A.*)" is to be inserted against each of the above light-buoys on the plan quoted below.

Chart affected.—No. 1353, Diamond point to Pulo Berhala, with plan.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 99.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2490 of 1923. (*H. 7017-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—CLEARANCE STRAIT.

Howard Channel—Amended Positions of Light-Buoys.

No. 416 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1753 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Light-buoy No. 2 :

Position.—At a distance of about 3½ cables southward of former position.
Lat. 11° 59′ 42″ S., long. 131° 18′ 48″ E.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *group flashing red* light.

(*b*) Light-buoy No. 4 :

Position.—At a distance of about one cable southward of former position.
Lat. 12° 05′ 12″ S., long. 131° 05′ 36″ E.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted red, exhibiting a *flashing white* light.

(*c*) Light-buoy No. 5 :

Position.—At a distance of about 3½ cables southward of former position.
Lat. 12° 05′ 18″ S., long. 131° 00′ 56″ E.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *group flashing red* light.

Remarks.—The positions given above refer to chart No. 1095. The former positions of these light-buoys differed on some copies of the chart.

Note.—The words "*See Cautionary Note*," with reference to the caution respecting buoys given below the title of the chart, is to be inserted south-westward of Marsh shoal at the western end of Howard channel.

Chart affected.—No. 1095, Clarence strait.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1923, pages 91, 92.

Authority.—H.M.A.S. *Melbourne* Hyd. Note No. 3 of 1923. (*H. 6887-23.*)

STRAIT OF MALACCA—MALAY PENINSULA.

North Klang Strait—Light-Buoy established.

No. 417 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1770 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—On the western side of channel, north-eastward of Tanjong Bakau. Lat. 3° 04′ 10″ N., long. 101° 20′ 20″ E., on chart No. 3453.

Description.—A conical light-buoy, painted white, exhibiting a *flashing white* light *every ten seconds*.

Remarks.—The flashing white light, shown on Tanjong Bakau on certain copies of chart No. 1355, is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 3453, Klang strait and approaches.

„ 794, Pulo Berhala to Cape Rachado.

„ 1355, Malacca strait.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 210.

Authority.—The Harbour Master, Selangor. (*H. 7474-23.*)

JAVA—NORTH COAST.

Pemalang Point—Extension of Bank.

No. 418 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1771 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Pemalang point, lat. 6° 48′ S, long. 109° 29′ E. (*approx.*).

Caution.—The shore bank at this point is reported to be extending further to seaward as stated in the following note which is to be inserted on the chart :

"*Shoal water reported to extend one mile further North than charted* (*1923*)."

Chart affected.—No. 1653, Island of Java, western portion.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 114.

Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1923 (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2424 of 1923. (*H. 6896-23.*)

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN—

RANGOON RIVER APPROACHES.

Elephant Point—Mooring Buoys laid.

No. 419 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 86M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about ·50 cable, 000° from Elephant Point leading lights.

Lat. 16° 28¼′ N.
Long. 96° 19¾′ E. } approx.

Details.—Two mooring buoys (second class) have been laid in the above position for the use of Launches and small craft engaged on the special Survey.

These buoys are laid 160 feet apart from each other.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 833, Rangoon River and Approaches.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 458.

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, dated 5th November 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST—MALABAR COAST, GOA.

Marmagao Rock—Buoy re-established.

No. 420 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 88M. of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice.—Admiralty No. 937 of 1923. (*This Office No. 247 of 1923.*)

Position.—At a distance of 4·0 cables 305½° from Marmagao breakwater light occulting.

Lat. 15° 25′ N.
Long. 73° 47′ E. } approx.

Description.—A black can buoy, marking the Marmagao Rock.

Charts affected.—No. 492, Aguada to St. George Islands.

„ 740, Achra River to Cape Ramas.

Publications.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1919, page 177.
Indian List of Lights in press.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, H. M. S. "Southampton". Hydrographic Note No. 1, dated 12th November 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN—
RANGOON RIVER APPROACHES.

Fairway Light-buoy—Floating Marks laid eastward of.

No. 421 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 89M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 16° 17′ N.
Long. 96° 17′ E. } approx.

Details.—It is hereby notified that several floating marks surmounted by flags in connection with the Outer Bar surveying operations will be moored to the eastward of the Fairway Light-buoy at intervals during the next two or three months.

Remarks.—No notice should be taken of these as they are not in any way connected with the navigation of the Port.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 833, Rangoon River and Approaches.

„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, dated 10th November 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN—RANGOON RIVER APPROACHES.

Fairway Light-buoy—Correction to the character of light.

No. 422 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 90M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 16° 17′ N.
Long. 96° 16′ E. } approx.

Details.—The Fairway light-buoy is now exhibiting a *flashing* white light and not the occulting white light as given in the Admiralty Publications.

The period between the flashes being 6½ seconds.

Charts affected.—No. 833, Rangoon river and Approaches.
„ 823, Koronge island to White points.

Publications.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 460. Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, R. I. M. S. "Clive", dated 13th October 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

Rangoon River—Information with regard to Buoys.

(1) Chokey Lumps Lower Buoy—Replaced by an "Aga" Light-buoy.

(2) Liffey island—Buoy established southward of.

No. 423 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 91M. of 1923), are republished :—

(1) Chokey Lumps Lower buoy.

Position.—At a distance of about 4·0 cables, north-westward of D'Silva North point in the position of red conical buoy which it replaces.

Lat. 16° 40′ N.
Long. 96° 14′ E. } approx.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. ev. 3 sec., vis. 8m.

Description.—An Aga light-buoy, painted red with the letters L. C. in white, and exhibiting a flashing white light every 3 seconds, visible about 8 miles.

(2) Liffey Id.

Position.—At a distance of about 3¼ cables westward of I. B. P. works or (Middle point lower) Jetty, in 12 feet of water at L. W. O. S.

Lat. 16° 42⅓′ N.
Long. 96° 13¼′ E. } approx.

Description.—A can buoy painted black with letters L. S. This buoy will be known as the "Liffey Sand Buoy".

Chart affected.—No. 833, Rangoon river and Approaches.

Publications.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, pages 462 and 463.

Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, dated 10th November 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL—COROMANDEL COAST.

Porto Novo—Existence of a shoal water patch southward of.

No. 424 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 92M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 11° 21′ N.
Long. 79° 50½′ E.

Details.—SS. "Tara" reports that owing to the new Outlet of the Coleroon river about 2 miles southward of the charted position a shoal water patch has existed approximately in the above position.

This patch lies about one mile eastward of the shore and extends about 1½ miles northward from its southern position.

Charts affected.—No. 71, Madras to Colimere point.
„ 828, Cape Comorin to Cocanada.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 213.

Authority.—Presidency Port Officer, Madras, dated 13th November 1923.

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ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE EXCISE DEPARTMENT, BENGAL, FOR THE YEAR 1922-23.

NOTIFICATION.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 25—The 4th January 1924.—The following extracts from the report of the Commissioner of Excise and Salt on the administration of the Excise Department in Bengal during the year 1922-23, are published for general information.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

No. 4678A.E., dated Calcutta, the 10th September 1923.

From—S. C. MUKERJEE, ESQ., I.C.S., Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Department of Agriculture and Industries.

I HAVE the honour to submit the following report on the administration of the Excise Department in the Presidency of Bengal for the year 1922-23.

Rai S. K. Raha Bahadur, Deputy Commissioner of Excise and Salt, was in charge of the Department from the 1st April 1922 to the 23rd May 1922 as Officiating Commissioner during my absence on leave. I returned from leave on the 24th May 1922 and held charge of the Department during the remainder of the year.

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4. **Administrative changes and reforms.**— * *

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(2) Under Government notification No. 115T.A.I., dated the 13th June 1922, excise restrictions on unfermented date juice were withdrawn in all the districts of the Presidency with the proviso that in the Sadar and Serampore subdivisions of the Hooghly district and in the district of Howrah (with the exception of the areas included in the Calcutta district) such juice is not to be drawn except in vessels coated with lime to prevent fermentation.

(3) Under Government notification No. 3139Ex., dated the 10th July 1922, the minimum prices fixed for locally manufactured or imported brandy, whisky, gin, rum and beer to be sold by the retail vendors in Bengal were revised. It was also directed by Government after consultation with the Wine, Spirit and Beer Association of India that in the process of compounding and blending of brandy, whisky, gin and rum in Bengal no spirit shall be used except—

(*a*) spirit manufactured in any distillery in Great Britain and on which an excise duty would be payable in that country but for export to Bengal ;

(*b*) spirit manufactured in any distillery in Bengal under the supervision of Government ;

(*c*) pot-still malt whisky manufactured in any distillery in Scotland and properly matured under the excise regulations in force in that country ; and

(*d*) brandy made from grapes in France and exported to Bengal in its original condition.

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(7) Under section 2 of the Bengal Excise (Amendment) Act, 1922 (Bengal Act VII of 1922), the age of a child to whom the sale or delivery of any spirit or intoxicating drug is forbidden has been raised from 14 to 16 years.

(8) Under Government notification No. 106 Ex., dated the 6th January 1923, the retail sale price of *ganja* has been fixed at Rs. 87-8 per seer in consequence of the increase in the cost price paid by the retail vendors to the Naugaon Ganja Cultivators' Co-operative Society, Limited.

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(10) Under Government notification No. 636Ex., dated the 9th February 1923, the treasury price of excise opium was raised from Rs. 63 to Rs. 71 per

seer with effect from the 1st April 1923, and under Government notification No. 635 Ex., dated the 6th February 1923, the retail price was raised from Rs. 123 to Rs. 130 per seer with effect from the same date in the whole of Bengal, except in some border shops in the Midnapore district, in which the price was fixed at Rs. 107 per seer for special reasons.

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(12) Under Government notification No. 801Ex., dated the 21st February 1923, the constitution of the Licensing Board for the Calcutta Municipality has been revised so as to secure fuller representation of the public in excise matters and a more effective control over the selection of sites, number of shops and other cognate matters.

(13) In order to give effect to the decision of the League of Nations in connection with the International Opium Convention held at Hague in 1912, the following additional restrictions have been imposed on transactions in dangerous drugs in Bengal :—

(*a*) Under Government notifications Nos. 4545Ex. and 4546Ex., dated the 30th August 1922, "Medicinal Opium" as defined in the articles of the Convention has been excluded from the opium rules and made subject to the morphia rules.

(*b* Under Government notification No. 372Ex., dated the 24th January 1923, exemption of certain medicinal preparations containing cocaine from all the provisions of the Act was withdrawn, and under notifications Nos. 370Ex. and 371Ex. of the same date, the lists of exempted preparations containing morphia and opium have been considerably curtailed.

(*c*) Under Government notifications Nos. 1047Ex. and 1048Ex., dated the 5th March 1923, an "Import Certificate" in the form prepared by the League of Nations has been prescribed for each indent for cocaine, medicinal opium or morphia drugs for import into or export from Bengal, a specific certificate being required from the Government of the importing country to the effect that the consignment is required exclusively for medicinal or scientific purposes.

(14) In order to give effect to the recommendations of the Bengal Retrenchment Committee regarding the Excise and Salt Department, contained in paragraphs 17 to 30 of their report, Government have issued the following orders. I have endeavoured to effect all reasonable retrenchments as promptly as possible with the valuable help of the remarks of the Retrenchment Committee and practically all the decisions have been based on my report :—

(*a*) The excise work in eleven districts, instead of in three as at present, will gradually be made over to Inspectors of Excise and Salt as vacancies arise, the cadre of Superintendents of Excise and Salt being ultimately reduced by eight posts. This is on the clear understanding that the district and subdivisional officers will be in a much better position to look after the excise work themselves in future.

(*b*) One post in the cadre of Inspectors of Excise and Salt has been abolished.

(*c*) The post of Superintendent of Excise in charge of the Intelligence Bureau has been abolished from the 1st April 1923.

(*d*) One launch and some boats and coaling stations in the 24-Parganas and Chittagong districts have been abolished and the services of the establishments have been dispensed with.

(*e*) The post of the Deputy Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Dacca Range, has been abolished from the 1st July 1923, and his establishment has also been abolished.

(*f*) I have issued detailed instructions to all district officers regarding the payment of rewards to officers and men of the department. A record will be kept for each officer separately and payment will ordinarily be made towards the close of the year, the amount not exceeding six months' pay without special sanction. This will only apply to the officers and men of the department, and not to outsiders or officers of other departments who will continue to get rewards as previously.

(*g*) There have been other minor retrenchments such as in the number of telephones, and steps have been taken to curtail expenditure on contingencies and travelling allowances.

5. **Temperance teaching in schools.**—The revised syllabus for primary schools on hygiene and sanitation was drawn by the Director of Public Instruction in consultation with Dr. Bentley, Director of Public Health. Temperance teaching was considered to be out of place at this stage. The Director of Public Instruction states that "Alcoholic liquor drinking affects the lives of our ordinary primary school children so little that there is no need for such lessons." Lessons on temperance have therefore been left out from the curriculum for primary schools.

Such lessons are however incorporated in the books on hygiene for use in the middle and upper primary stages of the English and vernacular schools.

6. **Temperance movements.**—As explained in last year's report, the Calcutta Licensing Board has been reconstituted during the year. There are now six non-official and three official members as compared with three non-official and four official members in the previous Board. The President of the new Board is a non-official and prominently connected with the temperance movement.

The year was marked by the gradual disappearance, in most of the districts, of the anti-excise agitation started by the non-co-operation movement. No organised temperance movement seems to have been started in any of the districts and, outside Calcutta, there were apparently no temperance societies to preach the evil effects of intemperance. The effect of the non-co-operation agitation in the matter of excise in the previous year continued, however, to be felt in some of the districts, specially in the areas inhabited by the Santals.

7. **Excise Licensing Boards.**—In the Calcutta district, the Licensing Boards held their usual meetings to decide, after consideration of objections, the number and location of shops for the retail sale of excisable articles and to discuss other cognate matters. The Calcutta Board held five meetings during the year, the Howrah Board three meetings and the Cossipore-Chitpur, Maniktolla and Bally Boards held two meetings each. The Calcutta Licensing Board sanctioned one foreign liquor public license, four restaurant licenses and one hotel license, the removal of the site of one foreign liquor public license, three combined licenses, two opium shops, one country spirit and one *tari* shop. They also sanctioned the extension of premises of one foreign liquor combined license and of one public license, the conversion of one country spirit "off" into "off" and "on" license and also the conversion of a restaurant into a hotel license. The Board approved of the action taken in regard to foreign liquor licensing for the year 1922-23, which was rendered necessary to give effect to the measures sanctioned by Government.

The Howrah Licensing Board sanctioned the change of site of one foreign liquor "on" shop, the conversion of one foreign liquor "on" shop into a restaurant and the abolition of three *tari* shops.

The Cossipore-Chitpur, Maniktolla and Bally Licensing Boards, after due consideration of all objections and the opinions of local bodies, sanctioned the existing number and location of shops for the retail vend of excisable articles in their respective jurisdictions. The first named Board rejected an objection against the site of a country spirit shop.

8. **Excise Advisory Committees.**—In areas outside the Calcutta district, local Excise Advisory Committees were convened to advise the Collectors as regards the number and location of the excise and opium shops. All their recommendations were carefully considered and mostly given effect to. Ten country spirit, 2 *ganja*, 2 opium and 2 *tari* shops were abolished ; the sites of 12 country spirit, 5 *ganja*, 3 opium, 1 *bhang*, 11 *tari*, 3 *pachwai* and 1 foreign liquor shops were changed and 8 *ganja*, 8 opium, 5 *bhang*, 2 *tari* and 4 *pachwai* shops were newly opened in accordance with their advice.

9. **Total revenue and charges** * * * .—The excise revenue and charges of the Presidency for the last five years are shown below :—

Period.	Revenue.	Charges.	Net revenue.	Percentage of charges.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1918-19	1,76,38,246	10,57,674	1,65,80,572	5·99
1919-20	1,81,08,448	11,58,629	1,69,49,819	6·39
1920-21	1,96,33,317	12,00,702	1,84,32,615	6·11
1921-22	1,83,50,896	14,52,129	1,68,98,767	7·91
1922-23	2,01,17,030	14,34,397	1,86,82,633	7·13
Difference of the past two years ...	+17,66,134	−17,732	+17,83,866	−·78

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11. **Actual receipts.**—Deducting the advance collections (Rs. 74,386) for 1923-24 and adding the revenue (Rs. 60,568) which was collected in advance in 1921-22, the actual receipts on account of 1922-23 were Rs. 2,01,03,212 against Rs. 1,87,32,910 (after similar adjustment) of the preceding year, showing an increase of Rs. 13,70,302 or 7·31 per cent.

12. **Excise charges** * * * * —The total expenditure of the Excise and Salt Department, excluding refunds, shows an increase of Rs. 1,234 as compared with 1921-22. The slight increase is due to the progressive increases in the time-scales of pay of the officers of the department. It is a matter for congratulation that the expenditure in this department did not intrinsically increase during the year under report.

13. **Revenue under different heads** * * * * —Revenue increased under all the heads except "Total receipts from opium" and "Fines and forfeitures." The largest increase of revenue (Rs. 8,99,988) occurred under the head "Country spirit;" "Wines and spirits" (foreign liquors other than beer, medicated wines and commercial spirits) come next with an increase of Rs. 4,65,441, followed by "Total receipts from hemp drugs" (Rs 2,39,957), "Pachwai" (Rs. 77,822), "Tari" (Rs. 69,723), "Receipts from commercial spirits including medicated wines" (Rs. 41,009), "Total receipts from beer" (Rs. 4,109) and "Miscellaneous" (Rs. 2,874). The largest decrease (Rs. 32,760) occurred under "Total receipts from opium," followed by "Fines and forfeitures" (Rs. 2,045). The decrease in the opium revenue has been explained in its proper place.

14. **Demand and collection** * * * * Of the gross demand of Rs. 2,01,75,875 a sum of Rs. 2,01,17,030 or 99·7 per cent. was realised. Rupees 8,358 was remitted as irrecoverable. Taking the population of the Presidency of Bengal, according to the census of 1921, to be 46,522,293, the incidence of excise revenue (exclusive of revenue derived from issues of excisable articles to other provinces, Native States and foreign countries) was 6 annas 9 pies against 6 annas 3 pies in the previous year.

15. **Results of Settlements for the current year up to 31st May 1923.**— * * * * * * *

The settlements for the current year 1923-24 show a net decrease of Rs. 4,456 only. The results under the different heads are as follows :—

	Rs.
Country spirit	- 91,875
Foreign liquor	- 14,021
Fermented *tari*	+ 17,674
Pachwai retail	+ 49,741
Opium	- 29,659
Hemp drugs	+ 63,684

The figures under the heads "country spirit," "foreign liquor." "opium" and "hemp drugs" can only be regarded as an estimate, as the license fees under these heads for the current year will depend on the current year's consumption. The apparent increases under "hemp drugs" and "fermented *tari*" represent a recovery from the previous year's decreases which were brought about partly by non-co-operation agitation and partly by the enhanced retail selling prices of *ganja* and *bhang*.

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SECTION II.—Country Liquor.

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COUNTRY SPIRIT.

17. **System.**—There was no change in the system of supply.

18. **Country spirit licenses.**—The number of licenses for the sale of country spirit was 978 as compared with 1,032 in 1921-22, showing a decrease by 54 licenses. This decrease has been maintained from the previous year, the number of licenses in 1920-21 having been 1,120. Six shops in the district of Birbhum, 4 each in Hooghly and Rajshahi, 9 in the 24-Parganas, 10 in Dacca, 3 in Mymensingh, 5 in Bakarganj, 2 each in Tippera and Rangpur and 1 each in Faridpur, Jalpaiguri and Bogra were abolished as the demand for liquor was small. Seven shops in the district of Midnapore were closed owing to want of suitable candidates and 1 shop in Khulna was abolished owing to objections from the public. On the other hand a shop each in the districts of Malda and Darjeeling had to be opened in order to meet local demand and to prevent illicit practices.

19. **The Fixed-Fee system in Calcutta.**—The system worked well. The licensees for the most part now appreciate the benefit of a system by which their fees are regulated on their profits equitably. A feature of the year was that applicants from the *bhadralok* class who had hitherto disliked taking up country spirit shops came forward to take the licenses. The settlement of country spirit shops which used to be a troublesome matter in the auction days is now comparatively easy owing to the competition of the educated classes. The licensees know that they can run the shops with moderate capital and practically without any risk of loss. Country spirit yielded as usual the largest percentage of revenue, viz., 54·36 of the demand, though there was drop in the consumption amounting to 25,785 L.P. gallons.

20. **The Fixed-Fee system in other districts.**—The Bengal Fixed-fee system was in force in all the districts of the Presidency throughout the year. The system appears to have worked satisfactorily on the whole. District Officers are now taking more interest themselves in the selection of the licensees. A great deal will depend on this and on surprise visits and trial purchases. There was an increase of revenue in the 24-Parganas owing to the increased duty, but from Rangpur it is reported that the increased selling price had induced some smuggling from Cooch Behar and Assam.

21. **Consumption.**— The total consumption of country spirit in the Presidency amounted to 593,355·6 proof gallons as compared with 599,415 proof gallons in the preceding year, showing a decrease by 6,059·4 proof gallons.

Consumption increased in seventeen districts and decreased in ten. Outside Calcutta the decrease in consumption in Howrah (4,649 proof gallons or 22·4 per cent.) was due to the higher retail price as compared with the first two quarters of the previous year, in Midnapore (3,613 proof gallons or 10·2 per cent.) to illicit distillation of liquor in the jungly area, in Bankura (2,379 proof gallons or 11·3 per cent.) to the extensive illicit traffic in liquor carried on by the Santhals, and in Birbhum (1,930 proof gallons or 30·1 per cent.) it was due to the increase in retail prices.

The increase occurred in the districts of Rangpur (5,483 proof gallons or 78·3 per cent.) due to the absence of picketting under the non-co-operation agitation, in Mymensingh (4,798 proof gallons or 54·06 per cent.) due to the disappearance of non-co-operation activity and better market for jute and hide, in Jalpaiguri (4,372 proof gallons or 39·05 per cent.) due to the increased prosperity of the tea trade, in Burdwan (3,966 proof gallons or 8·5 per cent.) due to higher rates of wages paid to labourer of all classes, in Malda (3,358 proof gallons or 44·6 per cent.) and Dacca (3,082 proof gallons or 35·5 per cent.) due to the cessation of picketting.

22. **Total revenue from country spirit.**—The total revenue—license and distillery fees and duty from country spirit—was Rs. 94,19,500 against Rs. 85,19,512, an increase by Rs. 8,99,988. The revenue derived from duty and distillery fees increased by Rs. 10,62,594 and that from license fees decreased by Rs. 1,62,606.

CONVICTION FOR DRUNKENNESS AND ACTION TAKEN AGAINST LICENSEES FOR PERMITTING IT.

23. * * * * * In Calcutta 6,215 persons were convicted of drunkenness as compared with 5,599 persons in the previous year, but no statistics were taken to show what proportions of these cases were due to country spirit, *tari* and foreign liquor respectively. The Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, attributes the increase in the number of convictions in Calcutta to the decline in the activities of the non-co-operators in picketting drink shops. Two cases were reported from Midnapore in which the vendors in *pachwai* shops had permitted drunkenness and disorderly conduct in or near their licensed premises. The cases were dealt with under section 65 of the Bengal Excise Act. One *tari* vendor in Calcutta was similarly dealt with.

24. **Distilleries and Warehouses.**—There was no change in the number of contract distillers. The warehouse at Contai in the district of Midnapore was ordered to be abolished with effect from the 1st April last but subsequently kept open up to the 15th April 1923 in order to dispose of the stocks of spirit. The cost price of country spirit was fixed for Messrs. Carew and Company and the Bengal Distilleries Company, Limited, at Re. 1-11 per L. P. gallon and that of Messrs. Haji Ismail Sait and Sons at Re. 1-12 per L. P. gallon from 1st June 1922 to 31st May 1923. The first and last named distillers were also allowed an extra annas 7 per L. P. gallon as compensation as explained in last year's report. The distillers at Russa sank three more tube wells during the year. The Chemical Examiner for Customs and Excise declared the water of the tube wells to be unfit for drinking but quite suitable for reduction and other purposes. The pure yeast culture apparatus in the Union Distillery is not yet in use. As regards the new sewer at Russa mentioned last year, the requisite pumping machinery has been set up by the Corporation of Calcutta and it is expected that the sewer will be ready for use before long. Messrs. Haji Ismail Sait and Sons replaced the bullock carts for carrying liquor by a motor lorry. The liquor now reaches the vendors within the shortest time possible after issue, on payment of a charge of annas 2 per bulk gallon for the transport.

A still in the Russa distillery caught fire when being overhauled, but as prompt action was taken by the officers, it was only slightly damaged and one man was injured.

On several occasions the supplies from the distilleries to the bonded warehouses fell short of the prescribed minimum, and in some cases the position threatened to be serious. There was, however, no actual difficulty in supplying the retail vendors.

TARI.

25. **General.**—On account of the exemption of unfermented date juice from the provisions of the Bengal Excise Act, the licenses hitherto settled at small fixed fees for the manufacture and sale of fresh or unfermented *tari* during some months of the cold weather were abolished.

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26. **The Tree Tax System in Hooghly and Howrah.**—The tree tax system which was introduced in the Sadar and Serampore subdivisions of the Hooghly district and the whole of the Howrah district (with the exception of the areas included in the Calcutta district) in the year 1918-19 continued in the same areas during the year under report. In Hooghly the shops were settled without any difficulty. As explained last year, the tree tax system is not altogether popular with the vendors, who had recourse to the practice of the watering the *tari* in order to save their expenses on the tree tax and the increased rents of the trees demanded by the owners. But it is undoubtedly a more scientific system of taxation and keeps a better control over the consumption. It is reported that manufacturers of *gur* or molasses came in larger numbers from Jessore than previously. The total number of tree-tapping licenses issued were :—

	1921-22.	1922-23.
(1) Number issued on application of vendors ...	854	1,001
(2) Number issued to tappers on their own application	Nil	Nil
(3) Number issued to tree owners for domestic consumption	6,823	5,349

The fermented *tari* revenue of the district decreased by Rs. 3,585 owing to (1) comparatively low license fees due to the anti-drink agitation in the previous year, (2) floods in the Arambagh subdivision and the consequent settlement of the *tari* shops there at lower fees.

In Howrah also there was no difficulty in settling the shops under the tree tax system except in the case of three shops which remained unsettled throughout the year. Besides the above three shops, seven shops were abolished in the district.

The number of tree-tapping licenses issued were :—

	1921-22.	1922-23.
(1) Number issued on application of vendors ...	1,363	1,989
(2) Number issued to tappers on their own application	Nil	Nil
(3) Number issued to tree owners for domestic consumption	5,736	6,226

The *tari* revenue of the district shows a decrease by Rs. 581. The Collector reports that the decrease under the head "license fees" was due to the settlement of the shops at lower fees than in the previous year, with a

simultaneous push in the incidence of taxation under the head "tree tax" which accounts for the increase of revenue under that head. On the whole the slight decrease of *tari* revenue by Rs. 581 is due to domestic consumers licensing less number of trees this year than in the preceding year. The abolition of seven shops and non-settlement of three shops also affected the revenue to a certain extent. The receipts under the head "tree tax" were Rs. 50,308 against Rs. 45,283 in the previous year. Out of this amount Rs. 18,472 were paid by tree owners for domestic consumption against Rs. 20,508 paid in the previous year.

27. **Statistics.**—The total receipts under head "tari" increased from Rs. 4,04,393 to Rs. 4,74,116.

The number of fermented *tari* licenses decreased from 586 to 568. The chief decreases occurred in Howrah and Chittagong by 10 and 5 licenses, respectively. The bulk of the fermented *tari* revenue was derived from the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions and the district of Malda which contributed Rs. 4,55,020 out of a total revenue under this head of Rs. 4,74,116. This amount includes Rs. 21,886 and Rs. 11,506 as license fees and Rs. 36,970 and Rs. 50,308 on account of tree tax for the districts of Hooghly and Howrah, respectively. License fees increased by Rs. 71,871 due to the settlement of shops at higher license fees during the latter half of the year in the 24-Parganas district. The increase was most marked in the 24-Parganas (Rs. 44,060), Calcutta (Rs. 19,718) and Malda (Rs. 21,576), while there was a decrease of Rs. 3,585 in Hooghly.

PACHWAI.

28. **Licenses.**—The total number of licenses issued for retail sale, home-brewing (annual) and manufacture on special occasions was 29,157 as compared with 17,304 in 1921-22 :—

	1921-22.	1922-23.
Retail sale	1,229	1,182
Home-brewing (annual)	15,624	27,484
Manufacture on special occasions	451	491

As reported last year, the retail price of the lower strength of country spirit having been enhanced, some of the lower classes who cannot afford to pay for country spirit have taken to *pachwai*.

29. **Fixed-fee system.**—The Bengal fixed-fee system which was introduced by me in the latter part of year 1919-20, continued to work satisfactorily in the Asansol subdivision of the district of Burdwan. Of the total *pachwai* revenue of Rs. 7,20,646 of this district, Rs. 6,25,186 was contributed by the Asansol subdivision alone and the rest, *i.e.*, Rs. 95,460, by the Sadar, Kalna and Katwa subdivisions.

From 1st April 1922 this system was extended to the larger shops in the remaining portions of the Burdwan district and in the districts of Birbhum, Bankura, Midnapore, Hooghly, Murshidabad and Darjeeling, as explained in last year's report. But on the whole it does not appear to have worked as successfully as in the Asansol subdivision and I have had to modify it since.

30. **Revenue.**—The revenue from retail license fees increased from Rs. 10,08,912 to Rs. 10,69,215. *Pachwai* is the chief source of excise revenue in the districts of Burdwan and Birbhum. The increase was considerable in Burdwan (Rs. 74,605), Bankura (Rs. 8,919), Dinajpur (Rs. 8,664) and Malda (Rs. 1,056). In the Burdwan district it was due to the successful working of the *pachwai* shops under the Bengal fixed-fee system in the Asansol subdivision, whilst in Bankura it is reported to have been due to (1) increase of license fees under the new system, (2) good harvest, (3) some consumers of country spirit having taken to *pachwai* owing to higher rate of retail prices of country spirit, and (4) closer supervision over the shops.

The decrease was heavy in the districts of Birbhum, Hooghly, Murshidabad and Darjeeling owing to the introduction of the fixed-fee system and to the settlement of some shops at reduced fees.

The revenue from home-brewing license increased from Rs. 28,673 to Rs. 46,083 due to steps having been taken to combat the effects of the non-co-operation movement. In Dinajpur there was a large increase of revenue, the Santhals having been induced to give up the spirit of resistance. But in Malda, although there was an increase of revenue by Rs. 1,056, it is reported that the agitation set up in 1921 had still a strong hold upon the Santhals.

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SECTION III.—Foreign liquor.

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32. **Clearances of foreign liquor from the Custom Houses, Calcutta and Chittagong.**—The following statistics showing clearances on payment of duty, both direct and from bond, from Custom Houses are quoted from statements furnished by the Collectors of Customs, Calcutta and Chittagong :—

	1921-22.		1922-23.	
	Calcutta.	Chittagong.	Calcutta.	Chittagong.
	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.
Ale, beer and porter	789,885	2,240	753,137	4,065
Cider and other fermented liquors ...	2,736	...	2,032	63
	794,861		759,297	
Spirits and Liqueurs.				
Brandy	50,794	240	50,499	163
Whisky	205,539	2,080	194,832	3,553
Other sorts of spirits and liquors ...	291,287	292	337,182	370
Wines	63,521	789*	66,339	442
	614,542*		653,380	

* Revised figures.

The Collector of Customs, Calcutta, explains the statistics for the Port of Calcutta in 1922-23 as follows :—

"*Ale, beer and porter.*—Imports have remained constant, but the value has fallen because shipments from Germany have been about Rs. 10 per case below British prices. The quantity received from the United Kingdom was about 66 per cent. of the total and amounted to 510,624 gallons valued at Rs. 15·55 lakhs. Germany more than doubled her supplies, 173,920 gallons valued at Rs. 5·12 lakhs being received compared with 75,961 gallons valued at Rs. 2·67 lakhs in 1921-22. Japan and the Netherlands supplied only about half the quantity sent in the previous year, their place being taken by cheap German beer.

Spirits and liqueurs.—Larger quantities of rum from Java, practically all of which was either bonded or denatured on arrival, brought the total quantity of spirits to 571,775 gallons—an increase of 10 per cent. On the other hand, a considerable drop in the price of brandy, due to the favourable rate of exchange with France, depressed the total value to Rs. 66·35 lakhs—a decrease of 7 per cent.

Wines.—Imports of sparkling wines from France increased from 1,793 to 3,184 gallons, but those from England decreased from 2,374 to 1,209 gallons. Imports of port wine from the United Kingdom increased from 7,795 to 13,690 gallons No direct imports from Portugal were made. Vermouth again showed an improvement. Italian vermouth is apparently increasing in popularity, 10,106 gallons being imported compared with 4,405 gallons in 1921-22, whereas French vermouth fell from 17,301 to 15,985 gallons."

The Customs Department have kindly furnished the following statistics of imports and issues on payment of duty of potable foreign spirits at the Calcutta Custom House :—

Year.	Imported (L. P. Gallons).				Issued on payment of duty (L. P. Gallons).			
	Brandy, whisky, rum and gin	Java arrack.	White and rectified spirit.	Total.	Brandy, whisky rum and gin.	Java arrack.	White and rectified spirit.	Total.
1920-21	292,967	168,477	319	461,763	268,037	78,162	319	346,518
1921-22	207,196	162,626	12,646	383,005	219,226	42,518	...	261,744
1922-23	209,757	92,721	...	302,478	210,523	5,635	...	216,158

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WINES AND SPIRITS (OTHER THAN MEDICATED WINES AN D COMMERCIAL SPIRITS) AND BEER.

34. **Licenses and Revenue.**—The total number of licenses issued for wholesale and retail vend was 778 against 810 in the preceding year. There were increases under heads, "Retail off" (4), "Hotels" (7), "Canteen" (1), "Dining cars" (3) and "Late closing" (80), and decreases under heads "Wholesale" (33), "Railway Refreshment rooms" (2), "Temporary bars" (76), "Steamers" (15) and "Dak-bungalows" (1).

The total receipts from license fees were Rs. 2,42,626 against Rs. 3,21.159 in the previous year. The decrease in license fee is due to the first introduction of the fixed-fee system in the case of foreign liquor.

The receipts from duty were Rs. 13,21,742 against Rs. 7,74,768 in the previous year. The large increase in duty was due to the enhancement in the rate of duty.

35. **Rum and other potable foreign liquors manufactured in India.**—The following quantities of rum manufactured in India were issued during the year from distilleries and excise warehouses in Bengal :—

Place of manufacture	Issued on payment of duty	Issued at the concession rate of duty.	Issued duty free.
	L P gallons.	L. P. gallons	L. P. gallons.
Rum—			
Konnagore	175	...	267
Russa	585	...	...
Asansol	7,056	100	...
Shahjehanpur	9,578	...	100

No brandy or whisky was issued during the year.

One hundred L. P. gallons of Asansol rum was issued at the concession rate of duty to the Lakhimpur Battalion.

Duty-free issues of Shahjehanpur rum were made to the Medical College and to the Campbell Medical School, Calcutta, and of Konnagore rum to hospitals.

36. **Locally manufactured beer.**—The two breweries licensed in the preceding year continued also during the year under report. The Victoria Brewery at Sonada had an outturn of 20,167 gallons of beer during the year, of which 8,553 gallons was sold to the Military authorities, and 11,614 gallons to the licensed vendors of foreign liquor and the public. Owing to the difficulty in obtaining barley, the brewery at St. Mary's Seminary, Kurseong, remained closed throughout the year, though a license was taken by the Curator.

Duty was charged on 20,167 gallons against 15,766 in the preceding year.

Receipts from license-fees and duty amounted to Rs. 10,514 against Rs. 6,405 in the previous year.

MEDICATED WINES AND RECTIFIED SPIRIT.

37. **Licenses and Revenue.**—The number of licenses for the retail sale of medicated wines and rectified spirits were 150 and 38, respectively, as compared with 148 and 36 in the previous year. The revenue from license-fees was Rs. 9,250 against Rs. 9,300 in the preceding year.

38. **Manufacture and issue of rectified spirits.**—Rectified spirits were manufactured in the distilleries at Asansol, Konnagore, Russa and Bahir-Mirzapur Road, Calcutta.

The following quantities of rectified spirits were issued during the year for medicinal, industrial and scientific purposes from distilleries and excise warehouses in Bengal :—

Place of manufacture.	On payment of duty.	Duty free.	For manufacture of tinctures and absolute alcohol in bonded laboratories.
	L. P. gallons.	L. P. gallons.	L. P. gallons.
Asansol ...	11,848	1,561	51,690
Konnagore ...	...	2,427	12,915
Russa ...	30,225	957	1,567
Bahir-Mirzapur	835	148	10,337

Besides the above quantities issued on payment of duty. 5,022 gallons of Asansol spirit and 3,431 gallons of Russa spirit were issued at the concession rate of Rs. 5 per L. P. gallon for medicinal, scientific and industrial purposes. Duty-free issues of Asansol spirit were made to the Director, Botanical Survey of India, to the Chemical Examiner for Customs and Excise, Calcutta, to the Superintendent, Ammunition Factory, Dum-Dum, to the Director, Zoological Survey of India, and to the Officer-in-charge, Mathematical Survey of India ; of Russa spirit to the Superintendent, Government Test House, Alipore, to the Controller of Contracts, Simla, to the Agricultural Chemist to the Government of Bihar and Orissa, Sabour, to the Agricultural Chemist, Dacca, to the Ammunition Factory, Dum-Dum, to the Controller of Printing and Stamps, Calcutta ; of Bahir-Mirzapur spirit to the Presidency College, Calcutta, to the Calcutta Corporation, to the University College of Science, and to the Principal, Bethune College, Calcutta.

39. **Manufacture of tinctures, etc.**—Four bonded laboratories manufactured tinctures, etc., during the year under report. Duty was paid on 34,748 L. P gallons of spirit contained in tinctures and medicinal preparations issued from the four laboratories while medicinal preparations containing 11,195 proof gallons of spirit were issued duty-free to the charitable dispensaries in the various provinces.

The duty realised on tinctures issued was Rs. 1,73,740.

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SECTION IV.—Hemp drugs.

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GANJA.

45. **Retail Licenses.** —The total number of licenses issued in the Presidency for the retail sale of *ganja* was 1,184 as compared with 1,206 in 1921-22. Eleven shops were abolished in the 24-Parganas, five in Birbhum, two in each of the districts of Nadia, Faridpur and Rangpur, one in each of the districts of Mymensingh and Tippera as being unnecessary. One new shop was opened in each of the districts of the 24-Parganas and Murshidabad with the approval of the Advisory Committees to meet the ascertained local demands. The revenue from license fees amounted to Rs. 22,63,185 against Rs. 20,05,216 in the previous year.

46. **Consumption of ganja.**—The total quantity of *ganja* consumed in the Presidency amounted to 1,588 maunds and 21 seers as compared with 1,638 maunds and 7 seers in 1921-22, a decrease of 49 maunds and 26 seers. Consumption decreased in nineteen districts and increased in eight. The greater part of the decrease occurred in the Rajshahi, Presidency and Burdwan Divisions. The decrease exceeded 10 per cent. in six districts, viz., Bogra, Tippera, Nadia, Pabna, Birbhum and Bankura, and 20 per cent. in Howrah (10 maunds or 23·19) and Rajshahi (13¼ maunds or 21·18). There was also a large decrease in Calcutta (14 maunds and 3 seers). The drop in consumption is primarily due to the higher retail price. The abolition of a large number of shops also contributed to the decrease.

The only district in which the increase exceeded 20 per cent. was Rangpur (14½ maunds or 32·40). The increase exceeded 3 maunds in Mymensingh (13 maunds and 16 seers) and Dacca (5 maunds and 5 seers). The increase in Rangpur is reported to be partly due to the cessation of the non-co-operation agitation and partly to the better condition of trade in jute, hide, etc., during the year under report. The cessation of the non-co-operation agitation also accounted for the increased consumption in Mymensingh and Dacca.

47. **Total revenue.**—The total receipts of the year amounted to Rs. 36,62,432 against Rs. 34,33,436 in 1921-22, an increase of Rs. 2,28,996. There was a fall of Rs. 28.973 in receipts from duty which, however, was counterbalanced by an increase of Rs. 2,57,969 under license fees.

48. **Incidence of Taxation.**—The incidence of license fee per seer of *ganja* consumed was Rs. 35·8 and that of duty Rs. 20. The total taxation was Rs. 55·8 per seer as compared with Rs. 50·6 in the previous year.

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51. **Cultivation and outturn of Ganja at Naugaon in Rajshahi.**—The number of applications to cultivate *ganja* received last season (1923) was 3,857 for an area of 7,019 bighas as compared with 3,743 applications for an area of 7,332 bighas in the previous year. The area sanctioned during the year 1922-23 was at first 2,600 bighas. Three thousand and forty applications covering an area of 2,600 bighas 12 cottahs and 15 chitaks were granted as compared with 2,864 licenses covering an area of 2.799 bighas 16 cottahs and 8 chitaks in 1921-22. The unprecedented flood of the 26th September 1922, which swept over the whole of the *ganja* mahal, destroyed almost entirely the *ganja* seedlings which had been transplanted and were in nurseries. As a low outturn was apprehended, extra lands were granted to those cultivators who could grow sufficient seedlings and additional licenses were also granted to 93 persons who could not get licenses at the first selection. Thus the total number of licenses granted last season was 3,133 which covered an area of 3,199 bighas and 16 cottahs. The area

actually cultivated with *ganja* however was 2,891 bighas 17 cottahs against 2,800 bighas 13 cottahs and 4 chitaks in the preceding year. The area under cultivation, as usual, was sufficiently tested, and as a result a very large number of cases of change of plots and cultivation of *ganja* on less or excess areas were detected. But in view of the abnormal conditions prevailing, no one was dealt with severely. It was a year of great distress and devastation to the *ganja* growers as the flood washed away almost all their means of subsistence and destroyed their homes. But in spite of this the cultivators took the utmost care to make good the loss at the cost of personal discomfort and difficulty. This illustrates the popularity of the new system under which the Ganja Cultivators' Co-operative Society, Limited, has been established and also the fact that the *ganja* crop is very profitable to the cultivators.

As soon as the floods receded, the cultivators began to sow seeds in seed beds, but there was a great shortage of seeds. They had to be collected from the public *golas* at Naugaon, by seiving *ganja* and also from the district warehouses of the Presidency. These seeds, together with the seeds which the cultivators had been able to save, were sown in nurseries. Seeds were also collected from other provinces but only a maund of Madras seeds was sown in nurseries as these were not popular.

During the transplantation, caterpillars known as "Hirkati" appeared over almost the whole of the ganja mahal and did much damage to the new seedlings. The crop in its earlier stages showed little promise and there was every indication that the existing stocks and the new crop combined would not be likely to meet the normal demand. Necessarily arrangements had to be made to get a supply of the drug on requisition from outside the Presidency. But the outlook improved and the outturn eventually proved to be better than what had been anticipated, being 1 maund 25 seers and 14 chitaks per bigha against 1 maund 36 seers and 4 chitaks in the preceding year. 4,761 maunds 2 seers and 13 chitaks of new *ganja* were stored in the public *golas* against 5,339 maunds 13 seers and 7 chitaks in the preceding season. The idea of getting a supply of *ganja* from outside the Presidency was then abandoned.

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BHANG.

56. **Licenses and Revenue.**—Two hundred and sixty-six retail licenses were in force during the year, as in the previous year. The total number of druggists' permits issued was 417 as compared with 381 previously. There were noticeable increases in the Dacca (16), Presidency (12) and Rajshahi (6) Divisions. The increase was evidently due to the fact that action was taken to make the *Kavirajes* aware that such permits were necessary to enable them to deal in preparations which contained *bhang*. The total revenue from license fees and duty amounted to Rs. 1,80,643 as compared with Rs. 1,91,500 in 1921-22, a decrease of Rs. 10,857, which was due to the very large increase in the price.

57. **Consumption.**—There was an appreciable demand for *bhang* in most of the Western Bengal districts, viz., in Burdwan, Birbhum, Bankura, Midnapore, Hooghly, Howrah, 24-Parganas, Calcutta and Nadia. In Eastern Bengal, Dacca, as usual, was the only district where there was any considerable issue of the drug. In the other districts in the Presidency the consumption was very small.

The drug is generally used in the preparation of a drink, and its sale in some cases is confined to religious occasions. It is also used in the preparation of Kabiraji medicines. The total consumption in the Presidency amounted to 449 maunds 26 seers as compared with 674 maunds 13 seers in the previous year, a noticeable decrease by 224 maunds 27 seers. The decrease exceeded 5 maunds in Calcutta (115 maunds 1 seer), 24-Parganas

(20 maunds 14 seers), Burdwan (18 maunds 21 seers), Midnapore (16 maunds 34 seers), Hooghly (15 maunds 11 seers) and Howrah (8 maunds 32 seers) and was due to the very large increase in the retail price after the introduction of the fixed-fee system throughout the Presidency. This matter will probably require revision. The decrease in duty due to the diminished consumption of the drug was however counterbalanced by large increase in the license fees in Calcutta and Dacca where there was a net increase of revenue amounting to Rs. 14,253 and Rs. 2,369, respectively.

Two maunds and ten seers of duty-paid *bhang* were exported from Hooghly to French Chandernagore, and five seers of the drug were exported from Calcutta to Switzerland on payment of duty. Tippera supplied 18 seers of duty-paid *bhang* to the adjoining State of Tripura.

CHARAS.

58. **Licenses and Revenue.**—Two wholesale licenses and thirty retail licenses were in force during the year, as in the preceding year. The total receipts amounted to Rs. 1,08,161 as compared with Rs. 86,309 in 1921-22, an increase of Rs. 21,852. The revenue from license fees increased by Rs. 17,304 and that from duty by Rs. 4,548.

59. **Imports, exports and consumption.**—The total quantity of *charas* imported into Bengal was 31 maunds 33 seers against 28 maunds 27 seers in the preceding year. The wholesale dealers of Calcutta and Birbhum, as usual, imported the drug direct from the Punjab and supplied the retail vendors throughout the Presidency.

The total issues to retail shops in the Presidency amounted to 32 maunds 1 seer as compared with 27 maunds 28 seers in 1921-22. By far the greater portion of the drug is consumed in Calcutta, which alone accounts for 20 maunds 11 seers. There was an increase in consumption of over 1½ maunds in Calcutta, which is reported to have been due to the ordinary tendency of consumption of intoxicants to increase and to the stoppage of the non-co-operation movement during the year.

There was, as in the previous year, an appreciable demand for *charas* in almost all the Western Bengal districts. In Eastern Bengal, the use of this drug is extremely limited and the habit does not appear to be spreading. There is one shop in each of the districts of Dacca, Bakarganj and Dinajpur. The consumers of the drug, as reported in previous years, come from different sections of the community. Tastes vary in different districts. Some district officers have reported that the drug is mostly used by the Punjabis, Peshwaris, Chittagonian lascars and up-country men of the labouring classes, while others have reported that its use is confined to well-to-do and *bhadralok* classes as a substitute for *ganja*, the smell of which is disliked. It is also said to be popular with singers and members of *jatra* and threatrical parties, both men and women.

Six seers of *charas* were exported to Bihar and Orissa and two seers to French Chandernagore.

SECTION V.—Opium.

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60. **Restricted supply of opium.**—Under this system monthly issues of excise opium to retail shops are fixed according to *bonâ-fide* local consumption. As in the previous year, all the shops in Midnapore, Hooghly, Howrah, the 24-Parganas, Calcutta, Khulna, Bakarganj, Faridpur, Chittagong, Noakhali, Tippera and Jalpaiguri and a certain number of shops in Burdwan, Nadia, Jessore, Darjeeling, Mymensingh, Murshidabad and Rajshahi worked under this system. One shop in the district of Bankura was also brought under this system during the year under report. Dacca is one of the non-

restricted districts, but the issue of opium to its town shops was locally regulated according to the consumption.

61. **License for retail sale.**—The total number of licenses issued for the retail sale of excise opium was 824 as compared with 820 in the previous year. Six new shops were opened, viz., two each in the 24-Parganas, Dacca and Bakarganj ; on the other hand one shop was abolished in Birbhum and one in Dacca. All the new shops were opened with the approval of the Advisory Committees concerned.

62. **Permits and licenses under the Opium and Morphia Rules.**—The total number of permits and licenses was 1,298 as compared with 1,240 in the previous year. The number includes 33 licenses to manufacturing chemists, 470 to dispensing chemists, 51 to Kabirajes and Hakims and 41 permits to permit-holders (total 595 for intoxicating drugs) and 41 licenses to dealers, 525 to chemists, 54 to persons approved under rules 21(*1*) and 21(*2*) of the Morphia Rules and 83 persons authorised under rule 22 of the same rules (total 703 for morphia drugs). Licenses under these rules were granted on the recommendations of the Civil Surgeons of the districts concerned and in Calcutta they were granted on the recommendation of the Health Officer to the Calcutta Corporation.

63. **Consumption.**—The consumption of excise opium during the year was 1,006 maunds and 16 seers as compared with 1,011 maunds and 18 seers in 1921-22, showing a decrease by 5 maunds and 2 seers only. The consumption increased in 10 districts and decreased in 17. The largest increases occurred in Bakarganj (295 seers or 34·7 per cent.), Chittagong (120 seers or 15·2 per cent.), Tippera (41 seers or 13·8 per cent.), and Noakhali (19 seers or 10·5 per cent.). In Bakarganj the increase is ascribed to the lowering of the sale price in certain parts of the district, on account of the uniform rate under the Bengal fixed-fee system, and to the opening of two new shops. In Chittagong the increase is similarly ascribed to the reduction in the sale price. The increases in Tippera and Noakhali were due to increased allotments having had to be made to some shops. The decrease exceeded 10 per cent. in 6 districts, viz., Bogra (55 seers or 22·7 per cent.), Bankura (99 seers or 15·2 per cent.), Dinajpur (79 seers or 13·4 per cent.), Rajshahi (55 seers or 12·8 per cent.), Birbhum (78 seers or 12·3 per cent.), and Murshidabad (90 seers or 12·1 per cent.). It was due generally to the increase in the retail price. In Bankura and Dinajpur it is also suspected that the decrease was partly due to the consumers on the borders of the adjoining districts of Manbhum, Purnea and Cooch-Behar obtaining their supplies from the latter, as the prices are cheaper there. In the Murshidabad district it is suspected that the decrease in consumption was also partly due to certain classes of people, particularly in the towns of Murshidabad and Berhampur, obtaining supplies of illicitly imported *crude opium*.

64. **Revenue.**—The total receipts amounted to Rs. 31,83,170 as compared with Rs. 32,15,930 in 1921-22, showing a decrease by Rs. 32,760 or 1·0 per cent.

65. **Morphia and opium pills.**—The use of morphia as a substitute for opium does not appear to have been prevalent in any of the districts. No sale of opium pills was reported during the year under review.

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SECTION VI.—Cocaine.

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68. **Licenses and Revenue.**—Three hundred and fifty-seven licenses were issued during the year to chemists and druggists for the sale of cocaine as compared with 334 in 1921-22. Fifty permits for the possession of cocaine were issued free to managers of hospitals or dispensaries not under Government supervision, viz., nineteen licenses for tea gardens in Jalpaiguri

eight for charitable dispensaries in the 24-Parganas, six each in Burdwan and Calcutta, four in Tippera, two in each of the districts of Midnapore, Nadia, and one each in Khulna, Faridpur and Noakhali. Thirty permits were issued to qualified medical practitioners and dentists, viz., fifteen in Calcutta, seven in Bakarganj, four in Chittagong, two in Burdwan and one each in Jessore and Faridpur, for possession and use of the drug in the course of their practice.

69. **Preventive operations and illicit transactions.**—The abuse of cocaine continues in the Calcutta district and in the districts of the 24-Parganas and Burdwan. Six cases were detected in Dacca. The number of persons convicted of illicit possession, sale or smuggling of cocaine increased from 227 to 284. In Calcutta the number was 265 as compared with 209 in the previous year An account of some important cocaine cases will be found in section VII of the report.

The total quantity of cocaine seized in Bengal during the year was 1,197 ounces 368½ grains as compared with 462 ounces 304½ grains in 1921-22. Only 3 ounces 274 grains were seized outside the Calcutta district, and of this quantity, 3 ounces 214 grains were seized in the 24-Parganas. In Calcutta 541 ounces 410 grains were seized by Excise officers, 533 ounces 50 grains by Custom officers and 119 ounces 72 grains by Police officers.

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Section VII.—Offences against the Excise and Opium Laws.

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71. **Prosecutions and conviction.**— * * * *

The total number of persons arrested during the year was 5,799 as compared with 6,762 in the previous year. Of these, 5,409 were convicted during the year against 6,356 in 1921-22. The number of arrests increased in 10 districts out of 27. This increase was most marked in Midnapore (271), Dinajpur (77) and Calcutta (69). On the other hand, there was a decrease in 17 districts and it was most marked in the Burdwan Division. The following districts show the largest decreases, viz., Hooghly (610), Birbhum (342), Burdwan (114), Murshidabad (113), Faridpur (100), Howrah (65) and Mymensingh (55).

In Midnapore the illicit manufacture of *pachwai* from coarse rice and the illicit distillation of country spirit from *mohua* flowers and some times from molasses continued to be the commonest forms of excise crime. The increase in this district was due to the fact that the Santals in Binpur thana began to defy the Excise laws openly, as a direct outcome of the non-co-operation movement, and to manufacture *pachwai* and country spirit in their own homes instead of resorting to the excise shops. The aboriginals and semi-aboriginals of Nayagram and Gopiballavpur thanas also resorted to illicit distillation of country spirit. The local *bhadrolok* consumers of country spirit in many localities are reported to have directly encouraged illicit distillation in order to get drinks at a cheaper rate than from the licensed shops. They are said to have paid up the fines of the accused. In Calcutta the increase was due to the detection of an increased number of petty cases by officers of other departments. In Dinajpur, the Santals and the aboriginals refused *en masse* to take out home-brewing licenses as a result of the non-co-operation agitation, and vigorous measures had to be adopted to prosecute offenders for illicit home-brewing of *pachwai*. The heavy decrease in Hooghly is stated to have been due to the falling off in *tari* and *pachwai* cases on account of the deterrent punishments in the previous year, but it appears to me that it was also due to the laxity of the former Superintendent of Excise who has since retired. In Birbhum also the heavy decrease appears to have been due to the laxity of the supervising officer, although the excuse given is that the Excise Sub-Inspectors were fully occupied in the inspection of *pachwai* shops twice a month under the fixed-fee system, which had been introduced during the year. The Superintendent of Excise has since been transferred and the fixed-fee system has been modified. In Mymensingh where the decrease has

not been so great, the comparative failure in detections is ascribed to shortness of funds for payment of rewards, in consequence of which spies and informers did not come forward to the same extent. In Burdwan the decrease is said to have been due to deterrent punishments and the vigilance of the Excise staff. In Murshidabad the opening of temporary *tari* shops in areas where *tari* crime was prevalent has led to the decrease. The decrease in Faridpur was due to the fact that under the Collector's orders petty *bhang* cases were not sent up. This was a move in the right direction. In Howrah the decrease is also said to have been due to deterrent sentences in the previous year.

72. **Classification of Offences.**—Six hundred and eighteen persons were arrested for "illicit distillation" and 230 for possession or sale of "illicit country spirit" as compared with 430 and 208, respectively, in the preceding year. The chief increases under these two heads taken together occurred in Midnapore (192) and Bankura (66) and the chief decreases in the 24-Parganas and Mymensingh (13 each), Nadia (12) and Howrah (11). As explained in the preceding paragraph the increase in Midnapore was due to the aboriginals and semi-aboriginals of the Binpur, Nayagram and Gopiballavpur thanas resorting to illicit distillation. In 4 cases of illicit distillation in this district the chowkidars were the offenders. The area round about the Kharagpur railway settlement is said to be full of this kind of crime. In Bankura the increase is reported to be due to the fact that the preventive officers had concentrated their attention more to the detection of such offences than on pachwai cases. The decreases in the districts of the 24-Parganas Mymensingh, Nadia and Howrah are nominal and do not require any explanation. Two big cases of illicit trade in country spirit were detected within the mill areas of Khardah and Naihati in the Barrackpore subdivision of the 24-Parganas district during the year and the offenders were adequately punished. In Mymensingh, Namasudras and Muchis are reported to have joined the aboriginal classes in illicit distillation. The Muchis particularly played an active part during the year and several important cases were detected, with large quantities of fermented wash, illicitly distilled liquor and complete sets of distilling apparatus, in which gangs of Muchis were the offenders. A case of manufacture and sale of *Sanjibani Sudha* was detected in Malda.

The number of persons arrested for "unlicensed sale of duty paid country spirit" decreased from 108 to 105. The decrease occurred principally in Calcutta.

The arrests for "illicit possession of duty paid country spirit" increased from 29 to 37, the increase occurring in Calcutta.

The prosecutions for "illicit import, export and transport of country liquor" increased from 153 to 236, mainly in the 24-Parganas and Hooghly districts. In the 24-Parganas the increase was due to clandestine supply of liquor to mill hands in the industrial areas. The increase in Hooghly was due to smuggling from French Chandernagore. Some local middle class men of position and several Calcutta smugglers were found transporting liquor in large quantities in copper vessels especially made for the purpose.

The arrests for "illicit sale of foreign liquor" decreased from 49 to 44. The decrease is slight and does not require any explanation.

Arrests in *tari* cases decreased from 1,928 to 1,227. Hooghly and Murshidabad districts were mainly responsible for this decrease. It has, however, no special significance. The offence is common amongst the lower classes, particularly amongst up-country labourers in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions, and its extent depends upon the amount of available funds in the hands of the consumers.

Prosecutions for "illicit manufacture, possession or sale of *pachwai*" also decreased markedly from 2,299 to 1,862. The decreases were large in Birbhum (320), Hooghly (131) and Burdwan (104), and the reasons have already been mentioned in paragraph 73 above.

Seven persons were arrested for "illicit cultivation of poppy" as compared with 3 in the previous year.

Taking the figures under the two heads "illicit opium" and "Treasury opium" together, the number of arrests for illegal sale and possession decreased from 289 to 272. The chief decreases occurred in Midnapore (25), Burdwan (14) and Nadia (8); whilst Chittagong and Calcutta showed increases by 15 and 10, respectively. The total quantity of opium seized in Bengal amounted to 79 maunds and 13 seers as compared with 54 maunds and 30 seers in the previous year. Of this quantity 58 maunds and 20 seers were seized in Calcutta alone. Eighteen maunds and 24 seers were seized by the special staff at different railway stations. The Customs officers, Calcutta, made seizures on board the vessels in the port of Calcutta, amounting to 9 maunds and 8 seers. Thirty-six maunds and 32 seers were seized by the Calcutta Excise officers as compared with 27 maunds and 24 seers in the preceding year; 2 maunds and 7 seers and 3 maunds and 20 seers were seized by the Calcutta Police and Howrah Railway Police, respectively. The price of the opium seized by the Excise officers, Calcutta, according to the rate prevailing in licensed shops was Rs. 91,360 and Rs. 2,20,800 to Rs. 2,94,400 according to the smugglers' rate. Several important arrests were made during the year, but as the details have already been given in the Excise Supplement to the *Criminal Intelligence Gazette*, it is unnecessary to reproduce them here. Mention may, however, be made of five cases of special interest, the first four of which were detected in Calcutta and the fifth at Howrah.

In the first case information was received by the Calcutta Excise Preventive staff that some European officers, employed on board the SS. *Tanda*, a vessel plying between India and Japan, were engaged in smuggling opium from Calcutta to different Chinese ports. A careful watch was kept on the movement of the ship's officers and it was ascertained that one Mr. G. H. Gregory, the Second Officer of the SS. *Tanda*, had collected a large quantity of opium and kept it in three suit cases at 6/1, Moira Street, Calcutta, prior to its removal to the steamer. On the morning of the 2nd April 1922, Mr. Gregory made over the packages to an Agent of Messrs. Cox & Co., with a letter purporting to have been written by a certain passenger Baldwin (though no such passenger was subsequently found) to the Chief Officer for their removal to the steamer. The packages were, however, seized in a hackney carriage at Chowringhee by the Superintendent of Excise, who was keeping watch with his officers and men, and one Mr. Duff and a coolie both in the employ of Messrs. Cox & Co. were arrested while they were removing the packages to the steamer. The suit cases, on being opened, were found to contain 2 maunds and 5 seers of Malwa opium. Mr. Gregory was also arrested in course of the investigation. All the three accused persons (viz., Gregory, Duff and the coolie) were prosecuted under the Opium Act. Duff and the coolie were discharged as they were merely common carriers and had no guilty knowledge. Gregory was convicted and sentenced to undergo one year's rigorous imprisonment and to pay a fine of Rs. 500, in default six months' further imprisonment. On appeal before the Hon'ble High Court the conviction was confirmed but the term of imprisonment was reduced to six months and the fine was retained though the term of imprisonment in default was reduced to two months. The accused apparently belonged to an organised gang of smugglers and it has been rightly observed by the Hon'ble Judges in their judgment that the position of the accused was such as to give him singular opportunities for smuggling and he was certainly a very useful link between the conspirators at each end of the journey.

In the second case, a Peshwari, who is a notorious opium smuggler of Calcutta, was suspected to have imported a large quantity of opium and to sell it to a Chinese smuggler through his Manager Jatindra Nath Dey. Premises No. 64, Corporation Street, Calcutta, where the mistress of Jatindra Nath was living, were searched and about 2 maunds of opium was recovered inside a steel trunk, a suit case, a gunny bag and the beddings kept in the room. Jatindra, who was present at the time of the search, was arrested with his mistress and sent up for trial under the Opium Act. Jatindra admitted the possession of the opium and was convicted to one year's rigorous

imprisonment. His mistress was discharged. Accused Jatindra Nath was, at the time of detection of this case, undergoing trial before the Police Magistrate, Sealdah, for importing 4 seers of opium by postal parcel at the Cossipore Post Office. He was also convicted in this case and sentenced to undergo three months' rigorous imprisonment. He is said to be an expert in the smuggling business and to be of great help to the local smugglers in importing opium by rail as he was once a railway employé. He had once been convicted at Gaya for illicit import of opium by rail.

In the third case, an Inspector of the Calcutta Excise Force, on receipt of information that some Anglo-Indian smugglers had a large quantity of opium for sale, managed to get one of his petty officers introduced to the smugglers as a purchaser. According to previous arrangements, three Anglo-Indians (Major, Vyse and Maitland) and a servant came to the Eastern Bengal Railway hotel near Sealdah station to deliver to the supposed purchaser 1 maund and 19 seers of opium kept in a steel trunk when they were arrested. The accused Major had received Rs. 5,000 in currency notes from the bogus purchaser as price of the opium just before his arrest, and this amount was recovered from his person in the presence of the witnesses. All the four accused were prosecuted with the sanction of the Local Government for illicit possession of opium and for conspiring amongst themselves for its sale. All the accused, except the servant, were convicted and sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment each. The servant was discharged. Vyse used to hold a responsible post in the workshop of Messrs. Macneill & Co., Calcutta, as an Electrical Engineer at the time of his arrest and Major was an *ex*-Custom Officer.

In the fourth case, on receipt of information, Sergeant Vallis of Hastings police-station, Calcutta, arranged a watch at the Hastings Soldiers' Club and searched the belongings of one King. One maund and 29 seers of Malwa opium was recovered from his two steel trunks. He was a Lance-Corporal and had come from Delhi and put up at this club. His explanation was that a Mahomedan gentleman had given him the boxes at Delhi station, saying that he would call at the Soldiers' club and take away the boxes, and had paid him the expenses for the journey. This explanation was not found satisfactory and he was prosecuted and sentenced to undergo one year's rigorous imprisonment.

In the fifth case, one Nandakumar De and his accomplice Kaloo were arrested by an Excise Sub-Inspector in a country boat in the Uluberia subdivision of the Howrah district whilst smuggling 1 maund and 39 seers of Malwa opium by river. They were carriers of Calcutta smugglers. On conviction they were sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment each and Nandakumar was also ordered to pay a fine of Rs. 100.

Five other important cases of smuggling of opium were detected in the interior of this district and they indicate that the Calcutta smugglers are carrying on their business very largely by these unfrequented routes.

During the year under report a large number of railway parcels were seized and in the majority of cases the consignees or their agents were arrested after careful watch and were successfully prosecuted in court.

Thirty-three registered and insured postal parcels were seized and 2 maunds and 35½ seers of opium were recovered from them. Five of the parcels came from Moradabad, 3 each from Jaipur and Udaipur, 2 each from Delhi and Rampur State and the rest from other Native States, such as Gwalior, Ajmere, Bhopal, etc. Endeavours were made in all cases to trace the addressees but without success except in two.

One special feature of the detections during the year was that, owing to the general slump in trade, some Marwaries, who had previously been engaged in quiet business in piece-goods, etc., had taken to the professions of opium smuggling and had brought down several parcels of opium, declaring them to contain "Rezai cloth", "Deshi cloth", "Khaddar", etc., from the Native States of Rajputana where these cloths are at present manufactured on a large scale. It is satisfactory to note that several of these offenders were successfully arrested and brought to book for the illicit traffic in opium.

The ingenuity of the smugglers in inventing novel methods of concealing opium during transit showed no signs of abatement, as will appear from the fact that contraband opium was seized in bamboos and sugar canes, double-bottomed boxes, tiffin carriers, honey pots, earthen goblets, and specially-constructed tin canisters.

During the year efforts were made to stop the growth of opium smuggling by communicating information of some important cases from Chittagong district to Burma, leading to successful detection. Close co-operation between the Chittagong Excise staff and the Burma staff is reported to be kept up in order to facilitate detections.

Unlicensed sale of tincture opium has been reported from Faridpur. Although such sales do not affect the revenue, the use of this preparation is also injurious to health. It is regretted that certain Calcutta druggists supply tincture opium and liquor morphia to quacks for use in their dispensaries. The names of the preparations are not mentioned in the invoice but their prices are charged with other medicines. This is a matter of some importance and steps will be taken in consultation with the Collector.

The arrests for "illicit possession or sale of *modak* or *chandu*" decreased from 218 to 151. Calcutta is mainly responsible for this decrease.

There were 73 arrests for "illicit cultivation or collection of *ganja* or *bhang*" against 118 in the previous year. The decreases were evenly distributed amongst several districts. In the 24-Parganas arrests fell by 13. In Dinajpur, during the *ganja* cultivation season, green *ganja* was occasionally smuggled into that part of the Balurghat subdivision, which borders on Rajshahi. One such important case was detected in which 1 maund and 15 seers of green *ganja* was seized. Five persons were prosecuted and sentenced to undergo one month's rigorous imprisonment. In Pabna, one Brahmachari was prosecuted for cultivating 6 *ganja* plants. He was fined only Rs. 30. In the Ganja Mahal at Naogaon in the district of Rajshahi 17 cases were detected for "smuggling of non-duty paid *ganja*" and for "illicit possession of green *ganja*" against 65 in the previous year. The decrease has been explained in section IV of this report. Six of the cases were important. Three cases of special importance, in which the quantities seized were comparatively large, are noted below :—

(1) Rasik Lal Ghosh and Gora Mondal, who used to work as informers, were arrested with 79½ tolas and 103½ tolas, respectively, of non-duty paid *ganja*. They were prosecuted and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for two months each.

(2) One Khanu Mondal was arrested for illicit possession of 3 seers of non-duty paid green *ganja* and was sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for three months.

(3) One Dasarath Sardar, who was an informer, was arrested for unlawful possession of 8 seers of green *ganja* plants which he wanted to sell to a bogus purchaser arranged by the Excise Preventive Officer. He was prosecuted and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for one month.

The number of arrests for "unlicensed sale of hemp drugs" remained practically the same as in the previous year (149 against 148).

There were 100 arrests for "illicit possession of *ganja*" as compared with 173 in the previous year. The decrease was more or less evenly distributed except in Rajshahi, which showed a decrease by 53. This decrease has already been explained in section IV of this report. The prosecutions for "illicit possession of *charas*" fell from 5 to 4. The arrests under the head "illicit possession of *bhang*" also decreased from 294 to 257. Faridpur alone was responsible for a decrease by 90, which was due to the fact that orders were issued to the preventive force not to send up petty wild *bhang* cases.

The prosecutions for the "illicit possession or sale of cocaine" increased from 252 to 332. This is satisfactory, as I commented on the decrease in last year's report. Calcutta alone shows an increase by 81. It is practically

the centre for the illicit traffic in cocaine and all the contraband imports and exports of the drug are controlled from it. The total quantity of cocaine confiscated in Bengal during the year under review was 1,197 ounces and 368½ grains, of which Calcutta's share was 1,194 ounces and 94½ grains. The smuggler's wholesale price of one ounce of cocaine varied from Rs. 50 to Rs. 60 and the retail price varied from Rs. 150 to Rs. 200 per ounce. The authorized price of the drug as issued to licensed chemists was Rs. 8 per ounce. The price of the total quantity of cocaine seized by the Calcutta Excise Officers was Rs. 4,328 according to the price at which it is sold to licensed chemists, but it amounted to Rs. 27,050 according to the smuggler's wholesale rate. The use of cocaine as an intoxicant was hitherto chiefly confined to Calcutta, Burdwan and to the industrial areas of Hooghly and 24-Parganas, but during the year under report it also found its way to the railway settlement at Kharagpore in the district of Midnapore and to Dacca. Three cases of special importance are noted below :—

(1) On receipt of information that a Goanese smuggler had a large quantity of cocaine for sale, an Inspector of the Calcutta Excise Preventive staff deputed his petty officer to watch and arrange for detection. The petty officer posed himself as a bogus purchaser and interviewed the smuggler with the informer. It was arranged that the smuggler would sell 100 ounces of cocaine at the rate of Rs. 50 per ounce on the evening of the 28th March 1923. Accordingly the petty officer was sent with the "show money" to the smuggler's house at 34, Prinsep Street to effect the transaction while officers and men remained in hiding near about the place. As soon as the cocaine was delivered the officers rushed in and arrested the two Goanese (Cainero and Fernandiz) and seized 100 ounces of cocaine in a suit case. Both the accused were sent up for trial. The case was pending at the close of the year but has since ended in conviction.

(2) On information an Excise Inspector of Calcutta raided the premises No. 8, Maulvi Lane with other officers and men during the early hours of the 29th March 1923. But the main gate of the house was found locked and one of the Inspectors of the party scaled the boundary-wall and entered the compound. Seeing the officer, the accused Witham, who was then living in the house with his family, rushed into a room and began to throw away the tins of cocaine with the help of his wife and children. The Inspector attempted to prevent this and in the *mêlée* which followed, he was bitten by a dog belonging to the accused. In the meantime, however, other officers and men entered the house and were able to snatch a tin of cocaine from the accused's hand. Other tins were also recovered in course of search and altogether 11 tins containing 265 ounces of cocaine were seized. Witham was arrested and sent up for trial. The case was pending at the close of the year but has since ended in conviction. The accused worked as a contractor for the supply of fresh vegetables to the steamers of British India Steam Navigation Company, and as such he had ample opportunities to import cocaine from foreign countries and sell it to the local smugglers.

(3) A Calcutta Port Police Constable, while on duty at shed No. 3 of the Kidderpore Docks, noticed three Chinamen coming to the Docks in a taxi and going on board the SS. *Ho Sang* which was lying there. Their movements appeared to be suspicious and so when they returned from the steamer and were taking their seats in the taxi, the constable detained the taxi with the help of other constables and secured the three Chinamen (Asan, Anyan and Atanoo) and recovered 108 ounces of cocaine from them. They were prosecuted and were sentenced to pay a fine of Rs 1,000 each.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 5TH JANUARY 1924.

RESOLUTION—No. 22 Edn.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL in the course of the address delivered at the Convocation of the Dacca University on the 22nd February 1923 announced the intention of the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) to set up a Committee to act as a permanent advisory body to Government in their higher educational policy.

2. The Universities of Calcutta and Dacca are both hampered by the lack of adequate financial resources. At the same time the Government of Bengal on whóm the sole care of both Universities has devolved since the introduction of the reformed constitution has been assigned a revenue insufficient to meet the most pressing demands of the province. The amount of money which the Government of Bengal can afford to spend on higher education is, therefore, strictly limited; and it is of supreme importance to ensure that such money as may be allotted to the Universities should be spent in the most profitable manner. Consequently it is essential that the work of the two Universities should be co-ordinated and that all unnecessary duplication should be avoided.

3. Dacca is a residential teaching University situated in Eastern Bengal; Calcutta is an affiliating and teaching University with its headquarters in the metropolis. The curricula followed in the two Universities must necessarily include similar courses of study. But it is natural and desirable that there should be special lines of development at either centre—Dacca University, for example, is likely to devote special attention to higher Islamic studies. It is obviously essential in the interests, not only of economy, but also of efficiency, that there should not be any avoidable overlapping in the provision of specialised courses of study, particularly in science. It will be disastrous alike to the institutions themselves and to the present and future generations of Bengal students if the Universities of Calcutta and Dacca become rivals rather than collaborators, and if the energies of either are wasted in mutual antagonisms or in controversies with Government and the Legislative Council. It is to assist Government and the two Universities to work together and to make the most of their resources and opportunities that the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) have decided to appoint a permanent advisory Committee for higher education.

4. The Committee will be composed of—

(1) The Hon'ble Minister in charge of Education.
(2) The Vice-Chancellor of the University of Calcutta.
(3) The Vice-Chancellor of the University of Dacca.
(4) Sir Asutosh Mukharji, Kt., C.S.I., M.A., D.L.
(5) Mahamahopadhyaya Pandit Hara Prasad Shastri, C.I.E., M.A., F.A.S.B.
(6) Mr. A. F. Rahman, B.A., M.L.C.
(7) The Hon'ble Sir William Ewart Greaves, Kt. (Bar-at-Law).
(8) Dr. Sir Nilratan Sarkar, Kt., M.D.
(9) Dr. Sir Prafulla Chandra Roy, Kt., C.I.E., D.SC.
(10) Dr. Prasanno Kumar Roy, D.SC.
(11) Dr. Hassan Suhrawardy, M.D., F.R.C.S., L.M., M.L.C.
(12) Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E., M.L.C.
(13) Dr. N. Annandale, C.I.E.
(14) Sir Willoughby Langer Carey, Kt.
(15) The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
(16) Mr. H. E. Stapleton, M.A., B.SC.
(17) Rai Lalit Mohan Chatarji Bahadur, M.A.

The meetings of the Committee will be presided over by His Excellency the Governor or, in his absence, by the Minister in charge of Education. If the Minister is also absent, the Vice-Chancellor of the Calcutta University will preside. The Director of Public Instruction will act as Secretary to the Committee. The function of the Committee will be to advise on all matters connected with higher education which may be referred to it by the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education).

ORDER—Ordered that this resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and that copies of it be forwarded to the members of the Committee.

By order of the Government of Bengal
(Ministry of Education),

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 2nd January 1924.

Summary.—The week was practically rainless. Reaping of winter paddy is nearing completion; threshing continues. Transplantation of summer rice is proceeding. The prospects of standing crops are generally reported to be fair. With the influx of new rice in the market the price of common rice has fallen by about 1·25 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	Nil	6½	6½	Effects of weather on crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy still continues. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	Nil	8	8	
	Basirhat ...	0·02	8½	8½	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Rain is badly needed. Harvesting of winter paddy still continues. Cattle-disease is reported from the Sadar and Meherpur thanas. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	8	7¾	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	8	8¼	Weather occasionally cloudy. Rain is needed for *rabi* crops. Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy is almost finished. Fodder is sufficient. No large import or export. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Jiaganj in Lalbagh.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	8	8	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8¾	8¾	
4	Jessore .	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	8½	
	Magura ...	Nil	8¾	8¼	
	Narail ...	Nil	10	(*n*)	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7½	8	Report not received.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

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1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Export and import as usual and stocks are sufficient. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7	7	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	8½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	6 11/16	7⅛	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Rain is wanted for the *rabi* crops. Fodder is sufficient and water is insufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	Nil	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8	8½	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter rice has commenced. Standing crops are doing well. Export of rice and paddy continues.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	9	7½	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	8½	8⅝	Weather cool. Harvesting of winter paddy and transplantation of *boro* paddy are progressing. Prospects of winter rice and sugarcane are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Contai ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	6½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Jhargram ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	8	7½	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8½	8½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	6½	6½	Reaping and threshing of winter paddy are proceeding. Condition of standing crops is fair.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are tolerable. Fodder is sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8½	8	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	6½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7	6 9/16	Harvesting of winter paddy is in full swing. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	7½	7½	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	6	
15	DARJEELING ...	Nil	5	5	*Marua* and paddy are being harvested. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	0·	6	(*n*)	
	Siliguri ...	0·40	7	(*n*)	
	Kalimpong ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	5½	

(*n*) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	6	6	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of winter rice is in progress and that of potatoes is going on briskly. Cattle-disease is reported from Kotwali and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	6	6	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6½	6½	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	7⅛†	5 13/16	Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are finished. Prospects of *rabi* crops are bad for want of rain.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	6½	6½	Rain is wanted. Fodder and water are adequate. Stock of food-grains is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Harvesting of winter paddy is in progress Prospects of standing crops are favourable.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅛	8⅛	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for *bitri* paddy has commenced in places. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	7	7	Weather very cold. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is almost completed. Fields are being prepared for *boro* paddy. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8	8	
	Narayanganj ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	(*n*)	7½	7½	
22	MYMENSINGH ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6⅞	6⅞	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	Nil	7	7	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kanaia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported. † New.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
a	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is almost finished Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	Nil	7½	7½	
	Madaripur ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	9	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	0·05	10	(*n*)	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	7½† 8½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continues. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7½† 8	8	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7† 7½	7½	
	Dakshin Shahazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7 7/16† 8	8	
25	CHITTAGONG ...	Nil	7 6½*	6½ 6½*	Cultivation of the *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter rice are in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Water and fodder are sufficient. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is completed. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	7 3/11†	8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7 3/11†	7 3/11	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is almost completed. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	·8	8	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	7	7	Weather cloudy Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE	0·50	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is nearly completed. Condition of *rabi* crops and prospects of other standing crops are fair. Cattle-disease is reported from Sadar. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 30 to Rs. 45 and jute at Rs. 8 to Rs. 10 per maund.

* Burma rice. (*n*) Not reported. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 5th January 1924*

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

Notice of by-election to elect a Commissioner for Ward No. IX.

In the exercise of the powers vested in him under section 53 (*4*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, the undersigned hereby notifies for general information that, to fill up the vacancy caused by the appointment of the Ward Commissioner of Ward No. IX as the Chairman of the Corporation, a by-election will be held on Saturday, the 2nd February 1924, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 6 P.M., under section 62 of the said Act at such place as will be notified hereafter.

Intending candidates should send in their nomination papers to the Chairman not less than fourteen days before the date fixed for the election as required by rule (*e*) of Schedule V of Act III (B.C.) of 1899.

HARIDHAN DUTT, *Chairman.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 5th January 1924.*

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

Notice under section 47 (3) of Bengal Act V of 1911.

It is hereby notified that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta have applied to the Local Government for sanction to Improvement Scheme No. XXIII (in continuation of the Trust's 20 feet road on the north in the Karbala Tank Lane, Re-housing Scheme) which was originally published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 16th May 1923.

T. EMERSON, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 4th January 1924.*

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN BENGAL

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas	Sagar Island	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·05	...	0·02	0·28
		Diamond Harbour.	...	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20
		Budge-Budge	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60
		Canning Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85
		Alipore	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·82
		Barrackpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 35
		Dum-Dum*	...																			
		Baraset	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Basirhat	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20
		Gosaba	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·12
	Nadia ...	Ranaghat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Krishnagar	...	...	0·49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chuadanga	...	0·02	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02
		Meherpur	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haringhata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad.	Kandi	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Berhampore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalbagh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Azimganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jangipur	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalgola	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Akriganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Patkabari	...	...	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumkal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kallyanganj (*Ishanpur*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore ...	Narail	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jhenida	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Magura	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bongaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khulna ...	Satkhira	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07
		Bagerhat	...	...	1·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·58
		Khulna	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliganj	...	...	2·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10
		Nakipur	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40
		Dumuria	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	0·04
		Rampal	...	...	1·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	0·08
		Kalaroa	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Paikgachha	...	1·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·12
		Mollahat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Motolganj	...	1·55	1·46	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·12
		Tala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
BURDWAN.	Burdwan	Kalna	...	...	1·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Burdwan	...	0·02	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Katwa	...	0·35	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Asansol	...	0 06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mankar	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mangalkot	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Monteswar*	...																			
	Birbhum	Suri	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hetampur*	...																			
		Rampurhat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bolpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Murarai*	...																			
		Labpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Vishnupur	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mallara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khatra	...	...	...	1·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Indas	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kotalpur	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Onda*	...																			
		Gangajalghati	...	...	0·12	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raipur	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sonamukhi	...	...	...	1·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Taldangra	...	...	0 47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saranga	...	...	0·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Indpur	...	0·34	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Arhra	...	0·09	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barjora	...	0·18	1·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Simlapal	...	...	0·49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mejia	...	0·50	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Siromanipur	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palasdanga	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chatna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raibandh	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saltora	...	0·45	0·07	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joypur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ambikanagar*																				
		Jairampur (*Radhanagar.*)	...	0·09	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1923.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st October to 30th November 1923.	Normal rainfall from 1st October to 30th November 1923.	Station.	District.	Division.
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0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·3	3·48	0·97	1·76	5·67	5·79	Bagerhat.		
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											0·7		0·48			3·60	Murarai.		
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(n) Not ascertained.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN BENGAL

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Burdwan—contd.	Midnapore	Contai	...	...	1·69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	0·06	0·33
		Tamluk	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75
		Midnapore	0·01	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27
		Ghatal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10
		Kukrahati	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20
		Amlagora	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pánskura	...	0·20	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60
		Dantan	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35
		Chandrakona*	...																			
		Pachet	...	...	0·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·23	...
		Bhagwanpur	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60
		Kultikri* (*Keshiary.*)	...																			
		Nayabasan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...
		Silda (*Belpahari*).	...	...	0·53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kharagpur*	...																			
		Goaltore	...	...	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19
		Salboni	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narayangarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...
		Ramnagar	...	1·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·28	...	...
		Mohanpur	...	2·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	...
		Henria	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·63	...
		Jenka (*Khajri*)	...	...	1·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·28	0·60
		Nandigram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·10
		Moyna	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36
		Pingla	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70
		Narajole*	...																			
		Balichak	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24
		Kolahat (*Datnan*)	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	0·72
		Jhargram	...	0·18	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16
	Hooghly	Serampore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08
		Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Howrah	Howrah	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34
		Mohesreka	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·60
		Uluberia	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·58
		Amta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Naugaon	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Dinajpur	Nithpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Atwari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Buxa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Kurseong*	...																			
		Pedong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Rangpur	Bhawanigani (*Gaibandha*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Gobindganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagdogra (*Nilphamari*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ulipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Sirajganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1923—*contd.*

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											0·9		0·58			4·54	Pabna		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·52	Nil	0·50	4·75	Sirajganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	0·10	0·44	0·10	2·06	4·71	Sara		

(*a*) Not ascertained.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN BENGAL

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Rajshahi—concld.	Malda	Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chanchal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gazol	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sibganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gomastapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj*	...																			
Dacca	Dacca	Munshiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dacca	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...
		Nawabganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narayanganj	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·01	...	0·19
		Narsingdi	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	0·31	...	...	...
		Manikganj	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joydebpur	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kapasia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	Kishorganj	...	...	0·38	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Atia (*Tangail*)	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sariabari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mymensingh	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jamalpur	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Netrokona	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pingna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Durgapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sherpur (*Town*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dewanganj	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nalitabari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Faridpur	Madaripur	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Faridpur	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rajbari (*Goalundo*)	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haridaspur	...	...	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09
		Takerhat	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...
		Bhanga	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pangsa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ballakandi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhusna	...	...	1·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali	...	...	0·92	1·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·23	...	...	0·13	0·34
		Barguna	...	0·56	0·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirozpur	...	...	1·98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 66
		Barisal	...	...	3·15	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 39	0·10	...	...	...	0·91
		Gaurnadi*	...																			
		Bhola	...	...	2·04	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...
		Daulatkhan	...	...	0·54	1·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 30	0·24	...	...	0·40	0·40
		Bauphal	...	0·84	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·84	0·85
Chittagong	Chittagong	Cox's Bazar	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·21	0·04	0·41	...	...	...
		Chittagong	...	...	0·09	0·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·54	1·66	2·23	...	0·01	0·01
		Kutubdia	...	...	...	0·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	0·80	...	...	...
		Satkania	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	...	...	...	0·25	1·05	0·30	...	0·05	0·25	0·10
		Kodala	...	...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·42	0·59	0·77	0·21	...	0·90
		Mirsarai	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·10	0 05	...	...	...	0·40
	Tippera	Comilla	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·05	...	...	0·02
		Chandpur	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18
		Brahmanbaria	...	...	0·17	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·22	...	...
		Ramchandrapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...
		Nasirnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daudkandi	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...
		Kasba	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20
		Laksam	...	...	0·10	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·96
	Noakhali	Noakhali	...	...	0·12	0·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	0·16	0·06
		Feni	...	...	0·19	0·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·02	0·87	0·01	0·16	0·34
		Harishpur	...	0·11	1·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·03	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj	...	...	0·32	2·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	2·15	0·35
		Chhagalnaya	...	...	...	0·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	1·18	...	0·44	0·90
		Hatiya	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	0·90	...
		Lakhmipur	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati	...	...	0·04	1·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·15	0·18	1·10	0·01	...	0·52
		Bandarban	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·02	0·49	0·02	...	...	...
		Barkal	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·40	0·67	...	...	...	...
		Mahalcheri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	1·30	0·50	0·03	0·80	...
		Lama*	...																			
		Ramgarh	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	1·02	0·30	...	0·21	...	0·27
		Manikcheri	...	0·09	0·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·89	...	0·17	...	...	...
		Dighinala	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·80	0·80	0·70	0·25	0·64	0·45
	Hill Tippera.	Agartala	...	0·05	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·08	...	...	0·23
	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Cooch Behar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mathabhanga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mickliganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Fulbaria (*Tufangunj*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

DACCA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1923—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st October to 30th November 1923.	Normal rainfall from 1st October to 30th November 1922.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	Nil	0·53	Nil	3·18	3·73	Sibganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·69	Nil	0·82	4·72	Gomastapur.		
											0·7		0·58			6·39	Nawabganj.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·3	0·10	0·88	0·08	5·66	5·39	Dacca.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·0	0·20	0·96	0·20	4·48	4·97	Manikganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·1	0·50	1·07	0·50	2·58	5·81	Joydebpur.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·0	0·46	0·77	0·38	2·62	6·14	Kishorganj ...	Mymensingh	DACCA.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	0·40	0·55	0·40	1·62	4·81	Atia (*Tangail*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·33	Nil	0·95	3·91	Sarisabari		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·77	Nil	2·63	5·70	Sherpur (*Town*).		
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0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·6	0·17	0·78	0·35	3·42	7·77	Palong.		
0·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1·3	3·75	1·57	1·25	6·14	9·16	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj	
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0·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·5	2·90	1·15	1·68	7·92	6·61	Pirozpur.		
0·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1·5	5·10	1·35	2·15	8·15	6·99	Barisal.		
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											1·4	3·31	1·36	2·04	6·12	7·49	Bhola.		
1·15																			
0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1·4	4·14	1·32	1·56	6·57	8·37	Daulatkhan.		
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0·32	0·29	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·3	2·31	2·49	1·21	9·03	10·73	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong	CHITTAGONG.
0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1·3	6·34	1·73	2·33	15·36	8·93	Chittagong.		
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0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3.0	2·05	1·71	1·05	13·40	8·48	Satkania.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·7	4·47	1·53	1·87	16·88	9·37	Mirsarai.		
2·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·5	2·41	1·62	2·20	7·14	6·82	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·3	1·00	0·90	0·55	5·10	6·41	Chandpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·2	1·35	0·78	0·53	4·15	5·99	Brahmanbaria.		
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1·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·3	3·31	1·07	1·65		6·74	Laksam.		
0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1·6	1·68	1·59	0·76	5·80	9·47	Noakhali ...	Noakhali	
1·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1·9	3·10	2·00	1·45	6·37	9·40	Feni.		
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0·79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1·4	5·52	1·65	1·18	8·79	10·25	Chhagalnaya.		
1·95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·6	3·45	1·96	1·95	21·45	11·75	Hatia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·1	0·60	1·33	0·60	4·53	8·48	Lakhmipur.		
0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2·1	4·69	1·66	1·41	15·93	8·10	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·2	1·06	1·81	1·02	8.09	8·98	Bandarban.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	4	2·7	2·59	1·67	1·00	14·59	9·08	Barkal.		
0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	(a)	3·75	(a)	1·30	7·50	(a)	Mahalcheri.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		(a)		(a)			(a)	Lama.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	(a)	2·65	(a)	1·02	5·35	(a)	Kamgarh		
0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	(a)	2·38	(a)	0·93	5·04	(a)	Manikcheri.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	(a)	4·58	(a)	1·50	9·54	(a)	Dighinala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·3	0·65	1·06	0·23	7·40	6·21	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·27	Nil	2·13	5·69	Dinhata ...	Cooch Behar.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·20	Nil	3·98	6·06	Cooch Behar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·16	Nil	2·89	5·13	Mathabhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·21	Nil	2·95	5·78	Mekliganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·39	Nil	3·10	6·70	Fulbaria (*Tufangunj*).		

(a) Not ascertained.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Vital Statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 22nd December 1923.

District.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to census of 1921.			Births Registered.		Deaths registered.																								
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding week of the previous year. Male.	Female.	Total.
Calcutta ...	1	Calcutta ...	617,590	290,261	907,851	373	30	11	3	...	25	6	1	...	8	39	36	4	4	87	26	78	13	4	203	342	216	558	306	238	543
Burdwan ...	2	Asansol Mining Settlement.	176,814	152,539	329,353	128	...	2	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	2	5	...	...	7	1	3	3	...	46	46	29	75	73	69	142
Howrah ...	3	Howrah ...	128,472	66,829	195,301	107	2	1	...	...	12	3	...	1	...	20	9	13	...	7	1	21	8	1	26	71	52	123	79	70	149
Dacca ...	4	Dacca ...	67,333	52,117	119,450	119	...	5	...	...	...	1	...	...	5	36	10	2	...	4	2	4	4	1	35	61	48	109	28	41	69
24-Parganas	5	Maniktala ...	40,996	26,376	67,372	23	3	2	...	...	6	...	1	...	...	5	5	3	...	3	3	11	...	...	22	30	36	66	32	38	70
	6	Bhatpara ...	45,723	19,886	65,609	40	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	9	6	15	9	10	19
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur.	36,288	20,185	56,474	20	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	4	1	3	...	2	2	3	...	...	3	11	9	20	9	10	19
	8	Titagarh ...	36,533	15,918	52,451	18	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	9	9	18	6	5	11

CALCUTTA, *the 7th January 1924.*

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 29th December 1923.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1923.					
23rd December ...	7 A.M.	8·7	8·7	9·0	Zero is placed at mean sea-level
24th " ...	7 "	8·7	8·7	9·0	The bench mark for this gauge is
25th " ...	7 "	8·7	8·7	8·8	marked on a pucca pillar
26th " ...	7 "	8·7	8·7	8·7	between the passenger ghat and
27th " ...	7 "	8·6	8·6	8·3	Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
28th " ...	7 "	8·6	8·6	8·0	
29th " ...	7 "	8·6	8·6	8·0	Its reduced level is 26·84.

Highest recorded flood	...	24·1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood ...	...	25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Lowest recorded water-level ...	...	5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923.
Previous recorded low water-level ...	...	1·0 on the 8th February 1914.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

B. B. MUKHERJEE, for *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAJBARI, *the 29th December 1923.* *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending 29th December 1923.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1923.					
23rd December ...	7 A.M.	40·80	40·80	38·95	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet
24th " ...	7 "	40·80	40·80	38·90	above Kidderpore old
25th " ...	7 "	40·75	40·75	38·85	dock sill.
26th " ...	7 "	40·75	40 75	38·80	B. M on Rajshahi Col-
27th " ...	7 "	40·75	40·75	38·80	lege step 64·93.
28th " ...	7 "	40·70	40·70	38·80	Value of zero = 0·00
29th " ...	7 "	40·65	40·65	38 75	P. W. D.

			Old value.		According to P. W. D. datum.
The previous year's	Highest water-level	...	on 27th August 1923	...	61·05
Do.	Lowest "	...	on 4th May 1923	...	35·80
Record	Highest "	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879	...	64 44
Do.	Do. "	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885	...	64·27
Do.	Do. "	...	68·80 on 25th August 1906	...	63·47
Do	Do. "	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890	...	63·40
Do	Lowest "	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884	...	32·82
Do.	Do "	...	38·18 on 14th and 15th April 1888	...	38·32
Do.	Do. "	...	39 02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	...	34·21
Do.	Do. "	...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	...	34·47
Do.	Do. "	...	on 9th May 1922	...	34·70

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer*,

BOALIA, *the 29th December 1923.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 22nd December 1923.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1923.							
16th Dec.	53·4	17-30	54·0	11-12	53·0	53·8	F. T. at 11-25. E. T. at 17-35.
17th „ ...	53·4	Dark	...	12-0	52 6	53 0	F. T. at 12-12. E. T. at 7-0.
18th „ ...	53·6	6-50	53·6	12-55	52·35	52·6	F. T. at 13-5. E. T. at 7-52.
19th „ ...	53·5	7-40	53·60	13-40	52·2	52·65	F. T. at 13-55. E. T. at 8-47.
20th „ ...	53·5	8-35	53·8	14-30	52·35	52·8	F. T. at 14-45. E. T. at 9-50.
21st „ ...	53·5	9-40	54·15	15-40	52·5	52·8	F. T. at 15-50. E. T. at 10-60.
22nd „ ...	53·5	10-30	54·4	16-45	52·85	53·1	F. T. at 16-50.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

High.				Low.			
27th August	1906	...	70·5	23rd February	1907	...	51·06
5th September	1909	...	67·86	13th „	1908	...	51·06
10th August	1910	...	69·86	12th March	1912	...	51·06
1st „	1911	...	68 46	6th „	1914	...	50·60
13th „	1912	...	67·16	22nd February	1915	...	50·80
31st „	1915	...	69·7	15th „	1916	...	50·60
18th „	1916	...	68·1	3rd March	1917	...	51·0
12th „	1917	...	67·1	21st February	1918	...	51·40
31st „	1918	...	69·12	26th „	1919	...	50·4
2nd „	1919	...	66·5	18th „	1920	...	50·9
8th September	1920	...	66·9	19th „	1921	...	50·9
28th July	1921	...	68·4	8th March	1922	...	51·05
10th August	1922	...	68·00				

Taken at high tide. Taken at low tide.

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48·51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

S. C. MAZUMDAR, *Executive Engineer,*
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd January 1924.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Emigration.

CALCUTTA, THE 2ND JANUARY 1924.

RESOLUTION—No. 41Emi.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by section 8 of the Indian Emigration Act, VII of 1922, the Government of Bengal are pleased to appoint an Advisory Committee for the town of Calcutta for the purpose of advising the Protector of Emigrants in any matters relating to the working of the Indian Emigration Act, VII of 1922, and the rules issued thereunder in which the Protector may desire to seek its advice. The Committee will consist of the Protector of Emigrants as Chairman, the Medical Inspector and the following non-official members representing important public bodies :—

(1) Mr. J. W. A. Bell, M.L.C., of Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Calcutta.
(2) Mr. T. P. Ghosh, of 14, Hem Chandra Street, Puddopooker Kidderpore.
(3) Babu Sarat Chandra Bose, of 5, Swallow Lane, Calcutta.
(4) Rai Sahib Ram Deo Chokhani, 137, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
(5) Maulvi Syed Ibni Imam, B.L., pleader, of 46, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.
(6) Dr. K. Ahmad, L.M.S., of 9, Gholam Sobhan Lane.

The members will hold office for a period of two years.

2. The duties of the Committee will be mainly advisory. The Protector of Emigrants will be ordinarily guided by the advice of the Committee, provided that in any case of difference of opinion between the Protector of Emigrants and the Committee, the Protector will refer the matter to Government whose decision will be final.

3. The Protector of Emigrants will give not less than three days' notice to the members when convening a meeting of the Committee.

ORDER.—Ordered that this Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette.*

Ordered also that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Protector of Emigrants, Calcutta, for information and also to the members of the Committee.

By order of the Governor in Council,

M. C. McALPIN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 1860A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 1565A.—The 9th January 1924.*—Babu Radha Prasad Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Bogra district.

Midnapore.
Bogra.

No. 1568A.—The 9th January 1924.—Babu Subodh Chandra Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Bogra district.,

Hooghly.
Bogra.

No. 1744A.—The 12th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Rai Bhupendra Nath Gupta Bahadur, Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, to be Additional District Magistrate of the Dacca district and to direct that he shall have during the period he is so employed all the powers of a District Magistrate under the Code and under all other laws in force in that district.

Jessore.
Dacca.

POLICE.—*No. 1522A.—The 8th January 1924.*—Babu Jyotirindra Nath Nandi, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Bankura, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Pabna district.

Bankura.
Pabna.

No. 1523A.—The 8th January 1924.—Maulvi Abdur Rashid Khan, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Pabna, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Bankura district.

Pabna.
Bankura.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 1514A.—The 7th January 1924.*—The orders, dated the 13th December 1923, allowing Babu Lal Bihari Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kurigram, Rangpur, privilege leave for twenty-five days and appointing Maulvi Abdul Majid, No. III, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rangpur, to have charge of the Kurigram subdivision of that district, are cancelled.

Rangpur.

No. 1589A.—The 9th January 1924.—Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay for six months, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st December 1923.

24-Parganas.

No. 1633A.—The 10th January 1924.—Babu Gurudas Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, Pabna, is allowed leave on average pay up to the 15th January 1924 (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders dated the 11th December 1923.

Pabna.

No. 1742A.—The 12th January 1924.—Mr. T. M. Dow, I.C.S., Additional District Magistrate, Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for ten months (including privilege leave for six months at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 20th January 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Dacca.

POLICE.—*No. 1544A.—The 8th January 1924.*—Mr. T. J. A. Craig, Superintendent of Police, has been granted by the High Commissioner for India an extension of leave on half average pay for one month and nineteen days.

No. 1546A.—The 8th January 1924.—Rai Satish Chandra Mazumdar Bahadur, Deputy Superintendent of Police in the Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for four months (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and the note thereunder, with effect from the 20th January 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 46A.R.—The 8th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, the Governor is pleased to appoint the following three persons as Commissioners to enquire into the petitions specified in the sub-joined schedule, namely :—

(1) G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas (President).

(2) D. C. Patterson, Esq., I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas.

(3) Rai Girindra Nath Mukharji Bahadur, retired Subordinate Judge.

2. The Governor is further pleased, under rule 38 of the said rules, to appoint Alipore as the place where the enquiries shall be held.

Schedule.

1. Petition presented by Babu Sasi Kumar Sen Gupta against the election of Babu Jatindra Nath Basu to the Bengal Legislative Council by the Calcutta North (Non-Muhammadan) constituency.

2. Petition presented by Babu Amulya Dhan Addy against the election of Mr. Byomkesh Chakravarti to the Bengal Legislative Council by the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce constituency.

3. Petition presented by Maulvi Mahmud Suhrawardy against the election of Maulvi Zannoor Ahmed to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Burdwan Division South Muhammadan constituency.

4. Petition presented by Dr. Abdullah-al-Mamun Suhrawardy against the election of Maulvi Wahed Hosain to the Bengal Legislative Council from the 24-Parganas Barrackpore Muhammadan constituency.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 324A.—The 7th January 1924.—The following is *substituted* for the first three sentences in paragraph 2 of rule 10, section I of the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912 :—

> " Detailed instructions for the preparation of case records are contained in rule 3 of Appendix IX, and they should be carefully followed."

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 559A.—The 7th January 1924.—The following is *substituted* for rule 3 in Appendix IX to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912 :—

Assistant Magistrates, Deputy Magistrates and Sub-Deputy Magistrates undergoing a course of training, who are allowed, under rule 2 in Appendix IX, to appear at any Departmental Examination, are, under rule 3 in that Appendix, required to prepare an intelligent and precise record of six cases tried by first class Magistrates and of three defended Sessions trials.

The cases to be recorded will be selected for the purpose by the District Magistrate or by such Magistrates as may be deputed by him to select the cases : appellate cases will not be included.

The officer preparing the record must prepare it from notes taken by himself in Court as the trial proceeds. He must ordinarily be present in Court throughout the trial of the case which he is reporting, and he should not see the depositions recorded by the Magistrate. But if he is unavoidably absent from a small part of the hearing, the Magistrate may show him the portion of the record which he has missed.

The Magistrate will show him the judgment which he may read and from which he may take notes, but he must write in his own language a judgment fulfilling the conditions of section 367 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

It is not necessary that the notes of the statements of witnesses should contain everything which is recorded by the Magistrate, but they must contain an intelligible narrative and all important points must be brought out. When two or more witnesses repeat the same story, the examination-in-chief of all of them need not be fully noted, but the record must show the points of difference.

The Magistrate trying the case, or, in Sessions cases, the Public Prosecutor, should give to the officer preparing the record a certificate of his constant attendance throughout the hearing. If he has been unavoidably absent from part of the hearing, the certificate should show for what part he was absent.

The record should consist of—

(*i*) a summary of the evidence, with notes on it, showing its admissibility and applicability to the offence charged ;

(*ii*) notes of the procedure with references to the Codes, *e.g.*, to such matters as the rules as to cross-examinations, re-examination, drawing up of charge and taking the statement of the accused ;

(*iii*) a précis of the arguments adduced for the prosecution and the defence and, in the case of Sessions trials, a précis of the Judge's charge to the jury.

It should be understood that value will be given to notes intelligently based on annotated editions of the Criminal Procedure Code, Penal Code and Evidence Act.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 794 A.—The 7th January 1924.—The following are added as items 16 and 17 to Appendix I to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, published in notification No. 3388A.D., dated the 14th September 1912 :—

Act VI of 1920. The Bengal Agricultural and Sanitary Improvement Act, 1920.

An Introduction to the Regulation of the Bengal Code, by C. D. Field (published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 3, Esplanade East, Calcutta).

A. N. MOBERLY.
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1028A.—The 7th January 1924.—The following are omitted from Appendix II to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, published in notification No. 3388A.D., dated the 14th September 1912 :—

2.	Act XIII of 1859	... The Workman's Breach of Contract Act.
16.	„ XIV of 1908	... The Indian Criminal Law Amendment Act.
59.	„ VI of 1920	... The Bengal Agricultural and Sanitary Improvement Act, 1920.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1262A.—The 7th January 1924.—It is hereby notified that the following text-books in Bengali are prescribed for the lower and higher standard departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates, Deputy Magistrates, Sub-Deputy Collectors, Assistant Superintendents of Police and Deputy Superintendents of Police, to be held in May 1924, and shall remain in force until further orders. This supersedes rule 9(*i*) in Appendix V to the Departmental Examination Rules :—

LOWER STANDARD.

Sahitya Sopan (2nd part) by Jagadananda Roy (published by the Ashutosh Library, 39-1, College Street, Calcutta).

Sishu Siksha (3rd part) by Madan Mohan Tarkalankar (published by Messrs. A. T. Deb Co., Jhamapukur Street, Calcutta).

The following books are recommended as helpful in learning the language :—

Nutan Sishu Path by Ishan Chandra Ghosh (published by A. C. Ghosh, 1-3, Prem Chand Baral Street, Calcutta).

The Child's Word Book, English-Bengali (published by S. C. Addy, 58, Wellington Street, Calcutta).

HIGHER STANDARD.

Svarnalata by Tarak Ganguli (pages 1-208), edition of 1916 (published by Messrs. S. K. Lahiri & Co., 56, College Street, Calcutta).

Samachar Parichaya by J. D. Anderson, I.C.S. (retired) (pages 1-101 and 327-331) (published at the Bengal Secretariat Press, Calcutta).

Galpa Guchchha, Part III, stories 3, 4 and 8, by Sir R. N. Tagore (published by the Indian Publishing House 22, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta).

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1597A.—The 10th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 8 of the Calcutta Burial Board's Act, 1881 (Bengal Act V of 1881), and with the sanction of the Governor in Council the Burial Board for the town and suburbs of Calcutta make the following amendments in the rules published under notification No. 1268, dated the 5th March 1910, as amended by notification No. 660, dated the 27th January 1913, namely :—

(*a*) In clause (*2*) of rule 6, Part III *substitute* the words "five years" *for* the words "eight years".

(*b*) In rule 3, Part VI, *omit* the word "minimum" in the last sentence of the rule.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (*offg.*).

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 384P.—The 11th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (*1*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), read with section 6 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. L W. H. D. Best, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Alipore Duars, to be Cantonment Magistrate for the Buxa Duar Cantonment, in the district of Jalpaiguri, with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, within the limits of the aforesaid Cantonment, in place of Captain P. J. Doherty, I.A., with effect from the 1st February 1924.

Jalpaiguri.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (*offg.*).

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1861A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1516A.—The 7th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower each of the following Sub-Deputy Magistrates, exercising second class powers, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial :—

Babu Dhirendra Nath Banarji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Kushtia, Nadia.
,, Deb Narayan Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Ranaghat, Nadia.
Maulvi Abdul Karim, No. I, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Kandi, Murshidabad.

POWERS.

No. 1552A.—The 8th January 1924.—Mr. Rakhal Chandra Sen, Assistant Magistrate, Lalbagh, Murshidabad, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Murshidabad.

No. 1560A.—The 9th January 1924.—Babu Surendra Nath Ray, Deputy Magistrate, Dacca, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. He is also vested with powers under section 190 (*1*) (*c*) of the said Code.

Dacca.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (*offg.*).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

Jessore. *No. 118J.—The 4th January 1924.*—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen Gupta, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Narail.

Jessore. *No. 120J.—The 4th January 1924.*—Babu Narendra Nath De, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Narail.

Calcutta. *No. 180J.—The 9th January 1924.*—Mr. N. A. Khundkar, Bar-at-Law, officiating Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Deputy Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. W. Orr, or until further orders.

Chittagong. *No. 185J.—The 9th January 1924.*—Babu Khagesh Chandra Mitra, M.Sc., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

Mymensingh. *No. 228J.—The 10th January 1924.*—Babu Sudhangshu Chandra Ghosh, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Pingna.

Faridpur. *No. 253J.—The 11th January 1924.*—Babu Janaki Nath Mukharji, Munsif, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of Faridpur *vice* Mr. Rajendra Lal Sadhu, appointed to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Faridpur, or until further orders.

Chittagong. *No. 255J.—The 11th January 1924.*—Babu Satya Gopal Mukharji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at Hathhazari.

Calcutta. *No. 545J.—The 14th January 1924.*—Mr. H. K. De, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta.

Calcutta. *No. 549J.—The 14th January 1924.*—Mr. S. A. Wajid Ali, Barrister-at-Law, officiating Additional Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Fourth Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta.

LEAVE.

Pabna and Bogra. *No. 541J.—The 2nd January 1924.*—Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, Munsif of Sirajganj in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is allowed leave on average pay, on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, from the 8th December 1923 to the 7th January 1924, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules.

POWERS.

24-Parganas. *No. 257J.—The 11th January 1924.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*i*) of section 4 of the Bengal Children Act, 1922 (Bengal Act II. of 1922), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Jyoti Prosad Das, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Sealdah, 24-Parganas, to exercise all the powers conferred on Courts by the said Act, in cases arising within the suburbs of Calcutta.

N. B. GUPTA,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

Dacca. *No. 233J.—The 10th January 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union boards mentioned below, during their term

of office as such members, to be union benches, within the jurisdiction of the union boards of which they are respectively members, for the purposes of that section :—

Names of members of Union Boards to constitute Union Benches in the Sadar North Subdivision, district Dacca.

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Bhararia ...	1. Babu Sudhir Chandra Neogi. 2. „ Surendra Mohan Saha Roy, B.A. 3. Munshi Moslemuddin Khan *alias* Dudu Miah. 4. „ Hazi Abdulla.
Balia ...	1. Maulvi Mahammed Shamsuzzaman Khan. 2. Babu Akhil Chandra Sen. 3. Maulvi Kazi Mainuddin Ahmed. 4. „ Mir Masnad Ali.
Dhamrai ...	1. Babu Harendra Nath Mazumdar. 2. „ Hari Chaitanya Das. 3. Maulvi Abdur Rezzak Khan. 4. Munshi Shaik Aftabuddin.
Chapair ...	1. Babu Binode Behari Saha. 2. „ Jogendra Mohan Saha. 3. „ Madan Mohan Pal. 4. Munshi Kadamali Sarkar. 5. „ Azahuruddin Sarkar.

No. 234J.—The 10th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union boards mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be union courts, within the jurisdiction of the union boards of which they are respectively members, for the purposes of that section :—

Dacca.

Names of members of Union Boards to constitute Union courts in the Sadar North Subdivision, district Dacca.

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Bhararia ...	1. Babu Sudhir Chandra Neogi. 2. „ Surendra Mohan Saha Roy, B.A. 3. Munshi Moslemuddin Khan *alias* Dudu Miah. 4. „ Hazi Abdulla.
Balia ...	1. Maulvi Mahammed Shamsuzzaman Khan. 2. Babu Akhil Chandra Sen. 3. Maulvi Kazi Mainuddin Ahmed. 4. „ Mir Masnad Ali.
Dhamrai ...	1. Babu Harendra Nath Mazumdar. 2. „ Hari Chaitanya Das. 3. Maulvi Abdur Rezzak Khan. 4. Munshi Shaik Aftabuddin.
Chapair ...	1. Babu Binode Bihari Saha. 2. „ Jogendra Mohan Saha. 3. „ Madan Mohan Pal. 4. Munshi Kadamali Sarkar. 5. „ Azahuruddin Sarkar.

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LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 97M.—The 8th January 1924.—The following draft order, which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

24-Parganas.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th February 1924, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Kanchrapara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend the provisions of Part VI of the said Act to the area included within the said municipality by notification No. 3434L.S.-G., dated the 29th July 1921.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas.

No. 99M.—The 8th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend to the Budge-Budge Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas all the provisions of the said Act except sub-section (*1*) of section 6.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas.

No. 100M.—The 8th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 84 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the Commissioners of the Budge-Budge Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas to exercise and perform in the said municipality the same powers and duties as are conferred or imposed by the said Act on the Corporation of Calcutta and the Commissioner of Police, respectively.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas.

No. 101M.—The 8th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 71 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make for the Budge-Budge Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas the by-laws which were published for information with notification No. 4107M., dated the 5th October 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 106I.S.-G.—The 8th January 1924.—The following draft of a notification, which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) intend to issue in exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published, as required by section 143 of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 17th February 1924, and any objection or suggestion with respect thereto which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft notification.

In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to direct that the following amendment be made in the rules made under the said clause and published with the notification, dated the 15th December 1885, at page 100 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, namely: —

For rule 62 *substitute* the following :—

62. The term of three years mentioned in rule 61 shall be held to include—

(1) in the case of the member who is also the Chairman any period which may elapse between the expiration of the said three years and the date of receipt of the order of the Commissioner or the Local Government, under section 25 or section 22, as the case may be, approving the election of the next succeeding Chairman ;

(2) in the case of the member who is also the Vice-Chairman, any period which may elapse between the expiration of the said three years and the time when the next succeeding Vice-Chairman is elected ; and

(3) in the case of the remaining members, any period which may elapse between the expiration of the said three years and the first meeting of the newly appointed and elected members of the Board at which a quorum shall be present.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt.

Chittagong.

No. 5M.—The 2nd January 1924.—The following draft of a notification which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) intend to issue in exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), is published, as required by the second proviso to that section, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st March 1924, and any objection or suggestion with regard thereto which may be received by the undersigned from any rate-payer or inhabitant of the Chittagong Municipality before that date will be duly considered.

Draft notification.

In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend to the Chittagong Municipality, in the district of Chittagong, all the provisions of the said Act except sub-section (*1*) of section 6.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banarji, Kt

Chittagong.

No. 6M.—The 2nd January 1924.—The following draft of by-laws which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to make for the Chittagong Municipality, in the district of Chittagong, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 71 of the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st March 1924, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned before that date, through the District Magistrate, will be duly considered :—

Draft by-laws under section 71 (1) of the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), for the Chittagong Municipality in the district of Chittagong.

Appointment and duties of the registering officer.

1. Every hackney carriage in the Chittagong Municipality shall be annually registered by a Registering Officer to be appointed for the purpose by the Municipal Commissioners. The Registering Officer shall keep a register in which he shall enter the class and number assigned to every hackney-carriage.

Qualifications of drivers.

2. Every person applying for a driver's license shall be required to satisfy the Registering Officer—

(*a*) that he knows how to drive and contral horses and is in all respects a fit person for such employment ;
(*b*) that he is well acquainted with the principal streets, offices and places of interest in and around Chittagong ;
(*c*) that he has a thorough knowledge of the list of fares and tables of distances prepared by the Commissioners in a meeting ; and
(*d*) that he knows the rules of the road.

3. Licenses for hackney-carriage drivers and bearers of palanquins and rickshaws will be in different forms. There shall be attached to each license in such manner as the Commissioners may prescribe—

(*a*) the thumb impression or signature of the driver as the case may be, and
(*b*) list of fares and distances to be prepared and printed under the authority of the Commissioners. The photograph shall be taken and the list of fares supplied free of cost to every driver or bearer.

4. Every driver of a hackney-carriage or bearer of a palanquin shall carry with him and produce when called upon to do so by his fare or by any police officer or by the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Municipality or any municipal officer, his license with the list of fares and distances.

5. No hackney carriage driver shall drive with his feet in any other position than on the foot-board of the vehicle, nor shall he muffle up his face and head in such manner as might endanger the proper driving of his vehicle.

6. No hackney-carriage driver shall be allowed to drive any licensed hackney-carriage or carriages other than those specified on his license without the permission of the Registernig Officer.

Uniforms.

7. The uniform of drivers and attendants shall be clean, and the drivers and attendants of 1st class hackney-carriages shall wear khaki coloured uniform consisting of a khaki coat, khaki trousers, or knicker-bocker, leather belt, and turban.

The drivers of 2nd class hackney-carriages shall wear khaki coloured uniform consisting of a coat and a cap.

Description of horses, carriages, palanquins and rickshaws.

8. No horse shall be used to draw a hackney-carriage unless it has been passed by the Registering Officer and no horse shall be passed unless it is—

(*a*) not less than 14 hands high if intended to be used in a pair in a 1st class hackney-carriage, but Burma ponies in a pair of smaller size may be passed ;
(*b*) not less than 14·2 hands high if intended to be used singly in a 1st class hackney-carriage ;
(*c*) not less than 13 hands if intended to be used in a pair in a 2nd class hackney-carriage ;
(*d*) not less than 14 hands high if intended to be used singly in a 2nd class hackney-carriage ;
(*e*) not less than 12 hands high if intended to be used in a pair in a 3rd class hackney-carriage ;
(*f*) not less than 13 hands high if intended to be used singly in a 3rd class hackney carriage ;
(*g*) thoroughly broken to harness ;
(*h*) free from infectious or contagious disease and
(*i*) sufficiently sound and strong for constant hard work.

9. The harness shall be of a decent appearance, strong, and in good repair, rope or iron chain traces may be used, provided they be covered with leather. No string fastenings will be allowed.

10. First class hackney-carriages shall conform to the following dimensions, and be of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners :—

	Ft.	in.
Width of seats	3	4
Breadth of front seat	1	4
„ rear seat	1	6
Height of seat from floor without cushions	1	2
Height of back rest of hind seat	2	4
Thickness of cushions	0	3
Height of back rest of front seat	1	4
Width between seats	1	10
Height of floor of body from ground	1	8
„ step from ground	0	10
Diameter of front wheels	2	8
„ back wheels	3	6
Height of hood from hind seat board to top of hood inside ...	3	10

Provided that hackney-carriages registered before the issue of these by-laws are exempted from conforming to these dimensions.

The wheels shall be rubber tyred, strong and sound so as to run true and without rattling or shaking, and shall be protected by properly fitted splashboards. The springs and axles shall be in perfect order and all iron work must be strongly put together.

The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition and the inside of the carriage perfectly clean.

The hood and apron shall be made of strong leather and shall be so fitted as to make the carriage water tight.

The body, wheels and shafts of the carriage shall be painted dark green with plain yellow or gold lining ; the hood and apron shall be painted black.

The doors shall close well and shall not rattle.

All iron work shall be painted black

Each carriage must have a thoroughly good pair of lamps and each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window shall be visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

11. Second class hackney carriages (phæton type).—The same measurements as those prescribed for first class hackney-carriages but of lighter make: provided that hackney-carriages registered before the issue of these bye-laws are exempted from conforming to these dimensions.

The wheels shall be rubber-tyred, strong and sound so as to run true and without rattling or shaking, and shall be protected by properly fitted splashboards: provided that the provision about rubber tyres shall not apply to hackney-carriages with iron tyres registered before the issue of these bye-laws.

The springs and axles shall be in perfect order and all iron work must be strongly put together.

The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition and the inside of the carriage perfectly clean.

The hood and apron shall be made of strong leather and shall be so fitted as to make the carriage water tight.

The body, wheels and shafts of the carriage shall be painted dark blue with plain red lining.

The hood and apron shall be painted black.

The doors shall close well and shall not rattle.

All iron-work shall be painted black.

Each carriage must have a good pair of lamps. Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

12. Second class hackney-carriages, (bund gharry or "Brownberry" type) shall conform to the following dimensions and be of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners :—

	Ft.	in.
Width of seats	3	4
Breadth of seats	1	6
Height of seats from floor without cushions	1	2
Thickness of cushions	0	3
Height of roof from seat without cushions	3	10
Width between seats	1	6
Height of bottom of well from ground	1	8
„ of step from ground	0	10
Diameter of front wheels	2	6
„ of back wheels	3	6

Provided that hackney-carriages registered before the issue of those by-laws are exempted from conforming to these dimensions.

The wheels shall be rubber tyred or iron tyred, strong and sound so as to run true and without rattling or shaking.

The springs and axles shall be in perfect order.

The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition and the inside of the carriage perfectly clean.

The doors shall close well

The windows venetians and blinds shall not rattle, but shall work easily and shall have proper catches to raise and lower them.

The roof shall be water-tight.

The body wheels and shafts of the carriage shall be painted dark blue with thin red lining.

All iron-work shall be painted black.

Each carriage must have a good pair of lamp. Each lamp shall have red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the windows is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

13. Third class hackney-carriages shall conform to the following dimensions and be of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners :—

	Ft.	In.
Width of seats	3	0
Breadth of seats	1	6
Height of seats from floor without cushions	1	2
Thickness of cushions	0	3
Height of roof from seats without cushions	3	6
Width between seats	1	6
Height of bottom of well from ground	1	8
Height of steps from ground...	0	10
Diameter of front wheels	2	6
Diameter of back wheels	3	6

Provided that hackney-carriages registered before the issue of these by-laws are exempted from conforming to these dimensions.

The wheels shall be iron-tyred, strong and sound so as to run true and without rattling or shaking.

The springs and axles shall be in perfect order.

The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition and the inside of the carriage perfectly clean.

The doors shall close well.

The windows, venetians and blinds shall not rattle, but shall work easily and shall have proper catches to raise and lower them.

The roof shall be water-tight.

The body wheels and shafts of the carriage shall be painted chocolate with plain yellow lining. All iron-work shall be painted black.

Each carriage must have good pair of lamps. Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

14. There shall be one class of rickshaws of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners.

The body of the rickshaws shall be sound and clean and all the boards strong and properly secured.

The wheels shall be rubber tyred, strong and sound so as to run true and without rattling or shaking, and shall be protected by properly fitted splashboards.

The springs and axles shall be made of good metal, strong and properly riveted and free from rust.

The iron supports at the back shall be properly curved and securely fixed at each side, strong and of sound metal and free from rust.

The shafts shall be of sound wood, strong, securely fixed and furnished at the fore-ends with the ring-shaped metal supports and connected by collision guard.

The hood, apron and cushions shall be made of and covered with good cloth, canvas or other material approved of by the Commissioners. The hood and apron shall be so fitted as to make the vehicle water-tight.

The body, wheels and shafts of all rickshaws shall be painted dark blue with thin red lining. All iron-work shall be painted black.

Every rickshaw must have a good pair of lamps. Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

15. There shall be one class of palanquins of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners.

The body of the palanquin shall be sound and clean, properly secured. The door shall close well, work easily and shall not rattle, and shall have proper catches to open and shut them.

The body and pole shall be painted dark blue with thin red lining. All iron-work shall be painted black.

Every palanquin must have a good pair of lamps. Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

Identification of horses.

16. Every horse passed by the "Registering Officer" shall be branded in the following manner :—

(1) The registered number as shown in the "register of horses" on the off fore-hoof.

(2) The year of registration on the near forehoof.

17. It shall be compulsory for the owner to produce the horse before the Registering Officer at the end of every three months to be rebranded without being sent for.

18. Licenses for horses will be in different forms according to the class in which they are registered.

Classes of hackney carriages, palanquins and rickshaws.

19. Hackney carriages shall be of three classes and of patterns fixed by the Commissioners and of the dimensions and colours prescribed by by-laws 10 to 13.

20. There shall be one class of rickshaws and of palanquins of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners and of the dimensions and colours prescribed by by-laws 14 and 15.

21. Every licensed hackneys carriage, palanquin or rickshaw shall be distinctly marked on its panels and on the inside with the registered number and the number of the class to which it belongs, the figures to be not less than 8 inches in length, the colour of which shall be changed every year.

22. The lamps of every licensed hackney carriage palanquin or rickshaw shall have the registered number painted on them, the figures to be not less one inch in length, the colour of which shall be changed every year.

Fees.

23. A fee shall be paid to the Commissioners in accordance with the following scale for the issue, transfer or renewal of license, etc. :—

—	First class hackney-carriages.	Second class hackney-carriages.	Third class hackney-carriages.	Rickshaws.	Palanquins.	Horse.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs A.	Rs. A	Rs A.
Owner's license ...	4 0	3 0	2 0	1 0	0 8	2 0
Driver's „ ...	2 0	2 0	2 0	...	...	...
Duplicate license plate ...	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	...
Transfer of owner's license ...	3 0	2 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	2 0
Duplicate owner's license ...	2 0	1 8	1 0	0 8	0 4	1 0
„ driver's license ...	1 0	1 0	1 0	...	...	...
„ of driver's ticket ...	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	...
Bearer's license ...	...	...	...	0 4	0 4	...
Renewal of bearer's license ...	...	...	...	0 2	0 2	...
Duplicate of bearer's license ...	...	...	...	0 2	0 2	...
Fare book and table of distances	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	...
Fare plate ...	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	.
Duplicate fare plate ...	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	...
Certified copy of particulars of register and license.	0 8	0 8	.0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8
Alteration in register ...	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8

Rates and fares.

24. Fares shall be paid according to distances or time at the option of the hirer, to be expressed at the commencement of the hiring; if not otherwise expressed, the fare to be paid according to time.

(*1*) *Rates and fares to be paid for hackney-carriages.*

Description of carriage.	FARE BY DISTANCE.		Fare by time.	
	For any distance within and not exceeding one mile.	For any distance exceeding one mile.		
	Annas.			Rs. A.
First class ...	8	At the rate of 6 annas for every mile and for any part of a mile over and above any number of miles completed.	Minimum fare for short distances not exceeding 15 minutes	0 8
			For half-an hour ...	0 12
			„ one hour	1 4
			„ subsequent hours ...	0 10
			Half day of 5 hours ...	3 8
			Whole day of 9 hours ...	6 0
Second class ...	6	At the rate of 4 annas for every mile and for any part of a mile over and above any number of miles completed.	Phaeton type—	
			Minimum fare for short distances not exceeding 15 minutes	0 6
			For half an-hour ...	0 10
			„ one hour	1 0
			„ subsequent hours ...	0 8
			Half day of 5 hours ...	2 8
			Whole day of 9 hours ...	4 8
			Bund or Brownberry type—	
			For half-an-hour ...	0 8
			„ one hour	0 14
			„ subsequent hours ...	0 6
			Half day of 5 hours ...	2 8
			Whole day of 9 hours ...	4 0
Third class ...	3	At the rate of 2 annas for every mile and for any part of a mile over and above any number of miles completed.	Minimum fare for short distances not exceeding 15 minutes	0 5
			For half-an-hour ...	0 8
			„ one hour	0 12
			„ subsequent hour ...	0 4

(2) Rates and fares to be paid for palanquins.

FARE BY DISTANCE.		FARE BY TIME.			
For any distance within and not exceeding one mile.	For any distance exceeding one mile.	For any time within and not exceeding one hour.	For every hour or part of an hour beyond one hour.	For half a day of five hours.	For a whole day consisting of nine hours.
3 annas ...	At the rate of 3 annas for every mile and for any part of any mile over and above number of miles completed.	6 annas ...	3 annas ...	1 rupee ...	1 rupee and 8 annas.

(3) Rates and fares to be paid for rickshaws.

FARE BY DISTANCE.		FARE BY TIME.	
For any distance within and not exceeding one mile.	For any distance exceeding one mile.	For any time within and not exceeding one hour.	For every hour or part of an hour beyond one hour.
3 annas ...	At the rate of 3 annas for every mile and for any part of any mile over and above number of miles completed.	6 annas ...	3 annas

Passengers and luggage.

25. No hackney-carriage shall carry more than four adult persons altogether, in addition to the driver and attendant.

26. (1) No rickshaw shall carry more than two adult passengers.

(2) No palanquin shall be allowed to carry more than two adult passengers.

For the purpose of this by-law two children under 12 years of age shall be reckoned as one adult.

Inspection of hackney-carriages, palanquins and rickshaws.

27. It shall be lawful for the Commissioners or License Officer or Health Officer or Sanitary Inspector of the Municipality at any time between sunrise and sunset to enter any premises on which any licensed hackney-carriage, palanquin or rickshaw, or the horses or other animals, harness or other things used herewith are kept in order to carry out any provision of this Act or these by-laws, and the owner, occupier or his agent shall afford every facility for such officer's inspection.

Protection of weak and lame horses.

28. It shall be lawful for the Registering Officer at any time to cause any animal used in a hackney-carriage to be produced before him for the purpose of inspection, and it shall be compulsory upon the owners to produce any such animal within 24 hours after the receipt of such notice.

29. The owner of any animal declared under section 30 to be unfit for use in a hackney-carriage shall, if he disposes of it, or removes it from the premises on which it is stabled, give notice of the fact to the Registering Officer within one week of such disposal or removal, intimating at the same time the name and address of the person to whom he has disposed of it and the place to which it has been removed.

30. Notice of the death of a registered horse shall also be given to the Registering Officer, who, on receipt of such notice, shall cause the entry concerned to be cancelled in the "Register of horses" and the certificate of registration to be withdrawn.

Regulation of use of horses

31. No owner shall permit any horse to work continuously in any hackney-carriage in excess of the following scale of time :—

Class of carriage.	Maximum period allowed to be worked.	Minimum period of rest.
First, second and third class if drawn by two horses ...	10 hours ...	14 hours.
Ditto ditto one horse ...	8 " ...	16 "

32. The following particulars shall be entered in a register to be kept by every owner for the purposes of by-law No. 31 :—

Date.	Registered No. and class of carriage.	Branded number of horse or horses used to draw the carriage together with descriptions.	Hour of leaving stable.	Hour of return to stable.	Names of drivers and attendants.	Signature of owner.	Signature and rank of Inspecting officer.

Publication of list of fares and distances.

33. The list of fares prepared by the Commissioners with reference to the scale of rates laid down by by-law 24 and table of distances shall be published in such manner as the Commissioners shall deem proper.

34. The Commissioners shall cause to be prepared and kept for sale to the public printed tables setting forth these fares and distances.

Registers and licenses.

35. The following particulars shall be entered in the registers and licenses under this Act :—

(1) Hackney-carriage license.

Particulars of license.

1. The class and the number assigned to the carriage in the register.
2. The name, father's name and residence of the owner, the description of the carriage and the place where carriage is kept.
3. The number and description of horses to be employed in drawing such carriage.
4. The number of passengers the carriage is licensed to carry.
5. The date on which the license was granted.
6. The obligation to ply for hire at any of the public stands in the town and suburbs of Chittagong, and not at any other place.
7. Signature of the Registering officer.

(2) Register of Hackney-carriages.

1. The class and number assigned to the carriage in the register.
2. The certificate numbers.
3. Date on which license was granted.
4. Owner's and his father's names.
5. Place of residence.
6. Stable locality.
7. House number.
8. Driver's and his father's names.
9. Place of residence.
10. Period of suspension or cancellation.
11. Date of renewal.
12. Duplicate ticket.
13. „ license.
14. Date of conviction.
15. Section of law.
16. Punishment inflicted.
17. Date of offence.
18. Offence.
19. Ownership transferred to.
20. Date of transfer.
21. Signature of Registering Officer.
22. Remarks.

(3) Horse register.

1. Serial number.
2. Class of hackney carriage in which horse is to be used.
3. To be used singly or in pair.
4. Owner's and his father's names.
5. Owner's address.
6. Branded number assigned to horse in register.
7. Place where it is intended to keep the horse.
8. Date on which the license was granted.
9. Ownership transferred to.
10. Date of transfer.
11. Date on which horse was rebranded.
12. Date of notices issued to owner.
13. Date of disposal of notices.
14. Signature of Registering Officer.
15. Remarks.

(4) Hackney-carriage driver's license.

1. The number of the license, the name, father's name, place of abode and age of the person to whom such license is granted.
2. The date on which the license was granted.
3. The class and number of the hackney carriage he is allowed to drive.
4. Thumb mark or signature of the driver.
5. Date of expiry of license.
6. A summary of the more important statutory provisions and by-laws affecting drivers of hackney-carriages.
7. Signature of the Registering Officer.

(5) Rickshaw bearer's license.

1. The number of the license, the name, father's name, place of abode and age of the person to whom such license is granted.
2. The date on which the license was granted.
3. The number of rickshaw he is allowed to draw.
4. Date of expiry of license.
5. A summary of the more important statutory provisions and by-laws affecting bearers of rickshaws.
6. Signature of the Registering Officer.

(6) Rickshaw owner's license.

1. The number assigned to the rickshaw in the register.
2. The name, father's name and residence of the owner, the description of the rickshaw and the place where the rickshaw is kept.
3. The number of passengers the rickshaw is licensed to carry.
4. The date on which the license was granted.
5. Date of expiry of license.
6. The obligation to ply for hire at any of the public stands in the town and suburbs of Chittagong, and not at any other place.
7. Signature of the Registering Officer.

(7) Register of rickshaws.

1. The number assigned to the rickshaw in the register.
2. Fee certificate number.
3. Owner's and his father's names.
4. Place of residence.
5. Date of which the license was granted.
6. Place where the rickshaw is kept.
7. House numbers.
8. Bearer's and his father's names.
9. Place of residence.
10. Period of suspension or cancellation.
11. Date of renewal.
12. Duplicate license.
13. Duplicate ticket.
14. Date of conviction.
15. Section of law.
16. Punishment inflicted.
17. Date of offence.
18. Offence.
19. Ownership transferred to.
20. Date of transfer.
21. The number of persons the rickshaw is licensed to carry.
22. Signature of Registering Officer.
23. Remarks.

(8) Register of palanquins.

1. The number assigned to the palanquin in the register.
2. Date on which license was granted.
3. Owner's and his father's names.
4. Place of residence.
5. Place where the palanquin is to be kept.
6. House number.
7. Bearer's and his father's names.
8. Place of residence.
9. Period of suspension or cancellation.
10. Date of renewal.

11. Duplicate license.
12. Duplicate ticket.
13. Date of conviction.
14 Section of law.
15. Punishment inflicted.
16. Date of offence.
17. Offence.
18. Ownership transferred to.
19. The number of persons the palanquin is licensed to carry.
20. Date of transfer.
21. Signature of Registering officer.
22. Remarks.

(9) Palanquin owner's license.

1. The number assigned to the palanquin in the register.
2. The name, father's name and residence of the owner, the description of the palanquin, and the place where the palanquin is to be kept.
3. The number of passengers the palanquin is licensed to carry.
4. The date of which the license was granted.
5. Date of expriry of licence.
6. The obligation to ply for hire at any of the public stands in the town, and suburbs of Chittagong and not at any place.
7. Signature of the Registering Officer.

(10) Palanquin bearer's license.

1. The number of license.
2. The name and fathers's name, place of abode and the age of the person to whom such license is granted.
3. Date on which the license was granted.
4. Date of expiry of license.
5. The number of the palanquin he is allowed to carry.
6. Thumb mark or signature of bearer.
7. A summary of the more important statutory provisions and by-laws affecting bearers of palanquins.
8. Signature of the Registering Officer.

(11) Horse license.

1. The class of hackney carriage with which the horse is to be used and whether it is to be used singly or in pair.
2. The name and father's name of the owner and residence of the owner.
3. The number assigned to the horse in the register.
4. The place where it is intended to keep the horse.
5. The date on which the license was granted.
6. The date on which the license expires.
7. Signature of the Registering Officer.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 124M.—The 9th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Additional Commissioners of the Bhatpara Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Asutosh Bhattacharjya (Chief Superintendent, Raja Kishori Lal Goswami's estate).
Mr. Alex. Keay Thomas.
Mr. D. Andrews.
Mr. F. A. Rossetto.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 127M.—The 9th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 (2) (c) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Prince Afsar-ul-Mulk Mirza Muhammad Akram Hussain Bahadur, who is a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, to be a member of the General Committee of the Corporation, *vice* Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul Haq, resigned,

Calcutta.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 130M.—The 10th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 148 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and with the consent of the Commissioners of the Madaripur Municipality, in the district of Faridpur, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make over to the said Commissioners, to be administered by them until Government shall otherwise direct, the Kumarkhali ferry Nos. I and II within the limits of the aforesaid municipality.

Faridpur.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

CORRIGENDA.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 104L.S.-G.—The 8th January 1924.—In the table appended to notification No. 1736L.S.-G., dated the 2nd June 1920, published at pages 405-23, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 9th June 1923, make the following corrections :—

Page 420, column 5 of the table showing the mauzas constituting the Shaitnal union, *add*—

Palangadi	...	...	...	60
Titar Kandi	...	...	...	54

Page 420, column 5 of the table, showing the mauzas constituting the Mohonpur union, *delete*—

Palangadi	...	...	...	60
Titar Kandi	...	...	...	54

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MEDICAL.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M. A., B.L.

No. 126Medl.—The 8th January 1924.—The Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be members of the Faculty of Tropical Medicine of Bengal as nominees of this Government, viz :—

1. Sir Nil Ratan Sircar, KT.
2. Major Hassan Suhrawardy, M.D., F.R.C.S., M L.C.
3. Dr. A. Caddy, M.D., M.R.C.S.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 131Medl.—The 8th January 1924.—Sub-Assistant Surgeon Biraj Mohan Das Gupta, Assistant Professor of Protozoology, School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, Calcutta, is promoted temporarily to the rank of a Civil Assistant Surgeon with effect from the 1st December 1923.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 142Medl.—The 8th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 4 of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VI of 1914), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to nominate Dr. Haripada Chatterji, L.R.C.P. and L.R.C.S. (Edin.), L.F.P & S. (Glas.), to be a member of the Bengal Council of Medical Registration, *vice* Major J. D. Sandes, I.M.S.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 145Medl.—The 8th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 4 of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VI of 1914), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to nominate Lieut.-Col. J. W. D. Megaw, I.M.S., to be a member of the Bengal Council of Medical Registration *vice* Major A. H. Proctor, I.M.S.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 180Medl.—The 14th January 1924.—On return from leave Major K. S. Thakur, I.M.S., did general duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, from the 9th to the 26th November 1923, both days inclusive.

Calcutta.

2. This cancels notification No. 3149Medl., dated the 13th December 1923.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

PUBLIC HEALTH.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Nadia.

No. 52P.H.—The 5th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to confirm the by-law framed by the Commissioners of the Kumarkhali Municipality, in the district of Nadia, and published for information with notification No. 2366P.H., dated the 1st October 1923.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Bankura.

No. 54P.H.—The 9th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to confirm the by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Vishnupur Municipality, in the district of Bankura, under section 350 of the said Act, and published for information with notification No. 2206P.H., dated the 20th September 1923.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Hooghly.

No. 56P.H.- The 8th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884) the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to confirm the by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under section 350 of the said Act, and published for information with notification No. 2313P.H., dated the 29th September 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Hooghly.

No. 61P.H.—The 9th January 1924.—The following draft of an additional by-law, which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Champdani Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to confirm under section 351 of the Act, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st March 1924, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft by-law.

Eradication of water-hyacinth

32A. Any person having possession of or control over any land or water on or in which there exists any water-hyacinth so as to affect public health shall, if so required by a notice in writing signed by the Chairman or the Vice-Chairman of the municipality, destroy or remove such water-hyacinth within the period mentioned in such notice. Provided that such notice shall be issued for the whole of an area to be determined by the Municipal Commissioners with a view to secure that the clearance is effective.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ERRATA.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Bankura.

No. 58P.H.—The 10th January 1924.—In column 10 of the application from the District Board of Bankura for a loan of Rs. 25,000, published with notification No. 2975P.H., dated the 28th December 1923, at page 16, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd January 1921, *for* the words "*plus* interest Rs. 7,225" *read* "*plus* interest Rs. 1,225."

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 67P.H.—The 11th January 1924.—At the end of sub-rule (*q*) of rule 4 of the rules relating to the qualifications and duties of Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors of Vaccination, published with Government notification No. 1326P.H., dated the 28th June 1923, at pages 871-876 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th July 1923—

for "35" *read* "14."

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 340, dated Calcutta, the 5th January 1924.—Babu Upendra Nath Mandal, M.B., is appointed Assistant Surgeon Bacteriologist to the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of the appointment.

No. 483, dated Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Mithilesh Chandra Ghosh, on leave, is transferred to do general duty at the Carmichael Hospital for Tropical Diseases, with effect from the date he joins that institution.

No. 638, dated Calcutta, the 10th January 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Khagendra Narayan Ghosh, on return from leave, is placed on supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, with effect from the 29th December 1923.

B. H. DEARE,
Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 42Edn.—The 3rd January 1924.—Babu Dhiresh Chandra Acharji, late Professor, Sanskrit College, Calcutta, now District Inspector of Schools, Darjeeling, is allowed leave for six months with effect from the 13th July 1923, viz., leave on average pay for four days under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Calcutta. Darjeeling.

This cancels notification No. 2689Edn., dated the 10th September 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 44 Edn.—The 3rd January 1924.—Maulvi Mirza Abu Jaffar, Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Presidency Division, was allowed leave on average pay for the period from the 1st to the 22nd December 1923 (both days inclusive) under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Presidency Divn.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, C.I.E.

No. 92Edn.—The 3rd January 1924.—Mr. Prafulla Kumar Chatarji, Professor, Chittagong College, is allowed leave on average pay for twenty-seven days (including privilege leave on full pay for eleven days at his credit), with effect from the 2nd January 1924, under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Chittagong.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul Haq.

No. 128Edn.—The 8th January 1924.—Miss Mrinalini Bose (II), head mistress, Vidyamoyee Girls' High School, Mymensingh, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate for the period from the 20th July 1923 to the 10th March 1924 (both days inclusive) under the proviso to rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Mymensingh.

2. This cancels notification No. 2683Edn., dated the 8th September 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul Haq.

No. 135Edn.—The 8th January 1924.—Maulvi Daliluddin Ahmed, No. II, Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Pabna, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as District Inspector of Schools, Bogra, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdur Rahman Khan, or until further orders.

Pabna. Bogra.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul Haq.

No. 138Edn.—The 11th January 1924.—Rai Rakhal Raj Biswas Bahadur, Vice-Principal, Krishnagar College, is allowed leave on averge pay for the period from the 2nd January to the 21st February 1924, both days inclusive (entirely on account of privilege leave on full pay at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules,

Nadia.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 14/Edn.—The 11th January 1924.—Maulvi Omdatul Islam, Lecturer, Krishnagar College, in the Subordinate Educational Service is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as a Professor in that college, against the vacancy in the Indian Educational Service during the absence, on leave, of Rai Rakhal Raj Biswas Bahadur, or until further orders.

Nadia.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 152Edn.—The 13th January 1924.—Babu Chunilal Sarkar, Teacher of Surveying, Bengal Engineering College, Sibpur, is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service as Assistant Professor of Drawing in the same College, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. V. Francies, or until further orders.

Howrah.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 73Edn.—The 7th January 1924.—Mr. T. D. Nugent is appointed to be Science Master, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, with effect from the 1st March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Mr. G. M. Pearson, resigned.

Darjeeling.

No. 147Edn.—The 7th January 1924.—Miss E. Harrison is confirmed in her appointment as Lady Matron of the Central Hospital attached to the Victoria Boys' and the Dow Hill Girls' Schools, Kurseong, with effect from the 5th March 1922, the date on which she joined the appointment.

Darjeeling.

W. W. HORNELL,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 86 Mis.—The 7th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890 (VI of 1890), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to make the following amendment in notification No. 1558 Misc., dated the 25th August 1923 (published at page 1245, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem), regarding the creation of the Raj Lakhee Mallick Charity Fund", namely :—

In clause 9 of the Second Schedule to the said notification *for* the words "8 o'clock in the morning" *substitute* the words "4 o'clock in the afternoon."

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 97Mis.—The 9th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Azizur Rahman temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Rajabari and unions Nos. V, VI, VII, X and XI of police-station Tangibari, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 98Mis.—The 9th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Azizur Rahman temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Rajabari and unions Nos. V, VI, VII, X and XI of police-station Tangibari, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 1.—The 4th January 1924.—Babu Girija Nanda Sen Kabiraj, Sub-Registrar of Mankar, in the district of Burdwan, under orders of transfer to Kotalpur, in the district of Bankura, is allowed leave on average pay for twenty-two days (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 532, dated the 12th December 1923.

Burdwan. Bankura.

No. 2.—The 4th January 1924.—Maulvi Mir Saiyid Ali, Sub-Registrar of Khanjanpur, in the district of Bogra, is allowed leave on average pay for four days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 175, dated the 17th May 1923.

Bogra.

No. 3.—The 4th January 1924.—Maulvi Manwar Husain, Sub-Registrar, on leave, is allowed leave on half average pay for five months, under rule 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 312, dated the 28th July 1923.

No. 4.—The 4th January 1924.—Maulvi Ismail Mollah, Sub-Registrar of Amtoli, in the district of Bakarganj, was on leave on average pay for twenty-two days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, from the 25th November 1923 to the 16th December 1923 (both days inclusive).

Bakarganj.

No. 5.—The 4th January 1924.—Maulvi A. K. M. Fokaruddin Ahmad, probationer of Barisal, acted as Sub-Registrar of Amtoli, in the district of Bakarganj, from the 3rd December 1923 to the 16th December 1923 (both days inclusive), *vice* Maulvi Ismail Mollah, on leave.

Bakarganj.

No. 6.—The 4th January 1924.—Maulvi Hakim-uddin Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, attached to Dacca, was on leave on average pay for six days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 25th June 1923.

Dacca.

No. 7.—The 4th January 1924.—Babu Kshirod Chandra Chatarji, Sub-Registrar, is allowed leave on average pay for four months (two months being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 367, dated the 10th August 1923.

No. 8.—The 9th January 1924.—Maulvi Saiyid Abul Matahar, Sub-Registrar, attached to Hooghly, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Sabang (Pingla), in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 7th December 1923.

Hooghly.
Midnapore.

No. 9.—The 11th January 1924.—Maulvi Anwar Ali, Sub-Registrar attached to Comilla, in the district of Tippera, acted as Sub-Registrar of Nalchiti, in the district of Bakarganj, from the 29th September 1923 to the 13th October 1923 (both days inclusive).

Tippera.
Bakarganj.

No. 10.—The 11th January 1924.—Maulvi Anwar Ali, Sub-Registrar attached to Comilla, in the district of Tippera, acted as Sub-Registrar of Nazirpur, in the district of Pakarganj, from the 26th October 1923 to the 15th December 1923 (both days inclusive).

Tippera.
Bakarganj.

No. 11.—The 14th January 1924.—Babu Anis Chandra Mitra, Sub-Registrar, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances, under article 339 of the Civil Service, Regulations, from the 1st November 1923 to the 1st January 1924 (both days inclusive) in extension of the leave granted to him in this Department notification No. 328, dated the 1st August 1923.

A. ISLAM,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1.—The 4th January 1924.—In continuation of this department notification No. 73, dated the 12th December 1923, Babu Tinkari Mitra, Apprentice Engineer, is posted to the First Calcutta Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 18th December 1923.

G. G. DEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 4-I.—The 10th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments, with effect from the 1st February 1924, in the rules and schedules of rates of tolls (published in Bengal Government notification No. 5,

dated the 19th June 1917, in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th idem) for the Midnapore Canal with branch to Naraingar :—

Amendments.

1. For clause (*c*) of rule 2 of the said rules *substitute* the following, namely :—

"The maundage on which the amount of toll is calculated shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 12½ maunds, any remainder of less than 12 maunds being rejected. In the case of boats exceeding 500 maunds by measurement, the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 50 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 50 maunds."

2. In rule 7 of the said rules for the words "one rupee" *substitute* the words "two rupees per ticket."

3. In rule 8 of the said rules—

(*i*) for the words and figures "eight annas per 100 maunds" *substitute* the words and figures "one rupee per 100 maunds."

(*ii*) for the words "one anna per timber per day" *substitute* the words "two annas per timber per day."

(*iii*) for the words and figures "two annas per 100 per day" *substitute* the words and figures "four annas per 100 per day."

(*iv*) for the words and figures "eight annas per 100 per day" *substitute* the words and figures "one rupee per 100 per day."

4. In rule 12 of the said rules for the words and figures "four annas per 100 maunds" *substitute* the words and figures "eight annas per 100 maunds"

5. For the schedules of rates of tolls to be charged on the Midnapore Canal and on the Naraingar Distributary, mentioned at the end of the said rules, *substitute* the following, namely :—

Schedule of rates of tolls to be charged on the Midnapore Canal and the Naraingar Distributary.

Entering from both the East and West.

Description.	Range I, 7 miles, Ulubería to Bansberia.	Range II, 3 miles, Bansberia to Kantapukur.	Range III, 11 miles, Dainan to Panskura.	Range IV, 11 miles, Panskura to Bali chak.	Range V, 13 miles, Balichak to Mohanpur.	Range V, 9 miles, Balichak to Kristnagar	Range V, 4 miles, Kristnagar to Mohanpore	Naraingar Distributary. Entering distributary from canal or *vice versa*.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Loaded vessels per hundred maunds.	0 8	0 4	0 12	0 12	0 14	0 10 0	0 4 0	0 12
Empty vessels per hundred maunds.	0 4	0 2	0 6	0 6	0 7	0 5 0	0 2 0	0 6
Timber in rafts or loose per timber.	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 1 6	0 0 6	0 2
Piles in rafts or loose per hundred piles.	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	0 12 0	0 4 0	1 0
Bamboos in floats per hundred...	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 3 0	0 1 0	0 4

NOTE.—Vessels which enter the canal at Kantapukur lock and do not proceed beyond 900 feet from that lock will be charged toll at the rate of two annas per 100 maunds, whether loaded or empty. Tolls will be realised at Ulubería, Bansberia, Kantapukur, Dainan, Panskura, Balichak and Kristnagar toll stations.

No. 5-I.—The 10th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments, with effect from the 1st February 1924, in the revised rules and revised schedules of rates of tolls (published in Bengal Government notification No. 8, dated the 25th May 1915, in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem) for the Hijili Tidal Canal and the portion of the Orissa Coast Canal lying in Bengal :—

Amendments.

1. For clause (*c*) of rule 2 of the said rules, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"The maundage on which the amount of toll is calculated shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 12½ maunds, any remainder of less than 12 maunds being rejected. In the case of boats exceeding 500 maunds by measurement, the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 50 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 50 maunds."

2. In rule 7 of the said rules for the words "one rupee" *substitute* the words "one rupee and eight annas per ticket."

3. In rule 8 of the said rules—

(*i*) for the words and figures "8 annas per 100 maunds" *substitute* the words and figures "12 annas per 100 maunds."

(*ii*) for the words "one anna per timber per day" *substitute* the words "one anna and six pies per timber per day."

(*iii*) for the words and figures "Two annas per 100 per day" *substitute* the words and figures "Three annas per 100 per day."

(*iv*) for the words and figures "Eight annas per 100 per day" *substitute* the words and figures "Twelve annas per 100 per day."

4. In rule 12 of the said rules for the words and figures "four annas per 100 maunds" *substitute* the words and figures "eight annas per 100 maunds."

5. For the three schedules of rates of tolls mentioned at the end of the said rules, *substitute* the following, namely :—

Schedule of rates of tolls for local traffic to be charged on the Hijili Tidal Canal and the portion of the Orissa Coast Canal, Range III, lying within Bengal.

Description.	Hijili Tidal Canal.		Orissa Coast Canal.			
	Gewankhali lock to Etamagra and *vice versa*.	Terapakia lock to Kalinagar lock and *vice versa*.	Bhaitgar lock to Mosagaon and *vice versa*.	Mosagaon to Contai and *vice versa*.	Mosagaon to Pichaboni and *vice versa*.	Pichaboni to Mirgoda and *vice versa*.
	Range I.	Range II.	Range III.			
	11 miles.	18 miles.	9 miles.	7 miles.	7 miles.	11 miles.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
Vessels loaded per 100 maunds ...	1 0	1 12	0 10	0 8	0 8	0 12
Vessels empty per 100 maunds ...	0 8	0 14	0 5	0 4	0 4	0 6
Timber in rafts or loose per timber ...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 2
Bamboos in floats or loose per 100 bamboos.	0 4	0 6	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4

NOTE.—Tolls will be charged at Gewankhali, Etamagra, Terapakia and Kalinagar on the Hijili Tidal Canal and at Bhaitgar, Mosagaon and Pichaboni toll stations on the Orissa Coast Canal.

Schedule of rates of tolls for through traffic to be charged on the Hijili Tidal Canal and the portion of the Orissa Coast Canal, Range III, lying within Bengal.

From—	To—	Loaded vessels per 100 maunds.			Empty vessels per 100 maunds.		
		Hijili Tidal Canal.	Orissa Coast Canal.	Total.	Hijili Tidal Canal.	Orissa Coast Canal.	Total.
		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
Gewankhali ...	Kalinagar and *vice versa*...	2 8	...	2 8	1 4	...	1 4
Ditto ...	Mosagaon and *vice versa*...	2 8	0 8	3 0	1 4	0 4	1 8
Ditto ...	Pichaboni and *vice versa*...	2 8	1 0	3 8	1 4	0 8	1 12
Ditto ...	Mirgoda and *vice versa* ...	2 8	1 10	4 2	1 4	1 2	2 6
Ditto ...	Contai and *vice versa* ...	2 8	1 0	3 8	1 4	0 8	1 12
Ditto ...	Baliaghye or Karikapatna and *vice versa*.	2 8	0 12	3 4	1 4	0 6	1 10

NOTE.—Tolls will be charged at Gewankhali, Etamagra, Terapakia and Kalinagar on the Hijili Tidal Canal and Bhaitgar, Surpal, Mosagaon and Pichaboni toll stations on the Orissa Coast Canal.

Schedule of rates of tolls for local traffic to be charged on the Pasu khals and Ballaghye drain.

Description.	Terapakia Pasu khal from Terapakia lock to Hansberia and *vice versa*.	Palaboni Pasu khal from its junction with Terapakia khal at Anandapur to its junction with the Sadar khal and *vice versa*.	Ballaghye drain from Surpai to Kaikapatna and Ballaghye and *vice versa*.
	10 miles.	10 miles.	11 miles.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
Loaded vessels per 100 maunds ...	1 0	1 0	1 0
Empty vessels per 100 maunds ...	0 8	0 8	0 8
Timbers in rafts or loose per timber ...	0 2	0 2	0 2
Bamboos in floats or loose per 100 bamboos.	0 4	0 4	0 4

NOTE.—Tolls will be charged at Terapakia and Surpai.

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES.

INDUSTRIES.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmad Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 175.—The 14th January 1924.—Mr. Leander Millar is appointed to be Mining Instructor for the evening mining classes at Raniganj and Sitarampur in the coal fields of Bengal for a period of five years with effect from 18th September 1923, subject to one year's probation.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

AGRICULTURE.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmad Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 93 —The 9th January 1924.—Babu Kalidas Ray, Superintendent of Agriculture, Burdwan Division, is allowed leave on average pay for six days, with effect from the 26th October 1923, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Burdwan Divn.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

No. 52Exc.—The 22nd December 1923.—Maulvi Syed Ahmad Hossain, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Hooghly, is allowed an extension of leave on average pay up to the 22nd December 1923, in continuation of the leave already granted to him in this office notification No. 36Exc., dated the 6th November 1923.

He is permitted to affix the Christmas and New Year's Day holidays to his leave.

No. 56Exc.—The 8th January 1924.—Babu Anukul Chandra Bose, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Excise Intelligence Bureau, under orders of transfer to Chittagong, is allowed privilege leave for three months with effect from the 2nd January 1924. He is permitted to prefix the X'mas and New Year's day holidays to his leave.

G. P. HOGG,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 191L.R.—The 8th January 1924.—Babu Jyotish Chandra Chakrabatty, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be the Superintendent of the Orphanganj Market, Kidderpore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, with effect from the date on which he may take over charge of his duties, *vice* Babu Pramatha Nath Chatarji, transferred.

24-Parganas.

No. 215L.R.—The 8th January 1924.—In Government notification No. 7534L.R., dated the 25th August 1921 published at page 1433, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st August 1921, sanctioning, under section 101 (*1*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the survey and preparation of the record-of-rights in the district of Birbhum, the following words are hereby cancelled :—

Birbhum.

"No. 370T.R., dated the 10th May 1910, No. 1190T.R., dated the 5th July 1910, and No. 703T.R., dated the 30th May 1911."

No. 375L.R.—The 11th January 1924.—Babu Mohini Mohan Mitra, officiating District Engineer, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is allowed leave on average pay, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for four days with effect from the 26th October 1923.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 410L.R.—The 11th January 1924.—In supersession of all previous notifications on the subject and in exercise of the power conferred by section 8, sub-section (*1*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898 as amended up to date), the Governor in Council is pleased to divide the district of the Chittagong Hill Tracts into two subdivisions with the following limits for each with effect from the 11th January 1924 :—

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

Rangamati or Sadar subdivision.

1. Kotwali or Rangamati police-station.
2. Chandraghona police-station.
3. Kassalong police-station.
4. Dighinala police-station.
5. Bandarban police-station.
6. Ruma police-station.
7. Lama police-station.
8. Asartali police-station.

Ramgarh subdivision.

1. Ramgarh police-station.
2. Mahalseri police-station.

No. 450L R.—The 12th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*3*) of section 158A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint for the purposes of that section, Babu Banamali Bagchi, Deputy Collector, Malda, to perform the functions of a certificate officer under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, for the recovery of arrears of rent (including cesses) due to the Mathurapur estate in that district.

Malda.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

No. 260L.A.—The 9th January 1924.—Babu Satamanya Mukharjee, Subdivisional Officer, Narail, in the district of Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Jessore.

No 262L.A.—The 9th January 1924.—Maulvi Kalimuddin Ahmed, Subdivisional Officer, Magura, in the district of Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Jessore.

No. 444L.A.—The 12th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas and 11 cottahs of standard measurement,

Tippera.

equivalent to 1·17 acres, which was notified for acquisition under declaration No. 9863L.A., dated the 15th November 1922, published at page 2089, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, and was required by the District Board of Tippera for a khal in the villages of Pitambar and Kanchanpur, pargana Meherkul, district Tippera.

24-Parganas.

No. 490L.A.—The 14th January 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an embankment in the Government estate lot No. 16, first portion, pargana Hatiaghar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 39·96 acres, bounded on the—

North—By Bhajna Taluk, Rakhal Mondal's chak, Dwarik Bera's chak, Paramanik's chak and Baishnab's chak and by public khal,

East—By Mondal's chak, Rakhal Halder's chak, Hari Maphui's chak, Dwarik Bera's chak, Paramanik's chak and Goladia gang and public khal,

South—By Goondakata khal, Gazir khal, Paramanik's chak and lot No. 16, second and fourth portion, and by public khal,

West—By Goondakata khal, Gazir khal, Dwarik Bera's chak, Paramanik's chak and lot No. 16, second portion,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid Government estate lot No. 16, first portion.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern, with the exception of Government khals and *kheri* and khas land.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

FORESTS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 359 For.—The 10th January 1924.—Omit the word "and" from the second line of the last sub-paragraph to rule 8 of the revised rules for the departmental examination of Forest officers in the Presidency of Bengal, published with this department notification No. 798 M.R., dated the 21st February 1913, and *add* the following at the end of that sub-paragraph :—

The Fundamental Rules and the Forest Account Code.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Buxa.

No. 42For.—The 27th December 1923.—On being relieved of his charge of the Haldibari Range on the forenoon of the 31st October 1923 Babu Jitendra Nath Sen Gupta, probationary Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, was attached to that Range with headquarters at Kumargram Duar for special duty on demarcation up to 22nd November 1923.

R. C. MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Orders by the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.

IN exercise of the power conferred on me in Government order No. 4431P.D., dated the 25th October 1913, I re-appoint the following gentlemen to be non-official visitors of the Presidency Jail :—

1. R. D. Mehta, Esq., C.I.E.
2. R. H. M. Rustomjee, Esq.
3. I. J. Cohen, Esq.
4. Babu Atal Kumar Sen.

C. A. TEGART, *Commissioner of Police.*

CALCUTTA, *the 12th January 1924.*

Orders by the Controller of the Currency.

IN continuation of this office notification, dated the 20th November 1923, it is notified that the rate at which contributions to the Indian Civil Service and Indian Military Service Family Pension Funds and the Indian Military Widows' and Orphans' Funds are recoverable during the month of January 1924 is 1*s.* 5*d.* the rupee. *This rate also applies to the payment of leave salaries, pensions, and annuities fixed in sterling.*

2. The percentage admissible as Exchange Compensation Allowance on salary paid during the same month is Rs. 2-15-1 per Rs. 100. The allowance is subject to the maximum of Rs. 65-6.

H. DENNING, *Controller of the Currency (offg.).*

THE TREASURY, CALCUTTA, *the 20th December 1923.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABU ANANGA MOHAN CHAKRAVARTY, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Rangpur Treasury from the afternoon of the 4th January 1924, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

S. K. HALDAR, *Magistrate-Collector.*

RANGPUR, *the 9th January 1924.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 16TH JANUARY 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Criminal Sessions of the year 1924 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the eleventh day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

W. L. CAREY, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯২৪ সাল, তারিখ ১৬ই জানুয়ারী।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীনে শহর কলিকাতা ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯২৪ সালের ১১ই ফেব্রুয়ারী সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯২৪ সালের প্রথম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক, তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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সরিফ।

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—CIVIL.

The 8th January 1924.

No. 266A.—Babu Jamini Kanta Mukharji, Subordinate Judge of Rajshahi and Malda, is appointed to be a district delegate, under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the executive district of Rajshahi.

No. 267A.—Babu Ananga Mohan Lahiri, officiating Subordinate Judge of Noakhali is appointed to be a district delegate, under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Noakhali.

The 10th January 1924.

No. 465E.—The following rule amending the rules as to the qualifications, admission, and certificates, etc., of pleaders and mukhtars in Courts subordinate to the High Court, having been made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, under section 6 of the Legal Practitioners Act, 1879, is published for general information :—

Rule.

In Chapter XI, page 280, Volume I of the Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, *insert* the following as Rule 23A :—

"Certificates may be renewed under section 7 of the Legal Practitioners Act (XVIII of 1879) by the Judge of the District Court, whether the value of the stamped paper on which the renewed certificate is to be issued (as prescribed by the second schedule of the Act) is the same as or different from the value of that on which the first certificate of the particular pleader or mukhtar was issued."

II. *Cancel* rule 25 *ibid*, and *substitute* therefor the following :—"25. The renewed certificate shall state the fact and date of its renewal and shall specify the classes of Courts and offices in which the applicant shall be authorised to practise, regard being had to schedule II of Act XVIII of 1879."

CIVIL.

No. 270A.—Babu Jamini Kanta Mukharji, Subordinate Judge of Rajshahi and Malda, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Rampur-Boalia munsifi.

No. 271A.—Babu Ananga Mohan Lahiri, officiating Subordinate Judge of Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sudharam munsifi.

No. 322A.—Babu Bamandas Mukharji, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge of Rangpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar munsifi of Rangpur.

No. 323A.—Babu Lal Bihari Chatarji, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions, Judge of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar munsifi of Mymensingh.

No. 328A.—Babu Bamandas Mukharji, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Jgdue of Rangpur, is appointed to be a district delegate, under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the Sadar munsifi of Rangpur.

The 10th January 1924.

No. 455A.—Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta, officiating Subordinate Judge, Dinajpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar munsifi of Dinajpur.

The 12th January 1924.

No. 547A.—Babu Jyotirindra Narayan Bagchi, additional munsif of Kandi, Lalbagh and Jangipur, now employed at Kandi, in the district of Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes, for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Kandi munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

J. D. V. HODGE,

Registrar.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7, Act IX of 1887 (The Provincial Small Cause Court Act), that, in the months of February and March 1924 until further orders, the Judge of Small Cause Court, Serampore and Howrah, and 2nd Additional Subordinate Judge of Howrah will hold his sitting as detailed below :—

February 1924.

Serampore	...	...	1st to 6th.
Howrah (as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge)	...	...	7th to 19th.
Howrah (as Judge, Small Cause Court)	...	...	20th to 28th.

March 1924.

Serampore	...	...	1st to 6th.
Howrah (as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge)	...	...	7th to 19th.
Howrah (as Judge, Small Cause Court)	...	...	20th to 31st.

Excluding Sundays and holidays.

TEJ CHANDRA MITTER, *Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.*

HOWRAH, *the 21st December 1923.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2053R.G.—Babu Surendra Nath Banerji (No. III), Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Bongaon, Jessore, is transferred as Circle Officer to the Magura subdivision of that district.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., 3, CHARNOCK PLACE, CALCUTTA, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 61J.—Babu Bimala Charan Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, Narainganj, in the district of Dacca, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, and Government of India, Financial Department order No. 168C.S.R., dated the 21th February 1919, for seven days with effect from the 2nd December 1923.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN, DACCA, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 114J.— Babu Digendra Prosad Nag, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Rajshahi, is allowed leave on average pay for three weeks (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and the note thereunder, with effect from the 8th January 1924, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 119J.—This office notification No. 31J., dated the 5th January 1924, transferring Babu Charu Chandra Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, on probation, Mymensingh, temporarily to the Kishoreganj subdivision of that district, is hereby cancelled.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 159J.—Babu Charu Chandra Bhattacharjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, Pabna, is allowed leave on average pay for four days (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and the note thereunder, with effect from the 1st December 1923.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 154J.—In modification of the previous notification No. 1351-J., dated the 16th April 1923, it is hereby notified for general information that the following ladies are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Rajshahi Central Jail for the periods mentioned against their names :—

Mrs. Constance Morison, for two years.
„ Isabel Stancliff, for two years.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen are appointed non-official visitors of the sub-jail of Ranaghat and Meherpur, respectively, in the district of Nadia, for a period of two years :—

Ranaghat sub-jail.

1. Babu Abani Kumar Bose.
2. „ Hari Charan Ghose, M.B.

Meherpur sub-jail.

1. Babu Jivan Krishna Mukherji.
2. „ Indu Bhusan Mullick.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 50M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on the 20th December 1923, Mr. F. Page Wernicke has been duly elected as a Commissioner for Ward No. VI (Rockvilla Ward) of the Darjeeling Municipality, *vice* Mr. W. A. Clear, resigned.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 82G.—It is hereby notified for general information, under rule 32 of the election rules for the election of Municipal Commissioners, that at the general election held on Thursday, the 20th December 1923, the gentlemen named below have been elected as Commissioners of the Cox's Bazar Municipality, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act III (B.C.) of 1884 :—

WARD A.

1. Babu Bepin Behari Rakhit.
2. „ Sarat Chandra Paul.
3. „ Maulvi Meher Ali.

WARD B.

1. Babu Girish Chandra Chaudhury.
2. „ Umesh Chandra Barua.
3. „ Mong Shwetunoo.

WARD C.

1. Munshi Hasan Ali.
2. „ Abdul Aziz.
3. Mong Mrathatun Showdagar.

WARD D.

1. Maung Chawmaung Chowdhury.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 22M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 29th March 1924, has been fixed as the date for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the Santipur Municipality, in the district of Nadia, in place of those, who, having been elected at the last general election of Commissioners or subsequently thereto, will complete their term of office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA. *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 18M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Tuesday, the 12th February 1924, has been fixed for holding a by-election for the election of a Commissioner for ward No. III of the Ramjibanpur Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, *vice* Babu Bepin Behari Piri, resigned.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the rules under clause (*a*), section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the 25th February 1924 is fixed for the by-election of a member of the Sadar local board in Bhaluka police-station in the district of Mymensingh, in the place of Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, B.L., resigned.

W. S. HOPKYNS, *District Magistrate.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 77J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), Babu Upendra Mohan Kar has been appointed by the Magistrate of Mymensingh to be a member of the Chandpur union board, in police-station Katiadi, in the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district, *vice* Babu Jagat Chandra Routh, deceased.

J. C. CHAUDHURI, *Personal Assistant*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 80J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, Babu Jogesh Chandra Chanda has been elected to be a member of the Lashkarchala union board in Kaliakair police-station in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Dacca, *vice* Babu Dinesh Chandra Chanda, deceased.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 69J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of charitable hospitals and dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be

members of the Committee for the management of the charitable dispensaries at Prasadpur and Kaligram, in the district of Rajshahi :—

Prasadpur Dispensary ...	1.	Babu Surjamal Agarwala.
	2.	„ Kali Kanta Ghatak.
	3.	„ Prafulla Nath Chaudhury.
	4.	„ Pramatha Nath Mazumdar.
	5.	„ Kasturamal Agarwala.
	6.	„ Hari Baksh Agarwala.
	7.	„ Gobardhan Agarwala.
	8.	Munshi Kasimuddin Biswas.
	9.	„ Sujan Pramanik.
	10.	„ Nakibulla Mondal.
	11.	„ Ashanulla Mondal.
	12.	Babu Jogendra Mohan Das.
Kaligram Dispensary ...	1.	Babu Jogendra Kumar Mukherjee.
	2.	„ Bhaba Kumar Phani.
	3.	„ Surendra Nath Ghatak.
	4.	„ Narendra Nath Ghatak.
	5.	„ Upendra Nath Maitra.
	6.	„ Kaliranjan Talukdar.
	7.	„ Troilaksha Nath Ghatak.
	8.	„ Kaliranjan Acherjee.
	9.	Munshi Muhammad Jamiruddin Shaha.
	10.	„ Kaimat Sirker.
	11.	„ Atar Hosein Pramanik.
	12.	„ Bheluuddin Pramanik.
	13.	„ Mazaffar Hosein Mia.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 133J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of charitable hospitals and dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the committee for the management of the charitable dispensary at Kanihari, in the district of Mymensingh :—

1. The Civil Surgeon of Mymensingh (*ex officio*).
2. Rai Sahib Umesh Chandra Chakladar.
3. Maulvi Afazuddin Ahmed, B.L.
4. Babu Prafulla Kumar Chakraverty, B.L.
5. „ Surendra Nath Sen Gupta, B.L.
6. „ Nabin Chandra Bhattacharya Choudhury.
7. „ Bipin Chandra Chakraverty.
8. „ Girish Chandra Bhattacharya.
9. „ Kali Prasanna Roy.
10. „ Hem Chandra Roy, B.L.
11. „ Chandra Nath Das Tarafdar.
12. „ Sarada Charan Chakraverty, B.L.
13. „ Devendra Nath Chakraverty.
14. „ Kamleswari Prasad Chakraverty, B.L.
15. Maulvi Zubed Ali Ahmed.
16. „ Gholam Rabbani.
17. „ Khandkar Mizaner Rahman.
18. „ Ahsan Ulla Tarafdar.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 134J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of charitable hospitals and dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the committee for the management of the charitable dispensary at Kharua, in the district of Mymensingh :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Sadar North (*ex officio*).
2. Babu Ram Kishore Choudhury.
3. „ Murari Mohan Choudhury.
4. „ Nalini Kanta Choudhury.
5. „ Bhupendra Kishore Choudhury.
6. „ Kamini Mohan Ghosh.
7. „ Mahendra Narayan Choudhury.
8. Maulvi Md. Ali Mamud Sarkar.
9. „ Sabu Sarkar.
10. „ Hosainuddin Sarkar.
11. „ Masumuddin Sarkar.
12. „ Shamsul Haque.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN, DACCA, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 176J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of charitable hospitals and dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the charitable dispensary at Barisal in the district of Bakarganj :—

1. The District Magistrate ...
2. The Civil Surgeon ... } *Ex officio.*
3. The Sadar Subdivisional Officer ...
4. The Hon'ble Chaudhuri Mahamad Ismail Khan, Chairman, District Board, Bakarganj.
5. Babu Devendra Nath Datta, Vice-Chairman, District Board, Bakarganj.
6. „ Sarat Chandra Guha, Chairman, Barisal Municipality.
7. Dr. Kashiswar Chakravarti.
8. Rai Bipin Behari Das Gupta Bahadur.
9. Babu Gopal Chandra Biswas
10. „ Kali Prasanna Guha Chaudhuri.
11. „ Benoy Bhusan Gupta.
12. „ Rai Charan Guha.
13. „ Rajeswar Roy Chaudhuri.
14. „ Saral Kumar Datta.
15. „ Khan Bahadur Maulvi Hemayet Uddin [illegible]
16. „ Ambica Charan Roy.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 12th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 44J.—It is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules that Mr. K. Ahmed, a duly elected member of the Legislative Assembly from the Rajshahi Division Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Presidency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration with the Returning Officer on the 3rd day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 46J.—It is hereby notified under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Council Electoral Rules that Kumar Shibshekhareswar Ray, a duly elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Rajshahi Landholders' Constituency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration with the Returning Officer on the 19th day of December 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, in office hours on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 48J.—It is hereby notified under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Council Electoral Rules that Babu Birendra Nath Ray, a duly nominated candidate of the Rajshahi Landholders' Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration with the Returning Officer on the 22nd day of December 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, in office hours, on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 50J.—It is hereby notified under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Mr. K. Ahmed, a duly nominated candidate of the Malda *cum* Jalpaiguri Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration with the Returning Officer on the 3rd day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 52J.—It is hereby notified under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Khan Sahib Maulvi Abdul Ghani, a duly nominated candidate of the Malda *cum* Jalpaiguri Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, lodged his return of election expenses and declarations with the Returning Officer on the 24th December 1923.

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 54J.—It is hereby notified under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Khan Bahadur Maulvi Musharruf Husain, a duly elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Malda *cum* Jalpaiguri Muhammadan Constituency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration with the Returning Officer on the 2nd day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 57J.—It is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Dr. J. M. Das Gupta, a duly elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Pabna *cum* Bogra Non-Muhammadan Constituency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration with the Returning Officer on the 4th day of January 1924

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and*
Returning Officer.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 65J.G.—It is hereby notified that Khan Saheb Gholam Rabbani, one of the nominated candidates for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Hooghly *cum* Howrah Municipal Muhammadan Constituency, has filed on the 8th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*) respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 70J.G.—It is hereby notified that Major Hassan Suhrawardy, one of the elected members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Hooghly *cum* Howrah Municipal Muhammadan Constituency, has filed on the 9th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*) respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Babu Bijoy Kumar Roy Chowdhury, a defeated candidate of the Rangpur Non-Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, has on the 7th day of January 1924 lodged with me return of election expenses together with a declaration required under rule 19 of the said rules, and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day when the offices will remain open, on payment of the prescribed fees.

S. K. HALDAR, *Returning Officer*
(*District Magistrate*).

RANGPUR, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that H. S. Suhrawardy, a duly elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta South Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 7th day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate and*
Returning Officer.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Legislative Assembly Rules that Yacoob C. Ariff, a duly elected member of the Calcutta and Suburbs Muhammadan Constituency of the Indian Legislative Assembly, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 3rd day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Ataul Huq, a duly nominated member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta South Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 3rd day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that the undermentioned candidates for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Burdwan Rural Non-Muhammadan constituency have lodged their returns of election expenses and the declarations in respect thereof on the dates shown against their names. The returns and the declarations can be inspected at the office of the undersigned on business days during business hours on payment of the prescribed fee of one rupee.

Names of candidates.	Dates of filing returns.
Babu Bidhubhusan Chattopadhaya ...	... 21st December 1923.
„ Hemendra Nath Sen ...	... 4th January 1924.
Rai Amulya Chandra Mitra Bahadur...	... 3rd „ „
Lieutenant Bijoy Prosad Singh Roy ...	... 5th „ „
Raja Monilal Singh Roy, C.I.E. ...	... 5th „ „

J. YOUNIE, *District Magistrate, Burdwan, and Returning Officer.*

BURDWAN, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby informed that the return of election expenses and declarations have been lodged on 4th January 1924 by Maulvi Asimuddin Ahamed who has been elected a member to the Bengal Legislative Council in 1923. These papers can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Tippera between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

A. J. DASH, *Returning Officer and District Magistrate of Tippera.*

COMILLA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby informed that the return of election expenses and declarations have been lodged on 5th January 1924 by Maulvi Syed Fazlur Rahman, a candidate for election as a member to the Bengal Legislative Council in 1923. These papers can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Tippera between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

A. J. DASH, *Returning Officer and District Magistrate of Tippera.*

COMILLA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby informed that the return of election expenses and declarations have been lodged on 5th January 1924 by Moulvi Shah Syed Emdadul Haque who has been elected a member to the Bengal Legislative Council in 1923. These papers can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Tippera between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

A. J. DASH, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

COMILLA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby informed that the return of election expenses and declarations have been lodged on 4th January 1924 by Babu Akhil Chandra Dutta, who has been elected a member to the Bengal Legislative Council in 1923. These papers can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Tippera between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

A. J. DASH, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

COMILLA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby informed that the return of election expenses and declarations have been lodged on 21st December 1923 by Moulvi Abdul Ghany Chowdhuri, a candidate for election as a member to the Bengal Legislative Council in 1923. These papers can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Tippera between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

A. J. DASH, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

COMILLA, *the 5th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Rai Sahib Panchanan Barma and Babu Nagendra Narayan Ray, the elected candidates of the Rangpur non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, have, on the 8th day of January 1924, lodged with me returns of election expenses together with declarations required under rule 19 of the said rules; and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day when the offices will remain open, on payment of the prescribed fees.

S. K. HALDAR, *Returning Officer (District Magistrate).*

RANGPUR, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Maulvi Bashar Muhammad, an elected candidate of the Rangpur West Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, has, on the 8th day of January 1924, lodged with me return of election expenses together with a declaration required under rule 19 of the said rules; and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day when the offices will remain open, on payment of the prescribed fees.

S. K. HALDAR, *Returning Officer (District Magistrate).*

RANGPUR, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Babu Sarat Chandra Mukhopadhya, a duly nominated member from the South Midnapore Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged with me on the 5th January 1924 a return of election expenses in the prescribed form duly signed by him and accompanied by his declaration as laid down in rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Any person desiring to inspect each of these returns may do so on payment of a fee of rupee one only between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. in the Midnapore Collectorate.

S. A. SALIK, for *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

MIDNAPORE, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE returns of election expenses of Babu Abanish Chandra Roy and Rai Abinash Chandra Banerji Bahadur, candidates for election from the Birbhum Non-Muhammadan Constituency to the Bengal Legislative Council, together with the declarations, were lodged with the Returning Officer on the 2nd and 5th January 1924, respectively.

The returns of expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Birbhum on business days during business hours on payment of the prescribed fee.

J. R. BLACKWOOD, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

BIRBHUM MAGISTRACY, SURI, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Babu Khagendra Nath Ganguli, who has been duly elected a member of the Bengal Legislative Council by the Howrah Municipality (Non-Muhammadan) Constituency, lodged on the 23rd January 1924 with the undersigned the return of the election expenses together with the declaration in prescribed form under sub-rule 3 of rule 19 of the said rules.

The return and the declaration can be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Howrah on payment of a fee of Re. 1 between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

S. C. MUKERJEE, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

HOWRAH, *the 2nd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Babu Tanka Nath Choudhury, one of the nominated members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dinajpur Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has filled on the 7th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Dinajpur on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. DE, *Returning Officer.*

DINAJPUR, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Babu Premhari Barman, one of the nominated members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dinajpur Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has filed on the 8th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clause (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Dinajpur on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. DE, *Returning Officer.*

DINAJPUR, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Maulvi Yuquinuddin Ahmed, one of the nominated members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dinajpur Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has filed on the 8th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*) respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Dinajpur on payment of a fee of Re. 1 between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. DE, *Returning Officer.*

DINAJPUR, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Maulvi Muhamad Kader Bux, one of the elected members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dinajpur Muhammadan Constituency, has filed on the 8th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*) respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Dinajpur on payment of a fee of Re. 1 between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. DE, *Returning Officer.*

DINAJPUR, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Munshi Mafijuddin Choudhury, one of the nominated members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dinajpur Muhammadan Constituency, has filed on the 8th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*) respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Dinajpur on payment of a fee of Re. 1 between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. DE, *Returning Officer.*

DINAJPUR, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declarations made in respect thereof, under rule 19 of Bengal Electoral Rules, published in Government notification No. F.-213 V of the 30th July 1923, have been lodged with the undersigned by the following candidates on the dates noted against each and they are ready for inspection at the office of the District Magistrate of Dacca between the hours of 11 to 5 P.M. on week days from the 8th January 1924 on payment of rupee one only :—

Dacca Rural (Non-Muhammadan) Constituency.

1. Babu Kiran Sankar Roy Choudhury ... 7th January 1924.

Dacca Rural (Muhammadan) East.

2. Maulvi Abdul Siddique ... ... 7th January 1924.
3. Khan Bahadur Kazi Zahirul Huq ... ... 7th " "

Dacca Rural (Muhammadan) West.

4. Maulvi Naimuddin Ahmad ... ... 7th January 1924.

Dacca City (Non-Muhammadan).

5. Babu Syamchand Bysak ... .. 7th January 1924.

Dacca City (Muhammadan).

6. Nawabzada Khwajeh Mahammad Afzal Khan Bahadur ... ... 7th January 1924.

J. G. DRUMMOND, *Returning Officer.*

DACCA, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR, one of the nominated candidates to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Hooghly Municipal Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has filed on the 7th January 1924 his return of election expenses and declaration in respect thereof as required by 19 (*1*) and (III) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Magistrate of Hooghly at Chinsura on payment of a fee Re. 1 for ten days from 10th January 1924 between the hours 12 and 3 P.M. except Sundays and holidays.

M. N. MUKERJEA, *Senior Deputy Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

CHINSURA, *the 9th January 1924.*

Khulna Muhammadan Constituency, Bengal Legislative Council.

NOTICE under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules is hereby given that Major Hassan Suhrawardy has lodged his return of election expenses this day, the 9th January 1924. The same may be inspected at my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

D. GLADDING, *Returning Officer.*

KHULNA, *the 9th January 1924.*

Khulna Non-Muhammadan Constituency, Bengal Legislative Council.

NOTICE under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules is hereby given that Babu Munkunda Behari Mullick and Mr. Subodh Kumar Dey filed their returns of election expenses on the 5th January 1924. The same may be inspected at my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

D. GLADDING, *Returning Officer.*

KHULNA, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of Maulvi Rajibuddin Tarafdar, a candidate for election from the Bogra Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, together with the declaration was lodged with the Returning Officer on 2nd January 1924.

The return of election expenses and the declaration can be inspected in the office of Magistrate of Bogra on payment of Re. 1 on business days during business hours.

J. M. SINHA, *Returning Officer.*

BOGRA, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Hafizar Rahaman Chaudhury, a candidate for election from the Bogra Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, together with the declaration was lodged with the Returning Officer on 3rd January 1924.

The return of election expenses and the declaration can be inspected in the office of the Magistrate of Bogra on payment of Re. 1 on business days during business hours.

J. M. SINHA, *Returning Officer.*

BOGRA, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of Khan Sahib Syed Reazuddin Quazi, a candidate for election from the Bogra Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, together with the declaration was lodged with the Returning Officer on 4th January 1924.

The return of election expenses and the declaration can be inspected in the office of the Magistrate of Bogra on payment of Re. 1 on business days during business hours.

J. M. SINHA, *Returning Officer.*

BOGRA, *the 4th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information, under sub-rule (5) of rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923, that Mr. Priyanath Sen, a duly nominated candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dacca University Constituency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration in respect thereof on the 5th January 1924.

They may be inspected in my office at the University Central Buildings, Ramna, Dacca, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on week days (excepting holidays) on payment of the prescribed fee.

N. AHMAD, *Registrar, University of Dacca*
(Returning Officer, Dacca University Constituency).

UNIVERSITY BUILDINGS, RAMNA, DACCA, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information, under sub-rule (5) of rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923, that Mr. Nares Chandra Sengupta, a duly nominated candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dacca University Constituency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration in respect thereof on the 5th January 1924.

They may be inspected in my office at the University Central Buildings, Ramna, Dacca, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on week days (excepting holidays) on payment of the prescribed fee.

N. AHMAD, *Registrar, University of Dacca*
(Returning Officer, Dacca University Constituency).

UNIVERSITY BUILDINGS, RAMNA, DACCA, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE

IT is notified for general information, under sub-rule (5) of rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923, that Mr. Abdullah Al-Mamun Suhrawardy, a duly nominated candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dacca University Constituency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration in respect thereof on the 7th January 1924.

They may be inspected in my office at the University Central Buildings, Ramna, Dacca, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on week days (excepting holidays) on payment of the prescribed fee.

N. AHMAD, *Registrar, University of Dacca*
(Returning Officer, Dacca University Constituency).

UNIVERSITY BUILDINGS, RAMNA, DACCA, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information, under sub-rule (5) of rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923, that Mr. A. F. Rahman, an elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dacca University Constituency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration in respect thereof on the 7th January 1924.

They may be inspected in my office at the University Central Buildings, Ramna, Dacca, on week days (excepting holidays) on payment of the prescribed fee.

N. AHMAD, *Registrar, University of Dacca*
(Returning Officer, Dacca University Constituency).

UNIVERSITY BUILDINGS, RAMNA, DACCA, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information that Babu Debendra Nath Biswas, a duly nominated candidate for the election of a member for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore South Non-Muhammadan constituency, lodged with the undersigned return of election expenses and declaration in the proper form on 7th January 1924. They may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between 1 P.M. to 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of one rupee.

C. C. V. R. SELLS, *District Magistrate*
(Returning Officer).

JESSORE, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information that Maulvi Rafiuddin Ahmed, who was declared duly elected as a member for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore North Muhammadan constituency, lodged with the undersigned return of election expenses and declaration in the proper form on 7th January 1924. They may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between 1 P.M. to 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of one rupee.

C. C. V. R. SELLS, *District Magistrate*
(*Returning Officer*).

JESSORE, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information that Babu Suresh Chandra Adhikery, a duly nominated candidate for the election of a member for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore North Non-Muhammadan Constituency, lodged with the undersigned return of election expenses and declaration in the proper form on 7th January 1924. They may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between 1 P.M. to 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of one rupee.

C. SELLS, *District Magistrate, Returning Officer.*

JESSORE MAGISTRACY, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information that Maulvi Matiar Rahman Biswas, a duly nominated candidate for the election of a member for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore South Muhammadan Constituency, lodged with the undersigned return of election expenses and declaration in the proper form on 7th January 1924. They may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between 1 P.M. to 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of one rupee.

C. SELLS, *District Magistrate, Returning Officer.*

JESSORE MAGISTRACY, *the 9th January 1924.*

Khulna Non-Muhammadan Constituency, Bengal Legislative Council.

NOTICE under rule 19 (*5*), Bengal Electoral Rules, is hereby given that Babu Sailajanath Roy Chowdhury, M.L.C., has lodged his duly affirmed return of election expenses before me this day, the 7th January 1924. The same may be inspected at my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of the prescribed fees.

D. GLADDING, *Returning Officer.*

KHULNA COLLECTORATE, *the 7th January 1924.*

Calcutta University Constituency.

NOTICE.

RETURNS of election expenses (duly accompanied by the required declarations) in respect of the following candidates have been lodged with the undersigned, and they may, on payment of a fee one rupee in each case, be inspected in the Registrar's room, Darbhanga Library Building, Calcutta, any day (excepting Sundays or holidays) between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.—

	Names of candidates		Dates of submission of the return
1.	Mr. Debaprasad Ghosh, M.A.	...	7th January 1924.
2.	Sir Nilratan Sircar, Kt., M.A., M.D.	...	8th January 1924.
3.	Rai Jogendrachunder Ghose Bahadur, M.A., B.L.		8th January 1924.

J. C. GHOSH, *Returning Officer.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 107J.—It is hereby notified under rule 19(5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Maulvi Saad Monir Ahmed Choudhury, a duly nominated candidate of the Malda *cum* Jalpaiguri Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration with the Returning Officer on the 7th day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, on payment of a fee of Re. 1, in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 109J.—It is hereby notified under rule 19(5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Mr. Jogesh Chandra Chaudhury, a duly nominated candidate of the Pabna *cum* Bogra Non-Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, lodged his return of election expenses and declarations with the Returning Officer on the 31st day of December 1923.

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, on payment of a fee of Re. 1, in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of Babu Bhabendra Chandra Roy, who has been declared to be duly elected as a member to the Indian Legislative Assembly from the Presidency Division (Non-Muhammadan), together with the declarations, has been lodged with the Returning Officer on the 9th January 1924. The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at 3, Charnock Place, Calcutta, on business days during business hours.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner (Returning Officer).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE returns of election expenses of (1) Dr. Kumud Sankar Roy Chowdhury of No. 44, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta, a duly elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council, and of (2) Babu Purna Chandra Maitra of Purna Kutir, Faridpur, a duly nominated candidate for the said Council, from the Faridpur (North) Non-Muhammadan constituency, together with the declarations, have been lodged with the Returning Officer on the 3rd and 4th January 1924, respectively. The returns of expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Faridpur on business days during business hours on payment of prescribed fee of Re. 1 only for each of the returns and declarations.

D. H. WARES, *District Magistrate.*

FARIDPUR, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Babu Manmatha Nath Roy, who has been duly elected a member of the Bengal Legislative Council by the Howrah Rural (Non-Muhammadan) constituency, lodged on the 7th January 1924 with the undersigned the return of the election expenses together with the declaration in prescribed form, under sub-rule 3 of rule 19 of the said rules.

The return and the declaration can be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Howrah on payment of a fee of Re. 1 between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

S. C. MUKERJEE, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

HOWRAH, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that, under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, Babu Ramesh Chandra Bagchi (the elected member) of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Malda Non-Muhammadan constituency, lodged on the 5th January 1924 with the undersigned the return of election expenses, together with the declaration in prescribed form, under sub-rule 3 of rule 19 of the said rules.

The return and the declaration can be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Malda on payment of a fee of Re. 1 on business days between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M.

A. L. BLANK, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

MALDA, *the 8th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby informed that the return of election expenses and declarations have been lodged on 7th January 1924 by Maulvi Kazi Golam Mohiuddin Foroqui, a candidate for election as a member to the Bengal Legislative Council in 1923. These papers can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Tippera between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

A. J. DASH, *Returning Officer and District Magistrate.*

COMILLA, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923, that Mr. Ajoy Chandra Dutta, a candidate for election from the Bankura East Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, and his local agent Babu Bankim Chandra Raha have on the 5th January 1924 lodged with me return of expenses together with the declaration required under rule 19 (3) of the said rules and the same can be inspected in my office between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day excepting holidays and Sundays on payment of the prescribed fee of Re. 1 only and copies of such returns can be had on payment of a fee of Rs. 2 only.

B. D. HAJARA, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

BANKURA, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby informed that the return of election expenses and declarations have been lodged on 7th January 1924 by Babu Indu Bhushan Dutta, a candidate for election as a member to the Bengal Legislative Council in 1923. These papers can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Tippera between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

A. J. DASH, *Returning Officer and District Magistrate.*

COMILLA, *the 7th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby informed that the return of election expenses and declarations have been lodged on 7th January 1924 by Babu Rajoni Kanta Das, a candidate for election as a member to the Bengal Legislative Council in 1923. These papers can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Tippera between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

A. J. DASH, *Returning Officer and District Magistrate.*

COMILLA, *the 7th January 1924*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declarations made in respect thereof under rule 19 of Bengal Electoral Rules published in Government notification No. P-213-V of the 30th July 1923 have been lodged with the undersigned by the following candidates on the dates noted against each and they are ready for inspection at the office of the District Magistrate of Dacca between the hours of 11 A.M. to 5 P.M. on week days from the 9th January 1924 on payment of rupee one only :—

Dacca Rural (Muhammadan) West.

(1) Hon'ble Nawab Syed Nawabali Chaudhury, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E. ... ... 8th January 1924.

Dacca City (Non-Muhammadan).

(2) Babu Dhirendra Chandra Roy ... ... 8th January 1924.

J. G. DRUMMOND, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

DACCA, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that the return of election expenses and declarations made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules have been lodged on the 7th January 1924 with the undersigned by the following candidates for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Malda Non-Muhammadan constituency :—

Babu Tarini Das Roy.
„ Krishnajiban Sanyal.
Kumar Santi Shekhareswar Roy.

The returns and the declarations can be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Malda on payment of a fee of Re. 1 on business days between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M.

A. L. BLANK, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

MALDA, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Babu Satcouri Pati Ray, Mr. Rebati Nath Maity and Mr. Saroda Charan Maity, duly nominated members from the South Midnapore Non-Muhammadan Constituency, have lodged with me, on the 8th January 1924 and 9th January 1924, respectivoly, returns of election expenses in the prescribed form duly signed by them and accompanied by their declarations as laid down in rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Any person desiring to inspect each of these returns may do so on payment of a fee of rupee one only between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. in the Midnapore Collectorate.

S. A. SALIK,
for *District Magistrate, Midnapore, and Returning Officer.*

MIDNAPORE, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules that Mr. Muhammad Kazim Ali, who has been duly elected as a member of the Legislative Assembly by the Chittagong Division Muhammadan constituency, lodged with the Returning Officer his return of election expenses together with the declarations on the 9th January 1924.

The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Chittagong Division, Chittagong, on business days during business hours on payment of a fee of Re 1.

M. MAITRA, *Personal Assistant*, for *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby given under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Babu Sarat Chandra Basu, a candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Burdwan Rural Non-Muhammadan constituency, has lodged his return of election expenses and the declarations in respect thereof on the 7th day of January 1924.

The return and the declaration can be inspected at the office of the undersigned on business days during business hours on payment of the prescribed fee of Re. 1.

J. YOUNIE, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

BURDWAN, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that the following persons who were nominated as candidates for election of members for the Bengal Legislative Council from the constituencies noted against each have lodged with me returns of election expenses with declarations on dates mentioned below and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 12 noon and 3 P.M. on any day when the office remains open on payment of the prescribed fees :—

	Name of candidate.	Constituency.	Dates when lodged.
1.	Babu Surendra Nath Roy ...	24-Parganas Municipal South Non-Muhammadan.	3rd January 1924.
2.	Maulvi Wahed Hossain ...	Barrackpore Municipal Muhammadan.	4th " "
3.	Babu Hem Chandra Naskar	24 Parganas Rural Central Non-Muhammadan.	4th " "
4.	Dr. A Suhrawardy ...	Barrackpore Municipal Muhammadan.	5th " "
5.	Mr. B. N. Sashmal ...	24-Parganas Rural South Non-Muhammadan	6th " "
6.	Dr. Bidhan Chandra Ray ...	24-Parganas Municipal North Non-Muhammadan.	7th " "
7.	Mirza Ali Naqui ...	Barrackpore Municipal Muhammadan.	7th " "
8.	Babu Sashisekhar Bose ...	24-Parganas Rural Central Non-Muhammadan.	8th " "
9.	Mr. D. C. Ghosh ...	24-Parganas Rural South Non-Muhammadan.	8th " "
10.	Maulvi Md. Habibullah ...	Barrackpore Municipal Muhammadan.	8th " "
11.	Babu Sridhar Chandra Ray	24-Parganas Rural Central Non-Muhammadan.	8th " "
12.	Sir Surendra Nath Banerjea, Kt.	24-Parganas Municipal North Non-Muhammadan.	8th " "
13.	Babu Anukul Chandra Das...	24-Parganas Rural South Non-Muhammadan.	9th " "
14.	Babu Barendra Nath Mitter	24-Parganas Municipal South Non-Muhammadan.	9th " "

J. H. LINDSAY, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

ALIPORE, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 78J.G.—It is hereby notified that Mahmood Suhrawardy, one of the nominated candidates for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Burdwan Division South Muhammadan constituency, has filed on the 10th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*) respectively of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the gazette.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules that Khan Saheb Maulvi Aman Ali, a candidate for election to the Legislative Assembly from the Chittagong Division Muhammadan constituency, lodged with the Returning Officer on the 9th January 1924 his return of election expenses together with the declarations.

The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Chittagong Division, on business days during business hours on payment of a fee of Re. 1.

M. MAITRA, *Personal Assistant*, for *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declarations made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidates on the 8th day of January 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of rupee one only :—

Mr. Sudhansu Mohan Bose, Mymensingh East Non-Muhammadan constituency.
Raja Manmatha Nath Roy Choudhury, Mymensingh West Non-Muhammadan constituency.

J. R. BLAIR, for *Returning Officer and District Magistrate.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 83J.G.—It is hereby notified that Babu Satya Charan Mukherji, one of the nominated candidates for election to the Indian Legislative Assembly from the Burdwan Division Non-Muhammadan Rural constituency, has filed on the 10th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 85J.G.—It is hereby notified that Maulvi Abul Kasem, one of the nominated candidates for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Burdwan Division North Muhammadan constituency, has filed on the 11th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Babus Kali Prasanna Saha and Saileswar Bhattacharyya, who were candidates for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from Malda Non-Muhammadan constituency, lodged on the 8th January 1921 with the undersigned the return of their election expenses together with a declaration under sub-rule (*3*) of rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

The returns and the declarations can be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Malda on payment of a fee of Re. 1 on business days between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M.

A. L. BLANK, *Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

MALDA, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information that Rai Jadu Nath Mazumdar Bahadur, C.I.E., a duly nominated candidate for the election of a member for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore North Non-Muhammadan Constituency, lodged with the undersigned return of election expenses and declaration in the proper form on 9th January 1924. They may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between 1 P.M. to 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of one rupee.

C. C. V. R. SELLS, *District Magistrate*
(*Returning Officer*).

JESSORE MAGISTRACY, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information that Mr. Dhirendra Nath Roy, who was duly elected as a member for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore North Non-Muhammadan Constituency, lodged with the undersigned return of election expenses and declaration in the proper form on 8th January 1924. They may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between 1 P.M. to 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of one rupee.

C. C. V. R. SELLS, *District Magistrate*
(*Returning Officer*).

JESSORE MAGISTRACY, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information that Rai Jadu Nath Mazumdar Bahadur, C.I.E., a duly nominated candidate for the election of a member for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore South Non-Muhammadan Constituency, lodged with the undersigned return of election expenses and declaration in the proper form on 9th January 1924. They may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between 1 P.M. to 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of one rupee.

C. C. V. R. SELLS, *District Magistrate*
(*Returning Officer*).

JESSORE MAGISTRACY, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Maulvi Abdus Samad *alias* Bara Maulvi Saheb, one of the duly nominated candidates for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Murshidabad Muhammadan Rural Constituency, has filed on the 7th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate, Murshidabad, Berhampore, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week, except on holidays, from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

W. S. ADIE, *Returning Officer.*

BERHAMPORE, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that Maulvi Ekramul Huq, one of the duly elected candidates for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Murshidabad Muhammadan Rural Constituency, has filed on the 7th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate, Murshidabad, Berhampore, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week, except on holidays, from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

W. S. ADIE, *Returning Officer.*

BERHAMPORE, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

BABU TARAK NATH MUKERJEE, the elected member to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Hooghly Rural Non-Muhammadan constituency, has filed on the 11th January 1924 his return of election expenses and declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19 (*I*) and (*III*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Magistrate of Hooghly at Chinsura on payment of a fee of Re. 1 for ten days from the 14th January 1924 between the hours of 12 and 3 P.M., except Sundays and holidays.

M. N. MUKERJEA, *Senior Deputy Magistrate and Returning Officer, Hooghly.*

CHINSURA, *the 12th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of the Bengal Electoral Rule 19(*5*), that the return of election expenses and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Chittagong District Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, was duly lodged by Mr. J. M. Sen Gupta with me on the 10th January 1924. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee of one rupee, be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one month from this date.

L. B. BURROWS, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

CHITTAGONG, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of the Bengal Electoral Rule 19(*5*), that the return of election expenses and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Chittagong District Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, was lodged by Mr. Anwarul Azim with me on the 9th January 1924. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee of one rupee, be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one month from this date.

L. B. BURROWS, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

CHITTAGONG, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

[RULE 19 (*5*) OF THE BENGAL ELECTORAL RULES.]

IT is notified for general information that the following candidates, who were nominated for election as members for the Bengal Legislative Council from the different constituencies of the Bakarganj district, lodged returns of election expenses and declarations with me in the proper form on the dates noted against each. They may be inspected at my office from 11 A.M. to 2 P.M. :—

1. Rai Satyendra Nath Ray Chaudhury Bahadur, 4th January 1924.
2. Sardar Mahafezuddin Ahmed, 7th January 1924.
3. Babu Nirode Behary Mallik, 7th January 1924.
4. Azaharuddin Ahmed, 7th January 1924.
5. Fazlal Karim Chaudhury, 8th January 1924.
6. Mr. Nisith Chandra Sen, 8th January 1924.
7. Khajeh Nazimuddin, 8th January 1924.
8. Maulvi Rahim Bux Salem, 9th January 1924.
9. Mr. Lutfar Ali, 9th January 1924.
10. Syed Mahomed Hosain Ali, 9th January 1924.
11. Maulvi Fazlal Karim, 9th January 1924.
12. Babu Bireswar Sur, 9th January 1924.

J. N. ROY, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

BARISAL, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidates on the 9th January 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M., on payment of a fee of rupee one only :—

Mymensingh East Muhammadan constituency.

Sayed Nawab Nababali Choudhury Khan Bahadur.

Mymensingh West Muhammadan constituency.

Sayed Nawab Nababali Choudhury Khan Bahadur.

J. R. BLAIR, *Returning Officer and District Magistrate.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 9th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

MR. K. AHMED, a duly nominated candidate for election from the East Bengal Muhammadan constituency to the Council of State, lodged with me his return of election expenses and declarations on the 4th day of January 1924. They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Dacca Division, on payment of the prescribed fee of Re. 1 only during the office hours from 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of Mr. Prithwis Chandra Ray, a candidate for election from the Presidency Division Non-Muhammadan constituency to the Indian Legislative Assembly, together with the declarations, has been lodged with the returning officer, to-day, the 11th January 1924. The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at 3, Charnock Place, Calcutta, on business days during business hours.

K. C. DE, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Babu Jadunath Gupta, a candidate for election from the Noakhali non-Muhammadan constituency to the Bengal Legislative Council, has on the 7th day of January 1924 lodged with me return of election expenses, together with the declaration required under rule 19 of the said rules, and the same can be inspected in my office between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on business days on payment of the prescribed fee of one rupee

O. M. MARTIN, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

NOAKHALI, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Maulvi Serajuddin Ahmed, a candidate for election from the Noakhali Muhammadan constituency to the Bengal Legislative Council, has on the 7th day of January 1924 lodged with me return of election expenses, together with the declaration required under rule 19 of the said rules, and the same can be inspected in my office between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on business days on payment of the prescribed fee of one rupee.

O. M. MARTIN, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

NOAKHALI, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the return of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, published in Government notification No. F-213 V of the 30th July 1923, have been lodged with the undersigned by the following candidate on the date noted against his name, and they are ready for inspection at the office of the District Magistrate of Dacca between the hours of 11 A.M. to 5 P.M. on week days from the 8th January 1924 on payment of rupee one only :—

Dacca Rural (Muhammadan) West Constituency.

Abdul Ghani Chowdhury ... ... 7th January 1924.

J. G. DRUMMOND, *Returning Officer.*

DACCA, *the 10th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidate on the 11th January 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of rupee one only :—

Maulvi Tayebuddin Ahmed, Mymensingh East Muhammadan.

J. R. BLAIR, *Returning Officer and*
District Magistrate.

MYMENSINGH, *the 11th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923, that Babu Anil Baran Roy, an elected candidate from the Bankura West Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, and Babu Rishindra Nath Sarkar, a candidate for election from the same constituency, have, on the 2nd and 9th January 1924, respectively, lodged with me return of expenses, together with the declaration required under rule 19 (*3*) of the said rules, and the same can be inspected in my office between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day excepting holidays and Sundays on payment of the prescribed fee of Re. 1, and copies of such returns can be had on payment of a fee of Rs. 2 only.

B. D. HAJARA, *District Magistrate and*
Returning officer.

BANKURA, *the 12th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 179Election.—The 14th January 1924.—It is hereby notified that Babu Surendra Chandra Ghose, the duly elected member of the Legislative Assembly from the Bengal Landholders' constituency filed on the 3rd January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*) of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Board of Revenue on payment of a fee of rupee one between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the publication of this notification in the gazette.

F. W. ROBERTSON, for *Returning Officer.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 180Election.—The 14th January 1924.—It is hereby notified that Babu Saradindu Mukherji, one of the duly nominated candidates for election to the Legislative Assembly from the Bengal Landholders' constituency, filed on the 4th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*) of the Legislative Assembly Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Board of Revenue on payment of a fee of rupee one only between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the publication of this notification in the Gazette.

F. W. ROBERTSON, for *Returning Officer.*

NOTICES UNDER THE BENGAL ELECTORAL RULES.

IN the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

PRESENT:

G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S. ... *President.*

Election case No. 1 of 1924.

In the matter of Dr. Abdullah-al-Mamun Suhrawardy

versus

Maulvi Wahed Hossain

To Maulvi Wahed Hossain, Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

Please take notice that the abovementioned petition will be heard by the Commissioners on the 1st February 1924, at 11-30 o'clock in the court room of the 2nd Additional District Judge at Alipore, district 24-Parganas.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the 2nd Additional District Judge.

This 14th day of January 1924.

G. N. ROY, *President.*

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE VICTOR ALEXANDER GEORGE ROBERT BULWER-LYTTON, EARL OF LYTTON, P.C., G.C.I.E., GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

In the matter of A. Suhrawardy

and

In the matter of Mr. R. F. Lodge, Returning Officer, Barrackpore Municipal (Muhammadan) Constituency, District Magistrate of the 24-Parganas

and

In the matter of Wahed Hossain, Vakil, High Court.

In the matter of Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923.

The humble petition of A. Suhrawardy, Barrister-at-law, of 56, Mirzapore Street, in the town of Calcutta

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH :—

1. That Your Excellency's petitioner is registered as an elector on the Electoral Roll of Calcutta North (Muhammadan) Constituency in ward No. 9 and his number in the Electoral Roll of the said Constituency is 193.

2. That Your Excellency's petitioner is duly qualified to stand for election from the Barrackpore Municipal (Muhammadan) Constituency.

3. That Your Excellency's petitioner was duly nominated as a candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the said Barrackpore Municipal (Muhammadan) Constituency for the election to be held in November 1923, and that the nomination paper was duly submitted by him to the Returning Officer on the 8th of October 1923.

4. That in the said nomination paper in favour of Your Excellency's petitioner the name of the proposer appears as Sheikh Abdul Gani and that of the seconder as Sheikh Osman Gani in English.

5. That the names of the proposer and the seconder as given in the nomination paper in English agree with those in the Bengali Electoral Roll.

6. That the Returning Officer rejected the nomination paper in favour of your petitioner stating in his certificate of scrutiny dated 11th October 1923 that "the proposer and seconder's names do not agree with those in the Electoral Roll."

7. That your petitioner ventures to submit that the Returning Officer was wrong in stating that the proposer and seconder's names do not agree with those in the Electoral Roll, the only disagreement being that the names of the proposer and seconder appear in English in the nomination paper whereas they appear in Bengali in the Electoral Roll.

8. That Your Excellency's petitioner further submits that the Returning Officer misunderstood and misinterpreted Regulation XXI (1) (*iv*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923, and that he has improperly rejected the nomination paper.

9. That in the facts and circumstances stated above Your Excellency's petitioner prays :—

(*i*) for a declaration that the nomination paper was a valid one, and

(*ii*) for declaring the election void and setting aside the same and for a declaration that a fresh election be held.

(VERIFICATION.)

The statements contained in paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 are true to my knowledge and those contained in paragraphs 6, 7 and 8 are true to my information and belief.

I sign this verification this day the 20th of December at 1-30 P.M. at Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

A. SUHRAWARDY.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

PRESENT :

G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S. ... *President.*

Election Case No. 2 of 1924.

In the matter of Babu Sasi Kumar Sen Gupta

versus

Babu Jatindra Nath Basu.

To Babu Jatindra Nath Basu, Solicitor, 14, Balaram Ghose Street, Calcutta.

Please take notice that the abovementioned petition will be heard by the Commissioners on the 8th February 1924 at 11-30 o'clock in the Court room of the 2nd Additional District Judge at Alipore, district 24-Parganas.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the 2nd Additional District Judge.

This 14th day of January 1924.

G. N. ROY, *President.*

In the matter of the Government of India Act,

and

In the matter of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations of 1923,

and

In the matter of the election of the Calcutta North Non-Muhammadan Constituency to the Legislative Council of the Governor of Bengal.

Sasi Kumar Sen Gupta, a medical practitioner, 75-1, Beadon Street, Calcutta, petitioner,

versus

Jatindra Nath Basu, Solicitor, of No. 14, Balaram Ghose Street, respondent.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE VICTOR ALEXANDER GEORGE ROBERT BULWER-LYTTON, EARL OF LYTTON, P.C., G.C.I.E., THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

The humble petition of Sasi Kumar Sen Gupta

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH—

1. Your petitioner was a candidate at the above election.

2. Your petitioner states that the said election was held on the 14th of November 1923, when Jatindra Nath Basu, Krista Lal Datta and your petitioner were candidates and the Returning Officer has returned the said Jatindra Nath Basu as being duly elected.

3. Your petitioner states that the said Jatindra Nath Basu was by himself and other persons on his behalf guilty of bribery before, during and after the said election.

4. Your petitioner further states that the said Jatindra Nath Basu was by himself and other persons on his behalf guilty of treating before, during and after the said election.

5. Your petitioner further states that the said Jatindra Nath Basu was by himself and other persons on his behalf guilty of undue influence before, during and after the said election.

6. Your petitioner further states that persons personated and voted as and for the said electors whose names appear on the register of the said constituency but who did not themselves vote. The votes so recorded ought now to be struck off the roll.

7. Your petitioner further states that on the 14th of November 1923 the said Jatindra Nath Basu was by himself and other persons on his behalf guilty of hiring, employing, borrowing and using for the purpose of the said election of vehicles usually kept for letting on hire and for the conveyance of passengers by hire, particulars whereof are amongst others the following :—

Taxicabs		Number put by J. N Basu.
C. C. 47	...	1880 A. Q.
C. C. 79	...	1880 H.
C. C. 72	...	1880 B. M.
C. C. 45	...	1880 B. K.
C. C. 81	...	1880 A. M.
C. C. 86	...	1880 B. A.
C. C. 89	...	1880 T.
C. C. 81	...	1880 A. V.
C. C. 38	...	1880 A. L.

8. Your petitioner further says that the said Jatindra Nath Basu was by himself and other persons on his behalf guilty of issuing circulars, placards and posters having reference to the election which did not bear on their faces the name and address of the printer and publisher thereof.

9. Your petitioner is advised and he submits that in the premises aforesaid the said Jatindra Nath Basu was and is incapacitated from serving in the present Council for the said constituency and the said election and the return of the said Jatindra Nath Basu was and is wholly null and void.

10. Your petitioner further states that during the said election the said Jatindra Nath Basu by himself and other persons on his behalf made and published false statements of facts in relation to the personal character and conduct of himself for the purpose of affecting the return of your petitioner at the said election.

11. Your petitioner further states that on the said 14th of November 1923 the ballot boxes and their covering bags after the close of the poll at the polling stations in the house of late Nanda Lal Bose and in the premises of the Oriental Seminary were sealed by the presiding officers of the said polling stations and the respective polling agents of the said candidates including the agents of your petitioner with their own respective seals including the seal of your petitioner.

12. On the 18th of November 1923, *i.e.*, the date of counting of the votes when the said ballot boxes were opened, the seals of your petitioner were not found on some of the boxes and their covering bags and seals on some of the boxes and their covering bags were found broken and it was further found that number of the ballot papers in some of the ballot boxes did not agree with the number of the ballot papers as given by the presiding officers in their ballot paper account.

13. Your petitioner further states that your petitioner brought to the notice of the Returning Officer the said facts at the time of the opening of the ballot boxes and requested him to put the same on record, but the said Returning Officer refused to do so.

14. Your petitioner further states that the said Jatindra Nath Basu obtained an apparent and colourable majority over your petitioner whereas in truth and fact your petitioner had the majority of votes of the electors of the said constituency who voted at the said election and who were at the time duly qualified by law to vote.

15. Your petitioner further states that the result of the election has been materially affected by reason of the facts and circumstances hereinbefore more particularly mentioned.

16. The said Jatindra Nath Basu has purported to lodge his return of expenses and declarations on the 8th of December 1923 and your petitioner states that the same is neither correct in fact nor in accordance with law made in that behalf.

Wherefore your petitioner prays :—

That it may be determined that the said Jatindra Nath Basu was not duly elected or returned and that his election and return were and are wholly null and void.

K. K. DUTT & Co.,
Petitioner's Attorneys.

SASI KUMAR SEN GUPTA.

I, Sasi Kumar Sen Gupta, of No. 75-1, Beadon Street, Calcutta, the petitioner above-named, do declare that the matter and facts contained in paragraphs 1, 2, 12, 13 and 15 of the foregoing petition are true to my knowledge and those contained in paragraphs 3 to 8 both inclusive, 10, 11, 14 and 16 thereof are based on information received and believed by me to be true and those contained in paragraph 9 thereof are my submission. I sign this verification at No. 10, Hastings Street, Calcutta, at the office of Messrs. K. K. Dutt & Co., Solicitors, this 21st day of December 1923.

SASI KUMAR SEN GUPTA.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

PRESENT :

G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S. ... *President.*

Election Case No. 3 of 1924.

In the matter of Maulvi Muhammad Suhrawardy

versus

Maulvi Zannoor Ahmed.

To Maulvi Zannoor Ahmed, Pleader, Judges' Court, Howrah.

Please take notice that the abovementioned petition will be heard by the Commissioners on the 4th February 1924 at 11-30 o'clock in the Court room of the 2nd Additional District Judge at Alipore, district 24-Parganas.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the 2nd Additional District Judge.

This 14th day of January 1924.

G. N. ROY, *President.*

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE VICTOR ALEXANDER GEORGE ROBERT BULWER-LYTTON, EARL OF LYTTON, P.C., G.C.I.E., GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

In the matter of Mahmood Suhrawardy

and

In the matter of Mr. J.-N. Gupta, Returning Officer, Burdwan Division South (Muhammadan) Constituency,

and

In the matter of Zannoor Ahmad, Pleader, Judges' Court, Howrah.

In the matter of Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923.

The humble petition of Mahmood Suhrawardy of Mirzabazar in the town of Midnapore

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH—

1. That Your Excellency's petitioner is registered as an elector on the Electoral Roll of Burdwan Division South (Muhammadan) Constituency in Ward No. 4, Midnapore Municipality, and his number in the Electoral Roll of the said Constituency is 55.

2. That Your Excellency's petitioner is duly qualified to stand for election from the Burdwan Division South (Muhammadan) Constituency.

3. That Your Excellency's petitioner was duly nominated as a candidate for election from the said constituency, the only other candidate being Maulvi Zannoor Ahmed.

4. That the said Maulvi Zannoor Ahmad and Your Excellency's petitioner polled 1,493 and 1,490 votes respectively and 45 votes were rejected.

5. That on the day and at the time appointed under Regulation XLIV for the counting of votes the Returning Officer merely read the provisions of section 14 of the Indian Election Offences and Inquiries Act, 1920, to the persons present and left immediately for his residence.

6. That in the absence of the Returning Officer the ballot boxes were opened, the papers were taken out therefrom and counted.

7. That out of the papers taken out from the ballot boxes 40 papers were selected by a number of clerks engaged in the work and placed for rejection before the Personal Assistant to the Commissioner, Burdwan Division, who endorsed thereon the word "Rejected."

8. That the ballot papers were thereafter distributed in convenient bundles and the counting of votes for each candidate was taken up.

9. That after the separation of votes for each candidate was completed by the clerks and a number of officers present who were engaged for some time in adding up the votes of each candidate, one of the assistants alleged the discovery of 5 more ballot papers and placed them for rejection before the said Personal Assistant, who endorsed the word "Rejected" thereon.

10. That thereafter intimation being sent to the Returning Officer at his residence to the effect that the counting was finished, he came to his office.

11. That thereupon a statement was placed in the hands of the Returning Officer containing the result of the counting of votes, which he read out.

12. That subsequent to this at the request of my agent the Returning Officer allowed inspection of the 45 rejected votes.

13. That at this inspection it was discovered that in contravention of Regulation XXXVI the names of the candidates were not arranged alphabetically and that two kinds of ballot papers were issued to the constituency, in one the name of Your Excellency's petitioner appearing first and in the other that of Maulvi Zannoor Ahmad.

14. It was further noticed that several ballot papers in favour of Your Excellency's petitioner were improperly rejected, *e.g.*—

(*a*) a ballot paper supplied to the voter by the Presiding Officer as, according to his certificate, he had run short of printed ballot papers;

(*b*) a ballot paper marked with a slanting stroke instead of a cross.

15. That Your Excellency's petitioner had no opportunity (as contemplated by Regulation XLVI) of inspecting any of the ballot papers excepting the 45 rejected papers and apprehends that amongst the uninspected ballot papers there are papers in favour of Maulvi Zannoor Ahmad which should have been rejected.

16. That the apprehension of Your Excellency's petitioner is based on the fact that the selection of ballot papers for rejection was left entirely to clerks and that Maulvi Zannoor Ahmad who formerly practised at Hooghly and whose candidature was supported by many members of the Hooghly Bar was well known to the clerks engaged in the work and in touch with some of them.

17. That in contravention of Regulation XLV clerks of the Hooghly Collectorate Sarman Ali (Assistant Nazir), Zainuddin Hossein (Assistant Record-keeper) and a clerk of the Commissioner's Office, Gholam Yanhya, who were partisans and supporters of Maulvi Zannoor Ahmad, were engaged in counting the votes.

18. That there have been cases of double voting and personation of voters, *e. g.*, voter No. 163 of thana Balagarh, union Guptipara, district Hooghly.

19. That a list containing particulars of other cases of personation and double voting will be submitted hereafter.

20. That in the facts and circumstances stated above Your Excellency's humble petitioner prays for—

(*a*) a recount of votes;

(*b*) a scrutiny of votes;

(*c*) declaring the election of Maulvi Zannoor Ahmad void;

(*d*) declaring Your Excellency's petitioner duly elected, or in the alternative directing that a fresh election be held.

VERIFICATION.

The statements contained in paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15 (partly), and 16 (partly) are true to my knowledge and those contained in paragraphs 14, 15 (partly), 16 (partly), 17 and 18 are true to my information and belief.

I sign this verification this day. the 22nd December 1923, at 2 P.M., at Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

MAHMUD SUHRAWARDY.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules

PRESENT :

G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S. ... *President.*

Election Case No. 4 of 1924.

In the matter of Babu Amulya Dhan Addy

versus

Mr. Byomkesh Chakravarty.

To

1. Mr. Byomkes Chakravarty, of 237, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.
2. Raja Reshee Case Law, C.I.E., of 96, Amherst Street, Calcutta.
3. Mr. Muralidhar Roy, of 16, Banamali Sircar Street, Calcutta.

Please take notice that the abovementioned petition will be heard by the Commissioners on the 12th February 1924 at 11-30 o'clock in the Court room of the 2nd Additional District Judge at Alipore, district 24-Parganas.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the 2nd Additional District Judge.

This 14th day of January 1924.

G. N. ROY, *President.*

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

In the matter of an election petition under Part VII of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations,

and

In the matter of the election of two members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce Constituency,

and

In the matter of Amulya Dhone Addy (of 78, Chetla Road, Alipore)... *Petitioner.*

versus

(1) Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti (of 237, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta),
(2) Raja Reshee Case Law, C.I.E. (of 96, Amherst Street, Calcutta),
(3) Mr. Muralidhar Roy (of 16, Bonomali Sircar Street, Calcutta) *Respondents.*

The humble petition of Amulya Dhone Addy, petitioner abovenamed

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH :—

1. That your petitioner was a candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative, Council at the last General Election from the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce Special Constituency, from which two members were to be returned.

2. That the 12th October 1923, was fixed as the latest date for the submission of nominations, and the 13th October 1923, as the date for the scrutiny of nominations.

3. That five candidates were in all nominated from the said Constituency, but at the scrutiny the Returning Officer (Mr. N. C. Sircar, Vice-President of the Chamber) accepted the nominations of only four, namely, of your petitioner and of the three respondents to this petition abovenamed, and rejected the nomination of Mr. Woomesh Chunder Banerjee.

4. That of the above candidates, two, viz., respondents 1 and 2, Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti and Raja Reshee Case Law, were declared elected by the Returning Officer on the 20th November 1923, and their names have since been published in the *Calcutta Gazette* as such.

5. That the said Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti filed his return of election expenses on the 14th December 1923, and Raja Reshee Case Law on the 19th December 1923.

6. That your petitioner himself duly filed his return of election expenses with the necessary declaration on the 22nd December 1923.

7. That your petitioner submits that of the two successful candidates, respondent No. 1, Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti, was not eligible to be nominated or to be elected or returned at all under the Election Rules, and hence his election was null and void.

8. That rule 11 (*1*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules lays down that "any person may be nominated as a candidate for election in any constituency for which he is eligible for election under these rules," and rule 6 (*1*) (*b*) provides that "no person shall be eligible for election as a member of the Council to represent a special constituency *unless his name is registered on the electoral roll of the constituency.*"

9. That your petitioner says that the name of the said Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti was and is not registered at all on the electoral roll of the said Bengal National Chamber of Commerce Special Constituency.

10. That your petitioner understands that the said Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti claims the right to be nominated and elected by virtue of being a Director of Bengal National Bank, Limited, the name of which Bank is registered as an elector (No. 25) on the electoral roll of the said constituency.

11. That your petitioner is advised and submits that the said claim is wholly unfounded and unsubstantial.

12. That without detracting in any way from the generality of his contention, your petitioner maintains in the first place, that the said Bengal National Bank, Limited, being a company, was not entitled to be registered at all as an elector in the electoral roll; secondly, that even if it were so entitled, it was not eligible for election or for nomination under the electoral rules, as it could not be regarded as a "person" within the meaning of rule 6 (*1*) (*b*) or rule 11 or any of the other relevant rules.

13. That your petitioner further maintains that by reason of being so registered in the electoral roll, the said Bank could not claim the right to be nominated or elected through a Manager, Director or Secretary, nor could the said Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti claims as such Manager, Director or Secretary the right to be nominated or elected, by virtue of the explanation to paragraph 13(*2*) of Schedule II of the Bengal Electoral Rules, which deals merely with the qualifications of an elector, and not with the right to be nominated or elected as a candidate.

14. That it appears that the Managing Director of the said Bengal National Bank, Limited, by his letter No. 13650, dated the 10th October 1923, to the Secretary of the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce, sent him a copy of a resolution purporting to have been passed at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the said Bank on the 23rd April 1923, expressed in the following terms :—

> "Resolved that Mr. B. Chakravarti, the Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bank, be and he is hereby nominated to represent the Bank in the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce, and contest a seat therefrom in the Bengal Legislative Council at the next General Election."

15. That your petitioner is advised and submits (without admitting) that all that Mr. B. Chakravarti was entitled to do by virtue of the said resolution was to obtain registration of his own name as an elector in the electoral roll on behalf of the said Bengal National Bank, Limited, and that not having done so, the said Mr. B. Chakravarti could not by virtue of the said resolution claim to be nominated or to be elected as a representative of the said Bank.

16. That your petitioner further says that the said resolution for what it is worth purports to be an authorisation in favour of Mr. B. Chakravarti, and not of Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti, which is the name in the nomination paper.

17. That your petitioner further says that the said Mr. Byomkesh Chakravarti has not filed a correct return of election expenses, inasmuch as among other things he has not included therein the travelling expenses of persons working on his behalf incurred in connection with his candidature.

18. That your petitioner is further advised and submits that firms or companies or other corporations not being entitled under the rules to be registered as electors in the Electoral Roll, all votes purporting to have been exercised on their behalf ought to be rejected.

19. That your petitioner further says that various illegal and corrupt practices appear to have been committed in the course of the said election, which would render the election null and void.

20. That after the issue of the ballot papers by the Returning Officer, while votes were being recorded, your petitioner got information that ballot papers were being secured from voters by interested parties, and that ballot papers were being tampered with by expunging the markings thereon.

21. That your petitioner was further informed that Mr. B. N. Banerjee, who is Managing Director of the Bengal National Bank, Limited, and who was working in the interest of the respondent candidate No. 1 Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti, alone delivered to authorised representative of the Returning Officer nearly 45 ballot papers.

22. That in view of the aforesaid information your petitioner demanded inspection and examination of the ballot papers at the scrutiny of votes held by the Returning Officer on the 20th November 1923, subject, of course, to proper safeguards to prevent the disclosure of the voters' names.

23. That Mr. B. K. Lahiri who represented Mr. Byomkes Chakravarty at the said scrutiny of votes strenuously opposed your petitioner's application, on the ground that the regulations did not authorise an examination of the ballot papers by the candidates or their agents.

24. That the Returning Officer made a reference on the point to Mr. S. N. Roy, I.C.S., Special Officer of the Government of Bengal in connection with Elections, and the said Mr. S. N. Roy gave it as his personal opinion that the candidates were entitled to "inspection of the ballot papers, but not of the vote."

25. That the Returning Officer did not, however, accede to your petitioner's request, but inspected the ballot papers himself, and showed the candidates and their agents only some of the ballot papers which appeared to him to be of doubtful validity, without disclosing the identity of the voters.

26. That such limited inspection as the Returning Officer allowed showed obvious marks of tampering on some of the ballot papers thereby confirming your petitioner's suspicions as previously reported to the Returning Officer.

27. That your petitioner has since made enquiries and has verified his information that about 45 ballot papers had been delivered by Mr. B. N. Banerjee himself to the person authorised by the Returning Officer to receive ballot papers, as stated above.

28. That your petitioner has also since come to learn that several voters are indebted to the Bengal National Bank, Limited, and the fact that their voting papers were delivered to the said representative of the Returning Officer by the said Mr. B. N. Banerjee raises a *bona fide* apprehension in your petitioner's mind as to a possibility of undue influence.

29. That your petitioner ventures to submit, therefore, that in the interests of purity of elections a fresh and careful scrutiny ought to be held of all the ballot papers, under a microscope or other suitable instrument, to test if and to what extent they have been really tampered with, and a searching enquiry made into the whole affair, as also into the circumstances under which such a large number of ballot papers came into the custody of the agent of one particular candidate.

30. That your petitioner begs to deposit herewith the sum of rupees one thousand only as security for costs of this petition as required by the rules.

Under the aforesaid circumstances your petitioner begs to file this election petition for a proper enquiry and adjudication into the aforesaid matters and prays that it may be thereupon determined that the aforesaid election of Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti was null and void, and that the same be set aside and a fresh election ordered to be held, and your petitioner further prays for the costs of this petition.

And your petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray.

AMULYA DHONE ADDY.

VERIFICATION.

I, Amulya Dhone Addy, son of Babu Adhar Chandra Addy, deceased, of 78, Chetla Road, Alipore, do hereby verify that the statements contained in paragraphs 1 to 6, 9 and 20 to 27 are true to my knowledge, and that the statements in the remaining paragraphs are made upon information received and believed to be true. Signed this verification at No. 58, Puddapukur Road, Bhowanipore, on the 2nd day of January 1924.

AMULYA DHONE ADDY.

ENCLOSURE.—One G. C. Note for Rs. 1,000 numbered $\frac{P. D.}{52}$ 55046.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 29th December 1923, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS.

Delhi, the 27th December 1923.

No. 1818.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt from the whole of the customs duties leviable thereon goods imported into British India before the 31st March 1925 in respect of which an officer authorised in this behalf by the High Commissioner for India certifies that they were previously imported into the United Kingdom from British India and have been exhibited at the British Empire Exhibition and are being returned to British India in the condition in which they were so imported.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 22nd December 1923.

No. 3004-F. E.—The services of Dewan Bahadur U. L. Banerjee, an officer in class II of the General List of the Indian Audit and Accounts Service, have been placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal with effect from the 10th December 1923, and until further orders. The unexpired portion of the leave granted to Dewan Bahadur U. L. Banerjee in Government of India, Finance Department, notification No. 2923-F. E., dated the 13th December 1923, published on page 1700 of the *Gazette of India*, Part I, dated the 15th December 1923, is cancelled.

A. MACLEOD,
for *Secretary to the Government of India.*

The following erratum and notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 29th December 1923, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ERRATUM.

THE INDIAN ARMS RULES, 1924.

Reference Home Department Notification No. F.-829-I.—22, dated the 3rd November 1923, published at pages 1523—1600 inclusive of Part I of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 10th November 1923 and the Erratum Slip issued with the *Gazette of India*, dated 1st December 1923. The following further corrections should be made :—

On page 1534, Rule 37. *Insert* the word "armed" between the words "going" and "on a journey". Rule 38 (1) *for* "authorise" *read* "authorised".

On page 1537, Rule 48 (2). *Insert* the word "rupee" between the words "one" and "payable".

On page 1552, Schedule VI—

Entry No. 9. Condition (*b*) in column 3. *Delete* the asterisk and foot-note.

Entry No. 10. Condition (*a*) (*iii*) in column 3. *Delete* the words "or revolvers or pistols of ·450 bore" where they occur for the second time.

Entry No. 11. Column 1. *Insert* "(*j*)" against sub-head "the Resident in Travancore and Cochin".

On page 1570, Schedule VIII, Form XI. *For* "[See Rule 26 (2) (*a*)]" *read* "[See Rule 28 (2) (*a*)]".

On page 1578, Schedule VIII, Form XIV. *Insert* the words "(See Rule 31)" under the words "Form XIV".

On page 1579, Schedule VIII, Form XV. *For* "1923" in condition 1 *read* "1924".

H. TONKINSON,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

Delhi, the 27th December 1923.

No. F. 829-I—22.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 17 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878, (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Indian Arms Rules, 1924, namely :—

1. In sub-rule (1) of rule 27 of the said rules, after the words "by the licensing authority of either such place" the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"that is to say, by the authority empowered under these rules to grant a licence for the export of such arms, ammunition or military stores when consigned from, or, as the case may be, for their import when consigned to, such place :"

2. In proviso (*b*) to sub-rule (3) of rule 42 of the said rules, for the word and figures "Form XV" the word and figures "Form XVI" shall be substituted.

3. In rule 46 of the said rules—

(*a*) in clause (*b*) of sub-rule (2), after the word "rifles" the words "revolvers or pistols" and

(*b*) in sub-rule (6), after the word "Meerut" the word "Lahore"

shall be inserted.

4. In Schedule I to the said rules, in the entry in the fourth column relating to item (3), and in Schedule II to the said rules, in the entry in the 3rd column relating to item 8, for the words and figures "sections 13 to 16" the words and figures "sections 13 to 15" shall be substituted.

5. In Schedule VI to the said rules—

(*a*) in item 11 (*j*), for the words "Resident in Travancore and Cochin" the words "Agent to the Governor General Madras States" shall be substituted, and

(*b*) in sub-head (*iv*) of head (*a*) in the entry in the third column relating to item (11), after the word "rifles" the words "revolvers or pistols" shall be inserted.

6. In Schedule VIII to the said rules—

(*a*) for Form VIII the following Form shall be substituted, namely :—

SCHEDULE VIII.

FORM No. VIII.

(*See rules 26 and 27.*)

FEE—TEN RUPEES.

Licence for the $\frac{\textit{import, transport and re-export}}{\textit{export and re-import}}$ *of arms, ammunition or military stores.*

Name, description and residence of licensee and agent (if any) authorised for the purpose of this consignment.	Licensee's place of business, if any.	Number of packages.	Arms.		Ammunition or military stores.		Place of despatch, route and mode of transit.	Place of destination.	Name, description and residence of consignee.	Period for which the licence is valid.
			Description.	Number.	Description.	Weight in seers or number.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
										From the——— to the——— ———19 .

The _____ of _____ _____19 .

{ Date on which copy is sent to the—
(*a*) other $\frac{\text{Political Officer}}{\text{licensing authority}}$ concerned
(Rule $\frac{26\ (2)\ (a)}{27\ (2)}$).
(*b*) District Magistrate of the _____ _____ District (Rule $\frac{26\ (3)}{27\ (2)\ (b)}$).
(*c*) Station Master at the _____ _____ railway station (Rule $\frac{26\ (2)\ (a)}{27\ (2)\ (a)}$). }

(Signature)
_____
Political Officer _____
Officer specially empowered under Rule 27.

_____ _____State

The _____ _____19 .

Conditions.

1. This licence is granted subject to all the provisions of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), and of the Indian Arms Rules, 1924.

2. The articles shall not be conveyed by any route other than that specified in column 8; and bulk shall not be broken, nor shall the consignment be stopped, before the articles reach the place of destination.

3. An account of the contents of each package shall be legibly written thereon; and, where the articles are conveyed by rail, each package shall be marked with the word or expression "Arms", "Ammunition" or "Military Stores" as the case may be, so as to be readily recognizable by the railway authorities.

4. The articles shall be delivered only to a person lawfully entitled to receive them.

(*b*) In form XVI for the words "and *annas eight*, respectively," the words "and *annas eight* or *annas four* respectively," shall be substituted.

J. CRERAR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 5th January 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 3rd January 1924.

No. 1.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Honourable Sir Robert Watson-Smyth, Kt, of his office of Member of the Council of State.

No. 2.—A vacancy having occurred in the Council of State by reason of the acceptance by the Governor General of the resignation of his office by the Honourable Sir Robert Watson-Smyth, Kt., a Member elected to the said Council by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency, the Governor General is pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of sub-rule (*1*) of rule 26 of the Council of State Electoral Rules, to call upon the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency to elect, in accordance with the said rules, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy on or before the 7th February 1924.

L. GRAHAM,
for *Secretary to the Government of India.*

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 5th January 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

POLICE.

Delhi, the 3rd January 1924.

No. F.-5-IX—23.—The services of Captain L. W. Guiton, 4th Battalion, 10th Baluch Regiment (Duke of Connaught's Own), are placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma, for employment with the Burma Police Military Police, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties.

No. F.-109—23.—The following Resolution by the Secretary of State for India in Council is published for general information :—

Resolution by the Secretary of State for India in Council.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 96-B of the Government of India Act, and in pursuance of the provisions of sub-section (*4*) of the said section, the Secretary of State, with the concurrence of a majority of votes at a meeting of the Council of India held this 6th day of November 1923, hereby makes the following rules under the said section which shall have effect from the dates noted against them :—

Rules under section 96-B (2) of the Government of India Act. *Pay of officers promoted from the Provincial Police Service to hold Indian (Imperial) Police Service Posts.*

(1) The initial pay of an officer promoted from the Provincial Police Service shall on each occasion of his promotion be fixed on the inferior time-scale of pay for the Indian (Imperial) Police Service at the stage next above his existing pay in the Provincial Police Service. As soon as he holds a superior post he shall rise to the corresponding stage of the superior scale. This rule shall have effect from the 7th April 1921.

(2) When an officer of a Provincial Police Service is drawing pay in that service equal to, or higher than, the maximum of the inferior Imperial Police time-scale and is promoted to a superior post in the Imperial Service, he shall be brought on to the superior time-scale at the stage which is Rs. 175 in excess of the pay he was drawing in the Provincial Service, or if there is no such stage, then at the stage next above the total of his pay in that service *plus* Rs. 175, provided that no officer so promoted from the Provincial Service shall draw more pay than that which an officer of the Imperial Service of the same number of years' service would be entitled to under the superior time-scale. This rule shall have effect from the 30th April 1921.

(3) On any enhancement of his Provincial Police Service pay (whether as the result of general revision of the Provincial Police Service rates of pay or of the operation of the Provincial Police Service time-scale or of promotion to the selection grade of the Provincial Police Service) while officiating in an Indian (Imperial) Police Service post such an officer shall be entitled to have his pay on the Indian (Imperial) Police Service time-scale of pay recalculated in accordance with the principles laid down in rules (*1*) and (*2*) of these rules on the basis of his enhanced pay in the Provincial Police Service, and with effect from the date of such enhancement. This rule shall have effect from the 7th April 1921.

(4) Increments of pay on the Indian (Imperial) Police Service time-scale of pay shall be granted to a Provincial Police Service officer holding an Indian (Imperial) Police Service post only on completion of a full year's service on any stage of that scale, but for the purpose of calculating one year's service at a given rate of pay broken periods of officiating service at that rate of pay shall be taken into account. This rule shall have effect from the 7th April 1921.

J. CRERAR,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 5th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 1st January 1924.

No. 27-I.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 31-A of the Indian Boilers Act, 1923 (V of 1923), as applied to Berar, the Governor General in Council is pleased to apply to Berar the Indian Boiler Regulations, 1924, with the following modifications, namely :—

In Regulation 156 of the said Regulations, after the entry relating to Baluchistan, the following entry shall be inserted, namely :—

"Berar.....B.R."

G. D. OGILVIE,

Secretary to the Government of India (offg.).

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Education, Health and Lands, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 5th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

AGRICULTURE.

Delhi, the 2nd January 1924.

No. 3.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 15 of the Indian Cotton Cess Act, 1923 (XIV of 1923), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the Indian Cotton Cess Rules, 1923, namely :—

2. After rule 4 of the said rules, the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

"4-A (1) The Committee shall before the first day of April in each year elect a member, for the time being resident in Bombay, to be Vice-President of the Committee for the twelve months beginning on that date.

Election of Vice-President.

(2) In the event of the Vice-President resigning his office as such or ceasing to be a member of the Committee or to be resident in Bombay, the Committee shall forthwith elect a member to be Vice-President of the Committee for the unexpired portion of the term of office of the Vice-President elected under sub-rule (1)."

2. After rule 10 of the said rules, the following rule shall be inserted, namely:—

"10-A (1) In this rule 'servant' means a salaried officer or servant of the Committee other than a Government servant whose services have been lent or transferred to the Committee.

Provident Fund.

(2) The Committee shall establish and maintain a contributory provident fund for the benefit of its servants and may require any of its servants or any class of its servants to subscribe to the fund.

(3) The Committee may direct that subscription to the fund shall be optional in the case of any of its servants or of any class of its servants, but a servant who in the exercise of an option so conferred elects to subscribe to the fund shall not thereafter be permitted to cease from subscriping thereto.

(4) A servant who is required or elects to subscribe to the fund shall subscribe thereto such fraction, not exceeding one-twelfth, as may be determined by the Committee, of the pay earned by him while on duty, and may at his option subscribe in addition a like fraction of his leave pay.

(5) Subscriptions shall be recovered monthly in respect of and by deduction from the subscriber's pay for the preceding month, the amount to be recovered in accordance with sub-rule (4) being calculated to the nearest whole rupee."

M. S. D. BUTLER,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Industries and Labour, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 5th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

Delhi, the 5th January 1924.

No. 175P.T.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 30 of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that with effect from the 16th January 1924, the following further amendments shall be made in the rules published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 2883-45, dated the 26th April 1913, namely :—

1. In rule 49 of the said rules, for the scale of fees for insurance the following shall be substituted, namely,—

	Annas.
Where the value insured does not exceed Rs. 100	2
For every additional Rs. 100 or fraction thereof	2

2. In sub-rule (*1*) of rule 67 of the said rules, for the scales of fees for insurance the following shall be substituted, namely,—

When the value is expressed in rupee currency—

	Annas.
Where the value insured does not exceed Rs. 100	2
For every additional Rs. 100 or fraction thereof	2

When the value is expressed in sterling—

Where the value insured does not exceed £6	2
For every additional £6 or fraction thereof	2

A. H. LEY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTRESS OF SCHOOLS, DACCA CIRCLE.

THE undermentioned girls are awarded Primary Final Scholarships with effect from January 1924. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 3 a month, and is tenable for two years in a middle or high school :—

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school from which appeared.	Where the scholarship is made tenable.
		MYMENSINGH.	
1	Bhaktilata Das Gupta ...	Muktagacha Girls' School ...	Vidyamoyee High School, Mymensingh.
2	Kanakunlini Biswas ...	Kishorganj Urban Girls' School ...	Ditto.
		FARIDPUR DISTRICT.	
3	Lilabati Sen Gupta ...	Panditsar Model Girls' School	Eden High School, Dacca.
4	Amiyalata Das Gupta ...	Ditto ...	Madaripur Donovan Girls' School.
5	Mahamaya Sen ...	Palong Rajbari Girls' School ...	Ditto.
6	Basantibala Sen ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
		RAJSHAHI DISTRICT.	
7	Khirodabala Biswas ...	Bolanpur Mission Girls' School	Boalia Mission Girls' School.

Reserved scholarship for Moslem Girls.

		FARIDPUR DISTRICT.	
1	Ajitannessa Khatoon ...	West Jazira Girls' Muktab ...	Madaripur Donovan Girls' School.

N.B.—The awards of these scholarships have been made to the girls on their declaration that they would continue their studies in a high or middle school. None of these scholarships will therefore be subsequently made tenable at home. If any of the girls fails to join her respective school by the 31st January 1924, she should have no claim to the scholarship, which will be considered as forfeited.

M. V. IRONS, *Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.*

DACCA, *the 7th January 1924.*

Government Diploma in Accountancy of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay.

1. The examination for the above Diploma will be held at—
   (1) the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Hornby Road, **Bombay,**
   (2) the Government Institute of Commerce, Law College Building, **Madras,**
   (3) the Government Commercial Institute, **Calcutta,**
   (4) the Muir Central College, **Allahabad,** and
   (5) the St. Paul's Institute, **Rangoon,**

from 2-30 to 5-30 (Standard time) from Monday, the 7th April 1924, to Saturday, the 12th April 1924, both days inclusive.

2. Applications for the examination must be forwarded, on the prescribed printed form, to the Secretary of the Accountancy Diploma Board, so as to reach his office in the Sydenham College Building, Hornby Road, Bombay, **on or before the 31st January 1924.** with a fee of Rs. 50 per candidate.

3. Applications will be accepted from—

(*a*) Qualified students of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, and Davar's College of Commerce, Bombay ; the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta ; and the Government Institute of Commerce, Madras ;

(*b*) Graduates of the Universities of India or of the United Kingdom ;

(*c*) Holders of Auditors' Certificates granted by a Local Government.

4. Applications from undergraduate ex-students of a college or institute recognized by the Accountancy Diploma Board must be submitted through the Principal of the college or institute.

5. Candidates are required to be in the examination hall by 2-15 P.M. (Standard time) every day and will not be allowed to leave the same on any account till 3 P.M (Standard time).

6. Candidates are required to bring with them pencils and pens ; they will not be allowed to bring any paper or blotting paper with them.

7. Candidates must not write their names on the answer books supplied to them ; every candidate must write on his answer book the register number allotted to him by the Board.

8. The register number allotted to each candidate will be communicated in the third week of March 1924, direct to the postal address of the candidate as given in his application form ; this will be the only information supplied about his register number.

9. The examination will be held from 2-30 to 5-30 P.M. (Standard time) on each of the following days :—

Monday, 7th April	...	Accountancy and Auditing.	Paper No. I. (General Accounts.)
Tuesday, 8th „	...	Ditto	... Paper No. II. (Special Accounts.)
Wednesday, 9th „	...	Ditto	... Paper No. III. (Auditing.)
Thursday, 10th „	...	Mercantile Law	... Paper No. I. (Law of Contract and Arbitration.)
Friday, 11th „	...	Ditto	... Paper No. II. (Company and Insolvency Law.)
Saturday, 12th „	...	Ditto	... Paper No. III. (Negotiable Instruments, Bills of Lading and Insurance.

M. L. TANNAN,

Secretary, Accountancy Diploma Board, Bombay.

BOMBAY, *the 13th December 1923.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE Matriculation Examination for 1924 will commence on Wednesday, the 5th March 1924, instead of on Monday, the 3rd March 1924, as previously announced.

By order of the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate,

N. SEN, *Controller of Examinations (offg.).*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 9th January 1924.*

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTRESS OF SCHOOLS, DACCA CIRCLE.

THE undermentioned girls are awarded Primary Preliminary Scholarships with effect from January 1924. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 3 a month, and is tenable for two years in a middle, high or primary school for girls containing classes IV and V:—

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school from which appeared.	Where the scholarship is made tenable.
	DACCA DIVISION.		
	DACCA DISTRICT.		
1	Magdalena Ribario	... Golla Girls' School ...	Golla Girls' School.
2	Bhabatarini Devi	... Belishwar Girls' School ...	Belishwar Girls' School.
3	Shoroshibala Basak	... Ditto ...	Ditto.
4	Santiprova Ghosh	... Kalirbazar Mission Girls' School ...	Eden High School, Dacca.
5	Hiraumayee Dey	... Ribor Girls' School ...	Ribor Girls' School.
6	Ushabala Devi	... Munshiganj A. V. Girls' School ...	Munshiganj Girls' School.
7	Usharani Dey Chaudhury	... Bairagadi Model Girls' School	Bairagadi Girls' School.
	CHITTAGONG DIVISION.		
	CHITTAGONG DISTRICT.		
8	Anubia Khatoon	... Anyatbazar Girls' School ...	Anyatbazar Girls' School.
9	Indirabala Kunda	... Pahartolly Girls' School ...	Pahartolly Woods' Girls' School.
10	Prativamoyee Bazi	... Ditto ...	Ditto.
11	Asofa Khatoon	... Idgah Girls' School ...	Dr. Khastagir's H E. School, Chittagong.
12	Sarnalata Biswas	... Fatehabad Mohakali Pathsala	Ditto.
13	Charubala Barua	... Dakakhali Girls' School ...	Ditto.
14	Kiranbala Mahajan	... Binajuri Girls' School ...	Ditto.
15	Suhashini Sen	... Quopara Girls' School ...	Ditto.
16	Susamamayee Ghosh	... Joykali Girls' School ...	Allah Joykali Girls' School.
17	Sunitibala Kanungoo	... Satpura Dasabhuja Girls' School ...	Dr. Khastagir's H. E. School, Chittagong.
18	Hemendrabala Kanungoo	... Ditto ...	Ditto.
19	Manaroma De	... Amuchia Girls' School ...	Ditto.
20	Mukhadabala Choudhury	... Kadurkhil Girls' School ...	Ditto.
21	Swarnaprova Choudhury	... Bhatikhain Model Girls' School ...	Ditto.
22	Bindubashini Singha	... Banigram Girls' School ...	Ditto.
23	Ajaba Khatoon	... East Dhalai Girls' Muktab ...	East Dhalai Girls' Muktab.
24	Moriyam Khatoon	... Sadequenagor Girls' Muktab	Sadequenagor Girls' Muktab.
25	Ambia Khatoon	... Noapara Girls' Muktab ...	South Noapara Girls' Muktab.
26	Anjuman Khatoon	... Sadequenagor Girls' Muktab	Sadequenagor Girls' Muktab.
27	Nabia Khatoon	... Kattali Girls' Muktab ...	Katalli Girls' Muktab.
28	Almash Khatoon	... Marfala Girls' Muktab ...	Marfala Girls' Muktab.
29	Abeda Khatoon Begum	... Charandwip Abbasia Girls' Muktab ...	Charandwip Abbasia Girls' Muktab.
30	Anjumara	... Modhya Lorarbag Girls' Muktab ...	Modhya Lorarbag Girls' Muktab.
31	Golbahar	.. Marfala Girls' Muktab ...	Marfala Girls' Muktab.
	TIPPERA DISTRICT.		
32	Ashalota Datta	.. Faizunnessa Girls' School ...	Faizunnessa Girls' School.
33	Tarulata Burdhan	... Ditto ...	Ditto.
34	Sabirunnessa	... Hossamia Girls' School, Comilla ...	Hossamia Girls' School, Comilla.
35	Sofia Khatoon	... Ditto ...	Ditto.
36	Syed Bhanu	... Fultali Girls' Muktab ...	Fultali Girls' Muktab.
37	Farida Bhanu	... Oicharchar Girls' Muktab ...	Oicharchar Girls' Muktab.
38	Amina Khatoon	... Palgiri Girls' School ...	Palgiri Girls' School.
39	Surabala Das	... Katijanjira Girls' School ...	Faizunnessa Girls' School, Comilla.
40	Labanya Datta	... Ditto ...	Ditto.
	NOAKHALI DISTRICT.		
41	Subitribala Roy	... R. C. Church Girls' School, Noakhali ...	Noakhali Girls' School.
42	Fatema Khatoon	... Ditto ...	Ditto.
43	Hafeza Khatoon	... Mirwarishpur Girls' Muktab ...	Dr. Khastagir's H. E. School, Chittagong.
44	Nanibala Devi	... Lakshipur Girls' School ...	Ditto.
45	Ushabala Devi	... Feni Sarala Girls' School ...	Eden High School, Dacca.
46	Sotara Akhtar Khatoon	... Ditto ...	Ditto.

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school from which appeared.	Where the scholarship is made tenable.
	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.		
47	Pritisudha Basu ...	Rangamati Girls' School ...	Dr. Khastagir's High School, Chittagong.
	RAJSHAHI DIVISION.		
	BOGRA DISTRICT.		
48	Saburunnessa ...	Sultanganjapara Girls' Muktab	V M. Girls' School, Bogra.
49	Asemannessa ...	Brahmo Samaj Girls' School ...	Ditto.
50	Joynab Khatoon ...	Dhawakola Board's Girls' School ...	Dhawakola Girls' School.
51	Ayesha Khatoon ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
52	Jobeda Khatoon ...	Kahaloo Girls' School ...	Kahaloo Girls' School.
53	Animabala Devi ...	Basudebpur Girls' School ...	V. M. Girls' School, Bogra.
54	Saratkamini Dasi ...	Mohanpur Girls' School ...	At home.
55	Halima Khatoon ...	Maliandanga Girls' School ...	Maliandanga Girls' School.
	PABNA DISTRICT.		
56	Kulsumennessa ...	Ghorsal Girls' School ...	Ghorsa Girls' School.
	DINAJPUR DISTRICT.		
57	Ashalata Sen Gupta ...	Balubari Girls' School ...	Dinajpur Girls' M E. School.
	Reserved scholarships for Moslem Girls.		
	DACCA DIVISION.		
	DACCA DISTRICT.		
1	Fulmehar ...	Kamalpur Girls' School ...	Kamalpur Girls' School.
	MYMENSINGH.		
2	Saleha Khatoon ...	Kanchijhuli Girls' Muktab ...	Vidyamoyee High School, Mymensingh
3	Rabeya Akhtar Khatoon ...	Ditto ...	Ditto
	CHITTAGONG DIVISION.		
	TIPPERA DISTRICT.		
4	Jahera Khatoon ...	Barapara Girls' Muktab ...	Barapara Girls' Muktab.
5	Asia Khatoon ...	Bholdighi Girls' School ...	Bholdighi Girls' School.
	RAJSHAHI DIVISION.		
	BOGRA DISTRICT.		
6	Sumati Nessa ...	Anchlie Girls' School ...	Anchlie Girls' School.
7	Wazeda Khatoon ...	Sabekpara Girls' School ...	Sabekpara Girls' School.

N.B.— The awards of these scholarships have been made to the girls on their declaration that they would continue their studies in a high, middle or primary school for girls containing classes IV and V. None of these scholarships will therefore be subsequently made tenable at home. If any of the girls fails to join her respective school by the 31st January 1924, she should have no claim to the scholarship which will be considered as forfeited.

M. V. IRONS, *Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.*

DACCA, *the 7th January 1924.*

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Upper Primary and Primary Final Scholarships, 1923.

(Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 8 a month, tenable for two years from the 1st January 1924.)

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school from which appeared.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.
	RAJSHAHI.		
	Six scholarships for general competition		
	SADAR SUBDIVISION.		
1	Enaetulla Sardar ...	Myopara U. P. ...	Sreedharpur M. V.
2	Devendra Nath Sarcar ...	Dasmari Board U. P. ...	Lokenath H. E., Rajshahi.

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school from which appeared.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.
		NATOR SUBDIVISION.	
3	Muhammad Ali Khan	... Kachikata U. P.	... Gurudaspur M. E.
4	Raj Narayan Das	... Bolmaria U. P.	... Puthia H. E.
		NAOGAON SUBDIVISION.	
5	Abdur Rajak Pramanik	... Panjarbhanga U. P.	... Mainam M E
6	Abbas Ali	... Ditto	... Ditto.
		One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.	
1	Masiruddin Pramanik	... Sanwail U. P.	... Sarda M. E.
		DINAJPUR.	
		Seven scholarships for general competition.	
		SADAR SUBDIVISION.	
1	Birendra Nath Ghosh	... Kalaibari U. P.	... Marnai M. V.
2	Ananga Mohan Das	... Fazilpur U. P.	... Dinajpur H E.
3	Khade Mormu	... Dinajpur B. M. S. U. P.	... Dinajpur B. M. S. M. E.
		BALURGHAT SUBDIVISION.	
4	Sahobulla Sarkar	... Birampur U. P.	... Khoyerbari M. E.
5	Md. Hossain Choudhury	... Shibpur U. P.	... Rajarampur H. E.
		THAKURGAON SUBDIVISION.	
6	Maniruddin Ahmed	... Bhedail U. P.	... Baragram Junior Madrasah.
7	Kshetra Mohan Rai	... Sundarpur U P.	... New Pakerhat Board M. V.
		One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.	
1	Mahabub Hossain	... Duhatai U. P.	... Jagdal Board M. V.
		JALPAIGURI.	
		Three scholarships for general competition	
1	Md. Kamiruddin	... Bhangamali U. P.	... Dwarikamari M. V.
2	Kishori Mohan Roy	... Bokro U. P.	... Jorepakri M. E.
3	Sasadhar Shaha	... Saldanga U. P.	... Domar H. E.
		One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.	
1	Kaifuddin Muhammad	... Santoshpara U. P.	... Gadra M. E.
		RANGPUR.	
		Eight scholarships for general competition.	
		SADAR SUBDIVISION.	
1	Asiruddin	... Durgapara Primary	... Lalmonirhat H. E.
2	Md. Mashitulla	... Ranipukur Primary	... Jaigirhat Board M. E.
3	Mafizuddin	... Panialghata Primary	... Pirgacha M. E.
		NILPHAMARI SUBDIVISION.	
4	Mesiruddin Ahmed	... Magura Munchipara Primary	Chandkhana Board M. V.
5	Md. Latfar Rahman	... Khaturia Primary	... Devigani H. E.
		KURIGRAM SUBDIVISION.	
6	Jogendra Nath Sarkar	... Khalilganj Primary	... Kurigram H. E.
		GAIBANDHA SUBDIVISION.	
7	Tarini Kanta Sutradhar	... Pagail Board L. P.	... Bharatkhali M. V.
8	Esahaque Ali Sarkar	... Pathanpara Primary	... Mahimaganj M. E.
		One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.	
1	Fayezuddin Sarkar	... Dilalpur Primary	... Radhanagar Junior Madrasah.

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school from which appeared.	Where the scholarship is made tenable.
	BOGRA.		
	Four scholarships for general competition.		
1	Afzal Hossain Sardar	... Pirgacha Primary	... Bogra Municipal M. E.
2	Md. Khorshed Ali	... Chak Kagail P.	... Kagail H. E.
3	Mozaffar Hossain Mian	... Satchua Primary Maktab	... Jaguli Junior Madrasah
4	Jogendra Nath Jogi	... Khiali Board Primary	... Govindapur Board M. V.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.		
1	Altafali Mian	... Kundugram Primary	... Bogra Junior Madrasah.
2	Hurmatulla Pramanik	... Bihigram Primary	... Kunta S. N. M. E.
	PABNA.		
	Seven scholarships for general competition.		
	SADAR SUBDIVISION.		
1	Tajuddin Khan	... Langalmara U. P.	... Sitlai H. E.
2	Suresh Chandra Karmakar	... Nishchintapur U. P.	... Satbaria H. E.
	SIRAJGANJ SUBDIVISION.		
3	Shibesh Nath Bakshi	... Haripur U. P.	... Jnanadaini M. E.
4	Radha Ballav Datta	... Ditto	... Victoria H. E. (Sirajganj).
5	Dharani Kanta Tarani Das	... Jhikra Bandar U. P.	... Ullapara H. E.
6	Dhanesh Muhammad Shaikh	... Paksa U. P.	... Victoria H. E. (Sirajganj).
7	Jinnat Ali Shaikh	... Koira U. P.	... Baghati H. E.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.		
1	Kashem Ali Munshi	... Raipur U. P.	... Sthal Pakrasi H. E.
	MALDA.		
	Four scholarships for general competition.		
1	Shaikh Tahiruddin	... Govindapara U. P.	... Chanchal Siddeswari Institution.
2	Shaikh Md. Yuras Ali	... Manikchak U. P.	... Milki M. E.
3	Shaikh Md. Zainal Hoda	... Pakuria U. P.	... Araidanga M. E.
4	Balaram Mondal	... Domaichak U. P.	... Monakasha M E.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.		
1	Shaikh Kalu Muhammad	... Nichlamari U. P.	... Churaman M. E. (Dinajpur).
	DARJEELING.		
	Three scholarships for general competition.		
1	Henry	... St. Alphonsus U. P.	... Kurseong Boys' M. E.
2	Kailash Chandra Singha	... Naxalbari U. P.	... Kharibari M. E.
3	Bhimlal Singha	... Phulbarijote U. P.	... Phansidewa M. E.
	Thirteen scholarships reserved for backward and depressed classes.		

(Viz., 2 for backward classes and 11 special scholarships sanctioned for depressed classes in Director of Public Instruction's No. 1057P., dated the 23rd February 1923.)

1	Haren Ch. Sirkar	... Kachukata U. P., Rajshahi	Gurudaspur M. E.
2	Sushil Chandra Nath	... Pakuria U. P., Rajshahi ...	Kalidaskhali M. E.
3	Nagendra Nath Sarkar	... Saipara Primary, Rajshahi...	Talanda M. E.
4	Jagat Bandhu Sarkar	... Sidhuli U. P., Rajshahi ...	Gurudaspur M. E.
5	Ramesh Chandra Sardar	... Faradpur Primary, Rajshahi	Balihar H. E.
6	Gopi Krishna Das	... Sikarpur U. P., Jalpaiguri	Siliguri H. E.
7	Hari Mohan Das	... Sonarpur U. P., Jalpaiguri	Alipur Duars H. E.
8	Indra Nath Das	... Bhatibari U. P., Jalpaiguri	Ditto.
9	Ambica Charan Das	... Bojra Primary, Rangpur ...	Ulipur H. E.
10	Kailash Chandra Das	... Nurpur Primary, Rangpur ...	Kamarpara M. E.
11	Atul Chandra Mali	... Bhadarhar Primary, Bogra	Narhatta M. E.
12	Jatha Majhi	... Ramtran U. P., Dinajpur ...	Najipur M. E.
13	Gayanath Mondal	... Panchkoritola U. P., Malda	Bangitola M. E.

J. W. GUNN, *Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.*

JALPAIGURI, *the 8th January 1924.*

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Middle Scholarships in 1923.

(Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 4 a month, tenable for four years from the 1st January 1924.)

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school from which the scholar appeared.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M. E. or M. V.
	RAJSHAHI.			
	Four scholarships for general competition.			
1	Jamaluddin Pramanik	Panchupur M. E.	Rajshahi Coll.	M. E.
2	Erfan Ali Khan	Patisar M. E.	Chowgram H. E.	M. E.
3	Md. Haseruddin	Nator M. E.	Nator Maharaja H. E.	M. E.
4	Rasik Chandra Sarkar	Walia M. V.	Rangpur Normal	M. V.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Kabiluddin Pramanik	Kanta M. E.	Adamdighi H. E.	M. E.
2	Sajjaduddin Mondal	Basudebpur M. V.	Rangpur Normal	M. V.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans transferred from Darjeeling.			
1	Rezauddin Sardar	Kashimpur M. E.	Naogaon K. D. H. E.	M. E.
	DINAJPUR.			
	Four scholarships for general competition.			
1	Abdul Majid	Najipur M. E.	Balurghat H. E.	M. E.
2	Chhahiruddin Mondal	Ditto	Ditto	M. E.
3	Promad Ranjan Chatterji	Dinajpur Municipal M. E.	Dinajpur Maharaja H. E.	M. E.
4	Priyanath Dutta	Patiram M. E.	Balurghat H. E.	M. E.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Tazibuddin Ahmed	Jamalpur M. E.	Thakurgaon H. E.	M. E.
2	Gambhorali Mondal	Churaman M. E.	Chanchal Siddeswari Institution.	M. E.
	JALPAIGURI.			
	Two scholarships for general competition.			
1	Md. Mahiuddin	Sakowa M. E.	Doviganj H. E.	M. E.
2	Tara Mohan Das	Patgram M. E.	Mekhliganj H. E.	M. E.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Khandkar Ishan Ali	Mainaguri M. E.	Jalpaiguri Zilla	M. E.
	RANGPUR.			
	Four scholarships for general competition.			
1	Md. Saduruddin Shaikh	Laksmipur M. E.	Gaibandha H. E.	M. E.
2	Golam Hasain Sarkar	Palashbari M. E.	Ditto	M. E.
3	Tarini Kanta Roy	Kamarjani M. E.	Ditto	M. E.
4	Abdus Sattar Khandkar	Bharatkhali Board M. V.	Gaibandha Islamia H. E.	M. V.
	Three scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Md. Gholam Mostafa	Chilahati M. E.	Jalpaiguri Zilla	M. E.
2	Abdul Hamed Sarkar	Dharmapur M. E.	Gaibandha H. E.	M. E.
3	Banijuddin Ahmed	Chandkhana Board M. V.	Rangpur Normal	M. V.
	BOGRA.			
	Three scholarships for general competition.			
1	Umiruddin Pramanik	Kahaloo M. E.	Bogra Zilla	M. E.
2	Sayebuddin Sardar	Kasba M. E.	Kalai H. E.	M. E.
3	Fazlar Rahman	Santahar M. E.	Naogaon H. E.	M. E.
	Three scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Karbanali Khandkar	Domajani M. E.	Shorpur H. E.	M. E.
2	Md. Nahrul Islam	Gabtali M. E.	Bogra Zilla	M. E.
3	Izaruddin Pramanik	Gokul M. E.	Ditto	M. E.

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school from which the scholar appeared.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M. E. or M. V.
	PABNA.			
	Four scholarships for general competition.			
1	Darogali Shaikh	Baniapatty M. E.	Serajganj B. L. H. E.	M. E.
2	Brajalal Karmakar	Talgachi M. E.	Salop H. E.	M. E.
3	Razabali Khan	Pakuria M. E.	Pabna Zilla	M. E.
4	Afizuddin Ahmed	Hatikumrul Circle	Shahzadpur H. E.	M. V.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Mansur Ali Sarkar	Rajapur M. E.	Serajganj B. L. H. E.	M. E.
2	Muhammad Boyetulla	Malitidanga M. E.	Shahzadpur H. E.	M. E.
	MALDA.			
	Three scholarships for general competition.			
1	Mozaffar Ahmed	Ranihati M. E.	Nawabganj H. M. Institution	M. E.
2	Jamini Bhusan Das	Chandpur M. E.	Malda Zilla	M. E.
3	Raghunath Sinha	Alinagar Board M. V.	Hooghly Training	M. V.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Shaikh Asiruddin	Old Malda M. E.	Malda Zilla	M. E.
	DARJEELING.			
	One scholarship for general competition.			
1	Pemba Tshring Kapoo	Ghum M. E.	Darjeeling High	M. E.
	Eight scholarships for backward and depressed classes.			
1	Narendra Chandra Pramanik	Mainam M. E., Rajshahi	Chakatitha H. E.	M. E.
2	Gopi Ballav Basak	Naogaon Corporation M. E., Rajshahi	Naogaon K. D. H. E.	M. E.
3	Devendra Nath Sarkar	Madaripur M. E., Rajshahi	Kamargaon H. E.	M. E.
4	Khagendra Narayan Sarkar	Daudpur M. E., Dinajpur	Dinajpur Zilla	M. E.
5	Gajendra Nath Roy	Mandalghat M. E., Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri Zilla	M. E.
6	Tarini Mohan Dewry	Panga M. E., Rangpur	Lalmonirhat H. E.	M. E.
7	Jagat Bandhu Das	Atghoria M. E., Pabna	Chandaikona M. E.	M. E.
8	Kurak Lal Sinha	Phansidewa M. E., Darjeeling	Siliguri H. E.	M. E.

J. W. GUNN, *Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.*

JALPAIGURI, *the 8th January 1924.*

RESULTS OF THE GIRLS' SPECIAL MIDDLE SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION, 1923.

Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

The undermentioned girls are awarded Middle Scholarships with effect from the 1st January 1924:—

Middle English Scholarships.

(Value Rs. 5 a month each, tenable for four years.)

Serial No.	Name.	School from which candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship will be tenable.
1	Bairagi Sudhamukhi	Baniban M. E. Girls' School	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
2	Das, Sunitibala	Ditto	Victoria Institution, Calcutta
3	Ghosh, Labanyalata	R. T. Girls' School, Suri, Birbhum	United Missionary High School, Calcutta.
4	Sirkar, Pritilata	Koikota Mission Girls' School, Midnapore	Midnapore Mission Girls' School.

Middle Vernacular Scholarships.

(Value Rs. 4 a month each, tenable for two years.)

Serial No	Name	School from which candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship will be tenable.
1	Biswas, Kristo Dasi	... C. E. Z. Queen's School, Krishnagar ...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar.
2	Choudhuri, Daulatmoni	... C. E. Z. M. Convert's School, Baranagar ...	C. E. Z. M. Convert's School, Baranagar.
3	Dasi, Binodini	... M. E. Mission Girls' School, Asansol ...	Lee Memorial School, Calcutta.
4	,, Kanaklata	... R. T. Girls' School, Suri ...	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
5	Ghosh, Bonolata	... C. E. Z. Queen's School, Krishnagar ...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar.
6	Murmu, Jamini	... Bhimpore Mission Girls' School, Midnapore ...	Industrial School, Baranagar.
7	Roy, Naresh Nandini	... Wesleyan Mission Boarding School, Barrackpore ...	United Missionary Training College, Calcutta.
8	Sirkar, Bonolata	... M. E. Mission Girls' School, Asansol ...	Christ Church High School, Calcutta.

N B.—No M. E. or M. V. Muhammadan candidates were presented.

LILIAN BROCK, *Inspectress of Schools, Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.*

CALCUTTA, *the 11th January 1924.*

CALCUTTA GIRLS' SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION, 1923.

List of candidates elected to the prizes in Standard II.

LOWER PRIMARY.

(Each prize is of the value of Rs. 15 to be paid in three instalments.)

	Name.	Institution
1	Bibi, Rafikan (Muhammadan)	... Shamshea Zenana Madrasa.
2.	Bose, Bibhabati	... Sir R. C. Mitter Memorial Girls' School.
3.	Das Gupta, Tatini	... Kalighat Mahakali Pathsala.
4.	Dassi, Durgarani	... B. M. S. Girls' School, Sankaritola.
5.	,, Lilabati	... Calcutta Hindu Orphanage.
6.	Dey, Ashalata	... C. E. Z. Central School.
7.	Ghose Ashalata*	... C. S. M. Motiabruz Girls' School.
8.	,, Manorama	... C. S. M. Shobhabazar Girls' School.
9.	Guha, Suchalata	... C. E. Z Girls' School, Amherst Street.
10.	Mitter, Tarulata	... Milman Memorial Girls' School.
11.	Roy, Ramanuja	... Prannath Hindu Girls' School.
12.	Sen, Asoka	... U. F. C. Duff School.
13.	,, Hironmoyee	... C. S. M. Girls' School, Garpar.
14.	,, Lalita Sakhi	... Kanai Lal Dhur's Free Girls' School.
15.	Sen Gupta, Kanak Rekha	... Practising School attached to the Hindu Female Training Institution.
16.	,, Tarulata	... Aryan Girls' School.
17.	,, Usabala	... Bani Hindu Girls' School.
18.	,, Usha Rani	... C. E. Z. Darjipara Girls' School.
19.	Sirkar, Protiva Rani	... United Missionary Girls' High School.
20.	,, Tarubala	... Kailash Chandra Hindu Girls' School.

* Ashalata Ghosh stood first and will be awarded the Kailash Chandra Silver Medal, 1923.

List of candidate selected to the prizes in Standard III.

INTERMEDIATE.

(Each prize is of the value of Rs. 18 to be paid in three instalments.)

1.	Banerjee, Indira	... Binapani Pardah School, Calcutta.
2.	Basak, Durgesh Nandini	... C. E. Z. M. Kasaripara Girls' School.
3.	Bhattacharyya, Bijalibala	... Kailash Chandra Hindu Girls' School.
4.	Bibi, Hazra (Muhammadan)	... Suhrawardy Moslem Girls' School.
5.	Bose, Nirmalabala	... Peary Charan Hindu Girls' School.
6.	Ghose, Binapani	... Kanai Lal Dhar's Free Girls' School.
7.	,, Molina	... U. F. C. Duff School.
8.	Mitter, Ashalata	.. B. M. S. Girls' School, Pataldanga.
9.	,, Renuka	... C. S. M Baghbazar Girls' School.
10.	Sen Gupta, Lilabati	... C. E. Z. M. Central School.

List of candidates elected to the prizes in Standard IV.

UPPER PRIMARY.

(Each prize is of the value of Rs. 20 to be paid in three instalments.)

	Name.		Institution
1	Bodak, Hiraprova	...	Diocesan Mission Girls' School
2.	Chatterjee, Hiranmayee	...	Kanai Lal Dhar's Free School.
3.	,, Shibarani	...	Bani Hindu Girls' School.
4.	,, Nisharani	...	Binapani Pardah School.
5.	Ghose, Amiya	..	U. F. C. Duff School.
6.	Gupta, Labanyalata	...	Milman Memorial Girls' School.
7.	Mushtori (Muhammadan)	...	Sakhawat Memorial Girls' School.
8	Singha, Prativa Sundari	...	Kailash Chandra Hindu Girls' School.

List of candidates elected to the prizes in Standard V.

MIDDLE LOWER.

(Each prize is of the value of Rs 28 to be paid in April 1924.)

1.	Begum, Syeda (Muhammadan)	...	Shamsea Zenana Madrasa.
2.	Ghose, Asalata	...	Binapani Pardah School.
3.	Mitter, Shurama Mayee	...	C. S. M. Garpar Girls' School.

List of candidates elected to the prizes in Standard VI.

MIDDLE UPPER.

(Each prize is of the value of Rs. 28 to be paid in April 1924.)

1.	Bose, Sarajubala	...	Kailash Chandra Hindu Girls' School.
2.	Roy, Charu	...	St Margaret's High School.

LILIAN BROCK, *Inspectress of Schools, Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.*

CALCUTTA, *the 11th January 1924.*

DACCA DIVISION.

Result of Middle English Scholarship Examination, 1923.

(Middle English scholarship of Rs. 4, tenable for four years from 1st January 1924.)

	Name of scholar.		Name of school.		Tenable at –
			DACCA DISTRICT.		
			Open scholarship.		
1	Promode Chandra Saha	...	Ghorasal M. E.	...	Kaliganj H. E.
2	Abinash Chandra Chanda	...	Madhabdi M. E.	...	Balapur H. E.
3	Basiruddin Ahmed	...	Manipura M. E.	...	Dacca Collegiate.
4	Tarini Chandra Sen Poddar	...	Baliadi M. E.	...	Dhamrai H. E.
5	Syama Pada Sen Gupta	...	Amdia M. E.	...	Dacca Collegiate.
6	Muzaffar Ali	...	Manohardi M. E.	...	Lakhpur Simulia H. E.
7	Nural Islam	...	Munshiganj M. E.	...	Munshiganj H. E.
			Special scholarships for Muhammadans.		
1	Md. Osman Ali	...	Kapasia Board M. E.	...	Kaliganj H. E.
			Middle scholarships reserved for depressed classes.		
1	Bhupati Mohan Das	...	Nali Bararia K. C. Institution	...	Rajbari R. S. K. Institution.
			MYMENSINGH DISTRICT.		
			Open scholarship.		
1	Kalimuddin Bhuyan	...	Ellenga M. E.	...	Tangail B. B. H. E.
2	Sudhir Chandra Mazumdar	...	Teligati B. N. M. E.	...	Gouripur R. K. H. E.
3	Shaikh Bandhoo	...	Arrakumed M. E.	...	Dhubaria H. E.
4	Rasik Bhusan Das	...	Ditto	...	Ditto.
5	Beni Madhab Basak	...	Agtarail M. E.	...	Pakutia H. E.
6	Nirmal Chandra Sanyal	...	Char Nikla M. E.	...	Iswarganj H E.
7	Mirza Serajul Haque	...	Alishakanda M. E.	...	Tangail B. B. H. E.
8	Lalitmohan Nama Das	...	Tatarkandi M. E.	...	Govindapur H. E.
9	Md. Solaiman	...	Astadhar M. E.	...	Mymensingh Zilla.
10	Nur Hussain Khan	...	Bhuapur M. M.	...	Tangail B. B. H. E

	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Tenable at—
	Special scholarships for Muhammadans.		
1	Muhammad Abbas	... Narundi Model M. E	... Jamalpur Government H. E.
2	,, Aizuddin	... Ditto	... Ditto.
3	Momtazuddin	... Ganapaddi M. E.	... Chandrakona H. E.
4	Muhammad Zahuruddin	... Jangalbari M. E.	... Azimuddin H. E.
5	,, Habibullah	... Kathiadi M. E.	... Mymensingh Zilla.
	Middle scholarships reserved for depressed classes.		
1	Joy Chandra Nama Das	... Patuair M. E.	... Mymensingh Zilla
2	Govinda Chandra Sutradhar	... Kathiadi M. E.	... Ditto.
	FARIDPUR DISTRICT.		
	Open scholarships.		
1	Nizabuddin Sardar	... Chapta M. E.	... Fukra H. E.
2	Bejendra Kumar Saha	... Faridpur M. E	... Isan Institution, Faridpur.
3	Muhammad Mobarak Ali	... Mukundia M. E.	... Khankhanapur H. E.
4	Pulin Chandra De Bhowmic	... Kulpaddi M. E.	... Madaripur H E.
5	Faizuddin Molla	... Goalundo M E.	... Faridpur Zilla.
6	Bisweswar Saha	... Sadardi M. E.	... Bhanga H. E.
	Special scholarships for Muhammadans.		
1	Adiluddin Ahmad	... Char Nasipur M. E.	... Madaripur H. E.
2	Md. Majibar Rahman	... Damudia M. M.	... Koneswar H E
3	Md Yasin Ali	... Majbari M. E.	... Baliakandi H. E
	Middle scholarships reserved for depressed classes.		
1	Gangaram Banik	... Sadardi M. E.	... Bhanga H. E
	BAKARGANJ DISTRICT.		
	Open Scholarships.		
1	Benoy Bhushan Nag	... Maisani M. E.	... Barisal Zilla.
2	Khirode Chandra Haldar	... Agailjhora M. E	... Goila H. E.
3	Ganeshlal Das	... Bhatsala M E.	... Kalashkati H. E.
4	Kabyakanta Mirdha	... Paranganj M E.	... Bhola Government H. E.
5	Mafizuddin Ahmad	... Matbaria M. E.	... Perojpur Government H. E.
6	Majibal Haque	... Paranganj M E	... Bhola Government H. E.
	Middle scholarships reserved for depressed classes.		
1	Barada Kanta Mandal	... Perojpur Town M E.	... Perojpur Government H. E.

The scholarship-holders should join their schools within one month from the date of publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

N. B.—There being no eligible candidates for the two special scholarships reserved for Muhammadans in the Mymensingh district, they have been awarded to two Middle Vernacular scholars of the Bakarganj district.

H. E. STAPLETON, *Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.*

DACCA, *the 12th January 1924.*

DACCA DIVISION.

Result of Middle Vernacular Scholarship Examination, 1923.

(Middle Vernacular scholarships of Rs. 4, tenable for four years from 1st January 1924.)

	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Tenable at—
	DACCA DISTRICT.		
	Open scholarships.		
1	Rajendra Chandra Debnath	... Chupair M.V.	... Dacca Normal.
2	Safdar Ali	... Ditto	... Kaliganj H. E.
	Special scholarships for Muhammadans.		
1	Abdus Sayid	... Abdullapur M V.	... Dacca Normal.
2	Kazi Abdul Hamid	... Ditto	... Ditto.
3	Maniruddin	... Saiderkhola M. V	... Ditto.
	Middle scholarships reserved for depressed classes.		
1	Jnan Chandra Das Sarkar	... Tumulia Church M. V.	... Kaliganj H E.

	Name of scholar.		Name of school.		Tenable at—
			MYMENSINGH DISTRICT.		
			Open scholarships.		
1	Amulya Charan Dc	...	Kanihari M. V.	...	Mymensingh Zilla
2	Suresh Chandra Debnath	...	Ditto	...	Ditto.
			Special scholarships for Muhammadans.		
1	Md. Taleb Hossain Fakir	..	Taldhighi Model M. V.	...	Mymensingh Zilla.
			Middle scholarships reserved for depressed classes.		
1	Dharani Kanta Das	...	Arra Circle M. V.	...	Tangail B. B. H. E.
			BAKARGANJ DISTRICT.		
			Open scholarships.		
1	Abdul Ghani	...	Kattalia Circle M. V.	...	Dacca Normal.
2	Nilkanta Nath	...	Mirza Kalu Circle M. V.	...	Barisal Zilla.
			Special scholarships for Muhammadans.		
1	Habibar Rahman	...	Tobgi Circle M. V.	...	Bhola Government H. E.
2	Md. Safiuddin	...	Azimpur Circle M. V.	...	Dacca Normal.
3	Akkel Ali	...	Kattalia Circle M. V.	...	Ditto.
4	Keramat Ali Howladar	...	S. Darial M. V.	...	Ditto
5	Cherag Ali	...	Tobgi Circle M. V.	...	Bhola Government H. E.
6	Gagan Ali	...	Kanakdia Circle M. V.	...	Dacca Normal.
			Middle scholarships reserved for depressed classes.		
1	Chandra Kanta Barai	...	Sreemantakati M. V.	...	Dacca Normal.

The scholarship-holders should join their schools within one month from the date of publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

N B.—As there was no Middle Vernacular candidate in the Faridpur district, the scholarship was awarded to a Middle English scholar of the same district.

H. E. STAPLETON, *Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.*

DACCA, *the 12th January 1924.*

DACCA DIVISION.

Result of the Primary Final Scholarship Examination, 1923.

(Primary scholarships of Rs. 3, tenable for two years from 1st January 1924.)

	Name of scholar.		Name of school.		Tenable at—
			DACCA DISTRICT.		
			Sadar subdivision—Open scholarships (2).		
1.	Gajendra Chandra Boral	...	Chaudhri Bazar Primary, Dacca	...	Navakumar Institution, Dacca.
2.	Surendralal Saha	...	Bhingraj Tikibari U.P.	...	Baliadi M.E.
			Narayanganj subdivision—Open scholarships (2).		
1.	Fazlul Karim Khan	...	Rajadi Primary	...	Satirpara H.E.
2.	Haradhan Chandra Saha	...	Bhirindha Primary	...	Kaliganj H.E.
			Munshiganj subdivision—Open scholarships (2).		
1.	Rajendra Chandra Mistri	...	Baherak Primary	...	Siddheswari H.E.
2.	Bankim Chahdra Chakrabarty	...	Bairagadi Primary	...	Malkhanagar H.E.
			Manikganj subdivision—Open scholarships (2).		
1.	Bibekananda Sutradhar	...	Kalta Primary	...	Manikganj H.E.
2.	Fanibhushan Saha	...	Kanchanpur Primary	...	Jhitka M.E.

Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Tenable at—

Special scholarships for Muhammadans for the whole district (3).

1.	Sahad Ali Bepari	... Laghia Primary	... Kapasia Board M.E.
2.	Sahabuddin	... Kaliakair Board Primary	... Chapair M.E.
3	Abdul Hakim	... Battali Primary	... Abdullapur M V.
4.	Abdur Razzak Bepari	... Pouldia Primary	... Malkhanagar H E.

Primary scholarships reserved for depressed classes (3).

1.	Purna Chandra Sarkar	... Gutia Primary	... Mirpur H E.
2	Horendra Chandra Sukladas	... Baraid Primary	... Kapasia Board M E.
3.	Narayan Chandra Nath	... Chachurtola Primary	... Siddheswari H.E.

One open scholarship transferred from Tangail subdivision in Mymensingh and awarded to a primary scholar of the Narayanganj subdivision.

1.	Shaikh Ali Newaz	... Baraigaon Primary	... Shibpur H.E.

MYMENSINGH DISTRICT.

Sadar subdivision—Open scholarships (2).

1.	Sukumar Chakravarti	... Bhabakhali Union Board Primary	... Mymensingh Zilla.
2.	Mabarak Ali	... Town Pathsala	... Ditto.

Tangail subdivision—Open scholarships (2).

1.	Manmohan Dutta	... Nalsunda Primary	... Tangail B.B. H.E.

Netrakona subdivision—Open scholarship (1).

1.	Hemanta Kumar Roy	... Shaldhiga Primary	... Jahangirpur M.E

There being no eligible scholar in the Jamalpur subdivision, the two open scholarships have transferred to the Netrokona subdivision.

1.	Surendra Chandra Saha	... Shaldigha Primary	... Jahangirpur M.E
2.	Md Kitab Ali	... Sharishtola Primary	... Gauripur R.K. H.E.

Kishorganj subdivision—Open scholarships (2).

1.	Durga Nath Dutta	... Pattabaha Board Primary	Kodaha H.E.
2.	Md. Janab Ali	... Panchdha Primary	... Patuair M.E.

Special scholarships for Muhammadans for the whole district (3).

1.	Mz. Gauhar Ali Khan	... Banail Primary	... Jamurki H.E.
2.	Sabed Ali Shaikh	... Mohargionj Primary	... Palsia H.E.

Primary scholarships reserved for depressed classes (4).

1.	Kanailal Deb Nath	... Asutia Board Primary	... Husainpur H.E.
2.	Denesh Chandra Das	... Dighirpar Primary	... Bajitpur H.E.
3.	Harish Chandra Kaibarta Das	... Delalpur Primary	... Ditto.

BAKARGANJ DISTRICT.

Sadar subdivision—Open (2).

1.	Eskandar Ali Khan	... Kalaskati Kalibari Primary	Kalaskati H.E.
2.	Athar Ali	... Manaharpur Primary	... Jhalakati H.E.

Patuakhali subdivision—Open scholarships (2).

1.	Ganesh Chandra Kapali	... Hogolbunia Primary	... Patuakhali Government H.E.
2.	Ashita Ranjan Das	... West Garabdi Primary	... Ditto.

Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Tenable at—
Bhola subdivision—Open scholarships (2).		
1. Mujibar Rahman	... Madhupur Primary	... Daulatkhan H. E.
2 Abdul Kasem	... Sahapur Primary	... Ditto.
Perojpur subdivision—Open scholarships (2).		
1. Jitendra Nath Shaha	... C. Pargola Primary	... Perojpur Government H. E.
2. Dhirendra Nath Piswas	... Madarbari Primary	... Baisari H. E.
Special scholarships for Muhammadans for the whole district (3).		
1. Abdul Hamid Powladar	... S. Char Kapalbera Primary	Nalchira H. E.
2. Wajed Ali Sikdar	... Shingrakati Primary	... Barisal Zilla.
3. Fazlar Rahman	... Bhola Primary	... Bhola Government H. E.
Primary scholarships reserved for depressed classes (4).		
1. Jajneswar Sikdar	... Kumarkhali Primary	... Nalchiti M. E.
2 Krishna Kanta Somaddar	... Khanpura Primary	... Rahamatpur H. E.
3. Satyanarayan Bhuiya	... Atkali Primary	... Patuakhali Government H. E
4. Indu Bhushan Mallik	... Sahapur Primary	... Bhola Government H. E.

FARIDPUR DISTRICT.

Upper Primary Scholarship Examination, 1923.

(Upper Primary scholarships of Rs. 3, tenable for two years from 1st January 1924.)

Sadar subdivision—Open scholarships (3).		
1. Jagat Bandhu Bairagi	... Mahmudpur U. P.	... Orakandi H. E.
2. Birendra Nath Majumdar	... Talma Night U. P.	... Ataikola M. E. (Pabna).
3. Motaher Fakir	... Joynagar Board U P.	... Kasiani H. E
Goalundo subdivision—Open scholarship (1).		
1. Anath Bandhu Biswas	... Ramkol Board U. P.	... Pangsa H. E.
Madaripur subdivision—Open scholarships (4).		
1 Kartik Chandra Bhakta	... East Gobra U. P.	... S. N. Academy, Gopalganj.
2 Mohsenuddin Biswas	... Ditto	... Ditto.
3. Ardhendu Sekhar Nag	... Digholia U. P.	... Bhanga H. E.
4. Priya Lal Rai	... Gopalganj U. P	... Amgram H. E.
Upper Primary scholarships reserved for Muhammadans for the whole district (2).		
1. Syed Abdul Halim	... Musalmanpur Board U. P.	... Karakdi H. E.
2. Babar Ali	... Chhada Matbarer Kandi B. L. P.	... Shibchar H. E.
Upper Primary scholarships reserved for depressed classes (2).		
1. Gopal Chandra Haidar	... Gournadi U. P.	... Bhanga H. E.
2. Gnanendra Nath Datta	... East Gobra U. P.	... S. N. Academy, Gopalganj.
3. Nityananda Nath	... Ketapara U. P.	... Palong H. E.

The scholarship-holders should join their schools within one month from the date of publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

N.B.—There being no eligible candidate for one primary scholarship in the Mymensingh district, it has been awarded to one Nityananda Nath in Madaripur subdivision, Faridpur.

H. E. STAPLETON, *Inspector of Schools,*
Dacca Division.

DACCA, *the 12th January 1924.*

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

I. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final M. B. Examination (Parts I and II) held in November 1923 :—

(Arranged alphabetically.)

	A M. Md. Asjad	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Gupta, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
3	Sen, Prabodhchandra	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.

II. The undermentioned candidates, who passed in part of the subjects prescribed for the Final M. B. Examination previously, have passed the remaining subjects at the Final M. B. Examination held in November 1923, and are now declared to have passed the Final M. B. Examination :—

(Arranged alphabetically.)

	Abdul Gaffur	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Adhikari, Amiyakumar	...	Ditto.
	Bal, Jaminikanta	...	Ditto.
	Bandyopadhyay, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Bijendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Goshthabihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Satinath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Baruya, Bansidhar	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
10	Basu, Achintyaprasad	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Bimalbihari	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Bipinkrishna	...	Ditto.
	,, Muralimohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Rabindranath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Bhattacharyya, Bholanath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Kshetranath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Bir, Praphullachandra	...	Ditto.
	Brahma, Haripada	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Annadamangal	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
20	Chattopadhyay, Harendranath, II	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Nalindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Sibsankar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Tinkari	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Bhabanicharan	...	Ditto.
	,, Kiranchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Taranath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Das, Basantakumar	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Dasgupta, Hemeschandra	...	Ditto.
	Datta Dwarakanath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
30	,, Gopinath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Nripendranath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	De, Narendrakrishna	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Deb, Rajaniranjan	...	Ditto.
	Dechaudhuri, Haragobinda	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Harendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	Garai, Bijaykumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Ghosh, Binayendranath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Khagendranath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia
40	,, Rajendralal	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Rasbihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Sudhirchandra	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Taranimohan	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Guha, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	Guhathakurta, Rabindranath	...	Ditto.
	Gupta, Basantakumar	...	Ditto.
	Haldar, Prahladchandra	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Kabiraj, Satischandra	...	Ditto
50	Kailas Behari	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Kumar, Ramapati	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Mahalik, Karunakar	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Maji, Surendranath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia
	Majumdar, Manoranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Radhanath	...	Ditto.
	Mallik, Krishnalal	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Mitra, Bijaykumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia
	,, Ramendranath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Mofijuddin Talukdar	...	Ditto.
60	Muhammad Ali	...	Ditto.

	Mukhopadhyay, Durgapada	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Jyotibhushan	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia
	,, Kulipada, I	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Tripuranath	...	Ditto
	Nag, Arunchandra	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Prabodhchandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Pain, Bankubihari	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Pramanik, Syamacharan	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
70	Rana, Nilambar	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Bholanath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Hemchandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta
	,, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Narendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Praphullakamal	...	Ditto.
	Raychaudhuri, Bimalkanti	...	Ditto.
	Sahay, Audhbihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Shreekant	..	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Saradindubhushan	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
80	Sarkar, Amulyaratan	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Nimaichandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Satindrakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Sudhirchandra	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Sisirkumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia
	Shamsuzzoha	...	Medical College, Calcutta
	Sinha, Abhayapada	...	Ditto.
	,, Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
88	T. Chan Taik	...	Ditto.

III. The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed in Part I only of the Final M. B. Examination (under the new regulations) held in November 1923 :—

Mukhopadhyay, Kulpada, II	...	Medical College, Calcutta.

IV. The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed in Part I only of the Final M. B. Examination (under the old regulations) held in November 1923 :—

Mitra, Bhubanmohan	...	Medical College, Calcutta.

V. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed in Part II of the Final M. B. Examination (under the new regulations) held in November 1923 :—

(*Arranged alphabetically.*)

	Azizur Rahman	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Bandyopadhyay, Ramananda	...	Ditto
	Barclay, M. C.	...	Ditto.
	Basu, Anilchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Jitendranath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Nabanikanta	...	Ditto.
	,, Nirendranath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Nirmalchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Praphullakumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia
10	,, Rabindranath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Biswas, Manindranath	..	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Gopikrishna	...	Ditto
	,, Rameschandra	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Chattopadhyay, Atulchandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Das, Ajitnath	...	Ditto.
	,, Bankimchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Jadulal	..	Ditto
	,, Prakaschandra	...	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Sasadhar	...	Ditto.
20	,, Satyeschandra	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Hemendralal	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia
	,, Kesabchandra	...	Ditto
	,, Manindranath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Deb, Rabindrakumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia
	Gaya Prasad	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Badalchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Dwarkanath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia
	,, Narendrachandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Sachinath	...	Ditto.
30	,, Smarajitkumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 1.
	,, Sureschandra, I	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Guha, Saileschandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Gupta, Kalikrishna	...	Ditto.
	Maitra, Srischandra	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Mandal, Khagendranath	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Dwarkanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Prabhatchandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.

	Mitra, Rabindrakumar	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	„ Sukumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
40	Mukhopadhyay, Jitendragopal	...	Ditto.
	„ Kanailal	...	Medical College Calcutta.
	„ Matilal	..	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	„ Naliniranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Prakaschandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	„ Pramodkumar	...	Ditto.
	Pal, Muniudramohan	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Pramanik, Kumudranjan	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Manindrachandra	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	„ Pramathanath	...	Ditto.
50	„ Sambhunath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Rudra, Birendranath	...	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Jibendrasaran	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Sarkar, Praphullachandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	„ Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Surendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Susilananda	...	Ditto.
	Trivedi, Bishnupada	...	Ditto.
58	Wahiduddin Mahmud	...	Ditto.

VI. The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed in Part II of the Final M. B. Examination (under the old Regulations) held in November 1923 :—

Ghosh, Pannalal	...	Medical College, Calcutta.

VII. The undermentioned candidates passed in the subject noted against their names of Part II of the Final M. B. Examination (under the new Regulations) held in November 1923 :—

	Alice Dhar	...	Jurisprudence	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Ansar Ali	...	Hygiene	...	Ditto.
	Chaki, Nisiranjan	...	Jurisprudence	...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Nandalal	...	Ditto	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Chattopadhyay, Sachchidananda	...	Ditto	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Das, Nanigopal	...	Hygiene	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Pulinbihari	...	Jurisprudence	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	„ Sureschandra, II	...	Hygiene	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
10	Guhathakurta, Hiranyakumar	...	Ditto	...	Ditto.
	Kamala Prasad	...	Ditto	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Kundu, Nirmalchandra	...	Ditto	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Mukhopadhyay, Kalipada II	...	Jurisprudence	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Pain, Parbaticharan	...	Ditto	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Pramodkumar	...	Ditto	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
16	Raychaudhuri, Atulchandra	...	Hygiene	...	Medical College, Calcutta.

VIII. The undermentioned candidate passed in the subject noted against his name of Part II of the Final M. B. Examination (under the old Regulations) held in November 1923 :—

Gupta, Bholanath	... Jurisprudence	...	Medical College, Calcutta.

N. SEN, *Controller of Examinations (offg.).*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 16th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1C.T.B.C.—It is hereby notified for general information that text-books other than those on Hygiene and Sanitation, prepared in accordance with the revised curriculum for primary schools, published with Government (General Department) notification No. 1605Edn., dated the 16th October 1920, for use in primary schools both in Eastern Bengal and Western Bengal for 1925; text-books for primary schools under the old Western Bengal Vernacular curriculum; and text-books for secondary schools in Western Bengal, will be received in the office of the undersigned up to the 20th February 1924. Text-books on Hygiene and Sanitation should as usual be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, on or before the same date.

No book will be accepted unless accompanied by a prescribed form of application for submission of books to the Text-book Committee and submitted in five copies. Only such books as represent a high standard of production will be considered.

T. O. D. DUNN, *Secretary, Calcutta Text-Book Committee.*

40-1A, FREE SCHOOL STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 12th January 1924.*

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Preliminary Scientific M. B. Examination held in November 1923 :—

(*Arranged alphabetically.*)

	Abdul Hai	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Acharyya, Nandakumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	A. M. M. R. Ahmadul Islam	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Bandyopadhyay, Baidyanath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Krishnadhan	...	Ditto.
	,, Sadhansukumar	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Baral, Radhaprasad	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Basu, Mukulchandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Bhave, Gangadharkrishna	...	Ditto.
10	Biswas, Makhanlal	...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Amiyanath	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Rabindranath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Sisirkumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Tarapada	...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Niradbaran	...	Ditto.
	Das, Surendranath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Dasgupta, Sailendrachandra	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	De, Krishnaprasad	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
20	Debbarman, Niranjanchandra	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Dewan, Nirmalchandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Subodhchandra	...	Ditto
	,, Sudhirchandra	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia
	,, Sudhirchandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Ghoshal, Nagendranath	...	Ditto
	Gupta, Suprakas	...	Ditto
	Kar, Parimalkumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Kulkarni, D. R	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
30	Kundu, Nandagopal	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Pramadacharan	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Susilchandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Md. Shamsul Huda	...	Ditto.
	,, Tamizuddin	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Siddheswar	...	Ditto.
	Mobarak Hossain Choudhuri	...	Ditto.
	Mohammad Abu Torab	...	Ditto.
	Muhamed Abdul Jabber	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Biswesswar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
40	,, Debabrata	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Nanda, Praphullakumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Pal, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
	Pali, Brajanath	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Himansusekhar	...	Ditto.
	,, Pannalal	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Praphullakumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Saha, Kanailal	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Premgobinda	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Sarkar, Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
50	,, Satyendranarayan	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Birendranath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Jnanendramohan	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Baidyanath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Sevaya, Santoshkumar	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Sinha, Bhujangabhushan	...	Ditto.
	,, Harendrakisor	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
57	Thakur Parasnath Sinha	...	Ditto.

N. SEN, *Controller of Examinations (offg.).*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 9th January 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
									Revenue—
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	734 12 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5	...	7 3 5
							June and September 1923,		Cess—
									32 3 7

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector.

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bankura Damodar River Railway, in the district of Bankura, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 25th February 1924, corresponding with the 13th Falgun 1330 B.S.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of the purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reason for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Bankura	Bishnupur, mauza Alipur.	39	North ...	61 16 9	20·44	...	...	From chainage 117800 to 118300.	*North*—Fakir Mullik, Khorshed Shaikh and Khetu Tarafdar's land.
		Mauza Biur ...	39	Do. ...	5 17 4	1·99	...	...	Ditto.	*East*—Arjun Shaikh, Sopedar Shaikh, Allaj Mondal, Kartik Chandra Chakraborty and Sashi Bhattacharjee's land.
										South—Bankura Damodar River Railway side lands.
										West—Local Board Road, Bhola Nath Bagdi, Makhan Bagdi, Khorshed and Jamadar Shaikh, Harsan Mullik and Fakir Mullik's land.

Bankura, the 2nd January 1924.

S. C. CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

IT is notified, under section 118 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890, and sections 55 and 56 of the Railway Act, IX of 1890, that the following consignments of Mowah Meal, if not removed within fifteen days on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Number of bags.	Where lying.	Wagon No.	Invoice Railway Receipt.	Date.	Station from—	Consignor.	Consignee.
				1922.			
627	F. Shed, Kantapukur Grain Depot.	14554—200 7474—227 33910—200	1-44060	14th Sept.	Konnagar	Manager, Hutarkool Oil Co., Ltd.	Messrs. Arjundas Golabroy.

Calcutta, the 2nd January 1924.

H. H. HUDSON, Acting Traffic Manager.

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Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bankura-Damodar River Railway in the district of Bankura, will be put up to sale at 10 o'clock on Saturday, the 1st March 1924, corresponding with the 18th Falgun 1330 B.S.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
						Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
1	Bankura...	Pargana Vishnupur, mauza Murasohita, Malipushkarini and Anandapur.	83	Northern ...	22·96	...	...	From chainage 146,000 to chainage 149,000.	*North*—Saday Moyra, Tarachand Bauri, Natu Kumar, Krishto Muchi and Nanda Ghose's land. *East*—Prem Ghose, Hem Ghose, Jiban Bera and Hari Hazra's land. *South*—Bankura-Damodar River Railway side land. *West*—Ranu Das, Jadu Maral, Mriga Dasi, Banka Bauri and Saday Moyra's land.

Bankura, the 4th January 1924.

S. CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situated in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, Krishnagar, on 18th day of February 1924, corresponding with 6th Phalgun of 1330 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force : and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs 100, the whole amount to be paid down atonce.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
3533	Kalupole thana land, pargana Mahammad Shahi	85	3 0 0	In thana Chuadanga.

Nadia, the 21st December 1923.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua ...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 4th January 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,85,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	11,70,20,000	0	0
Other Deposits	74,05,18,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	8,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	1,14,51,000	0	0
	1,04,87,39,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,77,69,000	0	0
Other authorised securities under the Act	1,29,80,000	0	0
Loans	20,49,96,000	0	0
Cash credits	34,87,41,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	18,05,68,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	20,88,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,44,85,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries...	49,67,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	69,32,000	0	0
	84,85,21,000	0	0
Cash	20 52,18,000	0	0
	1,04,87,39,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London ... ... £ 871,500

Advances in London ... ... £ 436,100

Cash and balances at other Banks in London £ 462,500

Percentage 21·62.

Bank Rate 8 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M. MURRAY (offg.),
Managing Governors.

(81—1)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order ex the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 118 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and if not cleared on or before the 27th February 1924, on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 8.		
	SS. "Mahratta."		
10th Dec. 1923 ...	$\frac{738}{4047}$ in a block, Belgica on top ...	8	Cases playing cards.
11th „ „ ...	Bhola in a diamond, N A on top, & Co below.	1	Case cigarette.
11th „ „ ...	C L in a diamond	3	Cases merchandise.
12th „ „ ...	M P	6	Ditto.
17th „ „ ...	Nil	2	Pieces square bar.
11th „ „ ...	S. Abdul Sattar & Co	2	Cases merchandise.
10th „ „ ...	Davidson & Co	1	Case gin.
	SS. "Talma."		
30th Nov 1923 ...	2974 in a diamond, B B & Co below ...	5	Cases medicine. ...
4th Dec. „ ...	6135 in a triangle, T on top, A G on side	1	Case merchandise.
30th Nov. „ ...	$\frac{M}{G\ S}$ in a triangle, Nepal below ...	3	Cases merchandise.
3rd Dec. „ ...	B L & Co in a diamond	10	Cases spirits.
30th Nov. „ ...	C R W in a triangle	56	Packages merchandise.
30th „ „ ...	Ditto	3	Cases merchandise.
	SHED No. 9.		
	SS. "Gambada."		
20th Dec. 1923 ...	B H M in a diamond	1	Bale piece-goods.
20th „ „ ...	D K	1	Bag merchandise.
20th „ „ ...	H T A C T A	2	Cases twist.
20th „ „ ...	L M	1	Bag merchandise.
20th „ „ ...	M S	3	Bags merchandise.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "Diplomat."		
15th Oct 1923 ...	Ganges	51	Coil steel hoop. ...

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 7—*concld.*		
	SS. "Clan Matheson" (A. Ghat).		
7th Nov. 1923	Nil	2	Pieces iron sheets.
4th April „	O & R R Lucknow	1	Bundle black sheet.
	SS. "Clan Lindsay" (A. Ghat).		
21st April 1923	W B I B D Co, Ltd.	1	Bundle black sheet.
	Unidentified goods of Jetties.		
	Nil	3	Rolls lamp wick.
	Do.	2	Phials medicine.
	Do.	5	Pieces cycle hubs
	SHED No. 2.		
	SS. "Nore."		
11th Dec. 1923 ...	929 in a diamond, A T on top, 153-54 ...	2	Cases.
8th „ „ ...	C L C C A 6486, 6208-9	3	Do.
12th „ „ ...	Grant in a diamond, P M on top, Margherita.	1	Case merchandise.
8th „ „ ...	1 P in a diamond, P C on top, 423 ...	1	Case.
...	J G	1	Case merchandise.
8th „ „ ...	Messrs. Martin & Co, 6-7, Clive Street ...	1	Case.
8th „ „ ...	C K S C, 6299, 6300	2	Cases.
10th „ „ ...	Allahabad, S 3844	1	Case.
12th „ „ ...	Nil	3	Pieces copper ingot.
8th „ „ ...	T T C	4	Cases merchandise.
...	T T C J G	1	Bale ditto.
	SHED No. 4.		
	SS. "Nagoya."		
26th Nov. 1923 ...	929 in a diamond, A T on top, 151-52	2	Cases.
28th „ „ ...	5397 M H in a diamond, R L on top, K Co below, 1602.	1	Case.
26th „ „ ...	156 in a diamond, S N on top, K below, 4401-1—16.	16	Cases.
27th „ „ ...	S B S & B	1	Case wine.
3rd Dec. „ ...	Mrs. L. M Dickens, Ramna, East Bengal, Dacca.	1	Case.
3rd „ „ ...	F in a diamond, F C on top, 15 ...	1	Case.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 4—*concld.*		
	SS. "Nagoya"—*concld*		
3rd Dec. 1923 ...	W M & Co, 3	1	Case
3rd „ „ ...	Cox in a diamond, 4776	1	Package.
3rd „ „ ...	Superintendent, Zoological Survey of India.	1	Ditto
	Unidentified goods of I. V. Wharves.		
	Nil	2	Bundles iron rod.
	SHED No. 5.		
	SS. "City of Manchester."		
14th Dec. 1923 ...	00048 in a diamond, A 510 on top, 156-61.	6	Cases.
14th „ „ ...	A T in a triangle, 2923	1	Bale.
15th „ „ ...	E O A	6	Pieces ingot.
15th „ „ ...	1339 in a diamond, G G on top, C below, 139, 138-39.	1	Case.
12th „ „ ...	J L in an inverted triangle, H H below, 001.	1	Bale.
15th „ „ ...	J C M 255, 6-9	4	Cases.
11th „ „ ...	Lt.-Col J. D Crawford, care of European Association.	1	Parcel.
13th „ „ ...	M T M in a diamond, B C on sides, 1 ...	1	Case.
14th „ „ ...	S C H, Lucknow 63	1	Case.
20th „ „ ...	T D & Co in a diamond, 299 ...	1	Case.
10th „ „ ...	G Z-17669 in a diamond, I E on sides, 7568, 6826.	2	Cases.
12th „ „ ...	M G H Bellgard No. 53, Sealdah ...	1	Case merchandise.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Lepanto."		
27th Dec. 1923 ...	C in a diamond, 1-5	5	Casks.
19th „ „ ...	5802 in a diamond	7	Bags sulphur (H. G.).
18th „ „ ...	0650 in a block, G Ltd on side, 1-5 ..	5	Cases.
18th „ „ ...	Bugle in a double triangle, K C on top, 5706.	1	Case.

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 16th January 1924.

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In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 172 OF 1920.

Re : John Bernard Staynor, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a further dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 22nd day of February 1924, except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 7th January 1924. (58—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 54 OF 1921.

Re : Framjee and Sons, *ex parte* the debtors.

NOTICE is hereby given that a further dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 22nd day of February 1924, except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 7th January 1924. (75—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 107 OF 1920.

Re : Probodh Chandra Roy, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a further dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 22nd day of February 1924, except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 7th January 1924. (76—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 23 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 24th July 1923, made by Harry Cyril Dixon, of 8, Harish Mukherjee Road, Bhowanipore, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. He must apply for his discharge within a year.

Dated this 10th day of December 1923.

A. J. CHOTZNER, District Judge.

(39—1—80)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 26 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 6th August 1923, made by Ashutosh Bhattacharjee, son of late Matilal Bhattacharjee, of 5-1, Mayarpur Road, Chetla, thana Alipore and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. He must apply for his discharge within a year.

Dated this 21st day of December 1923.

A. J. CHOTZNER, District Judge.

(40—1—81)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 6 AND 7 OF 1923.

NOTICE under section 19 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, is hereby given to their creditors that the insolvency petitions filed by Raj Chandra Rakhit, son of late Jogendra Nath Rakhit, and Ram Ratan Rakhit, son of late Jogendra Nath Rakhit, both residents of thana, chauki and district Bankura, have been admitted by this Court and that the 19th January 1924 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

IRADUTULLAH, District Judge.

Bankura, the 7th January 1924. (69- 1—72)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

(*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*)

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 53 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th November 1923, filed by Khalilar Rahaman, son of Isup Ali Manji, of Sholashahar, police-station Panchlaish, Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent and is directed to apply for discharge within six months. Mr. Perceival is appointed receiver.

Dated this 2nd day of January 1924

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

(52—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*)

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 58 OF 1923.

WHEREAS Ram Sundar Sarma, son of Becharam Sarma, of Gairala, police-station Patya district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 10th December 1923, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 19th day of January 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 3rd January 1924. (53—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*)

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 57 OF 1923.

WHEREAS Prakash Chandra Naha, son of Kali Kumar Naha, of Mitanala, police-station Mirsarai, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 29th November 1923, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 12th day of January 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 3rd January 1924. (54—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 13 OF 1923.

TAKE notice that the order of adjudication of Shefk Fincouree, of Jandi, police-station Bhanga, district Faridpur, has been annulled under section 43 on 21st December 1923.

Dated the 4th January 1924.

R. L. SADHU, District Judge.

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Surendranath Dutta, son of late Girish Chandra Dutta, of Ghutiabazar, thana Chinsurah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 46 of 1923 and that the 26th January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 27th September 1923. (1804—1—78)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Nachu Chowdhuri, son of late Mangal Chowdhuri, of Champdani, thana Serampur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 51 of 1923, and that the 19th January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th December 1923.

(2087—1—83)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Chhoto Ramdas Teli, son of late Fakir Teli, of Rishra, thana Serampur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 52 of 1923 and that the 19th January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 15th December 1923. (2108—1—84)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Dasurathi Set, son of late Nibaran Chandra Set, of Bahikali, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 88 of 1923 and that the 23rd January 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof

G. B. MUMFORD, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 3rd January 1924. (51—1—53)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 30 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 37 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 24th September 1923, filed by Sheikh Ummar, son of late Sheikh Moizuddin, of Chhota Tengra, Kharagpur, district Midnapore, debtor, and on the application of the above debtor himself and on reading the petition of insolvency and on examining the debtor and hearing Babu Nagendra Nath Chatterjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the 2nd February 1924 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and that they must prove their debts on that date and that the insolvent must apply for his discharge within one year from 1st December 1923.

Dated this 4th day of January 1924.

A. G. R. HENDERSON, District Judge.

(59—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 45 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Manikulla Saha, of Maipara, police station Puthia, district Rajshahi, has been adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 6th October 1923 and directed to come up for his discharge within six months.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 21st December 1923. (61—1—77)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jonabali Khalifa, of Baharam, police-station Shibganj, district Malda, has been adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 6th October 1923 and directed to come up for his discharge within six months.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 22nd December 1923. (62—1—76)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq , District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Abdul Jabbar Mean, son of late Araz-ullah Shaik, of Burabuti, police-station Ulipur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th day of February 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 9th January 1924. (78—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Enayetullah Munshi, son of late Araz-ullah Shaik, of Rameswar Sharma, police-station Ulipur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th day of February 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 9th January 1924. (79—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1923.

WHEREAS Osmuddin Shaik, son of late Shomosulla Shaik, of Dighal, police-station Bera, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 21st December 1923, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 21st January 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th January 1924. (84—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Promotha Nath Bhoumik *alias* Rakhal Chandra Bhoumik, son of late Prossanna Nath Bhoumik, of Garudaha, police station Serajgánj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 2nd January 1924, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 31st January 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th January 1924. (85—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 187 OF 1923.

Hari Charan Nath, of Rahora, thana Khardah, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Benode Behari Ganguli, of Khardah, thana Khardah, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 15th day of August 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 21st day of January 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 28th November 1923. (1978—1—79)

AKSHAY KUMAR GHOSH, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (2101—4—2140)

ANIL CHANDRA DATTA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (2107—4—2141)

DHIRENDRA NATH BISWAS, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (2106—4—2150)

INDU BHUSAN MUKHERJEE, M.Sc., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (17—4—17)

NIRAJANATH GHATAK, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (2124—4—2153)

PRABHAS CHANDRA MALLIK, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (49—4—74)

PURNA CHANDRA MUKERJI intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court. (2116—4—2149)

SACHINDRA NATH MUKERJEE intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (44—4—31)

SARASIJA KANTA PALIT, M.A., B.L., intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court. (2118—4—2143)

SHANTI KUMAR ROY CHAUDHURY, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court. (2100—4—2146)

SURENDRA NATH GANGULI intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court. (2115—4—2148)

SYAMADAS BHATTACHARYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (2105—4—2144)

NOTICE.

Imperial Bank of India.

THE Members of the Local Board have made the following changes in the Bank's Establishment :—

Mr. M. J. J. Corlett to be Accountant, Lahore Branch, as from 7th January 1924.

Mr. A. L. Heywood to act temporarily as Officer-in-charge, Kasauli Branch, as from 20th December 1923, *vice* Mr. L. P. Kichlu granted leave.

Mr. B. A C. Neville acted as Agent, Cawnpore Branch, during the temporary absence of Mr. H. R. Macpherson, from 14th to 19th December 1923 inclusive.

By order,

D. S. MCCLURE,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 8th January 1924. (72—1)

Bakarganj District Board.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 46 of Act III (B. C) of 1885, the District Board of Bakarganj at a special meeting held on the 17th December 1923 determined that, as usual, the road cess for the year 1924-25 shall be levied at the maximum rate, *i.e.*, six pies per rupee on the annual value of land, &c.

MD. ISMAIL KHAN, Chairman.

Barisal, the 9th January 1924. (86—1)

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921, will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924.

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest, warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on three cases of whisky marked ⟨F. & Sons⟩, ex. ss. "Clan Morrison" from Glasgow bonded by Messrs. Framjee & Co. in their private bonded godown at No. 11, Bentinck Street, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

W. W. NIND, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 9th January 1924. (80—2)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest, warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on 1 package of Gin, marked J A & Co., 872, ex SS. "Hatarana" from London, bonded by Messrs. Arratoon & Co, in their private warehouse situated at 28, Bentinck Street, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

W. W. NIND, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 20th December 1923. (22—2)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on 12 packages of Cigarettes, marked R R L out of No. 39-54, ex SS. "Nardana" from London, bonded by Messrs. Bruce Burrows & Co., in the Bengal Bonded Warehouse, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

W. W. NIND, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 20th December 1923. (23—2)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest, warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on 2 packages of Cigarettes marked A T 380 212, 213 ex. SS. "Gamaria" from London, bonded by the Manager, National Bank of India, Limited, in the Bengal Bonded Warehouse, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

W. W. NIND, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 3rd January 1924. (46—2)

For sale.

A LOT of surplus stores, such as coal, bricks, sand, etc., is lying for sale at Uluberia and Mohisrakha, in the Howrah district, and at Dainan in the Midnapore district. Offers are invited for the purchase of the whole or in part which should be submitted in sealed covers by the 20th January 1924, addressed to the undersigned who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any offer.

For further particulars please enquire at the office of the Executive Engineer, Damodar Division, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta, during office hours.

B. L. SUBARWAL,
Executive Engineer, Damodar Division.

Calcutta, the 10th January 1924.

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 33391, dated 14th December 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
186320	3½ per cent. of 1854-55.	1,000	Bejay Krishna Banerjee.
181955	"	1,000	
173755	"	500	
199796	"	1,000	

Name of the proprietor—Bejay Krishna Banerjee.

Residence—4, Sukea Row, Calcutta.

(87—1—82)

Notice.

A RECEIPT numbered 5145, dated 4th November 1922, was granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes, to one Sarba Sundari Dasi, of 40, Jelliatola Street, Calcutta, who is not the real owner of the notes. The receipt is therefore to be considered as null and void. Notice to this effect has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities.

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
157884	3½ per cent. 1865	500	Sarba Sundari Dasi.
088156	3½ " " 1842-43	200	
099276	3½ " " 1842-43	100	
099277	3½ " " 1842-43	100	

Name of the proprietor—Radha Kanta Sen, Manager of the lunatic Sarba Sundari Dasi.

Residence—15, Chorebagan 2nd Lane, Calcutta.

(19—3—75)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Timber Merchants and Furnishers, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Timber Merchants and Furnishers, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Bengal Carrying and Trading Corporation, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Bengal Carrying and Trading Corporation, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of Tosh's Engineering Works, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary General Meeting of the shareholders held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 24, Strand Road, Calcutta, on Friday, the 28th December 1923, at 3 P.M., the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed :—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly the Company be wound up voluntarily."

It was further resolved that Messrs. A F. Platt Allen and L. G. Bavin of Messrs. Viney & Thurston, Chartered Accountants, 1, Garstin Place, Calcutta, be and are hereby appointed Joint Liquidators for the purpose of the winding up.

J. C. TOSH, Chairman.

Calcutta, the 20th December 1923. (41—1—36)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of Tosh's Engineering Works, Limited (In liquidation).

THE creditors of the abovenamed Company are required on or before Monday, the 21st January 1924, to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Attorneys (if any) to Messrs. A F. Platt Allen and L. G. Bavin, of Messrs. Viney and Thurston, Chartered Accountants, 1, Garstin Place, Calcutta, the Joint Liquidators of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing by the Joint Liquidators or in person or by their Attorneys to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 2nd day of January 1924.

A. F. PLATT ALLEN,
L. G. BAVIN, } Joint liquidators.

(42—1—37)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of Tosh's Engineering Works, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 209 (*1*), that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held on Monday, the 21st January 1924, at 3 P.M., at the office of the Joint Liquidators, 1, Garstin Place, Calcutta.

A. F. PLATT ALLEN,
L. G. BAVIN, } Joint Liquidators

Calcutta, the 2nd January 1924.

(43—1—38)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

Of the Assam Paper Mills, Limited (old Company in voluntary liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition was on the 7th January 1924, presented on behalf of Mr. D. C. Mitra, Solicitor, liquidator of the above Company, *inter alia* for his discharge, for the appointment of Mr. K. C. Basu, Bar-at-Law, in his place, for directions to the latter for winding up, for directions for payment to the applicant of such remuneration as may be proper, for costs of the application and for further or other order. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Buckland on the 28th January 1924 and any creditor contributory dissentients to the resolution for liquidation of the said Company or the said Mr. K. C. Basu desirous of being heard on the said application should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel. A copy of the petition will be furnished to them by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Dated the 7th January 1924.

H. N. DATTA & Co.,

Attorneys for the petitioner.

(70—1—73)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Dacca Bailing Company, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 209 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at 25, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, on Friday, the 1st February 1924, at 5 P.M.

D. MCKECHNIE, *for* Self & Co-liquidator.

25, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, the 9th January 1924.

(73—1—70)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Dacca Bailing Company, Limited (in liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the members of the abovenamed Company duly convened and held at No. 3, Fairlie Place, in the town of Calcutta, on the 4th day of January 1924 the resolution below mentioned was passed as an extraordinary resolution :—

"That the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue to carry on its business and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Messrs. D. McKechnie and C. E. Walker, two of the members of the firm of Messrs. Lovelock and Lowes, be and they are hereby appointed liquidators for the purpose of such winding up with joint and several powers at a remuneration to be fixed in conjunction with the Managing Agents."

D. McKECHNIE, *for* Self and Co-liquidator.

25, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, the 9th January 1924.

(74—1—71)

Descriptive Catalogue of Sanskrit Manuscripts.

PARTS I, II, and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College, are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

Post Office.

Despatch of Sea-borne Mails.

MAILS FOR—	Day or date of closing of mails.	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
		Without late fee.	With late fee.*	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
United Kingdom, Europe, Aden, Egypt, East and West Africa and America.	Thursday ...	5-45	6-45	4-45	5-15
		A.M.	Noon.	A.M.	A.M.
Ceylon	Daily ...	11-30	12-0	10-30	11-0
† Australia and New Zealand (*vid* Colombo) ...	Jan. 21 ...	11-30	12-0	10-30	11-0
Straits Settlements, French Indo-China, Federated Malay States, Philippine Islands, Netherlands-India, Siam and China (*via* Negapatam).	,, 16 ...	11-30	12-0	10-30	11-0
		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Burma	,, 17 ...	7-30	8-0	5-0	6-0
Port Blair (*vid* Rangoon)	,, 28 ...	7-30	8-0	5-0	6-0

NOTE.—The latest date and hour for booking Money Orders and Parcels for despatch by the Homeward English mail is Wednesday, 3 P.M., and Thursday noon respectively.

* The late fee is 4 annas for each registered or unregistered article of the Letter Mail to any place in the countries named above except for Aden, Burma, Ceylon and Port Blair, the late fee for which is ½ anna for unregistered articles and 2 annas for registered articles. Letters are accepted with late fee only on occasions when a direct mail is closed by the Calcutta G. P. O. for Foreign countries.

† When there is no direct mail from Calcutta, correspondence for South Africa and Mauritius posted up to 5-15 P.M. in the Calcutta G. P. O. is despatched to Bombay and correspondence for Australia, New Zealand and Japan posted up to 11-30 A.M. to Colombo for transmission by the first available steamer.

Calcutta, G. P. O., the 12th January 1924.

C. D. RAE, Presidency Postmaster.

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :-

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs. 25

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*" which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post.

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs. Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Rs. 2.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

Government reserve the right to alter the price without notice.

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APPENDIX.

Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The 5th January 1924.

EAST COAST OF AUSTRALIA—MORETON BAY.

Lighting of Outer Freeman Channel for Navigation by Night.

Closure of the North or Howe Channel to Navigation.

Discontinuance of Tangaluma Light.

Placing a Lighted Buoy at East Knoll.

No. 1 (first publication).—With reference to this office Notice to Mariners No. 277 of 1923, the Portmaster, Brisbane, has given further Notice (No. 4 of 1923) that on and after 22nd December 1923, the Outer Freeman Channel will be lighted for navigation by night; the North Channel will be closed to navigation; Tangaluma Light will be discontinued, and the red buoy at the East Knoll will be replaced by a lighted buoy.

In the Outer Freeman Channel the following buoys will be replaced by lighted gas-buoys, viz.:—

The Outer Black Buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted black, and from which a fixed white light will show by night.

The Inner Black Buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted black, and showing a fixed green light.

The Outer Red Buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted red, and showing a fixed red light.

The junction chequered buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted red, and showing a fixed white light.

Also a small fixed white light will be exhibited from a lamp-room situated on the beach three-quarters of a mile eastward of Comboyuro Lighthouse. This light will show a bright sector between the approximate bearings from seaward of S. 30° W. and S. 4° E.

The North or Howe Channel will be closed to navigation both day and night. All buoys marking this channel will be removed.

The light at Tangaluma will be discontinued.

The red buoy off East Knoll will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted red, and showing a fixed white light.

DIRECTIONS FOR NAVIGATING FREEMAN CHANNEL BY NIGHT.

Vessels from the South intending to enter by this channel, after passing one mile off Cape Moreton and North Point, then steer W. by S. until Yellow Patch Light comes in line with Cape Moreton Light bearing S. 73° E. Keep these lights in line astern passing through the white sector of Comboyuro beach light. When this light shuts

out bearing approximately S. 4° E. the vessel will then be abreast the Freeman Channel Fairway Buoy, which is not lighted; haul down immediately to pass midway between the white and red lighted buoys. When abreast these lights steer to pass from a cable to a cable and a half off the green light; leave it on the port hand. When abreast this light steer to pass the white light, leaving it the same distance on the starboard hand, then proceed on until the small white light comes in line with Howard Range Light bearing S. 37° E. which marks a course midway between Yule Bank Buoy and Comboyuro Point. Continue on this line until abreast Comboyuro Point and thence proceed as hitherto.

DIRECTIONS BY DAY ARE AS HITHERTO.

By following these directions a depth of 24 feet at L. W. S. will be obtained.

Caution.—The notice of mariners is particularly called to the remarks on Moreton Bay Chart, Northern Portion, 1670A, in reference to the shifting nature of channels, the strong set of tides across the channels, and liability of buoys to break adrift.

Further, as in bad weather a heavy breaking sea occurs in this channel, it is advisable to use the North-West Channel under such conditions at night.

At night an incoming vessel should wait outside until any vessel proceeding out through this channel is well clear to seaward.

Chart affected: No. 1670A; Australia Directory, volume 3, page 105.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUBANG ISLAND.

Look Bay—Amendments to Chart re Shoals and Reefs.

No. 2 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1900 of 1923), are republished :—

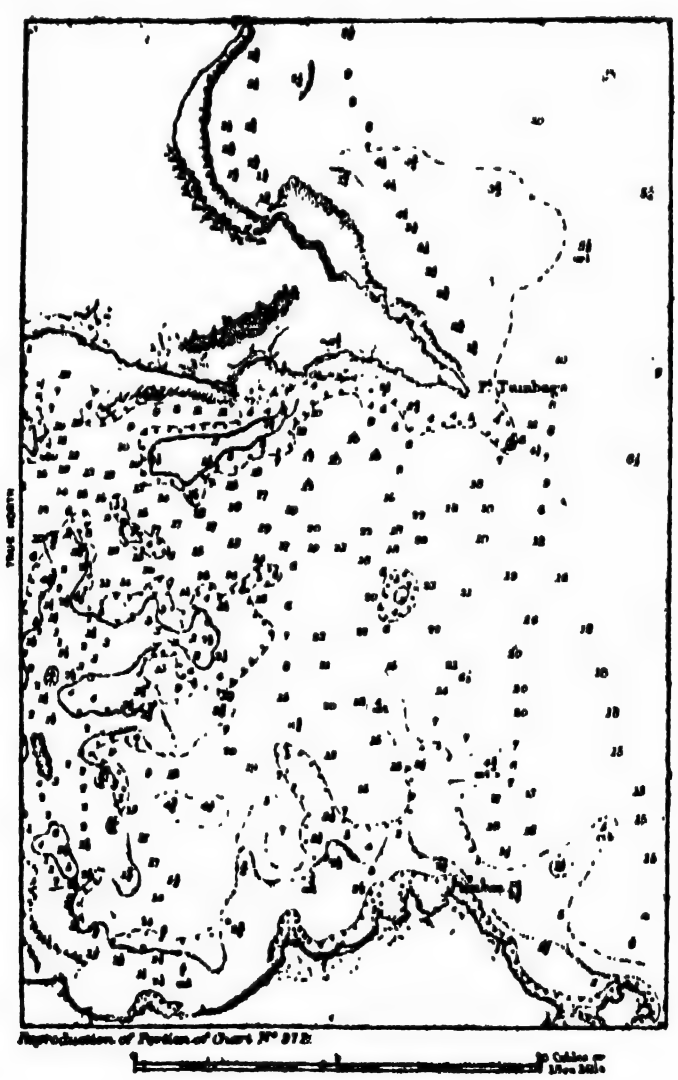
Position.—Point Tumbaga, lat. 13° 44′ N., long. 120° 17′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The accompanying reproduction of a portion of the plan quoted below, shows the necessary amendments with regard to shoals, reefs and fathom lines in Look bay and its entrance.

Chart affected.—No. 972, Plan of Look bay.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 34.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 120-23.*)



NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN—CAROLINE ISLANDS.

Truk Hogolu Islands—General Information to be inserted on Chart.

No. 3 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1912 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Dublon island, lat. 7° 23′ N., long. 151° 52′ E. (*approx.*).

(1) Shoal marked by buoy :

(*a*) Shoal :

Position.—In North East pass, at a distance of 8·35 miles 026° from Kutua point, Dublon island.

Depth 4½ fathoms (8m 2).

(*b*) Buoy :

Position.—Marking the above shoal.

Description.—A red buoy, with topmark.

Remarks.—For the note shown against North East pass on the chart, substitute the words "*Good passage* (*about 7 fms.*)."

(2) Existence of reefs and shoals :

(*a*) *Position.*—Off the south-eastern side of Moen, at a distance of 1·5 miles 317° from Kutua point, Dublon island. From this position a reef extends in a 039° direction for a distance of one mile.

Description.—A coral reef.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 2·9 miles 303° from the north-western point of Moen.

Details.—This position is to be encircled by a danger line on the chart and is to be marked "(*P.A.*)"

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 3·7 miles 307° from the north-western point of Moen.

Details.—This position is to be encircled by a danger line on the chart and is to be marked "(*P.A.*)."

(*d*) *Position.*—Close southward of Pis island, at a distance of 10·8 miles 349½° from the north-western point of Moen.

Description.—A small coral reef, about 3 cables in extent.

(*e*) *Position.*—Eastward of Pis island at a distance of 11·2 miles 358½° from the north-western point of Moen.

Description.—A small coral reef, about 3 cables in extent.

(3) W/T mast established :

Position.—On Dublon island, at a distance of about 7 cables 257° from Kutua point

Details.—This position is to be marked "*W-T Mast* (*P.A.*)."

(4) Foul ground :

Position.—Between Dublon and Fefan islands, at a distance of about 1½ miles south-westward of Mount Tolomen.

Details.—The anchorage symbol shown on the chart in this position is to be expunged. The note "*Foul Ground*" is to be substituted in the vicinity.

(5) Beacon established :

Position.—On the southern side of North East pass, at a distance of 8·3 miles 037° from Kutua point.

Description.—A beacon.

Chart affected.—No. 982, Truk or Hogolu islands.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, pages 613, 614, 615.

Authority.—H. M. S. *Forglove*, Remark Book, 1923, and Japanese Government Chart. (*H. 6051-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—New South Wales.

Port Jackson Entrance—Depth in Dredged Channel.

No. 4 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1930 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—George head, lat. 33° 50′ S., long. 151° 16′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The following note is to be inserted on chart No. 1069, against the leading line which passes in a 224° direction, between George head and the Sow and Pigs beacon.

"*Channel 500 ft. wide, dredged to 40 ft. (1922).*"

Chart affected.—No. 1069, Port Jackson.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 31.

Authority.—Sydney Harbour Trust. (*H. 4943-23.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST—Batavia Roads.

Tanjong Priok Approach—Existence of shoal.

No. 5 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1936 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 7 cables eastward of Vader Smit reef. Lat. 6° 04′ 00″ S., long. 106° 52′ 08″ E., on chart No. 933.

Depth.—3½ fathoms (6^{m}4).

Charts affected.—No. 933, Batavia roads.

„ 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 75.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2907 of 1923. (*H. 8044-23.*)

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

Round Hill Point—Light established.

No. 6 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1938 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 3·83 cables 034° from Round Hill 717 ft. (218^{m}5) ▲.

Lat. 41° 04′ S., long. 146° 03′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl. *W.R. ev. 3 sec., 100 ft. vis. 16 & 12 m.* Characteristics :

Character.—*Flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every three seconds* thus :—Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 2·7 sec.

Elevation.—100 feet (30^{m}5).

Visibility.—*White* light 16 miles, *red* light 12 miles.

Sectors.—*Red* over Blackman point reef. The limits of the sectors are not stated.

Power.—*White* light 3,000 candles ; *Red* light 1,200 candles.

Structure.—Square concrete house ; white lantern ; 22 feet (6^{m}7) in height.

Note.—The light is unwatched. The notation "(*P.D.*)" is to be inserted against this light on the plan quoted and "(*P.D.*)" on Chart No. 1695*b*.

Charts affected.—No. 3717, Plan of Emu bay.

„ 1695*b*, Bass strait—Western sheet.

„ 1079, Tasmania.

„ 2759*b*, Australia—Southern portion.

„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn—western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2798*a*.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 281.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Trade and Customs) Notice No. 21 of 1923. (*H. 8006-23.*)

NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN—PALAU ISLANDS.

Malakal Harbour and Koror Road—General Amendments to Plans.

No. 7 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1949 of 1923), are republished :—

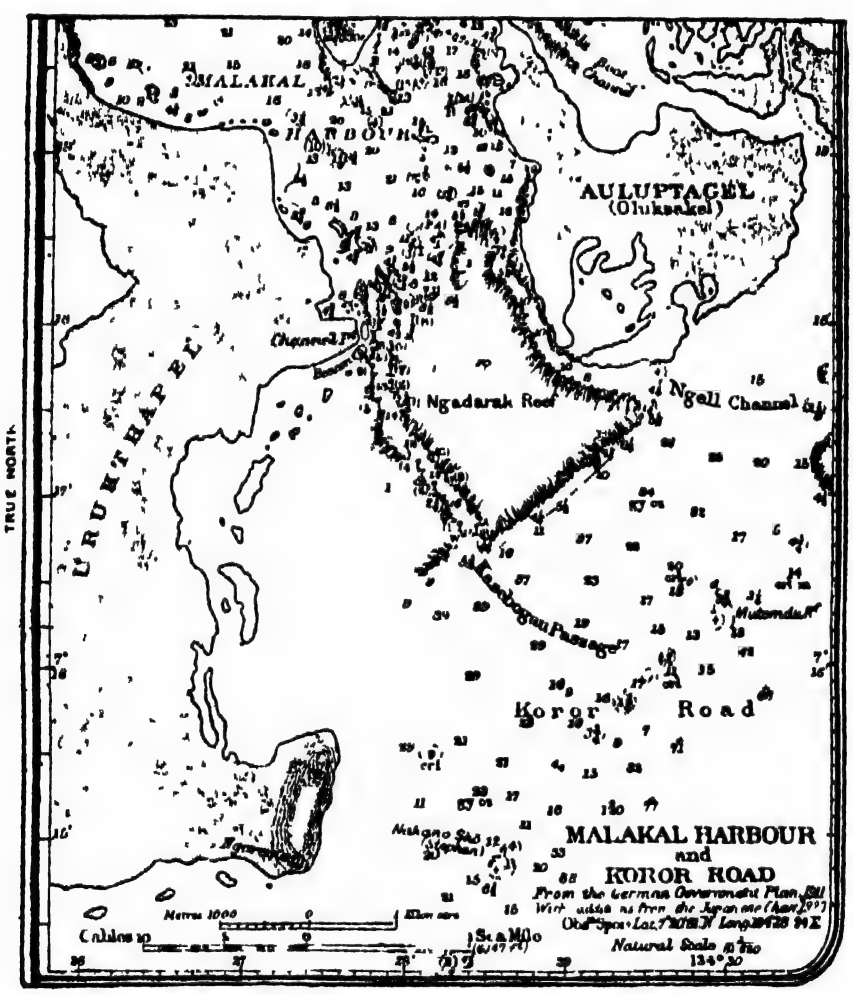
Position.—Kasebogau passage, southern entrance.
Lat. 7° 17′ N., long. 134° 28′ E. (*approx.*).

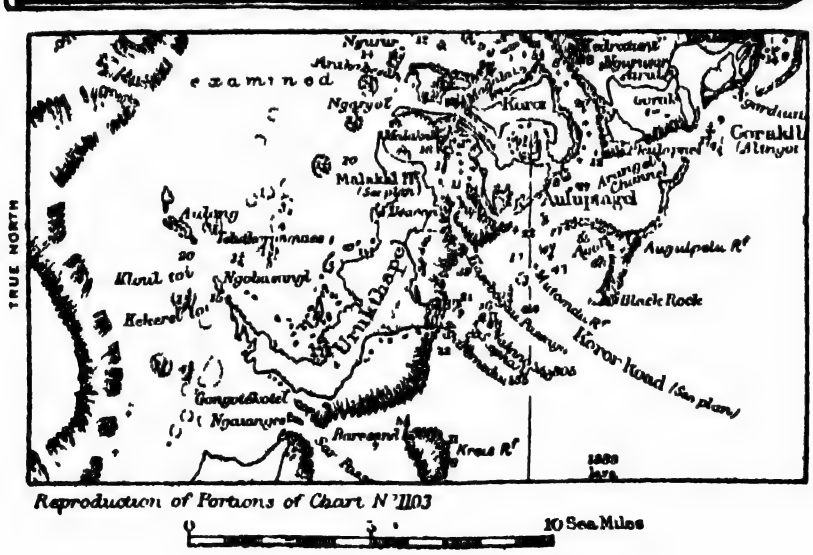
Details.—The accompanying reproductions of portions of the plans quoted below show the necessary amendments with regard to reefs, rocks, shoals, depths, buoys and beacons in Malakal harbour and approaches, and Koror road.

Charts affected.—No. 1103, Plan of Malakal harbour and Koror road. Plan of Palau islands.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, pages 636, 637.

Authority.—Japanese Government Chart. (*H. 2610-28*).





Reproduction of Portions of Chart N° 1103

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST.

Torres Strait—Certain Shoals to be erased from reproductions of portions of Charts.

No. 8 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1954 of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notices.—Nos. 1738 and 1815 of 1923. (*This Office Nos. 411 and 427 of 1923.*)

Position.—Booby island, lat. 10° 36′ S., long. 141° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Correction.—The following shoals, which do not exist, are to be erased from the reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 437, 2375 and 2354 accompanying Notice No. 1815 of 1923 (*This Office No. 427 of 1923*) those shoals having been expunged from the chart plates in accordance with Notice No. 1738 of 1923 (*This Office No. 411 of 1923*) :—

Position.					Depth.		
2·7 miles	151°	from	Booby island lighthouse	..	4½ fathoms		(8m2).
3·1 „	154°	„	„	...	31	„	(5m9).
2·2 „	329°	„	„	...	5	„	(9m1).
1·4 „	343°	„	„	...	4	„	(7m3).

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 234.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 8021-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—QUEENSLAND.

Beaver Reef—Shoal westward of.

No. 9 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1955 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 17° 51′ 00″ S., long. 146° 28′ 00″ E. (*approx.*), on chart No. 2349.

Depth.—3 fathoms (5m5).

Remarks.—The notation "(*P.A.*)" is to be inserted against this shoal on chart No. 2349.

Charts affected.—No. 2349, Magnetic island to Double point.
„ 2763, Coral sea and Great Barrier reefs—sheet 1.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. IV, 1917, page 189.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 14 of 1923. (*H. 8007-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Beira Approach—Non-existence of Shoals.

No. 10 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1961 of 1923), are republished :—

The following shoals are to be expunged from the charts :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Lat. 20° 00′ 00″ S., long. 35° 10′ 00″ E., on chart No. 597.

Description.—A circular danger line, marked "shoal."

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of 6 miles 203° from (*a*).

Description.—A shoal marked by a circular danger line.

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of 11 miles 205° from (*a*).

Depth.—4 fathoms (7m3).

(*d*) *Position.*—At a distance of 10 miles 236° from (*a*).

Depth.—3 fathoms (5^{m}5).

(*e*) *Position.*—At a distance of 10 miles 266° from (*a*).

Depth.—2 fathoms (3^{m}7).

Note.—The foregoing corrections will be included in new edition of chart No. 648 shortly to be published.

Charts affected.—No. 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 223.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5961-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Beira, north-eastern Approach—Shoal reported.

No. 11 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1962 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 19° 41′ S., long. 35° 13′ E., on chart No. 597.

Details.—A depth of 2 fathoms (3^{m}7) is to be substituted for the 6 fathom (11^{m}0) depth shown on the chart in this position.

Note.—The above correction will be included in new edition of chart No. 648 shortly to be published.

Chart affected.—No. 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 229.

Authority.—H. M. S. *Verbena*, Hyd. No. 4 of 1923. (*H. 5968-23.*)

The 29th December 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Netrani or Pigeon Island—Existence of wreck south-westward of.

No. 435 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 94M of 1923), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 12 miles south-westward of Pigeon Island.

Lat. 13° 52′ N.
Long 74° 11′ E. } approx.

Details.—Further information has now been received that the derelict referred to in the former Notice No. 81-M. of 1923, as a heavy spar attached to a sunken wreck, is considered to be a sunken wreck showing a large mast about 8 feet above water.

Caution.—Mariners are hereby warned accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 827, Vengurla to Cape Comorin.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, northern portion.

Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, dated 29th November 1923.

PERSIAN GULF.

Kais Island Light-vessel—To be temporarily relieved by a Trawler.

No. 436 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 95M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 26° 28′ N.
Long. 53° 58′ E. } approx.

Details.—On or about 29th December 1923, the Kais Island light-vessel will be temporarily relieved by a trawler, showing a fixed white light visible about 8 miles and a blue flare every half hour.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, eastern sheet.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 300.
Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.

Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, dated 27th November 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

PORT OF RANGOON.

Monkey Point Channel, Front leading mark—Alteration in position.

No. 437 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 96M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position—Lat. 16° 46′ N.
Long. 96° 12′ E. } approx.

Details—The Arracan Chimney (dismantled), which was hitherto used as the Arracan Mark, has been removed from its present position to a new site further east maintaining the same central track transit.

Chart affected.—No. 833, Rangoon river and Approaches.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 465.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator of the Port of Rangoon Pilot Marine Circular No. 34, dated 19th November 1923.

MADAGASCAR, NORTH-WEST COAST—BOMBETOKE BAY ENTRANCE.

Mojanga (Mojunga) Rear Leading Beacon—Alteration in position.

No. 438 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1836 of 1923), are republished :—

New position.—At a distance of about 8 cables south-eastward of charted position and 3·0 miles 132° from Ile Verte (front) beacon.

Lat. 15° 48′ S., long. 46° 23′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A black and white beacon.

Remarks.—The former leading line, marked "Beacons in line 136°," shown on chart No. 701, is to be expunged and the new leading line marked "*Beacons in line 132°*" is to be inserted. The pecked line, marked "124°," shown on chart No. 701 to the north-westward of the outer end of the former leading line, is also to be erased.

Charts affected.—No. 701, Bombetoke bay, and delta of Betsiboka river.
„ 378, Maromanjo point to Makambytra bay.
„ 759*a*, Cape St. Andrew to Bevato island.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1923, pages 331, 332.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 1963 of 1923. (*H. 7896/23.*)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—ST. VINCENT GULF.

Port Adelaide River No. 0 Leading Lights—Alterations in character.

No. 439 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1839 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—Close westward of south-western end of Revetment mound.

Lat. 34° 47′ S., long. 138° 28′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every second.*

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—At a distance of about 4½ cables eastward of front light (*a*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl, *ev.* ½ *sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every half second.*

Remarks.—In other respects the leading lights are unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.

„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs, with plan.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 2356, 2356*a*.

Authority.—Adelaide Notice No. 12 of 1923. (*H. 6918/23.*)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—ST. VINCENT GULF.

Port Adelaide River No. 1 Leading Lights—Alterations in character.

No. 440 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1840 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—Near the north-eastern end of Revetment mound.

Lat. 34° 47′ S., long. 138° 29′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *R. ev. sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed red light has been replaced by a *flashing red* light *every second.*

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ cables north-eastward of front light (*a*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev.* ½ *sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every half second.*

Remarks.—In other respects the leading lights are unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.

„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs, with plan.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 2357, 2358.

Authority.—Adelaide Notice No. 12 of 1923. (*H. 6918-23.*)

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE APPROACHES.

Singapore Harbour Limits to be inserted on Charts.

No. 441 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1855 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—White obelisk on the foreshore, situated close westward of Tanjong Katong.

Lat. 1° 18′ N., long. 103° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—Pecked lines, marked "*Harbour Limit*" are to be drawn on the charts from the above white obelisk as follows :—

(*a*) In a 202° direction to Peak island white obelisk.
(*b*) Thence in a 224° direction to the south-eastern end of East St. John island.
(*c*) Thence in a 231° direction to the south-eastern end of West St. John island.
(*d*) Thence in a 260° direction to the south-eastern end of Middle island.
(*e*) Thence in a 270° direction for a distance of 2·79 miles.
(*f*) Thence in a 000° direction to the northern shore at the entrance to Sungi Pandan.

Remarks.—On chart No. 1994 pecked lines are also to be drawn as follows :—

(i) From the south-eastern end of Middle island in a 053° direction for a distance of one mile.
(ii) Thence in a 335° direction for a distance of 2·56 miles.
(iii) Thence in a 246° direction to the north-western end of Freshwater island.

Note.—The note "*Anchorage for Vessels carrying Petroleum*" is to be inserted within this area, to the south-westward of (ii).

Charts affected.—No. 1995, Singapore road. (*a*) (*b*) (*c*) (*d*)
„ 1994, Western approaches to Singapore.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 270, 274.

Authority.—Singapore Port Regulations. (*H. 5532/23.*)

CHINA SEA—SOUTHERN PORTION.

Pulo Sapatu—Discoloured water reported eastward of.

No. 442 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1866 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 44 miles eastward of Pulo Sapatu.

Lat. 10° 02′ 00″ N., long. 109° 51′ 00″ E., on chart No. 2660*a*.

Details.—The above position, which is to be encircled by a danger line on the charts, is to be marked "*Discold. water Repd. (1923)*" on chart No. 2660*a*.

Charts affected.—No. 2660*a*, China sea, southern portion, western sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 106.

Authority.—Lloyds List. (*H. 7071-23.*)

JAPAN—KYUSHU, WEST COAST.

Nagasaki Harbour—Information re Time Signals.

No. 443 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1867 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Oura, lat. 32° 44′ N., long. 129° 52′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The words "Time Ball," shown near Oura on the charts, are to be deleted, together with the following note :—

"Time Ball."

"The Time Ball at Oura is dropped at noon of the 135th Meridian, corresponding to $15^{hrs.}\ 00^{min.}\ 00^{sec.}$ G.M.T."

The following note is to be substituted for the above on the charts :—

"*Time Signals*"

"*Time Signals are made from the Harbour Board Observatory, Oura, at Noon of the 135th Meridian corresponding to 15h. 00m. 00s. G.M.T., and at 9 p.m., corresponding to Noon G.M.T., the former by Time ball and the latter by Signal lights.*"

Charts affected.—No. 2815, Nagasaki harbour.
„ 2415, Approach to Nagasaki harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 5057*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 469.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 513 of 1923. (*H. 6943/23*).

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG ENTRANCE.

South Channel—Information re Light-Vessels and Light-Buoys

No. 444 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1869 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Alteration in position of Tungsha light-vessel :

New position.—At a distance of about 3¼ miles south-eastward of charted position and 10·36 miles 088° from Nanhui beacon.

Lat. 31° 05′ N., long. 122° 02′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—As described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

(*b*) Alteration in position of Kiutoan light-vessel :

New position.—At a distance of about one mile south-eastward of charted position and 7·28 miles 014° from Nanhui beacon.

Description.—As described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

Remarks.—The note "*Less water repd.* (*1923*)," is to be inserted on chart No. 1602, at a distance of about 2 miles north-westward of the new position of Kiutoan light-vessel.

(*c*) Wreck-marking light-buoy withdrawn :

Position.—Close northward of new position of Tungsha light-vessel.

Description.—A wreck-marking light-buoy, with occulting white light.

Remarks.—The wreck, sunk in the year 1917, together with the unlighted green buoy, shown in this position, is to be retained on the charts.

(*d*) Light-buoy established :

Position.—At a distance of 7·47 miles 057° from Nanhui beacon.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted red, marked "Flats," exhibiting an *occulting white* light *every eight seconds*, thus :—

Light 4 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.
„ 1199, Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki. (*a*), (*b*)
„ 1263, China sea. (*a*)
„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liau-tung. (*a*).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 1586 and 1591.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 376 ; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 677 of 17th September 1923. (*H. 7339/23.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST, BASSEIN RIVER ENTRANCE.

Diamond island—Baroni rock buoy.

No. 445 (*second publication*).—

Former Notice.—No. 77 of 1923.

Subject.—The lighted gas buoy marking the Baroni rock has been replaced by an unlighted spherical buoy painted black with a white horizontal band.

Charts affected.—No. 834, Bassein river and approaches.
„ 3772, Calventuras to Bassein river.
„ 823, Koronge island to White point.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 447.

Authority.—Port Officer, Bassein, Burma, Notice dated 17th December 1923.

The 21st December 1923.

JAVA, NORTH COAST.

(*1*) *Tanjong Priok—Intended Alteration in Time-Signal.*

(*2*) *Surabaya—Intended Alteration in Time-Signal.*

No. 425 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1794 of 1923), are republished—

(1) Tanjong Priok.

Date of alteration.—On or about 1st January 1924 ; without further Notice.

Position.—On the southern side of Tanjong Priok harbour.
Lat. 6° 06′ S., long. 106° 53′ E. (*approx*).

Details.—In the note shown against this time-signal, on chart No. 933, the Greenwich Mean Time is to be altered from "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 45{\cdot}5^s.$" to "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 00^s.$"

(2) Surabaya.

Date of alteration.—On or about 1st January 1924 ; without further Notice.

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ miles westward of Kalabangkang point.
Lat. 7° 12′ S., long. 112° 44′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—In the note shown against this time-signal on the plan quoted below, the Greenwich Mean Time is to be altered from "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 45{\cdot}5^s.$" to "$16^h.\ 40^m.\ 00^s.$"

Remarks.—The above alterations will be necessitated by the intended alteration in the Standard Time of Central Java, on the date quoted, to $7^h.\ 20^m.\ 0^s.$ fast on Greenwich.

Charts affected.—No. 934, Plan of Surabaya strait (**2**).
„ 933, Batavia roads. (**1**).
„ 1654, Island of Java—eastern portion (**2**).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 5032, 5033.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 3, 98, 138.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1923 (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2421 of 1923. (*H. 6893-23.*)

JAVA, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

Trowers (*Tinjil*) *Island—Non-existence of rock northward of*

No. 426 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1814 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles north-westward of the eastern end of Trowers (Tinjil) island.
Lat. 6° 56′ S., long. 105° 48′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The rock, marked "P. D.," with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^m8), shown on the charts in the above position, does not exist and is to be expunged accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 1653, Island of Java—western portion.
„ 941*a*, Eastern archipelago—sheet 1.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 32.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1923 (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2422 of 1923. (*H. 6894-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—Torres Strait.

Prince of Wales Channel, Western Approaches—Amendments to Charts re Depths.

No. 427 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1815 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Booby island, lat. 10° 36′ S., long. 141° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—Decreased depths south-westward of Booby island, and between that island and Larpent bank, have been revealed by a recent survey. The necessary corrections to charts Nos 437, 2375 and 2354 are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of those charts.

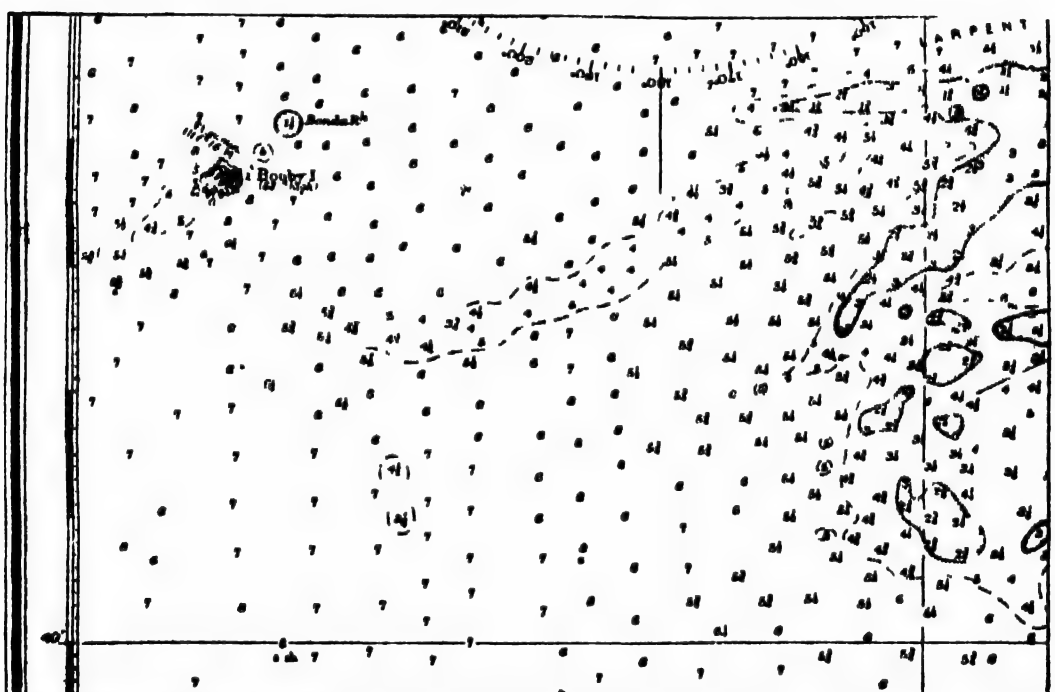
A depth of 5¼ fathoms (9m6) also exists westward of White rocks in each of the following positions, and the charts are to be corrected accordingly :—

(*a*) Lat. 10° 26′ 40″ S., long. 141° 57′ 36″ E.
(*b*) „ 10° 26′ 57″ S., „ 141° 58′ 10″ E
(*c*) „ 10° 27′ 04″ S., „ 141° 58′ 24″ E.
(*d*) „ 10° 27′ 03″ S., „ 141° 59′ 05″ E.
(*e*) „ 10° 26′ 42″ S., „ 141° 59′ 30″ E.
(*f*) „ 10° 29′ 45″ S., „ 141° 56′ 48″ E.

Charts affected.—No. 437, Albany pass to Booby island.
„ 2375, Torres strait -western channels.
„ 2454, Cape Grenville to Booby island.
„ 447, Western approaches to Torres strait. (*b*), (*c*) and (*f*).

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, pages 234, 249.

Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome*. (*H. 6708-23.*)



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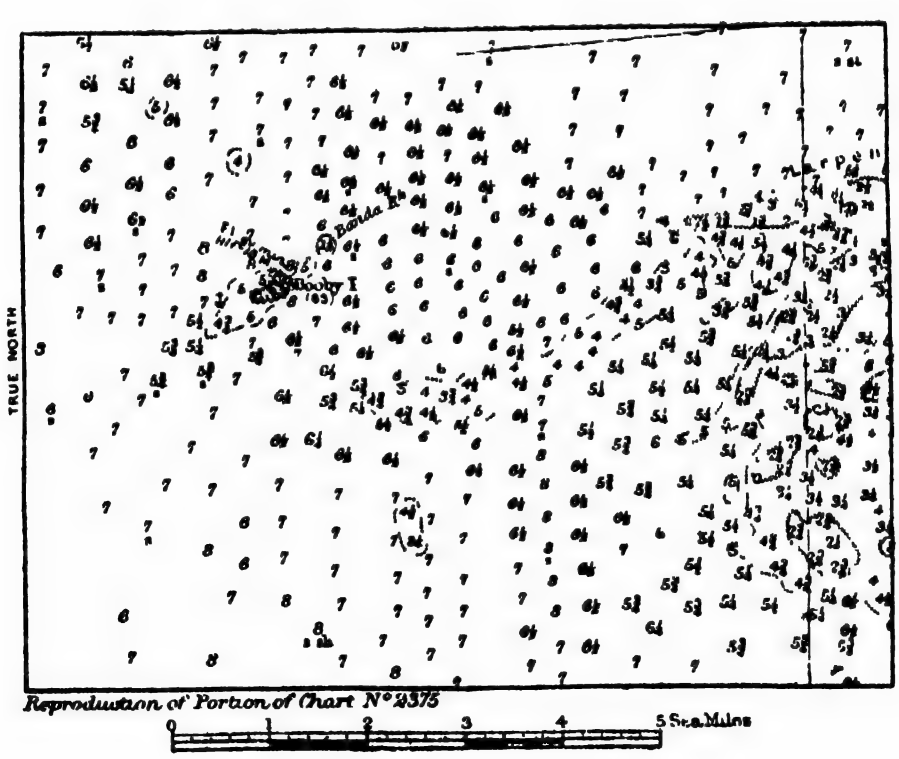

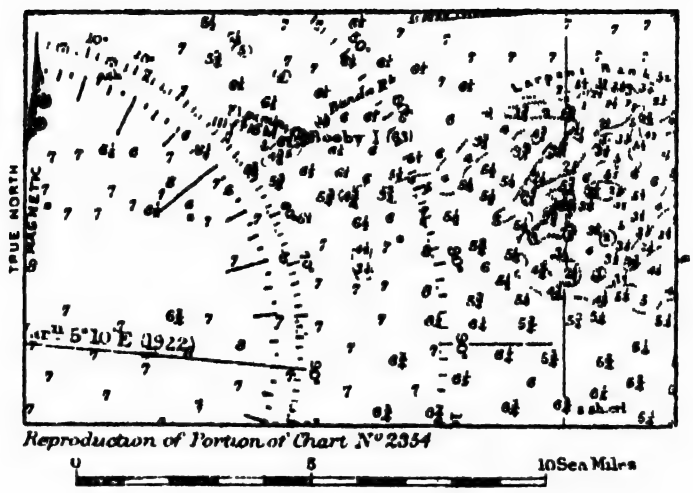

NEW GUINEA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—China strait.

East Iguari Island—Light established.

No. 428 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1816 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—On the 400 ft. (121m9) summit, at a distance of 9·6 cables 011° from the eastern point of Lessamanu (Brewer) island.
Lat. 10° 34′ S., long. 150° 44′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl. *ev. sec., vis. 10 m.*

Characteristics :

Character.—Flashing white every second.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Note.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 1088, China strait and approaches.
„ 2123, Orangerie bay to Framble haven.
„ 2764, Coral sea and Great Barrier reefs—sheet 2.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2789*a*.
Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, page 115.

Authority.—H.M.A.S. *Brisbane*, Hyd. Note No. 4 of 1923. (*H. 7508-23.*)

BORNEO, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Baram Point—Discoloured Water reported westward of.

No. 429 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1817 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 80 miles westward of Baram point lighthouse.
Lat. 4° 41′ 00″ N., long. 112° 39′ 30″ E., on chart No. 2660*b*.

Details.—The above position is to be encircled on the charts by a danger line with the note "*Discoloured Water Repd. (1923).*"

Charts affected.—No. 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 2683, Pacific ocean.

Publications.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, pages 87, 88.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, (*in press*).

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2489 of 1923. (*H. 7016-23.*)

CHINA SEA—SOUTHERN PORTION.

Thi-tu-Island—Shoal reported north-westward of.

No. 430 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1818 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 20 miles north-westward of Thi-tu island. Lat. 11° 11′ 00″ N., long. 113° 58′ 00″ E.

Note.—The above shoal, which is reported by German SS. *Munsterland*, is to be encircled on the charts by a danger line with the note "*Reported (1923).*"

Charts affected.—No. 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 2483, Atlantic and Indian oceans, &c.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 97.

Authority.—Berlin Notice No. 2794 of 1923. (*H. 6692-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Beira Harbour Approach—Buoy replaced by Light-Buoy.

No. 431 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1827 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—On the southern side of the western end of Portella channel. Lat. 19° 57′ 07″ S., long. 34° 52′ 25″ E., on chart No. 1003.

Details.—No. 3 black spar buoy with topmark has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *fixed red* light.

Note.—The notation "(*P. A.*)" is to be inserted against this light-buoy on chart No. 1003. The former No. 3 spar buoy was not shown on some copies of the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 1003, Beira harbour.
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 225.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 47 of 1923. (*H. 7556-23.*)

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG APPROACH.

Shaweishan Island—Less water reported southward of.

No. 432 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1828 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Shaweishan island, lat. 31° 25′ N., long. 122° 14′ E (*approx.*).

Details.—The note "*Considerably less water Repd (1923.)*" is to be inserted on the charts at a distance of about 1½ miles southward of the above island. Pending further Notice vessels are warned not to approach within 2 miles of Shaweishan island lighthouse.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.
„ 1199, Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 381.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 679 of 24th September 1923. (*H. 7681-23.*)

TASMANIA—NORTH COAST—Stanley.

Hyfield Point—Intended New Light (U.)

No. 433 (third publication).—

Subject.—A Group Flashing White Light (U) will be established on Hyfield Point on or about 16th February 1924.

Position.—On the summit of Hyfield Point (134′), 1·6 cables distant, bearing 201° from Circular Head Light.

Lat. 40° 44′ S., long. 145° 17′ E. on Chart No. 3687.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing White* Light showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *nine* seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	6 sec.

Elevation.—150 feet.

Visibility.—18 miles.

Power.—3,000 candles.

Structure.—Square concrete house with white lantern 22 feet in height.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. The fixed light on Circular Head will be continued as heretofore.

Note.—Further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Rocky Head.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695b, Bass Strait, sheet No. 2.
„ 2759b, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot Vol. II, 1918, page 286.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 25 of 1923.

AUSTRALIA—SOUTH COAST—Spencer Gulf.

South Light, Eastern Shoal—Intended New Light. Buoy to be withdrawn.

No. 434 (third publication).—

Subject.—A Group Flashing White Light (U) will be established on the south end of Eastern Shoal, and the Red and White striped buoy will be removed on or about 1st March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 33° 10½′ S., long. 137° 43½′ E. on Chart No. 403.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing White* Light showing *four* flashes in quick succession every *twelve* seconds, thus:—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
⅓ sec.	1 sec.	⅓ sec.	1 sec.	⅓ sec.	1 sec.	⅓ sec.	7⅔ secs.

Elevation.—18 feet.

Visibility.—9 miles.

Power.—300 candles.

Structure.—Lantern, painted white, carried on pile structure 20 feet high.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 403, Wood Point to Lowly Point.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1918, page 222.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 26 of 1923.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

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CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

Notice under section 63 (5) of Bengal Act V of 1911 as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta have applied to the Local Government for sanction to the revised plan of the Proposed Public Street No. I (Cossipore-Chitpore) which was originally published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 7th March 1923.

T. EMERSON, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 9th January 1924.*

Notice under section 47 (3) of Bengal Act V of 1911.

IT is hereby notified that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta have applied to the Local Government for sanction to Improvement Scheme No. XXIII (in continuation of the Trust's 20 feet road on the north in the Karbala Tank Lane Re-housing Scheme) which was originally published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 16th May 1923.

T. EMERSON, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 4th January 1924.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Irrigation operations for the official year 1923-24.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of November 1923.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Details of areas leased.							Rainfall, 1923-24.		Rainfall, 1922-23.	
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.					Grand total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot weather.	Total.					
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres	Acres.	Acres	Acres.	Acres.	Inches	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
S.-W. Circle.	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	1,411	313	249	63,929	73,309	62,587	1,342	...	...	...	1,342	63,929	0·40	43·96	0·94	52·93
		Panchkura	522	17	12	5,415	4,869	6,099	...	...	...	...	...	6,099	0·85	42·98	0·15	67·95
	Howrah ...	Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·59	43·72	...	81·56
		Total Midnapore Canal ...	...	...	...	69,344	78,178	68,686	1,342	...	...	...	1,342	70,028	...	...	...	...
		Total of the corresponding period last year.	...	...	...	...	...	72,432	7,434	...	...	...	7,434	79,866	...	...	...	...
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	31	4	20,186	21,317	19,292	168*	142	31	...	341	19,633	0·24	55·30	...	69·83
		Total of the corresponding period last year	...	...	...	...	...	21,608	605	6	20	...	631	21,706	...	...	...	...
		Grand Total ...	...	...	...	89,530	99,495	87,978	1,510	142	31	...	1,683	89,661	...	...	...	...
		Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	94,040	8,039	6	20	...	8,065	101,572	...	...	..	...

* Of which 5 acres are "single watering."

CALCUTTA, *the 8th January 1924.*

A. G. MAFLIN, *Personal Assistant to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 5th January 1924.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1923.					
30th December ...	7 A.M.	8·5	8·5	8·2	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
31st ,, ...	7 ,,	8·4	8·4	8·2	
1924.					The bench mark for this gauge is marked on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
1st January ...	7 ,,	8·2	8·2	8·2	
2nd ,, ...	7 ,,	8·0	8·0	8·2	
3rd ,, ...	7 ,,	7·9	7·9	8·2	
4th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·9	7·9	8 2	Its reduced level is 26·84.
5th ,, ...	7 ,,	8·0	8·0	8·3	

Highest recorded flood ...	...	24·1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood	...	25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Lowest recorded water-level	...	5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923.
Previous recorded low water-level	...	1·0 on the 9th February 1914.

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

M. L. MOITRA, for *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAJBARI, *the 5th January 1924.* *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending 5th January 1924.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1923.					
30th December ...	7 A.M.	40·60	40·60	38·75	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet above Kidderpore old dock sill.
31st ,, ...	7 ,,	40·55	40·55	38·65	
1924.					B. M on Rajshahi College step 64·93.
1st January ...	7 ,,	40·45	40·45	38·65	
2nd ,, ...	7 ,,	40·40	40 40	38·65	Value of zero = 0·00 P. W. D.
3rd ,, ...	7 ,,	40·30	40·30	38·60	
4th ,, ...	7 ,,	40·25	40·25	38·50	
5th ,, ...	7 ,,	40·15	40·15	38·45	

		Old value.	According to P. W. D. datum.
The previous year's	Highest water-level ...	on 27th August 1923 ...	41·05
Do.	Lowest ,, ...	on 4th May 1923 ...	35·80
Record	Highest ,, ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879 ...	64 44
Do.	Do. ,, ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885 ...	64·27
Do.	Do. ,, ...	68·80 on 25th August 1906 ...	63·47
Do	Do. ,, ...	68·21 on 26th August 1890 ...	63·40
Do	Lowest ,, ...	37·68 on 25th April 1884 ...	32·82
Do.	Do ,, ...	38·18 on 14th and 15th April 1888 ...	33·32
Do.	Do. ,, ...	39·02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897 ...	34·21
Do	Do. ,, ...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908 ...	34·47
Do.	Do. ,, ...	on 9th May 1922 ...	34·70

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer*,

BOALIA, *the 5th January 1924.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 29th December 1923.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1923.							
23rd Dec.	53·3	11-15	54·35	17-30	53·0	53·2	H. T. at 11-25. F. T. at 17-40.
24th „ ...	53·0	12-0	54·2	Dark	...	53 4	H. T. at 12-15. F. T. at 6-30.
25th „ ...	52·9	12-40	54·05	6 20	52·8	53·6	H. T. at 12-53. F. T. at 7-45.
26th „ ...	52·9	13-22	53 9	7-30	52·8	53·5	H. T. at 13-35. F. T. at 8-30.
27th „ ...	52·95	14-15	53·8	8-20	52·75	53·4	H. T. at 14-28. F. T. at 9-15.
28th „ ...	52·8	14-50	53·7	9-0	52·5	53·3	H. T. at 15-0. F. T. at 10-0.
29th „ ...	52 75	15-40	53·8	9-50	52·4	53·4	H. T. at 15-55.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

		High.				Low	
27th August	1906	... 70·5		28rd February	1907	... 51·06	
5th September	1909	... 67·86		18th „	1908	... 51·06	
10th August	1910	... 69·86		12th March	1912	... 51·06	
1st „	1911	... 68·46		6th „	1914	... 50·60	
18th „	1912	... 67·16		22nd February	1915	... 50·80	
31st „	1915	... 69·7		15th „	1916	... 50·60	Taken at low tide
18th „	1916	... 68·1	Taken at high tide.	3rd March	1917	... 51·0	
12th „	1917	... 67·1		21st February	1918	... 51·40	
31st „	1918	... 69·12		26th „	1919	... 50·4	
2nd „	1919	... 66·8		18th „	1920	... 50·9	
8th September	1920	... 66·9		19th „	1921	... 50·9	
28th July	1921	... 68·4		8th March	1922	... 51·05	
10th August	1922	... 68·00					

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48·51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

S. C. MAZUMDAR, *Executive Engineer,*
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th January 1924.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 9th January 1924.

Summary.—Light and scattered showers fell at places in the Burdwan Division, elsewhere there was practically no rain. Reaping of winter paddy still continues in some districts; threshing is proceeding briskly. The standing spring crops are thriving fairly well. The average price of common rice for the province has remained almost stationary as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	0·03	6½	6½	Effects of weather on crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8	8	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	0·02	7⅞	8	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8¼	8½	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of winter paddy is almost finished. *Rabi* sowings are going on at places. Rain is badly needed. Stock of rice is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the Sadar, Chuadanga and Meherpur subdivisions.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Chuadanga ..	0·03	8	8	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	8	8	Weather occasionally cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy is almost finished. *Rabi* crops require rain. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Jiaganj in Lalbagh subdivision. Fodder is sufficient. No large import or export.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	8	8	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	
	Kandi ...	0·01	8¼	8¼	
4	Jessore .	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No import or export.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	9	
	Magura ...	0·20	8¼	8¼	
	Narail ...	Nil	9½	10	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7½	7½	Report not received.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

(n) Not reported

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	0·03	8	8	Weather seasonable but sometimes cloudy. The effects of weather on crops are good. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting and threshing of *aman* paddy are going on. Stocks of food-grains and fodder and water are sufficient. Export and import of rice continuing as usual.
	Asansol ...	0·26	7	7	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7⅝	6⅛	
7	BIRBHUM ...	0·09	8	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Cattle-disease is reported from Dubrajpur thana. Fodder is sufficient, but water is not sufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	Nil	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	0·14	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter paddy is going on. Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Export of rice and paddy continues. Cattle-disease is reported from Bankura thana.
	Vishnupur ...	0·07	9	9	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	0·08	8⅝	8½	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder, water and stock of rice are sufficient.
	Contai ...	Nil	8	8	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	6½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8	8	
	Jhargram ...	0·20	8	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	0·05	7	7	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is approaching completion. Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	0·03	8	8	
	Arambagh ...	0·10	8	8½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	6½	6½	Harvesting of paddy is nearing completion. Standing crops are progressing well.
	Uluberia ...	0·12	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	0·08	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are tolerable. Fodder and water are still sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Nator ...	0·09	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7	7	Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	8	7½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	7½	7½	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	7	
15	DARJEELING ...	0·08	5	5	*Marua* and paddy are being harvested. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease exists at places.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	6½	7	
	Kalimpong ...	Nil	5½	(*n*)	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	Rangpur ...	Nil	6	6	Harvesting of winter rice is almost over. Lands are being prepared for jute and autumn paddy. Cattle-disease is reported from Kotwali, Gaibandah, Palasbari and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	7¼	7	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	5¾	6	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	
17	Bogra ...	Nil	7½	7⅜	Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are bad for want of soil moisture.
18	Pabna ...	0·03	6	6¾	The rainfall was slight and it did not do much good. More rain is wanted. Fodder and water are adequate Stock of food-grains is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	0·06	6¾	6	
19	Malda ...	Nil	7½	7½	Harvesting of winter paddy is progressing. Prospects of standing crops are favourable.
20	Cooch Behar	Nil	7 9/10	8⅝	Preparation of lands for *bitri* paddy and harvesting of winter paddy are going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease exists in the interior.
21	Dacca ...	Nil	7	7	Weather very cold. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is nearing completion. Fields are being prepared for *boro* paddy. Prospects of *rabi* crops are satisfactory. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8	8	
	Narayanganj ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	7¼	
22	Mymensingh ...	0·02	7	7	Prospects of standing crops are fair. No import or export. Cattle-disease is reported from Netrakona thana. Fodder and water are available.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7¼	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6⅝	6⅝	
	Netrakona ...	0·02	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	Nil	7½	7	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is almost finished. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	0·02	7⅞	7¾	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	9	(*n*)	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	0·05	10	10	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	8¼ 7½†	8½ 7¼†	Harvesting of winter rice continues. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	0·03	7† 7½	7⅛† 8	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7† 7¾	7¾ 7†	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	6½† 8	8 7 7/16†	
25	CHITTAGONG ...	Nil	7 6⅝*	7 6¾*	Cultivation of the *rabi* crops is progressing and harvesting of winter rice is completed. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Water and fodder are sufficient. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	7½	7½	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	8	8	Weather is fair at Brahmanbaria, elsewhere seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Brahmanbaria but elsewhere good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	7 3/11	7 3/11	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7½	7 3/11	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	7¼	7½	Harvesting of *aman* paddy is completed. Sowing of *rabi* crops is almost over. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	8	8	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice has been finished. Transplantation of *boro* rice is going on. Prospects of crops are fair. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 20 to Rs. 40 and jute at Rs. 7 to Rs. 10 per maund.

* Burma rice. (*n*) Not reported. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 12th January 1924*

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of December 1923.

Marts.	PADDY, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	4 0 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 12 0
Burdwan ...	2 12 6	2 13 0	(a)	2 10 0	2 10 9	2 12 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	9 0 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 10 0	2 9 0	(d) 2 10 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	(d) 2 8 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0
Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	7 4 0	7 8 0	7 8 0
Dacca ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 2 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 14 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0
Pabna ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 5 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	7 8 0	7 12 0	7 8 0
Rangpur ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	6 4 0
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	RICE, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 2 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	5 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0
Burdwan ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	(a)	(a)	7 4 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 4 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0
Chittagong ...	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0
Pabna ...	5 10 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 4 0
Rangpur ...	6 12 0	6 12 0	5 0 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not available. (c) No transaction. (d) New.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of December 1923.

Marts.	Gram.			Arhar Dal.			Linseed.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	8 0 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	9 8 0
Burdwan ...	3 12 0	(c)	5 2 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	(a)	(a)	(a)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 0 0
Chittagong ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0
Dacca ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	7 8 0	7 4 0	7 8 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 12 0
Pabna ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 8 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	11 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 12 0
Rangpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	(a)	(a)	.....
Serajganj (Pabna)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	Mústard.			Gur.			Cotton (unginned).		
	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	8 8 0	9 0 0	9 8 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	7 8 0	(a)	(c)	12 0 0 to 15 0 0
Burdwan ...	7 4 0 to 8 4 0	7 8 0 to 9 8 0	10 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	11 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	8 8 0 to 10 0 0	8 8 0 to 10 0 0	10 8 0 to 11 8 0	14 0 0	14 0 0	10 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	8 8 0	8 8 0	9 8 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	11 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	8 0 0	10 0 0	8 8 0	12 8 0	13 8 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	9 9 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	6 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	14 0 0	15 0 0	7 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not reported. (c) Not available. (e) No transaction.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second half of December 1923.

Marts.	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDE (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(1)12 0 0 (2) (c) (3)11 7 0	(1) (c) (2) (c) (3) 10 13 0	(1) 18 8 0 (2) 17 8 0 (3) 15 0 0	87 0 0	87 0 0 (m)	85 0 0	337 8 0*	337 8 0*	346 0 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	9 12 0	8 4 0 to 11 0 0	11 6 0 to 13 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	11 0 0 to 13 0 0	9 8 0 to (m) 11 0 0	14 8 0 to 17 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	9 12 0 to 10 12 0	9 to 10 0 0	12 4 0 to 18 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(1) Price of jat fours.
(2) Price of district fours.
(3) Weighted average price.

Marts.	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSINE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(a) 11 0 0 to 12 0 0	(a) 11 0 0 to 13 0 0	(d) 93 0 0	3 4 6*	3 5 0	(e) 118 0 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun. 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Per 100 pieces. (a) British mild steel per cwt. (c) No transaction. (d) Per ton. (e) Per 100 maunds ex Golah. (m) Revised.
(n) Report not received.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second half of December 1923.

Marts.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	20 12 0	20 12 0	23 8 0	0 12 0	0 12 0	(n)	(n)	(n)	(n)
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(n) Not reported.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 10th January 1924.*

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second half of December 1923.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar dal or Tur Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
		24-PARGANAS.															
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hât	6 8	6 8	6 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 0	{10 0 / 9 8*	10 0	12 0* / 11 0*
	2	Magra Hât	8 0	8 14	6 11	8 14	9 6	7 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 5	5 5	4 11	10 13	10 13	{13 5 / 12 5*
	3	Calcutta-Beliaghata ...	5 11	5 11	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 2	6 2	6 2	5 8	5 8	4 11	8 0†	8 0†	{10 0 / 1010*
		NADIA.															
	4	Goari	8 4	8 14	8 0	8 14	8 14	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	4 9	4 0	8 6†	8 12†	12 12†
	5	Ranaghat	7 0	7 8	5 12	9 0	9 0	6 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 4	5 4	4 0	10 0†	10 0†	10 8
		MURSHIDABAD.															
	6	Berhampore	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	{10 0* / 7 0	10 0* / 7 0	8 0 / 13 0*
	7	Kandi	{8 0 / (b) / 8 8}	8 4	9 8	{8 4 / (b) / 8 12}	8 8	10 0	6 0 / (b)	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	10 0†	10 0†	12 0*
	8	Jangipur	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 0	9 12	5 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	5 8	10 0†	10 0†	13 0*
		JESSORE.															
	9	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 8	9 0	8 8	(b) / 8 0	4 0	3 4	5 8	5 0	3 8	9 0	9 0	{13 8 / 11 0*
	10	Bongaon	8 8	7 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	3 8	3 8	3 4	4 8	4 8	4 0	10 0†	10 0†	{13 0 / 12 8*
		KHULNA.															
	11	Sadar	7 8	8 0	7 8	8 8	9 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	4 4	4 0	4 0	8 12†	8 12†	{11 8 / 12 0*
	12	Bagerhat	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 0	7 0	5 8	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	{12 8 / 13 0*
		BURDWAN.															
Burdwan.	13	Sadar	7 12	7 12	6 8	9 8	9 8	8 0	4 12	5 0	4 8	8 0	5 8	4 4	{10 0 / 10 8*	11 0 / 10 8*	13 0* / 12 0
	14	Kalna	8 8	7 0	6 7	7 0	8 0	6 12	5 0	5 0	5 5	5 0	5 0	4 8	10 0†	10 0†	{14 8* / 14 8
		BIRBHUM.															
	15	Suri	8 0	8 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	6 8	6 6	6 0	6 4	6 4	5 0	10 0*	10 0*	13 0*
	16	Rampur Hât	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 4	10 0	5 8	5 8	6 0	8 0	6 0	5 0	10 0†	10 0†	{14 0* / 13 0
		BANKURA.															
	17	Sadar	8 0	9 0	8 0	8 8	10 0	9 0	8 0	7 0	5 12	8 0	5 8	5 0	10 0†	{10 0 / 11 0* / 10 8*	{12 0 / 14 0*
	18	Vishnupur	9 0	8 0	6 4	10 0	9 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	6 8	5 0	10 0†	10 0	13 0†
		MIDNAPORE.															
	19	Sadar	8 11	8 6	9 6	9 0	8 11	10 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 0	5 0	4 8	10 0†	10 0†	{13 0* / 11 0
	20	Contai	8 8	10 8	9 12	9 8	11 0	10 8	5 8	5 0	5 8	5 0	5 0	5 8	10 0†	10 8†	12 8
		HOOGHLY.															
	21	Sadar	7 0	6 12	6 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	{10 4 / 10 0* / 9 0 / 8 4*	10 0 / 10 0* / 9 0 / 8 0*	12 8* / 13 0 / 13 0 / 10 0*
	22	Arambagh	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 12	10 0	4 8	4 8	5 0	4 4	4 4	3 14			
		HOWRAH.															
	23	Sadar	8 12	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 0	5 8	6 0	5 8	5 8	{11 0 / 10 8*	11 0 / 10 8*	14 0 / 13 0*
	24	Uluberia	7 0	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	5 8	5 8	5 12	5 8	5 8	4 12	10 8†	10 10†	14 8
		RAJSHAHI.															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 8	7 8	7 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 4	5 4	5 14	6 0	6 0	5 14	{9 12 / 9 0*	{9 0* / 8 1†	{12 0† / 12 0
	26	Nator	6 12	6 12	6 12	8 4	7 8	7 8	4 14	4 14	4 14	6 0	6 0	4 14	8 1†		9 12*
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hât.	8 7	6 13	9 0	7 3	6 13	9 9	4 13	4 4	4 12	5 8	5 6	3 9	9 2†	{7 2 / 9 2*}	11 0* / 11 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	8 0	7 8	7 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	5 12	6 0	5 8	5 8	6 0	5 8	9 0†	{9 0* / 9 8}	11 0†

* Karkash. (a) Not available. (b) New.

N. B.—The price of karkash and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

Prices current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of December 1923.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar Dal or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar Dal or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar Dal or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		DARJEELING.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
RAJSHAHI—concld.	29	Sadar	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	7 4	4 0	4 0	4 8	4 0	4 0	3 4	7 0 / 8 0*	7 0 / 8 0*	9 0†
	30	Siliguri	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0*	8 0*	8 0†
		RANGPUR.															
	31	Sadar	5 4	5 4	7 8	5 4	5 4	8 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0* / 7 0	8 0* / 7 0	8 0* / 7 0
	32	Nilphamari	7 0	7 0	9 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 8	4 0	3 8	4 0	4 0	3 8	8 0*	8 0*	10 0*
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	7 2	6 2	7 14	7 8	7 2	8 4	4 0	5 0	4 0	6 0	6 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	8 8 / 10 0*
		PABNA.															
	34	Sadar	6 12	6 12	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 4	5 4	5 8	4 0	4 0	3 8	8 0†	8 0 / 8 0*	10 0 / 11 0*
	35	Sirajganj	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 10	7 10	7 10	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	9 8 / 12 0*
		MALDA.															
	36	Sadar	7 8 (b)	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 8	6 8 (b)	5 0	6 0	6 0 (b)	6 0	5 0	8 8* / 10 0	10 0†	12 0*
	37	Dalia—Nawabganj...	8 12	8 0	8 2	10 0	8 8	8 12	6 12	5 0	5 12	8 0	6 0	6 0	10 0† / 9 12*	10 0†	12 0 / 12 0*
		DACCA.															
DACCA.	38	Sadar	7 8	7 8	6 10	8 8	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	8 0	5 4	5 4	4 8	8 0†	8 0†	10 8
	39	Mirkadim ...	7 12	7 12	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	9 12* / 10 0	9 12* / 10 0	13 0 / 13 13*
		MYMENSINGH.															
	40	Nasirabad	6 8	6 4	7 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	5 0	5 0	5 12	5 0	5 4	5 0	10 0 / 9 0	10 0 / 9 0*	10 0 / 10 8*
	41	Netrakona	7 0	6 4	6 8	8 0	7 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	4 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 0 / 8 0*	8 0 / 8 0*	11 4 / 10 0*
		FARIDPUR.															
	42	Sadar...	7 0	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	(c)	5 4	5 0	(c)	4 8	3 4	8 0†	8 8†	9 4*
	43	Rajbari	7 8	7 4	7 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	5 0	5 0	5 12	6 0	6 0	4 4	12 0* / 11 0	12 0* / 11 0	13 0 / 12 0
		BAKARGANJ.															
	44	Barisal	7 5 (b) / 7 14	7 8	5 8	7 8 (d) / 9 12	8 10 (d) / 9 8	9 0	8 0	10 8*	5 0	5 4	4 8	4 0	9 0 / 9 8*	9 8*	11 0 / 13 0
	45	Pirojpur	8 0	8 0	5 12	8 8	8 4	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	4 0	4 0	(a)	9 0†	9 0†	13 0†
		TIPPERA.															
CHITTAGONG.	46	Comilla	(b) 8 0	6 7	7 12	(b) 9 0	8 15 (d) / 8 0	8 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 0	5 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	13 0 / 10 0
	47	Chandpur	8 8	8 0	7 0	9 4	9 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	4 4	10 8†	11 0* / 10 8	14 0†
		NOAKHALI.															
	48	Kallara Hat ...	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	3 8	8 0†	8 0†	12 8 / 8 0*
	49	Feni Hat	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	10 0 / 8 0*	10 0 / 8 0*	13 0 / 8 0*
		CHITTAGONG.															
	50	Sadar...	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 10	5 8	5 8	4 12	5 8	5 8	4 0	10 0 / 8 0	10 0 / 8 0	13 0 / 9 0*
	51	Cox's Bazar	7 0	7 0	7 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 0	8 0 / 6 0*	8 0 / 8 0*	10 8 / 8 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati	(a)	(a)	7 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	3 12	3 12	3 12	9 0 / 6 8*	9 0 / 6 8*	11 0 / 6 8

(a) Not available. (d) Ans. (c) No sale. (a) Not reported. (b) New. * Karkach.

N.B.—The prices of karkatch and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 10th January 1924.*

Statement showing the quantity of Salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 31st day of December 1923 and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 31st December 1923.

Description of Salt	In Sulkea Government golas (Bonded)	Quantity afloat	Total	Transactions during half-month from the 16th to the 31st December 1923, inclusive			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses
	Mds Srs	Mds	Mds Srs	Mds Srs	Mds.	Mds	Mds
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	1,125,588 0	68,056	1,193,644 0	66,527 25	201,576	37,500	54,008
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt	396,450 0	155,974	552,424 0	41,000 0	174,549	13,975	4,300
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	320,270 0	...	320,270 0	4,400 0	...	...	8,000
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	400 0	...	400 0	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt	644,139 0	96,384	740,523 0	58,164 0	163,384	66,950	15,974
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt	254,926 0	172,225	427,151 0	145,880 0	367,287	84,942	66,584
Salif salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt	309,621 26	173,778	483,399 26	55,250 0	193,278	19,000	11,500
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam rock salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tuticorin salt	21,050 0	...	21,050 0	1,150 0	...	...	1,150
Kayalpatnam salt ...	84,163 0	...	84,163 0	...	...	...	300
Total ...	(a) 3,106,607 26	666,417	3,773,024 26	(b) 371,871 25	1,100,024	222,867	161,816

	Mds.	Srs.
Written off during the half-month—		
Wastage in Sulkea golas	2,951	10
Abandoned and destroyed	184	0
In transit—		
Liverpool salt	18,520	0
Aden salt	16,220	0

(a) Besides 80,375 maunds are in the private licensed warehouses at Calcutta

(b) Excludes 26,000 maunds on which extra duty at the rate of Re 1-4 per maund was paid.

R. R. SAKSENA,
Assistant Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 8th January 1924.*

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following names of members of the Special Committee constituted under section 3 (*1*) of the Calcutta Municipal (No. II) Act, 1923, for the consideration of the Budget Estimate of income and expenditure of the Corporation of Calcutta for the year 1924-25 are published in compliance with the provision of section 3 (*2*) of the said Act :—

(*i*) The Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta (Chairman of the Special Committee).

(*ii*) *Elected by the Ward Commissioners of the Calcutta Corporation.*

1. Babu Amulya Dhone Addy.
2. „ Bipin Chandra Mallik.
3. „ Bejoy Krishna Bose, M.L.C.
4. Rai Ram Taran Banerjee Bahadur.
5. Mr. A. C. Banerjee, M.L.C.
6. Rai Nalini Nath Sett Bahadur.
7. Babu Brojo Gopal Goswami.
8. „ Gocul Chand Boral.
9. Mr. S. N. Basu.

(*iii*) *Elected by the appointed Commissioners of the Calcutta Corporation.*

1. Babu Charu Chandra Biswas.
2. Rev. B. A. Nag.
3. Mr. W. H. Phelps.
4. „ K. L. Datta.

(*iv*) *Elected by the Commissioners of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality.*

1. Rai Kripa Nath Dutt Bahadur.
2. Mr. F. M. W. Gow.
3. Babu Hem Chandra De.
4. „ Girindra Nath Banerjee.

(*v*) *Elected by the Commissioners of the Maniktala Municipality.*

1. Babu Bidhu Bhusan Sarcar.
2. „ Narendra Nath Sinha.
3. Mr. S. Mahboob Alley.

(*vi*) *Elected by the Commissioners of the Garden Reach Municipality.*

1. Mr. Unsud Dowla.
2. Dr. Adya Nath Chatterji.

HARIDHAN DUTT, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 12th January 1924.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 2540A.—The 22nd January 1924.—Under the provisions of section 93 of the Government of India Act, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignations tendered by the officials, named below, of their office of member of the Bengal Legislative Council :—

Mr. Herbert Philip Duval, C.I.E.

Mr. William Woodword Hornell, C.I.E.

No. 2544A.—The 22nd January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 26 (*2*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate the officials, named below, to be members of the Bengal Legislative Council :—

Mr. Nalini Bhushan Gupta, C.I.E.

Dr. Theodore Oliver Douglas Dunn.

No. 158A.R.—The 17th January 1924.—Whereas a vacancy has occurred in the Bengal Legislative Council by reason of the death of Babu Nalini Nath Roy ;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (*1*) of rule 26 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, the Governor is pleased to call upon the Jessore South non-Muhammadan constituency to elect a member to fill the said vacancy before the 1st March 1924.

No. 160A.R.—The 17th January 1924.—Whereas by notification No. 158A.R., dated the 17th January 1924, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to call upon the Jessore South non-Muhammadan constituency to elect a member in place of Babu Nalini Nath Roy, deceased ;

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, and in pursuance of sub-rule (*3*) of that rule, to prescribe the 29th January 1924 as the date for the nomination of candidates and for the delivery of nomination paper to the Returning Officer for the constituency and the 1st February 1924 as the date on which the scrutiny of nominations shall be held.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 2577A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 1673A.—The 11th January 1924.*—Maulvi Abul Kasem Gyasuddin Sofdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on probation, Mymensingh, is transferred to the Kishoreganj subdivision of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 2468A.—The 17th January 1924.—Babu Surendra Nath Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bandarban, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is transferred temporarily to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.
Chittagong.

No. 2477A.—The 17th January 1924.—Babu Manindra Bhusan Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Birbhum, is transferred to the Gaibandha subdivision of the Rangpur district.

Birbhum.
Rangpur.

The orders of the 11th December 1923, posting Babu Atul Chandra Bagchi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to Gaibandha, Rangpur, are cancelled.

No. 2549A.—The 21st January 1924.—The services of Mr. A. J. Chotzner, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

24-Parganas.

POLICE.—*No. 1736A.—The 12th January 1924.*—Mr. F. P. Prior, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Bakarganj, is transferred temporarily to the Serampore subdivision of the Hooghly district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

Bakarganj.
Hooghly.

No. 1812A.—The 14th January 1924.—Rai Sahib Srish Chandra Kanjilal, officiating Superintendent of Police, Dinajpur, is appointed temporarily to act as Assistant to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal.

Dinajpur.

No. 1814A.—The 14th January 1924.—Babu Karunamay Ray, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Jessore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of Police, Dinajpur.

Jessore.
Dinajpur.

No. 2441A.—The 16th January 1924.—Mr. T. J. A. Craig, Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Rajshahi Range.

Rajshahi Range.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 1711A.—The 12th January 1924.*—The Rev. Canon W. A. H. Parker, Additional Chaplain, St. James' Church, Calcutta, is appointed to be Chaplain of that Church, with effect from the 1st January 1924, or the subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

No. 1718A.—The 12th January 1924.—The Reverend E. J. Young, Assistant Chaplain, St. Stephen's Church, Kidderpore, is appointed to be Additional Chaplain, St. James' Church, Calcutta, with effect from the 1st January 1924, or the subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

24-Parganas. Calcutta.

No. 1720A.—The 12th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872 (XV of 1872), the Governor in Council is pleased to grant a license to Reverend W. W. Ferrie of the Presbyterian Church in the Eastern Duars of the Jalpaiguri district authorising him to grant certificates of marriage between Native Christians.

Jalpaiguri.

2. He is also appointed a Registrar of Births and Deaths under Act VI of 1886 for the district of Jalpaiguri.

RESIGNATION.

No. 1740A.—The 12th January 1924.—Mr. W. N. Delevingne has been permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 10th January 1924.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 1731A.—The 12th January 1924.*—Maulvi Anwarul Haq, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is allowed leave on average pay for two months and fifteen days (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 18th December 1923.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 1733A.—The 12th January 1924.—Babu Prabhat Chandra Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Bankura Settlement, is allowed leave on average pay for three months (of which twenty-seven days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 3rd January 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Bankura.

No. 1827A.—The 14th January 1924.—Babu Surendra Mohan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, 24-Parganas, is granted leave on average pay for one month and nine days, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders dated the 10th December 1923.

24-Parganas.

No. 2554A.—The 21st January 1924.—Mr. T. B. L. Webb, I.C.S., is allowed leave on average pay for two months and twenty-six days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 21st January 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

POLICE.—*No. 1689A.—The 12th January 1924.*—Mr. Sukumar Sen Gupta, Superintendent of Police, Nadia, is allowed leave on average pay for one week, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 20th December 1923.

Nadia.

No. 1809A.—The 14th January 1924.—Mr. H. C. Hunt, Assistant to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal, is allowed leave for eleven months and five days, with effect from the 18th January 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, viz., leave on average pay for eight months under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

No. 1823A.—The 14th January 1924.—Mr. R. C. Durup deDombal, Deputy Superintendent of Police, is allowed leave on average pay for one day, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 4th April 1923.

No. 1825A.—The 14th January 1924.—Rai Purna Chandra Lahiri Bahadur, Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay for fifteen days, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 11th October 1923.

Calcutta.

No. 2438A.—The 16th January 1924.—Mr. A. E. O'Sullivan, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Rajshahi Range, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months (of which twenty-eight days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 15th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Rajshahi Range.

Calcutta.

No. 251IA.—The 18th January 1924.—Babu Upendra Nath Basu, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave for one year and nineteen days, viz., leave on average pay for six months (of which two months are on account of privilege leave at his credit) under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and the note thereunder, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 11th October 1923.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 162A.R.—The 17th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*c*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, and Regulation XXV of the Bengal Electoral Regulations, the Governor in Council hereby appoints the 19th and 21st February 1924 as the dates and 10 A.M. to 3 P.M. as the hours for the recording of votes in the bye-election for the Jessore South non-Muhammadan constituency.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No 202A. R.—The 19th January 1924.—The orders contained in this Government notification No. 40 A. R., dated the 7th January 1924, fixing the dates of nomination, scrutiny and for sending out ballot papers to electors for the bye-election for the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency of the Council of State are hereby cancelled.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 208A.R.—The 21st January 1924.—Whereas the Governor-General has been pleased to call upon the Bengal European constituency of the Legislative Assembly to elect a member to the said Assembly in place of Mr. G. Morgan, resigned ;

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules and in pursuance of sub-rule (*3*) of that rule, to prescribe the 26th January 1924 as the date for the nomination of candidates and for the delivery of nomination papers to the Returning Officer and the 28th January 1924 as the date on which the scrutiny of nominations shall be held.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 212A.R.—The 22nd January 1924.—Whereas the Governor-General has been pleased to call upon the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency of the Council of State to elect a member to the said Council in place of Sir Robert Watson-Smyth, Kt., resigned ;

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Council of State Electoral Rules and in pursuance of sub-rule (*3*) of that rule, to prescribe the 29th January 1924 as the date for the nomination of candidates and for the delivery of nomination papers to the Returning Officer and the 30th January 1924 as the date on which the scrutiny of nominations shall be held.

The Governor in Council is also pleased in exercise of the powers conferred by regulations 37 and 41 of the Council of State Electoral Regulations to prescribe the 3rd February 1924 as the last date for sending out ballot papers by the Returning Officer to electors.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1829A.—The 14th January 1924.—Babu Dwijendra Nath Pal, munsif, Rampurhat, Birbhum, having passed the first examination in the Tibetan language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, is authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 500.

Birbhum.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2290A.—The 15th January 1924.—Mr. R. G. Watling, Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, having passed an examination in the Nepalese-Paharia language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the rules for the departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, is authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 500.

Darjeeling.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2294A.—The 15th January 1924.—Maulvi Chaudhuri Afsar Ali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, having passed an examination in the Nepalese-Paharia language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the rules for the departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, is authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 500.

Jalpaiguri.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2484A.—The 17th January 1924.—The officers named below having passed an examination in the Santali language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the rules for the departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, are each authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 1,000 :—

Birbhum. Murshidabad.

Babu Narendra Kumar Mukharji, munsif, Bolpur, Birbhum.
Babu Amulya Charan Chakrabatti, munsif, Murshidabad.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2487A.—The 17th January 1924.—The officers named below having passed an examination in the Santali language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the rules for the departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, are each authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 1,000 :—

Bankura.

Babu Gurudas Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave.
Babu Sukumar Chatarji, M.B.E., Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 217Pl.—The 14th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (1) (s) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of notification No. 12855P., dated the 18th November 1916, as relates to the areas and railway stations included in Parbatipur, Bonarpara and Santahar (Eastern Bengal Railway) police-stations, and also in supersession of notificarion No. 9689P., dated the 10th July 1917, as relates to the areas and railway stations included in Lalmonirhat (Eastern Bengal Railway) police-station, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said railway police-stations shall include the areas and railway stations respectively mentioned in columns 2 and 3 in the schedule below :—

Schedule.

1.	2.	3.
Police-station.	Areas according to mileage of railway.	Railway stations within the jurisdiction of police-station.
Parbatipur	Miles from Calcutta—238¼ to 238½=5 miles.	Kholahati.
	Miles from Calcutta—174 to 239½=65¼ miles.	Belaichandi. Parbatipur. Bhownipore. Phulbari. Chorkai. Hilli. Panchbibi. Jaypur Hat. Jamalganj. Akkelpur. Tilakpur.
	Miles from Calcutta—238¼ to 242=8¾ miles.	Manmathapur.
Bonarpara	Miles from Calcutta—174 to 269=95 miles. (From Santahar outer signal to Kaunia outer signal.)	Adamdighi. Nasarathpur. Talora. Kahaloo Bogra. Gabtali Sukanpukur. Sonatola. Manimagani. Bonarpara Junction. Badiakhali Road. Trimohini. Gaibandha. Kamarpara. Naldanga. Bamandanga. Chowdhurani. Pirgachha. Annadanagar.
	Miles from Calcutta—225 to 235¾=10¾ miles and Ferry Service 10 miles.	Bharatkhali. Fulchhari. Teestamukh Ghat. Fulchhari-Bahadurabad Ferry Service.
Santahar ...	Miles from Calcutta—168¾ to 174 up to the outer distant signals on the main and Bonarpara lines.	Santahar Junction. Santahar Transhipment Yard.
Lalmonirhat, E. B. Ry.	Miles from Calcutta *via* Parbatipur—238¾ to 266¾=28 miles (up to the west outer signal of Kaunia).	Badarganj. Shampur. Rungpur. Dhutsara.
	Miles from Calcutta *via* Bonarpara—269 to 308=39 miles.	Kaunia Junction. Teesta Junction Mohendranagar. Lalmonirhat. Mogalhat. Gitaldah Junction. Bamanhat. Bhurungamari. Pateswari. Sonahat.
	Miles from Calcutta *via* Bonarpara (T P. 17)—321½ to 341½=20 miles.	Alipur Duars. Damanpur. Raja Bhatkhawa Junction. Buxa Road. Jaintl.
	331¾ to 349=17¼ miles.	Garopara. Kalchini. Hamiltonganj. Hasimara. Dalsingpara.
	Miles from Teesta Junction—0=16 miles (Kurigram Branch).	Singerdabrihat. Rajarhat. Togralhat. Kurigram.

No. 311Pl.—The 21st January 1924.—The following amendment in the statement showing the ordinary jurisdiction retained by local Magistrates on the railway lines under the administrative control of the Government of Bengal, published under notification No. 2448P., dated the 21st February 1917, is published for information :—

Amendment.

In page 6 under "Eastern Bengal Railway and Branch Lines" *substitute*—

"168¾ to 174 Santahar Junction All Courts having jurisdiction within the Sadar subdivision of the Bogra district, except Courts of Magistrates of the 3rd class."

for

"168¾ to 173 Santahar Junction Court of the Subdivisional Officer of Nator in the district of Rajshahi."

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2578A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1706A.—The 15th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Bimala Charan Guha, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate at Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, to be a special Magistrate for the districts of Dacca, Faridpur, Mymensingh and Tippera for a period not exceeding three months from the date of this notification, and confers upon him the powers of a Magistrate of the first class in respect of offences under Chapter XVII of the Indian Penal Code within the said districts.

Dacca. Faridpur. Mymensingh. Tippera.

POWERS.

No. 1729A.—The 15th January 1924.—Babu Upendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Chittagong.

No. 2499A.—The 18th January 1924.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Datta, M.B.E., Deputy Magistrate, Tippera, is vested with the powers under section 435 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Tippera.

No. 2501A.—The 18th January 1924.—Babu Phanindra Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Mymensingh, is vested with the powers under sections 190 (*1*) (*c*) and 524 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Mymensingh.

No. 2503A.—The 18th January 1924.—Mr. Kumar Adhikram Mazumdar, Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Jessore.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 326J.—The 12th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the gentlemen named below to be Presidency Magistrates in Calcutta and to empower each of them to sit singly as a Presidency Magistrate :—

Calcutta.

1. Babu Hira Lal Banarji.
2. Mr. Srigopal Bhattacharji.
3. Rai Priya Nath Mukharji Bahadur, I.S.O.

No. 328J.—The 12th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the gentlemen named below to be Presidency Magistrates in Calcutta :—

Calcutta.

1. Babu Ashutosh Ghosh.
2. Maulvi Gholam Hossain Shah.

No. 562J.—The 15th January 1924.—Babu Ananga Mohan Lahiri, munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Noakhali, and is vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Sudharam munsifi.

Noakhali.

No. 564J.—The 15th January 1924.—Babu Jamini Kanta Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, Noakhali, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Rajshahi and Malda, and is vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Rampur-Boalia munsifi.

Noakhali. Rajshahi. Malda.

No 571J.—The 15th January 1924.—Babu Bamandas Mukharji is appointed to be Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge of Rangpur, and is vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Sadar munsifi of Rangpur.

Rangpur.

No. 573J.—The 15th January 1924.—Babu Lal Bihari Chatarji, Additional Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge of Dacca and Tippera, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge of Mymensingh.

Dacca.
Tippera.
Mymensingh.

No. 576J.—The 15th January 1924.—Babu Ashwini Kumar Das, munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Dacca and Tippera, for the present to be employed at Dacca.

Dacca.
Tippera.

No. 580J.—The 15th January 1924.—Babu Gyanada Sankar Gupta, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, *vice* Babu Ashwini Kumar Das, appointed to act as Additional Subordinate Judge of Dacca and Tippera.

Chittagong.

No. 658J.—The 17th January 1924.—Babu Santosh Kumar Mitra, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Diamond Harbour.

24-Parganas.

No. 668J.—The 17th January 1924.—Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta, munsif of Ranaghat, in the district of Nadia, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge, Dinajpur, and *ex officio* Subordinate Judge of Jalpaiguri.

Nadia.

No. 671J.—The 17th January 1924.—Babu Harendra Krishna Mukharji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a munsif in the district of Nadia, to be ordinarily stationed at Ranaghat.

Nadia.

No. 674J.—The 17th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Quazi Muhammad Isa the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Rajshahi, for a period of three years from the 22nd February 1924, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Nator subdivision of the said district,

Rajshahi.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Nator Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 697J.—The 18th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen named below the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Noakhali, for a period of three years from the 25th of January 1924 and

Noakhali.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district—

1. Babu Sita Kanta Haldar.
2. „ Pramadananda Kundu.
3. Khan Sahib Maulvi Serajul Haque.

LEAVE.

No. 756J.—The 19th January 1924.—Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh, Subordinate Judge of Tippera, is allowed leave on average pay up to the 22nd December 1923, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, on medical certificate, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Tippera.

No. 695J.—The 18th January 1924.—Babu Satindra Nath Guha, Subordinate Judge, is granted leave on average pay for one month, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules on medical certificate.

No. 765J.—The 11th January 1924.—Babu Sharat Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, munsif of Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for eighteen days from the 2nd January 1924, viz., six days on average pay under articles 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules and the remaining period on half average pay under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Tippera.

N. B. GUPTA,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ERRATUM.

No. 613J.—The 15th January 1924.—In the sixth line of notification No. 8262J., dated 19th December 1923, published at page 1952, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, for "Murshidabad" *read* "Rajshahi."

N. B. GUPTA,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 256M.—The 15th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Uttarpara Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend all the provisions of Part X of that Act to the said municipality.

Hooghly.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 335M.—The 21st January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 5 of the Calcutta Improvement Act (Bengal Act V of 1911), the Govenrment of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Mr. H. Sudlow to be a member of the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 339M.—The 21st January 1924.—In pursuance of section 49, sub-section (*1*) of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 of that Act, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to sanction the Street Scheme known as Scheme No. XXIII (continuation of the twenty feet Improvement Trust road on the north of the Kerbula Tank Lane Rehousing Scheme) which has been submitted to them by the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta, under section 47 of the said Act.

Calcutta.

Description of the Scheme.

The scheme provides for the conversion of an existing private road leading from Upper Circular Road to the Trust's Rehousing Scheme into a public road 20 feet wide.

The owner of the private road having agreed to make a free gift of the land the cost for land acquisition will be *nil*. The cost for engineering works is estimated at Rs. 13,800.

2. The area covered by the scheme is bounded as follows :—

On the north—By premises Nos. 144, 145 and 147, Upper Circular Road.
On the south—By premises No. 143, Upper Circular Road, and No. 20, Kerbula Tank Lane.
On the east—By Upper Circular Road.
On the west—By the 20 feet road on the north of the Improvement Trust buildings.

3. A list of the holdings to be acquired is annexed.

4. A plan showing the land which it is proposed to acquire can be inspected at the office of the Calcutta Improvement Trust, at No. 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

List of properties to be acquired.

Passage to No. 147, Upper Circular Road.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MEDICAL.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S N. Mallik, M.A , B.L.

No. 248Medl.—The 18th January 1924.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. Steen, M.D., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, is allowed leave on average pay for eight weeks, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st January 1924, or any subsequent date on which he availed himself of the leave.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 251Medl.—The 18th January 1924.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. Steen, M.D., I.M.S., is appointed to do general duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, with effect from the 13th December 1923.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A. B.L.

No. 253Medl.—The 18th January 1924.—Major A. D. White, M.B., F.R.C.S.E., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, is posted to Chittagong.

Chittagong.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 187Edn.—The 14th January 1924.—Mr. R. B. Ramsbotham, Principal, Hooghly College, is allowed leave on average pay with effect from the 7th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, up to the 16th April 1924, in combination with the summer vacation of the college from the 17th April to the 27th June 1924, under rules 81 (*b*) (*i*) and 82 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Hooghly.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 188Edn.—The 14th January 1924.—Mr. Satish Chandra De, Vice-Principal, Hooghly College, is appointed to act as Principal of that college, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. B. Ramsbotham, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 194Edn.—The 14th January 1924.—Mr. F. C. Turner of the Indian Educational Service, has been granted, by the High Commissioner for India, leave for five months and two days on half average pay, with effect from the 1st April 1924, in extension of the leave granted to him.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 207Edn.—The 15th January 1924.—Miss Tejomayee Sarkar, Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Rajshahi, in the Bengal Educational Service (Women's Branch) was allowed leave on average pay for six days (entirely on account of privilege leave on full pay at her credit), with effect from the 2nd January 1924, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

This cancels notification No. 3723Edn., dated the 26th December 1923.

Rajshahi.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 214Edn.—The 17th January 1924.—Maulvi Mahatabuddin Ahmad, Officiating Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Chittagong Division, in the Bengal Educational Service, is allowed leave on average pay for two months under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Chittagong Divn.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 224Edn.—The 15th January 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Timur, District Inspector of Schools, Pabna, was allowed leave on average pay for three months and two days (entirely on account of privilege leave at his credit) with effect from the 12th July 1923, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules. This cancels notification No. 1898Edn., dated the 29th June 1923.

Pabna.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 227Edn.—The 15th January 1924.—Mr. R. N. Gilchrist, Principal, Krishnagar College, now on deputation to the Commerce Department, is appointed to be Master of Method, David Hare Training College, Calcutta, with effect from the 15th October 1923, *vice* Mr. Egerton Smith, transferred, but will continue to be on deputation.

Nadia.
Calcutta.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 228Edn.—The 15th January 1924.—Mr. Egerton Smith, officiating Principal, Krishnagar College, is appointed substantively to that post with effect from the 15th October 1923, *vice* Mr. R. N. Gilchrist, transferred.

Nadia.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 245Edn.—The 18th January 1924.—Babu Chinta Haran Banarji, Lecturer, Dacca Intermediate College, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate for two months with effect from the 27th November 1923, under the proviso to rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Dacca.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 248Edn.—The 19th January 1924.—The following officers are confirmed in the Bengal Educational Service, with retrospective effect from the 26th July 1922, on completion of the probationary period of service :—

Calcutta.

	Names of officers.		Names of posts.
1.	Dr. Mahendra Nath Sarkar	...	Professor, Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
2.	Babu Syama Charan Mukharjee	...	Ditto.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 250Edn.—The 21st January 1924.—Miss M. V. Irons, Inspectress of Girls' Schools, Dacca Circle, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months, including one month and twenty-six days on account of privilege leave, under rule 81(*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 24th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which she may avail herself of it.

Dacca.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 253Edn.—The 21st January 1924.—Miss Hridayabala Bose, Special Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Calcutta, in the Bengal Educational Service (Women's Branch) is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service as Inspectress of Girls' Schools, Dacca Circle, during the absence, on leave, of Miss M. V. Irons, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Dacca.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 256Edn.—The 21st January 1924.—Mrs. Labanyalekha Banarji is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service (Women's Branch) as Special Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Calcutta, during the absence, on deputation, of Miss Hridayabala Bose, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 282Edn.—The 22nd January 1924.—Dr. T. O. D. Dunn, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. W. Hornell, C.I.E.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 142Mis.—The 17th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Enayet Karim temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Pabna, in the district of Pabna, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Rahmatullah, or until further orders.

Pabna.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

Pabna. *No. 143Mis.—The 17th January 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Enayet Karim temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Pabna, in the district of Pabna, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Rahmatullah or until further orders.

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 12.—The 16th January 1924.—Maulvi Abdus Samad Khan, Sub-Registrar, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 442, dated the 5th October 1923.

Bakarganj. *No. 13.—The 19th January 1924.*—Babu Prafulla Kumar Basu, Sub-Registrar of Patarhat, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj, in the same district, with effect from the afternoon of the 6th October 1923.

Bakarganj. *No. 14.—The 19th January 1924.*—Maulvi Ibrahim Ali, Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Patarhat, in the same district, with effect from the 11th October 1923.

Murshidabad. Rangpur. *No. 15.—The 19th January 1924.*—Maulvi Saiyid Dilwar Ali Mirza, Sub-Registrar of Berhampur, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Pirganj, in the district of Rangpur, with effect from the 7th January 1924.

Rangpur. *No. 16.—The 19th January 1924.*—Maulvi Saiyid Dilwar Ali Mirza, officiating Sub-Registrar of Pirganj, in the district of Rangpur, is allowed leave on average pay for fifteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 590, dated the 22nd December 1923.

Tippera. *No. 17.—The 19th January 1924.*—Maulvi Abul Muzaffar Ashraf Ali, Sub-Registrar of Faridganj, in the district of Tippera, was on leave on average pay for thirty days from the 26th October 1923 to the 24th November 1923, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Chittagong. Tippera. *No. 18.—The 19th January 1924.*—Babu Bhupati Ranjan Sen, Sub-Registrar attached to Chittagong, acted as Sub-Registrar of Faridganj, in the district of Tippera, from the afternoon of the 2nd November 1923 to the afternoon of the 24th November 1923, *vice* Maulvi Abul Muzaffar Ashraf Ali, on leave.

Calcutta. *No. 19.—The 19th January 1924.*—Maulvi Mataheral Karim, Sub-Registrar, attached to Calcutta, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances for two months, under rule 85 (*a*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 600, dated the 22nd December 1923.

Mymensingh. *No. 20.—The 19th January 1924.*—Babu John Ballav Chaudhury, Sub-Registrar of Trisal, in the district of Mymensingh, was on leave on average pay for one day, viz., on the 1st December 1923, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Dacca. *No. 21.—The 19th January 1924.*—Babu Kalipada Basu Ray, Sub-Registrar, attached to Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 7th January 1924.

No. 22.—The 19th January 1924.—Babu Kshitish Chandra Das, Sub-Registrar, attached to Dacca, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Hari-
Dacca. rampur, in that district, with effect from the 7th January 1924, *vice* Babu Sarada Prasanna Mazumdar, on leave.

No. 23.—The 19th January 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Manir, Probationer, Calcutta, was on leave on average pay for twelve days from the 10th
Calcutta. December 1923 to the 21st December 1923 (both days inclusive), under subsidiary rules framed under rule 104 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules.

No. 24.—The 19th January 1924.—Babu Sarada Prasanna Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Harirampur, in the district of Dacca, is allowed
Dacca. leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this Department notification No. 534, dated the 12th December 1923.

No. 25.—The 19th January 1924.—Maulvi Misbahuddin Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Chandpur, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be Sub-
Tippera. Registrar of Sarail, in the same district.

No. 26.—The 19th January 1924.—Maulvi Hamidul Haq, Sub-Registrar of Sarail, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of
Tippera. Chandpur, in the same district.

No. 27.—The 19th January 1924.—Maulvi Abul Hossain (No. II), Sub-Registrar, attached to Mymensingh, is appointed to act, until further orders,
Mymensingh. Tippera. as Sub-Registrar of Nabinagar, in the district of Tippera, with effect from the 5th January 1924, *vice* Maulvi Shariful Islam, on leave.

No. 28.—The 19th January 1924.—Maulvi Abul Hussain (No. II), Sub-Registrar, attached to Mymensingh, acted as Sub-Registrar of Sarishabari,
Mymensingh. in the same district, from the 22nd November 1923 to the 1st January 1924 (both days inclusive).

A. ISLAM,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

ERRATA.

No. 717F.—The 15th January 1924.—For "Iama" and "Kusalong" in column 1 and "Chittagong Division" in column 2 of the table under paragraph 1 of notification No. 8656F., dated 24th September 1923, *read* "Lama", "Kasalong" and "Chittagong district" respectively.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 486Com.—The 17th January 1924.—The undermentioned persons have been granted certificates by the Government of Bengal in accordance with the rules promulgated under sub-section (*2*) of section 144 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of

1913), with notification No. 1032Com., dated the 2nd March 1915, and No. 1391Com., dated the 14th April 1920 :—

Serial No.	Name of person or firm with its members.	Address.	Date of certificate.	Temporary or permanent.	Restricted or unrestricted
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Krishna Lal Dutta	16-1, Ramkanta Bose Street, Calcutta	29th March 1916...	Permanent...	For the whole of British India.
2	Prasannakumar Mitra	Rajpur, post-office Sonarpur, 24-Parganas.	10th April ,, ...	Ditto ...	Restricted to the Presidency of Bengal.
3	Umacharan Ghose	Kodalia, Sonarpur, 24-Parganas ...	12th July ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
4	Thomas Arthur Palmer ...	5, Old Court House Street, Calcutta ...	14th Nov. ,, ...	Ditto ...	For the whole of British India.
5	Jyotish Chandra Das	2 and 3, Lal Bazar Street, Calcutta ...	14th ,, ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
6	M. Mukerji Co. ... ... (a) Monmothonath Mukerji. (b) Promothanath Mukerji. (c) Makhanlal Mukerji.	95, Clive Street, Calcutta	19th Jan. 1918 ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
7	Bibhudrachandra Chowdri ...	19, Sankaripara Road, Calcutta ...	6th Feb. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
8	B. Mukerji & Co. ... ... (a) Bhutnath Mukerji. (b) Debendranath Mukerji	11, Clive Row, Calcutta	22nd ,, ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
9	Upendranath Paul	Chamurchi Tea Company, Limited, Jalpaiguri.	15th May ,, ...	Ditto ...	Restricted to the Presidency of Bengal.
10	Devendranath Ganguli ...	C-o. Messrs. Price Waterhouse Peat & Co., Calcutta.	23rd July ,, ...	Ditto ...	For the whole of British India.
11	Devendranath Chakravarty ...	42-2, Ramtanu Bose's Lane, Calcutta ...	3rd Aug. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
12	G. M. Rangiah	68 6, Sreegopal Mallik's Lane, Calcutta	23rd Sept. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
13	Surendramohan Sen Gupta ...	9-3, Harimohan Bose's Lane, Beadon Square post-office, Calcutta.	17th June 1920 ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
14	Keshabchandra Mukherji ...	252, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta ...	17th ,, ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
15	Narendrakumar Mazumdar* ...	17, Clive Street, Calcutta	2nd May 1922 ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
16	Satyesh Chandra Dutta* ...	60-1, Sukea Street, Calcutta	29th ,, 1923 ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	Durgacharan Mitra	10-1, Haladhar Bardhan Lane, Calcutta	23rd Dec. 1919 ...	Temporary	Restricted to the Presidency of Bengal.
18	P. T. Kelly	4-2, May Road, Hastings	16th Jan. 1920 ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
19	G. H. F. Eatwell	18, Victoria Chambers, Calcutta ...	11th March ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20	Nitai Doyal Bose	Ulipur, Rangpur	7th July ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	S. N. Banerjee	8, Serpentine Lane, Calcutta	7th ,, ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
22	Sarat Chandra Chatterji ...	9, Brindaban Basak Street, Calcutta	28th ,, ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
23	Subodh Kumar Mukherji ...	Commercial Academy, Dacca ...	3rd Aug. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
24	Joykrishna Sen	C-o. A. Firpo, Ltd., 18-2 to 18-5, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta.	21st ,, ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
25	Sachindranath Sen	12 Dalhousie Square, East, Calcutta ...	18th Oct. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
26	Kopally Krishan Rao	Cocoanads, Madras	23rd Nov. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
27	J. B. Hughes	7-1, Elysium Row, Calcutta	12th March 1921 ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
28	Rabindranath Saha	Komarkhali post office, district Nadia	18th Feb. 1922 ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
29	Sudhir Chandra Sen Gupta ...	70, Tantibagan, Dacca	3rd Aug. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
30	Dhirendra Mohan Sen Gupta ...	9-3, Harimohan Bose's Lane, Calcutta	20th Sept. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
31	Jatindra Mohan Mitra ...	3, Hastings Street, Calcutta	30th Aug. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
32	Bagalapitambara Sen Gupta ...	Dacca Municipal Office, Dacca ...	25th Oct. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
33	Haridas Banerjee	65, Kalighat Road, Calcutta	18th Nov. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
34	A. R. Dhar	4, Buckingham Court, Ripon Street, Calcutta.	14th Feb. 1923 ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
35	Atul Krishna Kundu	4, Hastings Street, Calcutta	26th April ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
36	G. Narsimham	307, Lingi Chitty Street, Madras ...	24th ,, ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
37	Kripasindhu Chakravarti ...	C-o. Messrs. Price Waterhouse Peat & Co., of B-4, Clive Buildings, Calcutta.	26th Oct. ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
38	Amulya Chandra Sen	Ditto	26th ,, ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

* Obtained a diploma in Accountancy from the Bombay Accountancy Diploma Board.

A. MARR,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2-Marine.—The 15th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*3*) of section 126 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890 (Bengal Act III of 1890), the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the following by-laws to regulate the importation and shipment of gases and liquids under pressure, made by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, under section 126, sub-section (*1*), clauses (*b*) and (*c*) of the Act :—

By-laws.

Packages consisting of cylinders containing gases and liquids under pressure shall not be discharged from or shipped into vessels at the jetties and docks in the Port of Calcutta except in accordance with the following conditions, namely :—

(*1*) Cylinders must comply in every respect with the recommendations made by the Home Office Committee appointed in 1895 and must not exceed 8 feet in length and 10 inches in diameter.

(*2*) Cylinders must be separately and securely packed in a strong wooden case or in a covering made of closely plaited 1 inch (circumference) hemp, coir or matting of such nature, except that—

(*i*) several small cylinders not exceeding 24 inches in length and 4 inches in diameter may be packed in one box, provided that each cylinder is contained in a separate compartment or is separately encased in closely plaited 1 inch (circumference) hemp or coir or matting of such nature. Each box must not contain more than 25 small cylinders, and the gross weight of each box and contents must not exceed 2½ cwt. ;

(*ii*) small cylinders not exceeding 12 inches in length and 3 inches in diameter containing nitrous oxide may be packed in wicker-work baskets containing two such cylinders in separate compartments.

(*3*) All cylinders shall be sufficiently marked as to be easily identifiable as containing gas or liquid under pressure.

(*4*) Discharge and loading at night will not be permitted.

(*5*) Delivery from the ship's side shall be effected by the consignee immediately, as far as possible, and in any case within 24 hours, failing which they will be removed to the Hazardous Godown at the consignee's cost.

(*6*) After being landed and until removed or placed in the Hazardous Godown, all cylinders shall be adequately protected from the sun's rays by a suitable covering.

(*7*) Cylinders containing gases and liquids under pressure brought for shipment shall not be placed on any quay, wharf or road and allowed to remain there, but shall be shipped immediately.

(*8*) Cylinders containing gases and liquids under pressure must not be placed near a fire or exposed to other sources of heat.

No. 3-Marine.—The 15th January 1924.—Mr. W. C. Mayston, Junior Master Pilot, is reappointed to act as Senior Master Pilot, with effect from the 9th November 1923.

No. 4-Marine.—The 18th January 1924.—The ordinary examinations of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engineers, will be held at the Port Office on the following dates, at 10-30 A.M., during the year ending 31st December 1924 :—

January 21st.
February 13th.
March 3rd.
„ 24th.
April 22nd.
May 5th.
„ 26th.
June 16th.
July 14th.
„ 28th.
August 25th.
September 8th.
„ 29th.
October 22nd.
November 10th.
December 1st.
December 15th.

Applications to be permitted to appear for examination, must be made to the Principal Engineer and Ship Surveyor at the Port Office not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

No. 5-Marine.—The 18th January 1924.—The ordinary examinations of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Masters and Mates of the Mercantile Marine, will be held at the Port Office on the following dates, at 10-30 A.M., during the year ending 31st December 1924 :—

January 2nd.	July 7th.
February 18th.	August 18th.
April 7th.	September 29th.
May 19th.	November 17th.

Applications to be permitted to appear for examination, must be made at the Port Office not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

No. 6-Marine.—The 18th January 1924.—The ordinary examinations of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Masters and Serangs of Inland Steam-vessels under Act I of 1917, will be held at the Port Office on the following dates, at 10-30 A.M., during the year ending 31st December 1924 :—

January 7th.	June 23rd.
„ 28th.	July 17th.
February 11th.	August 4th.
March 10th.	„ 28th.
„ 31st.	September 15th.
April 14th.	October 20th.
May 12th.	November 3rd.
June 2nd.	„ 24th.

December 18th.

Applications to be permitted to appear for examination, must be made at the Port Office not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

No. 7-Marine.—The 18th January 1924.—The ordinary examinations of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engine Drivers, will be held at the Port Office on the following dates, at 11 A.M., during the year ending 31st December 1924 ;—

January 14th.	July 1st.
February 4th.	„ 21st.
„ 25th.	August 13th.
March 17th.	September 1st.
April 11th.	„ 22nd.
„ 28th.	October 17th.
May 16th.	November 7th.
June 9th.	„ 26th.

December 11th.

Applications to be permitted to appear for examination, must be made to the Principal Engineer and Ship Surveyor at the Port Office not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1.—The 16th January 1924.—Mr. A. Finlayson, Assistant Executive Engineer, is transferred in the interest of the public service from the office of the Chief Engineer, Irrigation Department, to the Dredger Division.

No. 2.—The 16th January 1924.—Babu Probhat Chandra Roy, Assistant Executive Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Cossye Division to the office of the Chief Engineer, Bengal, Irrigation Department, where he is attached until further orders.

No. 3.—The 16th January 1924.—Mr. H. C. Vieyra, Executive Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the office of the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle, to the Cossye Division to hold charge of it until further orders.

No. 4.—The 17th January 1924.—With reference to this Department notification No. 65, dated the 12th November 1923, Babu Probhat Chandra Roy, Assistant Executive Engineer, is appointed to hold charge of the Cossye Division until further orders.

No. 7 I.—The 21st January 1924.—The following draft of amendments, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 78 and 99 of the Bengal Irrigation Act, 1876 (Bengal Act III of 1876), the Governor in Council intends to make in rules 6, 21 and 22 of the rules and rates for the supply of water from the Eden Canal (published in Bengal Government notification No. 178, dated the 22nd August 1898, at pages 909-911, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, as modified in Bengal Government notification No. 66, dated the 15th November 1904, published at page 1703, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, and Bengal Government notification No. 7, dated the 21st June 1909, published at page 883, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem), is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft amendments.

1. *For* rule 6 of the said rules and rates, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"6. The rates to be charged will be as follows :—

	Per bigha. Rs. A.
I.—Long leases, per season	0 12
II.—Season leases, *kharif*, per season	1 2
III.—Single waterings outside the area commanded, each watering	0 6
IV.—Season leases, *rabi*, sugarcane, potato, and other crops irrigated by flow, per season	1 8
Season leases, *rabi*, sugarcane, potato, and other crops irrigated by lift, per season	0 12
Boro rice, onions, brinjals and other country vegetables irrigated by flow, per season	0 12
Boro rice, onions, brinjals and other country vegetables irrigated by lift, per season	0 6
V.—Unauthorised irrigation—	
Kharif season	3 0*
Rabi season	3 0*

* Or such lower rate as may be fixed by the Canal Officer.

2. *For* rules 21 and 22 of the said rules, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"21. When tanks which are used both for irrigation and domestic purposes are filled with canal water, a charge at the rate of annas 12 will be made for each 10,000 cubic feet or part of 10,000 cubic feet."

"22. The Divisional Canal Officer may supply water for manufacturing or other purposes and charge for the same at the rate of one rupee and eight annas for each 10,000 cubic feet or part of 10,000 cubic feet supplied. The same charge will be made if water is taken into a tank without authority or used in an unauthorised manner."

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES.

EXCISE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 246.—The 18th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), as amended by the Bengal Excise (Amendment) Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VII of 1914), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Agriculture and Public Works) are pleased to direct that the following

amendment be made in the rules published with the Bengal Government Notification No. 6018.R., dated the 30th March 1915, at pages 1 to 32 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st April 1915, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In the entry against "Dinajpur" under the heading *Closing hours* in clause (*i*) of rule 201 of the said rules, after the words "Dinajpur Municipality," *add* the words "and at Parbatipur."

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

Tippera. Noakhali.

No. 288.—The 21st January 1924.—Babu Gunendra Nath Ray Chaudhuri, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Tippera and Noakhali, is allowed leave on average pay for fifteen days, under Article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 20th January 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

Calcutta.

No. 290.—The 21st January 1924.—Mr. R. N. Thorpe, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay from the 26th November to the 5th December 1923 (both days inclusive), under Article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave already granted to him.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

No. 605A.—The 16th January 1924.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, District Agricultural Officer, Barisal, is granted leave on average salary for one month in extension of the leave sanctioned in this office notification No. 14962, dated the 27th November 1923.

R. S. FINLOW,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

No. 202.—The 14th January 1924.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Polta Co-operative Bank (registered No. 197 of 1919) in the district of 24-Parganas, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Basirhat, to be liquidator of the said society.

No. 207.—The 14th January 1924.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Nikurdi Gramya Bank (registered No. 218 of 1913) in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Faridpur circle, to be liquidator of the said society.

No. 209.—The 14th January 1924.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Tuzarpur Gramya Bank (registered No. 416 of 1913), in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Faridpur circle, to be liquidator of the said society.

No. 325.—The 19th January 1924.—Whereas the Commissioner of the Dacca Division has, on appeal, set aside the cancellation of registration of the Mirzapur Gramya Dharma Bhandar Society (registered No. 1 of 1910), a registered Co-operative Society in the district of Dacca, which was put under liquidation by this department notification No. 11619, dated the 1st September 1922, it is hereby ordered that the said notification No. 11619, dated the 1st September 1922, be cancelled.

No. 331.—The 19th January 1924.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Satgaon Joutha Bank (registered No. 299 of 1914), in the district of Tippera, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Haralal Roy, Pleader, Brahmanbaria, to be liquidator of the said society.

M. THORP,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

Orders by the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

No. 57Exc.—The 15th January 1924.—Babu Hira Lal Biswas, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is allowed one month's leave on average pay with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

2. He is permitted to prefix the X'mas and New Year's day holidays to his leave.

G. P. HOGG,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 493L.R.—The 15th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (*3*) of the Bengal Agricultural and Sanitary Improvement Act, 1920 (Bengal Act VI of 1920), the Governor in Council appoints the Executive Engineer, Cossye Division, to perform the functions of the Engineer under the Act for the purposes of the Soadighi-Sankarara drainage project in the Tamluk subdivision of the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 678L.R.—The 18th January 1924.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Kshetra Mohan Mukharji, Deputy Collector, is authorised to discharge, in the districts of Rajshahi and Murshidabad, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of the aforesaid Act, so far as they relate to survey and preparation of record-of-rights in respect of the areas mentioned in notifications Nos. 10104L.R., 10505L.R., and 10506L.R., dated the 19th November 1923.

Rajshahi. Murshidabad.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 681L.R.—The 18th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 108A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. H. C. V. Philpot, I.C.S., Settlement Officer of Pabna and Bogra, to make corrections in the records-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands in the districts of Pabna and Bogra, in accordance with and subject to the provisions of the said section.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 682L.R.—The 18th January 1924.—Mr. H. C. V. Philpot, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Pabna and Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Revenue Officer under section 108 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), in the districts of Pabna and Bogra, for the purpose of the revision of orders passed either by himself or by any other Revenue Officer under him, under sections 105, 105A, 106 and 107 of the said Act.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 683L.R.—The 18th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 108A, of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Chinta Haran Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Pabna and Bogra, to make corrections in the records-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands in those districts in accordance with and subject to the provisions of the said section.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 692L.R.—The 18th January 1924.—Mr. L. G. Pinnell, I.C.S., employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Khulna, is allowed leave on average pay, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, for fifteen days (entirely on account of privilege leave at his credit), with effect from the 7th January 1924.

Khulna.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

No. 497L.A.—The 15th January 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for race course siding at Barrackpore, in the village of Chandanpukuria, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 1·6694 acres, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

PLOT A:

North and East—By the village land of Chandanpukuria and by the land of Eastern Bengal Railway,

South—By the village land of Chandanpukuria,

West—By the village land of Chandanpukuria and by the Ferry Fund road,

PLOT B:

North and South—By the village land of Chandanpukuria and by the municipal road and drain,

East—By the village land of Chandanpukuria and by the municipal drain and the Ferry Fund road,

West—By the village land of Chandanpukuria and by the municipal drain and the Cantonment land,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Chandanpukuria.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

No. 688L.A.—The 18th January 1924.—Mr. N. L. Hindley, I.C.S., Subdivisional Officer of Sirajganj, in the district of Pabna, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Pabna.

No. 690L.A.—The 18th January 1924.—Babu Kali Mohan Sen, Deputy Collector, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district.

Tippera.

No. 701L.A.—The 18th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of five pieces of land altogether measuring 3·82 acres, as detailed in the schedule below, in miles 134, 135 and 137 of the 2nd down line between Asansol and Sitarampur stations, which were included in the area (viz., 40·49 acres) notified for acquisition under declaration

Burdwan.

No. 531L.A., dated the 13th January 1922, published at page 133, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, for the construction of the 2nd down line between Asansol and Sitarampur stations :—

Schedule.

Mile No. 134. Chain 3,200 to 3,910. Area 1·40 acres.

North—By the lands of Khudu Sheik, Ramki Sheik, Bimala Mukherji, Gopi Malik and Doman Sheik,
East, South and West—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company.

Mile No. 135. Chain 1,710 to 2,250. Area 0·59 of an acre.

North—By the lands of Kali Pada Chatterji, Digambari Debi, Matangini Debi and Kumarish Chatterji,
East—By the land of Kali Pada Chatterji,
South and West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company.

Mile No. 135. Chain 2,750 to 3,200. Area 0·52 of an acre.

North—By the lands of Kumarish Chatterji and Kali Pada Chatterji,
East, South and West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company.

Mile No. 135. Chain 3,600 to 4,230. Area 0·61 of an acre.

North—By the lands of Kali Pada Chatterji, Gadadhar Chatterji, Nalinaksha Chatterji, Ram Pada Brahmachari and Bhola Nath Chatterji,
East, South and West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company.

Mile No. 137. Chain 1,465 to 1 770. Area 0·70 of an acre.

North—By the lands of Faula Dhagar and Abdul Rahaman Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 685L.A.—The 18th January 1924.—In line 6 of the declaration No. 11804L.A. dated the 21st December 1923, published at page 1972, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required by the Corporation of Calcutta for the extension of Lansdowne market, in the village of Chakrabere, *for* "11 cottahs 1 chitak and 15 square feet," *read* "1 cottah 11 chitaks and 15 square feet."

24-Parganas.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

FOREST.

No. 615For.—The 16th January 1924.—Mr. J. M. Cowan, Deputy Conservator of Forests, employed as Working Plan Officer, Jalpaiguri is allowed leave for twenty-eight months from the 9th February 1924, viz., leave on average pay for nine months and four days (of which five months and four days are on account of privilege leave at his credit) under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

No. 529, dated Calcutta, the 14th January 1924.—Dr. J. N. Chatterji made over charge of the Chittagong Jail to Major A. Denham White, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 7th January 1924.

F. S. O. THOMPSON, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 232L., dated Calcutta, the 19th January, 1924.—It is hereby notified, in pursuance of rule 14 (*9*) of the rules for the election and nomination of members to the Bengal Legislative Council, that Dr. A. Suhrawardy has been declared under rule 14 (*2*) of the aforesaid rules to have been duly elected by the 24-Parganas Rural (Muhammadan) constituency, to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

C. TINDALL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, and
Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

Orders by the Controller of the Currency.

IN continuation of this office notification dated the 20th December 1923, it is notified that the rate at which contributions to the Indian Civil Service and Indian Military Service Family Pension Funds and the Indian Military Widows' and Orphans' Funds are recoverable during the month of February 1924 is 1s. 5*d.* the rupee. *This rate also applies to the payment of leave salaries, pensions, and annuities fixed in sterling.*

2. The percentage admissible as Exchange Compensation Allowance on salary paid during the same month is Rs. 2-15-1 per Rs. 100. The allowance is subject to the maximum of Rs. 65-6.

H. DENNING, *Controller of the Currency.*

THE TREASURY, CALCUTTA, *the 19th January 1924.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 16TH JANUARY 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Criminal Sessions of the year 1924 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the eleventh day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

W. L. CAREY, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯২৪ সাল, তারিখ ১৬ই জানুয়ারী।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীনে শহর কলিকাতা ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯২৪ সালের ১১ই ফেব্রুয়ারী সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯২৪ সালের প্রথম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক, তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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সরিফ।

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

ISSUED BY AUTHORITY OF THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

Circular Order No. 1 of 1924.

(Criminal.)

Cancel Rule 134, Chapter I, Volume I, of the Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Criminal, and the heading above it, and *substitute* therefor the following :—

"Term of sentence passed, confirmed or varied by the High Court on a reference under section 307, Cr. P. C., or in appeal or revision.

"134. (*1*) The term of imprisonment or transportation to which an accused person is sentenced under the original sentence of the Court below, or under any sentence or substituted sentence of the High Court, is, unless that Court otherwise order, to be deemed to run, if the accused is not in custody, from the day on which he is received into prison under the sentence."

"(*2*) If the accused is in custody, the sentence is, unless the Court otherwise order, to be deemed to run in a reference under section 307, from the day on which the reference is determined by the High Court, and in other cases from the first day of imprisonment under the original sentence."

By order of the High Court,

J. D. V. HODGE, *Registrar.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1222R.G.—Babu Harendra Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Khulna, is transferred to the Satkhira subdivision of that district as second officer.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 15th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1226R.G.—The orders contained in this office notification No. 2019R.G., dated the 22nd December 1923, transferring Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Saiyid, Sub-Deputy Collector, from Murshidabad to Satkhira, are cancelled.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 15th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1231R.G.—Maulvi Siddiq Ghulam Rahman Khan, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Jhenidah, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave on average pay for eleven days from the 1st to the 11th December 1923.

J. M. CHATTERJI, *Personal Assistant*, for *Commissioner* (*on tour*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 216J.—Babu Radhika Mohan Basak, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Nilphamari, Rangpur, is transferred to Serajganj, in the district of Pabna, to work in the general line.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 15th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 251J.—Babu Bimala Kanta Lahiri, Sub-Deputy Collector on probation, Faridpur, is transferred temporarily to the Goalundo subdivision of that district for training as a Circle Officer under the Bengal Village Self-Government Act V of 1919.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 16th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 199G.—It is hereby notified for general information that Maulvi Sultan Muhammad, head-master, Ghani High English School, Chandpur, is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Chandpur sub-jail for a term of two years, under rule 63 (*2*) of the Bengal Jail Code, 1919, *vice* Mr. C. O. Mackertich, resigned.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 14th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 23M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be Commissioners of the Kanchrapara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, at the last general election of Commissioners held on the 15th December 1923:—

No. of Ward.	Name.
I	Mr. A. R. Gundry. „ A. E. Hewlett. Rai Shaheb Krishna Chandra Ghattak.
II	Babu Rajani Kanto Chatterjee. „ Nalini Nath Basu.
III	Babu Gour Mohan Sadhukhan. „ Satish Chandra Nandi.
IV	Babu Sashi Bhusan Sadhukhan.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 171M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the next general election of the Commissioners of the Jalpaiguri Municipality will be held on Monday, the 9th June 1924.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 18th January 1924.*

ERRATUM.

No. 24M.—In this office notification No. 8M., dated the 18th August 1923, published at page 1223 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd August 1923—

read

"Maulvi Gholam Hossain Shah"

for

"Shahebzada Gholam Hossain Shah."

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 17th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of the notification published at page 1902 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th December 1923, it is notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the Election Rules made under section 138 (*a*) of the Bengal Self-Government Act, III (B.C) of 1885, as modified up to 1st August 1919, Saturday, the 22nd March 1924, is fixed for holding a by-election in thana Naihati for the election of a member of the Barrackpore local board in the place of Kazi Muhammad Yusuf, deceased.

J. H. LINDSAY, *District Magistrate.*

ALIPORE, *the 14th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 257J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gaodia union board in the Munshiganj subdivision of the Dacca district :—

Ward No.		Names of members.
I	...	1. Babu Pran Kumar Banerji. 2. „ Mati Lal Banerji. 3. Munshi Khademali Molla.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Shyama Charan Pal.
2. „ Mahananda Kangsha Banik.
3. Munshi Abdul Majid.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Manasha Charan Chatterji.
2. Easin Munshi.
3. Babu Chaitanya Kapali.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 16th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 46L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following by-law adopted by the District Board of Hooghly as an addition to their existing by-law No. 18, at their special meeting held on the 25th June 1923, is confirmed under rule 5 (*1*) of the rules issued under Government notification No. 764T.M., of 7th September 1910 :—

"No person shall steep any jute, hemp, bamboos, hides or any other offensive matter in any drain, borrow-pit, tank, *doba* or excavation situated within a distance of 300 feet from the inhabited portion of any village."

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 15th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 184M.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19 (*2*) of the Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29 B of the same Act, I hereby appoint Mr. F. P. McKinty as a member of the Malda District Board in place of Rai Sahib Srish Chandra Kanjilal, resigned.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 19th January 1924.*

NOTITICATION.

No. 206J.—It is notified for general information that in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I hereby sanction, under section 6 (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the establishment of a new public ferry over the Fatehpur khal on the local board road from Porabari to Ramdevpur within the police-station Tangail, in the district of Mymensingh.

2. In exercise of the powers delegated to me by the Bengal Government notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, I direct, under section 35 of the aforesaid Act, that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Mymensingh and the proceeds of the ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund of Mymensingh with effect from the date of this notification.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 15th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 205J.—It is hereby notified, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Babu Jogesh Chandra Bhowmik, a duly nominated candidate of the Pabna-cum-Bogra Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, lodged his return of election expenses and declarations with the Returning Officer on the 8th day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and*
Returning Officer.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 14th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 207J.—It is hereby notified, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules, that Maulvi Syed Majid Baksh, a duly nominated candidate for election to the Legislative Assembly from the Rajshahi Division Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Presidency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration with the Returning Officer on the 10th day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division on payment of a fee of Re. 1 in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and*
Returning Officer.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 14th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

BABU HARIPRASANNA SARKAR, one of the nominated candidates to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Hooghly Rural Non-Muhammadan constituency, has filed on the 12th January 1924 his return of election expenses and declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19 (*1*) and (*iii*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Magistrate of Hooghly at Chinsura on payment of a fee Re. 1 for ten days from the 15th January 1924 between the hours of 12 noon and 3 P.M., except Sundays and holidays.

M. N. MUKERJEE, *Senior Deputy Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

CHINSURA, *the 15th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Legislative Assembly Rules, that Molla Abul Kasem, a duly nominated candidate of the Indian Legislative Assembly from the Calcutta and Suburbs Muhammadan constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 12th day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of proper fees between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 110J.G.—It is hereby notified that Zannoor Ahmed, one of the elected members of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Burdwan Division South Muhammadan constituency, has filed on the 15th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the gazette.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 15th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

BABUS HARENDRA KUMAR SARBADHIKARI and Provat Chandra Giri, the two nominated candidates to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Hooghly Rural Non-Muhammadan constituency, have filed on the 15th January 1924 their return of election expenses and declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19 (*1*) and (*iii*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Magistrate of Hooghly at Chinsura on payment of a fee of Re. 1 in each case for ten days from the 16th January 1924 between the hours 12 A.M. and 3 P.M. except Sundays and holidays.

M. N. MUKERJEA, *Senior Deputy Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

CHINSURA, *the 16th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 117J.G.—It is hereby notified that Rai Taraprasanna Mukherji Bahadur, one of the nominated candidates for election to the Legislative Assembly from the Burdwan Division Non-Muhammadan Rural constituency, has filed on the 16th January 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by rule 19, clauses (*1*) and (*3*), respectively, of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules, 1923. They can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, Chinsura, on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette.

J. N. GUPTA, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 16th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE returns of election expenses of the following elected members and nominated candidates of the Bengal Legislative Council from the constituencies noted against each together with the declarations have been lodged with the Returning Officer on the dates noted against each. The returns of expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the District Magistrate of Faridpur on business days during business hours on payment of prescribed fee of Re. 1 for each return and declaration.

Name of constituency.	Names of persons.	Address.	Date on which lodged with the Returning Officer.
Faridpur (North) Muhammadan.	1. Syed Muhammad Masih, elected member.	13, Macleod Street, Calcutta.	5th January 1924.
	2. Khan Bahadur Rahamat Jan Chowdhury, nominated candidate.	Faridpur ...	8th " "
	3. Khandker Abdul Aziz, nominated candidate.	Komarpur (Faridpur)	8th " "
Faridpur (North) Non-Muhammadan.	4 Dr. Jatindra Nath Maitra, nominated candidate.	66-A, Beadon Street, Calcutta.	8th " "
	5. Babu Braja Mohon Mandal, nominated candidate.	Amirabad, police-station Sadarpur.	8th " "
	6. Babu Hemanta Kumar Mukherjee, nominated candidate.	Faridpur ...	8th " "
Faridpur (South) Muhammadan.	7. Maulvi Mosbahuddin Ahmed, nominated candidate.	Kartickpur, police-station Lonsingh.	7th " "
	8. Syed Abdur Rob Chowdhury, elected member.	Gopalpur, police-station Kalkini.	7th " "
Faridpur (South) Non-Muhammadan.	9. Babu Bhismadeb Das, nominated candidate.	Orakandi, police-station Kasiani.	7th " "
	10. Mr. Bejoy Chandra Chatterjee	Ballyganj, Calcutta ...	5th " "
	11. Babu Mukunda Behari Mullick, nominated candidate.	Budridas Temple Road, Calcutta.	5th " "
	12. Babu Asita Ranjan Ghose, nominated candidate.	Calcutta ...	7th " "
	13. Dr. Mohini Mohan Das, elected member.	Dacca ...	7th " "

D. H. WARES, *District Magistrate.*

FARIDPUR MAGISTRACY, *the 15th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the return of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of Bengal Electoral Rules published in Government notification No. F.-213 V of the 30th July 1923 have been lodged with the undersigned by the following candidates on the dates noted against them and they are ready for inspection at the office of the District Magistrate of Rajshahi between the hours of 11 A.M. to 5 P.M. on week days from the 14th of January 1924 :—

Rajshahi South Muhammadan Constituency.

(1) Sardar Haji Lal Mohammed ... .. 12th January 1924.

Rajshahi North Muhammadan Constituency.

(2) Moulvi Mohammed Ashraf Ali Khan Choudhury ... 14th January 1924.

F. B. BRADLEY-BIRT, *Returning Officer.*

RAJSHAHI, *the 15th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declarations made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidates on the 14th January 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of rupee one only :—

Maulvi Habibar Rahman	...	Mymensingh West Muhammadan Constituency.
„ Khos Mohammed Choudhury	...	
„ Abdul Hekim, Muktear	...	Mymensingh East Muhammadan Constituency.

J. R. BLAIR, for *Returning Officer.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 14th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidate on the 15th January 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of rupee one only :—

Maulvi Abdul Jubber Palwhan	...	Mymensingh East and West Muhammadan Constituencies.

J. R. BLAIR, for *Returning Officer.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 16th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidate on the 16th January 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of rupee one only :—

Hazi Mr. A. K. Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi	Mymensingh West Muhammadan Constituency.

J. R. BLAIR, for *Returning Officer.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 16th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 267J.—It is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules that Mr. Kumar Sankar Ray, a duly elected member of the Legislative Assembly from the Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Presidency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration with the Returning Officer on the 14th day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner and Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 17th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

MAULVI HAKIM HABIRUR RAHAMAN, a duly nominated candidate for election from the Dacca Division Muhammadan constituency to the Legislative Assembly, lodged with me his return of election expenses and declaration on the 10th day of January 1924. They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Dacca Division, Dacca, on payment of the prescribed fee of Re. 1 during the office hours 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 17th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

MAULVI ALIMUZZAMAN CHOWDHURY, B.A., who was declared to be duly elected as a member to the Legislative Assembly from the Dacca Division, Muhammadan constituency, lodged with me his return of election expenses and declaration on the 11th day of January 1924. They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Dacca Division on payment of the prescribed fee of Re. 1 during the office hours 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 17th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

MR. J. A. DELISLE, a duly elected member from the Dacca and Chittagong (European) constituency to the Bengal Legislative Council, lodged with me his return of election expenses and declaration on the 14th day of January 1924. They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Dacca Division, Dacca, during the office hours 11 A.M. to 5 P.M., on payment of the prescribed fee of Re. 1.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 17th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

MAULVI SADAR MAHAFEZUDDIN AHMED, a duly nominated candidate for election from the Dacca Division Muhammadan constituency to the Legislative Assembly, lodged with me his return of election expenses and declaration on the 14th day of January 1924. They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Dacca Division, on payment of the prescribed fee of Re. 1 during the office hours 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 17th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that the following persons who were nominated as candidates for election of members for the Bengal Legislative Council from the constituencies noted against each have lodged with me the returns of election expenses with declarations on dates mentioned below and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day when the office remains open on payment of the prescribed fees of Re. 1 in each case.

Name of candidate.	Constituency.	Date when lodged.
1. Babu Kshitish Chandra Mukhopadhyay (unsuccessful candidate) ...	Nadia Non-Muhammadan.	7th January 1924.
2. Babu Hemanta Kumar Sarkar (successful candidate) ...	Ditto ...	7th " "
3. Maulvi Aftab Hossain Joardar (successful candidate) ...	Nadia Muhammadan.	3rd " "
4. Maulvi Azizul Haque (unsuccessful candidate) ...	Ditto ...	8th " "
5. Syed Erfanali (unsuccessful candidate) ...	Ditto ...	5th " "

M. A. MOMEN, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

NADIA MAGISTRACY, KRISHNAGAR, *the 19th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the return of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, published in Government notification No. F. 213 V of the 30th July 1923, have been lodged with the undersigned by the following candidates on the dates noted against them and they are ready for inspection at the office of the District Magistrate of Rajshahi between the hours of 11 A.M. to 5 P.M. on week days from the 15th January 1924 :—

Rajshahi Non-Muhammadan.

1.	Babu Sudarsan Chakravarty ...	...	14th January 1924.
2.	„ Kisori Mohan Chaudhuri ...	...	15th „ „

Rajshahi North Muhammadan.

1.	Khan Bahadur Maulvi Md. Choinuddin	...	14th January 1924.
2.	Maulvi Md. Ashruf Ali Khan Chaudhuri	...	14th „ „

Rajshahi South Muhammadan.

1.	Sardar Hazi Lal Muhammed ...	...	12th January 1924.
2.	Khan Bahadur Maulvi Emaduddin Ahmed	...	15th „ „
3.	Maulvi Md. Asiruddin Sarkar ...	...	15th „ „

F. B. BRADLEY-BIRT, *Returning Officer.*

RAJSHAHI, *the 18th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

Mr. J. A. deLisle, who was declared to be duly elected as a member to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dacca and Chittagong (European) constituency, lodged with me his return of election expenses and declaration on the 14th day of January 1924. They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Dacca Division, on payment of the prescribed fee of Re. 1 during the office hours 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Returning Officer.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 19th January 1924.*

ERRATUM.

IN line 4 of the notice published at page 113 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th instant, please *read* "2nd January 1924" *for* "23rd January 1924."

S. C. MUKERJEE, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

HOWRAH, *the 19th January 1924.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 12th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 8th January 1924.

No. 6.—For the purposes of sub-section (*1*) of section 63-B of the Government of India Act, and in pursuance of the provisions of sub-rule (*3*) of rule 27 of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules, the Governor General is pleased to nominate the following persons, being officials, to be members of the said Legislative Assembly :—

* * * * * * *

Mr. Lewis Sydney Steward O'Malley, C.I.E.
Mr. Girish Chandra Nag.

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H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 12th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

STAMPS.

Delhi, the 12th January 1924.

No. 50.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the Indian Stamp Rules, 1914, namely :—

In rule 8 of the said rules for the words and figures "Article 5 or Article 43" the words and figures "Articles 5, 19, 36, 37, 43, 49 and 52" shall be substituted.

A. C. MCWATTERS,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following order issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 12th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Delhi, the 11th January 1924.

PART B.

APPOINTMENTS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

No. 38.—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted commissions, with effect from the dates specified :—

I Brigade (Calcutta Port Defence), Royal Field and Garrison Artillery.

To be Second Lieutenant.

William Ewart Pavey. Dated 3rd December 1923.

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E. BURDON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th January 1924, are republished for general information.

N. B. GUPTA,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 12th January 1924.

No. F.-776—I—23.—The Governor General in Council has accepted the resignation tendered by the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Arthur Page, K. C., Barrister-at-Law, of his office of Additional Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

No. F.-776—II—23.—Sir Asutosh Mookerjee, KT., C.S.I., having been permitted to resign his office of Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of section 105, sub-section (*2*), of the Government of India Act, to appoint Mr. Arthur Page, K. C., Barrister-at-Law, to act as a Judge of the High Court during the continuance of the vacancy caused by the resignation of Sir Asutosh Mookerjee, KT., C.S.I., or until further orders.

The 15th January 1924.

No. F.-776—23.—Mr. Manmatha Nath Mookerjee took his seat as an acting Additional Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the forenoon of the 2nd January 1924.

The 17th January 1924.

No. D.-301—C.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice G. C. Rankin, Barrister-at-Law, having been placed on deputation, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Government of India Act, section 105, sub-section (*2*), to appoint Mr. A. J. Chotzner, I.C.S., to act as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, with effect from the date on which he takes his seat, during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice G. C. Rankin, or until further orders.

H. TONKINSON,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 16th January 1924.

No. 47-G.—With reference to notification No. 131—12-G., dated the 10th January 1923, Senor Don B. Martinez Y. Montalvan, Consul for Cuba at Calcutta, resumed charge of his office on the 23rd December 1923.

E. B. HOWELL,
Secretary to the Government of India (offg.).

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th January 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Delhi, the 18th January 1924.

PART A.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

3rd Calcutta Light Horse.

No. 60.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 149, dated the 3rd February 1923, Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Westmacott, V.D., is permitted to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the corps on retirement.

PART B.

APPOINTMENTS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

No. 65.—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted commissions, with effect from the dates specified :—

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The Calcutta Scottish.

To be Major.

Howard Frederick Hobbs, D.S.O., M.C. Dated 9th December 1921.

To be Second Lieutenant.

Alexander Jolliffe. Dated 11th December 1923.

(Army Department Notification No. 240, dated the 11th February 1922, in so far as it relates to Major Hobbs, is hereby cancelled.)

PROMOTIONS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

No. 74.—The following promotions are made, with effect from the dates specified :—

The Calcutta Scottish.

Lieutenant to be Captain.

Harold Browne, M.B.E. Dated 6th September 1923.

No. 9 (Cossipore) Company Machine Gun Corps.

Captain to be Major.

A. K. Thoms. Dated 19th July 1923.

No. 10 (Cossipore) Company Machine Gun Corps.

Captain to be Major.

J. Crawford. Dated 19th July 1923.

RESIGNATIONS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

No. 85.—The undermentioned officer is permitted to resign his commission, with effect from the date specified :—

The Eastern Bengal Railway Battalion.

Lieutenant John William Perkins. Dated 13th November 1923.

E. BURDON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

THE forthcoming Convocation for conferring Degrees will be held at the Senate House, College Square, Calcutta, on Saturday, the 22nd March 1924, at 3 P.M.

Non-collegiate students, desirous of receiving their Diplomas at the Convocation, are requested to send in their names to the undersigned not later than the 5th of March 1924. No name will be accepted after that date.

Graduates who will attend the Convocation are requested to be present at the Senate House in full academic costume not later than 12 noon, on the 22nd March 1924.

J. C. GHOSH, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 16th January 1924.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

I. The next theorotical portions of the Preliminary Scientific, M. B. and the Final M. B. Examinations will be held on Monday, the 16th June 1924, and following days.

II. The next theoretical portion of the First M. B. Examination will be held on Wednesday, the 25th June 1924, and following days.

Applications and fees for admission to the aforesaid examinations should reach the office of the Controller of Examinations on or before Monday, the 26th May 1924.

N.B.—No applications and fees for admission to the above examinations will be entertained after the 26th May even on payment of fine.

N. SEN, *Controller of Examinations (offg.).*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 14th January 1924.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

No. C-2020.—Applications for affiliation of Colleges to the University should ordinarily reach the undersigned on or before the 7th of August previous to the opening of the Session from which the proposed affiliation is to take effect.

J. C. GHOSH, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 16th January 1924.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

SCHOOLS applying for the first time for recognition are required to submit their applications, normally, as soon as they open class IX, *i.e.*, in January.

J. C. GHOSH, *Registrar*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 17th January 1924.*

RESULTS OF THE GIRLS' SPECIAL UPPER PRIMARY SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION, 1923.

Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

THE undermentioned girls are awarded Upper Primary scholarships with effect from the 1st January 1924 :—

(Value Rs. 3 a month each, tenable for two years.)

Serial No.	Name of candidate.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship is made tenable.
	PRESIDENCY DIVISION.		
	24-Parganas.		
1	Biswas, Protivamoyee	... Thakurpukur Mission Girls' School	... Thakurpukur Mission Girls' School.
2	Dasi, Protiva Bala	... Diamond Harbour Model Girls' School.	Diamond Harbour Model Girls' School.
	Jessore.		
1	Dutta, Bibhabati	... Narail Model Girls' School	... Narail Model Girls' School.
2	Nandi, Suchalata	... Kurulia Peasant Girls' School	... Kurulia Peasant Girls' School.
	Khulna.		
1	Bose, Jyotirmoyee	... Raruli Girls' School	... Raruli Zenana Class.
2	Halder, Asalata	... Chapatala Girls' School	... Chapatala Girls' School.
	Nadia.		
1	Debi, Monorama	... Navadwip Model Girls' School	... Navadwip Model Girls' School.
	Murshidabad.		
1	Debi, Santi Lata	... Lalbag Girls' Schools	... Lalbag Girls' School.
2	,, Saraju Bala	... Ditto	... Ditto.
	BURDWAN DIVISION.		
	Howrah.		
1	Basu, Nirmalabala	... Uluberia Binapani Girls' School	Uluberia Binapani Girls' School.
	Bankura.		
1	Murmu, Josada	... Sarenga Santhal Girls' School	... Barrackpur Wesleyan Mission Girls' M. V. School.
	Midnapore.		
1	Devi, Gangamoni	... Bishnupur Girls' School	... Bishnupur Girls' School.
2	,, Nirmala Sundari	... Dwariberia Girls' School	... Dwariberia Girls' School.
	Hooghly.		
1	Debi, Naba Durga	... Sheakhala Model Girls' School	... Sheakhala Model Girls' School.
	Burdwan.		
1	Nandi, Madhuribala	... Maharani Girls' School	Maharani Girls' School.
	Birbhum.		
1	Bibi, Mariam (Muhammadan)	.. Sonatore Girls' Muktab, Suri	... Sonatore Girls' Muktab, Suri.

LILIAN BROCK, *Inspectress of Schools,*
Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

CALCUTTA, *the 15th January 1924.*

N.B.—No Muhammadan candidates were presented from the Presidency Division.

RESULTS OF THE GIRLS' SPECIAL LOWER PRIMARY SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION, 1923.

Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

THE undermentioned girls are awarded Lower Primary Scholarships with effect from 1st January 1924 :—

(Value Rs. 2 a month each, tenable for two years.)

Serial No.	Name of candidate.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship is made tenable.
	PRESIDENCY DIVISION.		
	24-Parganas.		
1	Bhattacharyya, Kamal Kamini	Neogipara Girls' School, Baranagar ...	Neogipara Girls' School, Baranagar.
2	Dassi, Bhagirathi ...	Rossa Girls' School ...	Rossa Girls' School.
3	,, Susama Bala ...	Fatehpur Girls' School ...	Fatehpur Girls' School.
4	De, Tarulata ...	C. E. Z. Industrial School, Baranagar ...	C. E. Z. Industrial School Barranagar.
5	Debi, Parul Bala ...	Chanak Mahila Girls' School, Barrackpore ...	Chanak Mohila Girls' School, Barrackpore.
6	Roy, Amiya Bala ...	Dhanyakuria Girls' School ...	Dhanyakuria Girls' School.
	Jessore.		
1	Bose, Indu Lekha ...	Auria Girls' School ...	Auria Girls' School.
2	,, Katyayani ...	Baraipara Girls' School ...	Baraipara Girls' School.
3	Chakravarti, Ashalata ...	Lohagora District Board Girls' School ...	Lohagora District Board Girls' School.
4	Maitra, Surabala ...	Srikola Girls' School ...	Srikola Girls' School.
5	Meherunnessa (Muhammadan)	Joypur Girls' Muktab ...	Joypur Girls' Muktab.
6	Poddar, Sura Bala ...	Benodepur Katyayani Girls' School ...	Benodepur Katyayani Girls' School.
	Khulna.		
1	Datta, Bijali Prova ...	Khosra Dattapara Girls' School	Khosra Dattapara Girls' School.
2	Halder, Pramilabala ...	Khalishpur Halderpara Girls' School	Khalishpur Halderpara Girls' School.
3	Khatun, Ashia (Muhammadan)	Malekpuraikati Board Girls' School ...	Malekpuraikati Board Girls' School.
	Nadia.		
1	Basu, Labanya Prova ...	Ranaghat Amalgamated Girls' School ...	Ranaghat Amalgamated Girls' School.
2	Biswas, Hannaprobashini ...	Santirajpur Girls' School ...	Santirajpur Girls' School.
3	Debi, Abharani ...	Meherpur Ripon Girls' School	Meherpur Ripon Girls' School.
4	,, Ashapurna ...	Santipore Model Girls' School	Santipore Model Girls' School.
5	Mukherji, Bimalabala ...	Kathuriapara C. E. Z. Girls' School ...	Kathuriapara C. E. Z. Girls' School.
6	Sarker, Surabala ...	Santirajpur Girls' School ...	Santirajpur Girls' School.
	Murshidabad.		
1	Banerjee, Nandarani ...	Gorabazar L. M. S. Girls' School ...	Gorabazar L. M. S. Girls' School.
2	Bibi, Zarina (Muhammadan)	Khagra L. M. S. Girls' School	Khagra L. M. S. Girls' School.
3	Chatterjee, Mahamaya ...	Gorabazar L. M. S. Girls' School ...	Gorabazar L. M. S. Girls' School.
4	Dasi, Nirmala Bala ...	Jangipur Girls' School ...	Jangipur Girls' School.
5	Devi, Amiyabala ...	Kanchantala Girls' School ...	Kanchantala Girls' School.
6	Ghosh, Rani Bhabani ...	Khagra L. M. S. Girls' School	Khagra L. M. S. Girls' School.

Serial No.	Name of candidate.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship is made tenable.
	BURDWAN DIVISION.		
	Howrah.		
1	Omkulsum (Muhammadan) ...	Rajkholapara Girls' Muktab ...	Baniban Girls' M. E. School.
2	Khatun, Rahima (Muhammadan) ...	Harish Girls' Muktab ...	Ditto.
	Bankura.		
1	Debi, Abanibala ...	Baital Mondalpara Girls' School ...	Vishnupur Mission Girls' School.
	Midnapore.		
1	Dassi, Labanya ...	Barabazar Mission Girls' School	Aligunge Hindu M. E. Girls' School.
2	,, Surabala ...	Senapatipara Girls' School ...	Senapatipara Girls' School.
3	Gupta, Hemangini ...	Bamanda Girls' School ...	Shontiya Girls' School.
	Hooghly.		
1	Ganguly, Gouri Rani ...	Kamarpara Mission Girls' School ...	Kamarpara Mission Girls' School.
2	Ghose, Parulbala ...	Chatra Mission Girls' School...	Chatra Mission Girls' School.
3	Sirkar, Protiva ...	Serampore Mission Girls' School ...	Serampore Mission Girls' School.
	Burdwan.		
1	Gupta, Sarajubala ...	Mission Hindu Girls' School Asansol ...	Mission Hindu Girls' School, Asansol.
2	Sarkar, Mayalata ...	Ditto ...	Ditto
3	,, Mrinalini ...	Ukhara Girls' School ...	Ukhara Girls' School.
	Birbhum.		
1	Debi, Bijanbala ...	Rampurhat Model Girls' School ...	Rampurhat Model Girls' School.
2	,, Kanak Prova ...	Labpur Model Girls' School ..	Labpur Model Girls' School.
3	Khatun, Ahasanna (Muhammadan) ...	Margram Girls' Muktab ...	Margram Girls' Muktab.

LILIAN BROCK, *Inspectress of Schools,*
Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th January 1924.*

ORDERS BY THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF THE UNIVERSITY OF DACCA.

M.A. Examination, 1923.

THE undermentioned candidates have been admitted to the degree of Master of Arts on the results of the examination held in July 1923 :—

(*In alphabetical order*)

ECONOMICS.

FIRST CLASS.

1. Dines Chandra Datta,
2. Parimal Ray.

SECOND CLASS.

1. Prafulla Chandra Haldar.

THIRD CLASS.

1. Abinas Chandra De.

N. AHMAD, *Registrar.*

UNIVERSITY BUILDINGS, RAMNA, DACCA, *the 16th January 1924.*

A.—Statement of stipends awarded to pupils and to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit First Examination, 1923, held by different Associations under the rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892, Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896, Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896, and the Director of Public Instruction's rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers, dated the 16th January 1901.

(Held on the 14th and 15th February 1923.)

Approved by the Council of the Sanskrit Association, Calcutta.

Fifty-seven stipends to pupils at Rs. 2 a month for two years.

Twenty-one stipends of Rs. 6 a month, twenty-four stipends of Rs 8 a month, and four Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 4 a month and one at Rs. 3 a month, are awarded to teachers (tenable for one year).

The stipends are tenable from September 1923.

Names of Associations.	Candidates.				Stipends to pupils.							Stipends to teachers.					
	Number of candidates presented.		Number of candidates passed.		Available for merit at Rs. 2.		Available for the encouragement of the students in backward localities.		Stipends in proportion to passes under different Associations.		Total.	Available for merit at Rs. 8.		Available for the encouragement of Pandits in backward localities at Rs. 6.	By adding up marks.		Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends at Rs. 4. Endowed scholarships reserved for Calcutta Pandit Sabha only.	Total.
	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.		Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.		At Rs. 8.	At Rs. 6.	At Rs. 4.	
1. Calcutta Pandit Sabha	430	233	204	146	—	4	—	—	2	18	24	—	6	1	3	2	4	
2. Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha	26	14	14	13	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3. Nabadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha	90	27	62	17	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	2	—	
4. Berhampur Pandit Sabha	56	12	38	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5. Narail Vidyotsahini Sabha	16	6	8	3	—	—	—	1	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	
6. Daulatpur Saraswat Samiti	64	23	44	14	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	
7. Burdwan Bijay Centre	113	57	54	22	—	—	—	1	—	3	4	—	—	—	1	1	—	
8. Srikhanda Chaitanydayini Sabha	24	5	20	4	1	—	2	—	2	1	6	2	—	—	—	—	—	
9. Midnapur Vidyotsahini Sabha	37	9	22	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
10. Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti	41	15	18	6	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
11. Baraberia Sanskrit Samiti	31	7	12	4	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
12. Contai Sanskrit Samiti	276	52	157	18	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	1	2	—	
13. Bankura Saraswat Samaj	48	6	32	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
14. Dacca	100	20	55	13	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	
15. Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha	39	9	30	6	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	
16. Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha	60	12	31	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	
17. Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha	48	13	27	5	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
18. Mymensingh Dharma Sabha	89	23	45	11	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
19. Rajshahi Rani Hemanta Kumari Sanskrit College.	17	3	8	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	
20. Pabna Jnanada Samiti	74	15	40	7	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	1	—	1	—	
21. Naogaon Sanskrit Samiti	25	8	14	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
22. Rangpur Dharma Sabha	23	7	22	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	
23. Chittagong Vidyabinodini Sabha	160	13	91	8	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	1	2	1	—	
24. Patya Jnanadayini Sabha	93	5	54	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	
25. Noakhali Suhrid Sammilani Sabha	52	10	26	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
26. Comilla Dharma Samiti	65	3	32	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	1	—	1	1	—	—	
27. Brahmanberia Vidyotsahini Sabha	43	6	22	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	
28. Darjeeling	11	Nil	3	Nil	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
ASSAM.																		
29. Gauripur Tarinipriya Sanskrit Samiti	10	3	7	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
30. Silchar Prachya Sikha Parisad	15	Nil	7	Nil	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
31. Nalbari Sanskrit Sanjibani Sabha	58	8	26	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
32. Sylhet Government Sanskrit College	16	6	10	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
CENTRAL PROVINCE.																		
33. Mandala Sanskrit School Committee	13	1	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
34. Jabbalpur K. Hitakarini Sabha	64	2	40	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
35. Khairagarh Sanskrit School Committee	7	3	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
36. Nagpur Sanskrit Examination Centre	36	7	15	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
CENTRAL INDIA.																		
37. Datiya State Education Committee	44	Nil	17	Nil	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
38. Indore Sanatan Dharma Sabha	116	29	82	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
BOMBAY.																		
39. Bombay Gokuldas Tejpal Sanskrit College.	45	8	22	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
UNITED PROVINCE.																		
40. Brindaban Banamali Centre	3	3	3	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Total	2,577	665	1,452	381	2	4	2	4	15	30	57	4	6	10	14	10	—	—

B.—Statement of stipends awarded to pupils and to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit Second Examination, 1923, held by different Associations under the Rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892, Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896, Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896, and the Director of Public Instruction's rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

(Held on the 14th and 15th February 1923.)

Seventeen stipends of Rs. 3 a month and fifteen stipends of Rs. 4 a month, tenable for two years, and four Nyaya stipends at Rs. 3 a month, tenable for three years, are awarded to pupils.
Fourteen stipends of Rs. 10 a month, fifteen stipends at Rs. 12 a month, three Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 5 a month and two Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 6 a month (tenable for one year) are awarded to teachers.

These stipends are tenable from September 1923.

Names of Association.	CANDIDATES.				STIPENDS TO PUPILS.										STIPENDS TO TEACHERS.								
	Number of candidates presented.		Number of candidates passed.		Available for merit at Rs. 4.		Available for the encouragement of students in backward localities at Rs. 3.		Stipends in proportion to passes under different Associations.				Reserved for Nyaya, Rs. 3 for three years.	Total.	Available for merit at Rs. 12.		Available for the encouragement of Pandits in the backward localities, Rs. 10.	By adding up marks.		Reserved for Nyaya.		Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends. Endowed scholarship reserved for Calcutta Pandit Sabha only.		Total.
	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and grammar, Rs. 3.	Higher subjects, Rs. 3.	Kavya and grammar, Rs. 2.	Higher subjects, Rs. 3.	Kavya and Grammar, Rs. 4.	Higher subjects, Rs. 4.			Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.		At Rs. 10.	At Rs. 12.	At Rs. 10.	At Rs. 12.	At Rs. 6.	At Rs. 6.	
1. Calcutta Pandit Sabha	191	112	113	72		1				4	1	2	3	11	1	2		2	5	1	1	3	2	17
2. Bhatpara Parikshn Sabha	9	7	6	7		1				1		1		4										
3. Nabadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha	37	10	10	8					2					2										
4. Berhampur Pandit Sabha	15	1	9	1																				
5. Narail Vidyotsahini Sabha	Nil	2	Nil	2																				
6. Dashapur Saraswat Samiti	26	7	17	6						2		1		3										
7. Burdwan Bijay Centre	42	24	24	18						1				1										
8. Srikhanda Chaitanyadayini Sabha	12	2	5	7																				
9. Midnapur Vidyotsahini Sabha	22	8	18	4						1				1										
10. Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti	14	3	7	1																				
11. Barabera Sanskrit Samiti	9	3	7	3																				
12. Contai Sanskrit Samiti	79	14	42	12						2		1		3										
13. Bankura Saraswat Samaj	15	Nil	7	Nil																				
14. Dacca	15	15	7	9																				
15. Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha	17	1	14	1					2		1			3										
16. Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha	15	3	9	3								1		1										
17. Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha	8	3	4	2				1						1										
18. Mymensingh Dharma Sabha	25	8	15	7			1					1		2										
19. Rajshahi Rani Hemanta Kumari Sanskrit College	8	2	5	2																				
20. Pabna Jnanada Samiti	9	6	2	4																				
21. Naogaon Sanskrit Samiti	2	1	1	1	1									1										
22. Rangpur Dharma Sabha	4	4	1	3																				
23. Chittagong Vidyabinodini Sabha	11	4	5	3																				
24. Patiya Jnanadayini Sabha	6	3	1	1																				
25. Noakhali Suhrid Sammilani Sabha	8	2	Nil	2																				
26. Comilla Dharma Samiti	9	2	5	1					1					1										
27. Brahmanberia Vidyotsahini Sabha	2	1	1	1				1						1										
ASSAM.																								
28. Gauripur Tarinipriya Sanskrit Sabha	2	1	2	1																				
29. Silchar Prachya Sikha Parisad	13	1	7	1																				
30. Nalbari Sanskrit Sanjivan Sabha	9	1	6	1																				
31. Sylhet Government Sanskrit College	3	3	2	Nil																				
CENTRAL PROVINCE.																								
32. Mandala Sanskrit School Committee	4	Nil	3	Nil																				
33. Jubbalpur K. Hitakarini Sabha	9	2	4	2																				
34. Khairagarh Sanskrit School Committee	Nil	2	Nil	2																				
35. Nagpur Sanskrit Examination Centre	8	3	3	Nil																				
CENTRAL INDIA.																								
36. Datiya State Education Committee	10	Nil	7	Nil																				
37. Indore Sanatan Dharma Sabha	26	17	16	15																				
BOMBAY.																								
38. Bombay Gokuldas Tejpal Sanskrit College	17	5	12	2																				
UNITED PROVINCE.																								
39. Brindaban Banamali Centre	5	3	5	2																				
Total	624	291	411	206	1	2		1	2	8	9	4	3	36	2	4	6	7	8	1	1	3	2	34

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Stipends awarded to pupils on the results of the Sanskrit First Examination 1923, held by different Associations under the rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892, Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896, Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896, and the Director of Public Instruction's rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

[To be paid by the Deputy Inspector of Schools.]

Stipends tenable for two years from September 1923.

For merit.

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies.	Subject.
	Rs.			
RAJSHAHI RANI HEMANTA KUMARI SANSKRIT COLLEGE.				
Munindranath Sarkar ...	2	Pandit Sivadas Kavyatirtha, Boalia, Ghoramara, Rajshahi	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhabodha.
SRIKHANDA CHAITANYADAINI SABHA.				
Gayanath Acharyya ...	2	Pandit Basantakumar Vidyabhusana Kirnahar, Birbhum ...	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhabodha.
CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.				
Mahendranath Dev Varma ...	2	Pandit Priyanath Tarkatirtha, Kosipur, 24-Parganas	With the same teacher ...	Sama Veda.
Janakinath Chakravarti ...	2	,, Bepinbehari Vedantabhusana, Nakuleswartala, Kalighat, Calcutta	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Surendranath Bandyopadhyaya	2	Pandit Kulachandra Sromani, Utterpara, Hooghly	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Nisakar Roy ...	2	Pandit Bireshnath Kavyatirtha, Mulajore, 24-Parganas	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Stipends in proportion to passes.				
CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.				
Mokshyadacharan Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Jyotiprasad Kavyaratna, 42-1, Balaram Dey Street, Calcutta ...	With the same teacher ...	Saraswat.
Ramkisore Tripathi ...	2	Pandit Saradaprasad Misra, Sivakumarbhaban, Calcutta ...	Chandrika Datta Misra, Sivakumarbhaban, Calcutta ...	Laghu Koumudi.
Ramchandra Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Govindachandra Siddhantaratna, Paikpara Road, Calcutta ...	With the same teacher ...	Sama Veda.
Ramchandra Sarbavouma ...	2	Pandit Bibhutibhusan Kavyatirtha, 82, Beadon Street, Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	Ditto,
Ramchandra Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Krishnacharan Tarkalankar, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta	Ditto ...	Smriti (৭)
Ajitnath Bhattacharyya ...	2	Mahamahopadhyaya Durgacharan Sankhya Vedantatirtha Bhagabat Chatuspathi, Bhawanipur, Calcutta	Ditto ...	Vedanta.
Tarapada Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Chandicharan Tarkatirtha, Sivakumarbhaban, Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	Sama Veda.
Khagendranath Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Haripada Smrititirtha, Mulajore, 24-Parganas ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Bireswar Bandyopadhyaya ...	2	Pandit Devananda Jha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Muktinath Jha ...	2	Pandit Krishnachandra Jha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	Jyotish.
Balaicharan Bandyopadhyaya ...	2	Pandit Dwarkanath Vidyabenode, Chatra, Srirampur, Hooghly ...	Ditto ...	Sama Veda.
Sachidananda Acharyya ...	2	Pandit Haripada Smrititirtha, Mulajore, 24-Parganas ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Kamalendusekhar Mukhopadhyaya ...	2	Pandit Kisoromohan Kavya Smrititirtha, Bajeshibpur Road, Sibpur, Howrah.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Raghunath Sastri ...	2	Pandit Biswanath Thakur, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Kuleshnath Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Mritunjay Smrititirtha, Belpukur, Nadia ...	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
Nakuleswar Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Baradacharan Jyotishekhar, 42-1, Balaram De Street, Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	Jyotish.
Hanumandutt Josi ...	2	Pandit Krishnachandra Jha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies.	Subject.
		CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA—*concld.*		
	Rs.			
Krishnadhan Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Rohinikumar Kavyaratna, Jujursa, Howrah ...	With the same teacher ...	Sama Veda.
Narendranath Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Priyanath Tarkatirtha, Cossipur, 24-Parganas ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Modoranjan Choudhury ...	2	Pandit Yogendranath Tarkatirtha, Cossipur, 24-Parganas ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
		BHATPARA PARIKSHA SABHA.		
Sailendra Sarma ...	2	Pandit Purandas Sankhyatirtha, 15, Mohanbagan Lane, Calcutta ...	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhabodha.
		NAVADWIP BIBUDHA JANANI SABHA.		
Harikrishna Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Lalitamohan Kaviratna, Navadwip, Nadia ...	With the same teacher ...	Sama Veda
		NARAIL VIDYOTSAHINI SABHA.		
Hemendranath Kavyatirtha ...	2	Pandit Devendranath Kavya Smrititirtha, Siddhipasa, Khulna ...	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (१).
		BURDWAN BIJAY CENTRE		
Bholanathcnattyopadhyaya ...	2	Pandit Bireswar Tarkatirtha, Bijay Chatuspathi, Burdwan	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya (१)
Kumarischandra Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Rameshchandra Vedantatirtha Bijay Chatuspathi, Burdwan ...	Ditto ...	Vedanta.
Ganeshchandra Bhattacharyya...	2	Pandit Ramhari Smrititirtha, Bijay Chatuspatthi, Burdwan ...	Ditto ...	Smriti (१).
		SRIKHANDA CHAITANYADAINI SABHA.		
Jagadischandra Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Sasibhusan Seromani, Gangatikuri, Burdwan	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhabodha.
Nityananda Das ...	2	Pandit Rakhalananda Thakur, Srikhanda, Burdwan	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Surendranath Bhoumik ...	2	Pandit Prangopal Siddhantaratna, Navadwip, Nadia	Ditto ...	Sankhya.
		GHATAL SANSKRIT SAMITI.		
Chandicharan Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Asutosh Kavyatirtha, Badangunj, Hooghly	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
		BARABERIA LAKSHMINARAIN SANSKRIT SAMITI.		
Sitanath Panda ...	2	Pandit Saradaprasad Vyakarantirtha, Lakshya, Midnapore	With the same teacher ...	Sama Veda.
		CONTAI SANSKRIT SAMITI.		
Krishnachandra Pati ...	2	Pandit Krishnachandra Tarka Vyakarantirtha, Shopur Panchrole, Midnapore	With the same teacher ...	Chandrica.
		DACCA.		
Anantakumar Sanyal ...	2	Pandit Kalichuran Smrititirth, Narayanganj, Dacca	With the same teacher ...	Sama Veda.
Durgakumar Devsarma ...	2	Pandit Rameshchandra Tarkatirtha, Sakti Asram, Dacca	Ditto ...	Ditto
		BAKLA ARYYA SAMMILANI SABHA.		
Manoranjan Biswas ...	2	Pandit Jatindranath Dasgupta, Kavindra College, Goila, Barisal ...	With the same teacher ...	Kalap.
Bhudebchandra Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Asutosh Kavyatirtha, Khalisakota and Aswinikumar Kavyatirtha ...	Nil ...	Sankhya.
		IDILPUR HITAISHINI SABHA.		
Binodebandhu Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Sitanath Vyakarantirtha, Kethuri Paniala, Noakhali ...	With the same teacher ...	Kalap.

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies.	Subject.
		MYMENSINGH DHARMA SABHA.		
	Rs.			
Rameschandra Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Kalikrishna Tarkatirtha, Gauripur, Mymensingh ...	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya (म)
		RAJSHAHI RANI HEMANTA KUMARI SANSKRIT COLLEGE.		
Durgadas Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Ramanikanta Siddhantaratna, Rani Hemantakumari Sanskrit College, Rajshahi ...	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhabodha.
		PABNA JANADA SAMITI.		
Abinashchandra Pal ...	2	Pandit Satinath Smritititirtha, Daulatpur, Pabna ...	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhabodha.
Manoranjan Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Durgaprasanna Vidyabhusana, Pabna, Pabna ...	Ditto ...	Sama Veda.
		CHITTAGONG VIDYABENODINI SABHA.		
Abanikumar Dev ...	2	Pandit Surendrakumar Tarkatirtha, Jagatpur Asram, Mahamuni, Chittagong ...	With the same teacher ...	Kalap.
		COMILLA DHARMA SAMITI.		
Samarendramohan Chaudhury ...	2	Pandit Suryyakumar Smritititirtha, Comilla, Tippera ...	With the same teacher ...	Kalap.
Pulinbehari Chakravarti ...	2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.
Sureshchandra Chakravarti ...	2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.

Stipends for the encouragement of students in backward localities.

		SRIKHANDA CENTRE.		
Bhairabchandra Chakravarti ...	2	Pandit Panchanan Smritiratna, Khatundi Kulai, Burdwan ...	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhabodha.
Durgasankar Chakravarti ...	2	Pandit Mritunjoy Kavyatirtha, Galatun, Putsuri, Burdwan ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
		DAULATPUR SARASWAT SAMITI.		
Kshetramohan Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Ramlal Smritititirtha, Sripur, Banagram, Khulna ...	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (स्मृ)
		BURDWAN BIJAY CENTRE.		
Durgadas Chakravarti ...	2	Pandit Nalinakshya Tarkatirtha, Ikra, Burdwan ...	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya (न्)
		BANKURA SARASWAT SAMAJ.		
Radhicaprasad Goswami ...	2	Pandit Kumudkanta Smritibhusana, Bankura, Bankura ...	With the same teacher ...	Puran.
		NARAIL BIDYOTSAHINI SABHA.		
Upendranath Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Aswinikumar Smritiratna, Pratappur, Chanchura, Hooghly ...	With the same teacher ...	Puran.

Hira Lal Mookerjee silver medal reserved for Hiralal Chatuspathi.

(To be paid by the Secretary, Calcutta Sanskrit Association.)

Awarded to Kali Kinkar Bhattacharyya for Kavya.

D

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[To be paid by the Deputy Inspector of Schools.]

Stipends tenable for two years from September 1923.

For merit.

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name and address of teacher	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies.	Subject
	Rs.	NAOGAON SANSKRIT SAMITI		
Hrishikesh Goswami ..	4	Pandit Lalitmohan Smritititirtha Noagaon, Rajshahi. ...	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhabodha.
		BHATPARA PARIKSHA SABHA.		
Deviprasad Chattopadhyaya	4	Pandit Basudev Mimansatirtha, Vaidyapur, Burdwan ...	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (*).
		CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.		
Purandas Kavya Sankhytirtha ...	4	Pandit Iswarchandra Sastri, 16, Narain Kundu Lane, Calcutta ...	With the same teacher ...	Sama Veda.

Stipends in proportion to passes.

		CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.		
Pulinbehari Sen Gupta ...	4	Pandit Devkrishna Vedantatirtha, 1, Madan Mitra Lane, Calcutta ...	With the same teacher ...	Sankhiptasar.
Sasimohan Bhattachryya ...	4	Mahamahopadhyaya Durgacharan Sankhya Vedantatirtha, Bhawanipur, Calcutta ...	With the same teacher ...	Sadharan Darsan.
Sureshchandra Chaudhury ...	4	Pandit Akshyakumar Sastri, 6, Goabagan Street, Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
Atulchandra Goren ...	4	Pandit Hrishikesh Kavyatirtha, Baruipara Raipara, Khulna ...	Ditto ...	Sankhya.
Radhacharan Thakur ...	3	Pandit Haridas Siddhantabagisa, Nakipur, Khulna ...	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
Manoranjan Bhattacharyya ...	3	Pandit Sitanath Siddhantabagisa, 81, Raja Navakrishna Street, Calcutta	Ditto ...	Sankhya.
Surendrachandra Bhattacharyya	3	Private Kalikacchaa Serail, Tippera ...	Nil ...	Vedanta.
Nagendranath Bhattacharyya ...	3	Pandit Narendranath Panchatirtha, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta ...	With the same teacher.	Sankhya.
		BHATPARA PARIKSHA SABHA.		
Satischandra Bandyopadhyaya ...	4	Pandit Basudev Mimansatirtha, Baidyapur, Burdwan ...	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (*).
Sasadhar Bhattacharyya ...	3	Pandit Kamalkrishna Smritititirtha, Bhatpara, 24-Parganas ...	Ditto ...	Do.
		NAVADWIP BIBUDHA JANANI SABHA.		
Harikrishna Chackravarti ...	3	Pandit Lalitmohan Kaviratna, Navadwip, Nadia ...	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
Purnachandra Mallick ...	3	Pandit Ahibhusan Kavyatirtha, Paikpara, 24-Parganas ...	Ditto ...	Do.
		DAULATPUR SARASWAT SAMITI.		
Nripendranath Ghose ...	4	Pandit Ramcharan Kavya Tarkatirtha, Champaful, Khulna ...	With the same teacher ...	Supadma.
Kshirodebandhu Chakravarti ...	4	Pandit Ramlal Smritititirtha, Sripur, Banagram, Khulna ...	Ditto ...	Kalap.
Basantakumar Bhattacharyya ...	4	Pandit Ashutosh Smritititirtha, Sangdia, Solarkola, Khulna ...	Ditto ...	Smriti (*)

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies.	Subject.
		BURDWAN BIJAY CENTRE.		
	Rs			
Sripaticharan Bandyopadhyaya	3	Pandit Bireswar Tarkatirtha, Bijaychatuspathi, Burdwan ...	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya (শ).
		GHATAL SANSKRIT SAMITI		
Bibhutibhusan Mukhopadhyaya	3	Pandit Charuchandra Smrititirtha, Chackdighi, Burdwan ...	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (শ)
		CONTAI SANSKRIT SAMITI.		
Girishchandra Chaudhury ...	4	Pandit Divakar Vedantapanchanan, Contai, Midnapore ...	With the same teacher ...	Sama Veda.
Durgashcharan Acharyya ...	3	Pandit Sripaticharan Kavyatirtha, Balageria, Basudevpur, Midnapore...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Rameshchandra Nanda ...	3	Pandit Divakar Vedantapanchanan, Contai, Midnapore ...	Ditto ...	Sadharan Darsan.
		BAKLA ARYYA SAMMILANI SABHA		
Upendranath Bhattacharyya ...	4	Pandit Jatindranath Das Gupta, Kavindra College, Goila, Barisal ...	With the same teacher ...	Kalap
Kalinath Bhattacharyya ...	3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Manomahan Das ...	3	Pandit Ashutosh Kavyatirtha, Khaliakota, Barisal ...	Ditto ...	Kavya.
		BARISAL DHARMA RAKSHINI SABHA.		
Birendranath Bhattacharyya ...	4	Pandit Chintaharan Smrititirtha, Kirtipasa, Barisal ...	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (শ)
		MYMENSINGH DHARMA SABHA.		
Surendramohan Bhattacharyya...	4	Pandit Girindranath Vedantaratna, Durgabari, Mymensingh ...	With the same teacher ...	Upanisad.
		COMILLA DHARMA SAMITI.		
Durgacharan Chakravarti ...	3	Pandit Chandramohan Kavyabenode, Comilla, Tippera ..	With the same teacher ...	Saraswat
Stipends for the encouragements of students in backward localities.				
		BRAHMANBERIA VIDYOTSAHINI SABHA.		
Surendrachandra Bhattacharyya	3	Pandit Annada Charan Smriti-Mimansatirtha, Sendha, Sultanpur, Tippera ...	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (শ)
		IDILPUR HITAISHINI SABHA.		
Bamanchandra Samajdar ...	3	Pandit Annadacharan Tarkabagisa, Mulgaon, Gossainhat, Faridpur ...	With the same teacher ...	Upanisad.
		MYMENSINGH DHARMA SABHA.		
Jatindramohan Pandit ...	3	Pandit Satischandra Vyakarantirtha, Kisoreganj, Mymensingh ...	With the same teacher ...	Kalap.
Stipends for three years reserved for Nyaya.				
		CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.		
Madhusudan Bhattacharyya ...	3	Pandit Nisikanta Tarkatirtha, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas ...	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya (শ)
Dhirendramohan Bhattacharyya	3	Pandit Kalipada Tarkacharyya, Sahitya Parisad, Shambazar, Calcutta	Ditto ...	Ditto.
		NAVADWIP BIBUDHA JANANI SABHA.		
Chaturbhuj Dev Sastri ...	3	Mahamahopadhyaya Ashutosh Tarkabhusana, Navadwip, Nadia ...	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya (শ)
		BHATPARA PARIKSHA SABHA.		
Biseswar Bhattacharyya ...	3	Pandit Manmathanath Tarkatirtha, Bhatpara, 24-Parganas ...	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya (শ)

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[To be paid by the Deputy Inspector of Schools.]

Stipends tenable for one year from September 1923.

For merit.

Name and address of teacher.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Centre of examination.	Subject.
	Rs.		
Pandit Sivadas Kavyatirtha, Boalia, Ghoramara, Rajshahi...	8	Rajshahi	Mugdhabodha.
,, Basantakumar Vidyabhusana, Kirnahar, Birbhum ...	8	Srikhanda	Ditto.
,, Suryyakumar Smritititirtha, Comilla, Tippera ...	8	Comilla	Kalap.
,, Sambhusan Seromani, Gangatikuri, Burdwan ...	8	Srikhanda	Mugdhabodha.
,, Bepinbehari Vedantabhusana, Nakuleswartala, Kalighat, Calcutta	8	Calcutta	Sama Veda.
,, Kulachandra Seromani, Uttarpara, Hooghly ...	8	Ditto	Ditto.
,, Bireshnath Kavyatirtha, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas	8	Ditto	Ditto.
,, Govindadas Siddhantaratna, Parkpara Road, Calcutta	8	Ditto	Ditto.
,, Bibhutibhusan Kavyatirtha, 82, Beadon Street, Calcutta	8	Ditto	Sama Veda.
,, Krishnacharan Tarkalankar, 69, Maniktala Street, Calcutta	8	Ditto	Smriti(৭)

By adding up marks.

Pandit Brajabhusan Misra, Sivakumar Bhaban, Calcutta ...	8	Calcutta	.....
,, Srinath Vidyaratna, Pasaikora, Chittagong ...	8	Chittagong	.....
,, Sureshchandra Kavyatirtha, Comilla, Tippera ...	8	Comilla	.....
,, Maheshchandra Vidyaratna, Anwara, Chittagong ...	8	Chittagong	.....
,, Rameshchandra Vedantatirtha, Bijay Chatuspathi, Burdwan	8	Burdwan	.....
,, Rameshchandra Tarkatirtha, Sakti-Asram, Dacca ...	8	Dacca	.....
,, Devananda Jha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta	8	Calcutta	.....
,, Sitanath Siddhantabagisa, 87, Raja Navakrishna Street, Calcutta	8	Ditto	.....
,, Rajanikanta Kavyatirtha, Sanskrit College, Chittagong	8	Chittagong	.....
,, Herambanath Tarkatirtha, Sanskrit College, Dacca ...	8	Dacca	.....
,, Atulkrishna Kavya Vyakarantirtha, Navadwip, Nadia	8	Navadwip	.....
,, Taranath Nyayatarkatirtha, Sangdia, Solarkola, Khulna	8	Daulatpur	.....
,, Brajaraj Bhagobatratna, Navadwip, Nadia ...	8	Navadwip	.....
,, Jogendranath Kavyatirtha, Mohali Kenria, Midnapore	8	Contai	.....
,, Jamininath Smritibhusana, Golaikhali Sadiachandpur, Pabna	6	Pabna	.....
,, Sasikumar Tarkatirtha, Gabkhan, Jhalakati, Barisal...	6	Barisal	.....
,, Piswanath Thakur, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta	6	Calcutta	.....
,, Tripathanath Smritititirtha, Navadwip, Nadia ...	6	Navadwip	.....
,, Sripaticharan Kavyatirtha, Balageria, Basudevpur, Midnapore	6	Contai	.....
,, Bireswar Tarkatirtha, Bejoy Chattupati, Burdwan ...	6	Burdwan	.....
,, Siddhinath Misra, Sivakumar Bhaban, Calcutta, ...	6	Calcutta	.....
,, Chaturbhuj Kavyatirtha, Mahabisra, Egra, Midnapore	6	Contai	.....
,, Surendrakumar Tarkatirtha, Jagatpur Asram, Mahamuni, Chittagong	6	Chittagong	.....
,, Bhabananda Das Kavyaratna, Navadwip, Nadia ...	6	Navadwip	.....

Stipends for the encouragement of teachers in backward localities.

Pandit Satinath Smritititirtha, Daulatpur, Pabna ...	6	Pabna	.....
,, Krishnachandra Tarkavyakaranatirtha, Sripur, Panchrole, Midnapore	6	Contai	.....
,, Nagendrachandra Smritititirtha, Shyamrayhat, Sarsatali, Chittagong	6	Patia	.....
,, Dwarkanath Vidyabenode, Champdani, Baidyabati, Hooghly	6	Calcutta	.....
,, Rajanikanta Smritiratna, Gopinathpur, Jarargunj, Chittagong	6	Comilla	.....

Stipends for the encouragement of teachers in backward localities—*concld.*

Name and address of teacher.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Centre of examination.	Subject.
	Rs.		
Pandit Basantakumar Smritititirtha, Raikali, Bogra ...	6	Rangpur	.....
„ Madhusudan Kavyatirtha, Kumirda, Banamalichatta, Midnapore	6	Contai	.....
„ Harendrachandra Kavyatirtha, Meddha, Brahmanberia, Tippera	6	Brahmanberia	.....
„ Mahimchandra Seromani, Durgapur, Bharadwajhat, Chittagong	6	Chittagong	.....
„ Basantakumar Misra, Kavyatirtha, Panchrole, Midnapore	6	Contai	.....

Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends reserved for the Calcutta Pandit Sabha.

[To be paid by the Principal, Sanskrit College, Calcutta.]

Pandit Teknath Misra, Sivakumarbhaban, Calcutta ...	4	Calcutta	.....
„ Hanumandutt Kavyatirtha, 6, Mullick Street, Calcutta	4	Do.	.....
„ Surendranath Sastri, 7, Bhim Ghose Lane, Calcutta ...	4	Do.	.....
„ Matilal Smritiratna, Andul Mouri, Howrah ...	4	Do.	.....

F.

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[To be paid by the Deputy Inspector of Schools.]

Stipends tenable for one year from September 1923.

For merit.

Name and address of teacher	Monthly amount of stipend.	Centre of examination.	Subject.
	Rs.		
Pandit Lalitmohan Smritititirtha, Nosgaon, Rajshahi ...	12	Nosgaon	Mugdhabodha.
„ Devkrishna Vedantatirtha, 1, Madan Mitra Lane, Calcutta	12	Calcutta	Sankshiptasar.
„ Basudev Mimansatirtha, Vaidyapur, Burdwan ...	12	Bhatpara	Smriti (₹).
„ Iswarchandra Sastri, 16, Navin Kundu Lane, Calcutta	12	Calcutta	Sama Veda.
Mahamahopadhyaya Durgacharan Sankhya Vedantatirtha, Bhagabatchatuspathi, Bhawanipur, Calcutta ...	12	Ditto	Sadharma Darsan.
Pandit Divakar Vednutapanchanan, Contai, Midnapore ...	12	Contai	Sama Veda.

By adding up marks.

Pandit Chandricadutt Misra, Sivakumarbhaban, Calcutta ...	12	Calcutta	... ..
„ Asutosh Kavyatirtha, Khalishkota, Barisal ...	12	Barisal	... ..
„ Raghubir Vedantatirtha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta	12	Calcutta	.....
„ Jatindranath Das Gupta, Kaviudra College, Goila, Barisal	12	Bakla	.....
„ Priyanath Tarkatirtha, Cossipur, 24-Parganas ...	12	Calcutta	.....
„ Chintaharan Smritititirtha, Kritipasa, Barisal ...	12	Barisal	.....
„ Umapati Trivedi, 2, Mitra Lane, Calcutta ...	12	Calcutta	.....
„ Abhbhusana Kavyatirtha, Paikpara, Cossipur, 24-Parganas	12	Ditto	.....
„ Yogi Jha Vyakarantirtha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta	10	Ditto	.....
„ Krishnachandra Jha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta	10	Ditto	.....
„ Upendranath Vyakarantirtha, Gopalchak, Basantia, Midnapore	10	Contai	.....
„ Tripuracharan Seromani, Anathbazar, Chittagong ...	10	Chittagong	.....
„ Taranath Saptatirtha, Darsan *tol*, Pabna ...	10	Pabna	.....
„ Barada Kanta Kavyatirtha, Mughberia, Midnapore ...	10	Contai	.....
„ Ramhari Smritititirtha, Bejoy Chatuspathi, Burdwan ...	10	Burdwan	.....

Stipends for encouragement of teachers in backward localities.

Name and address of teacher.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Centre of examination.	Subject.
	Rs.		
Pandit Pitambar Kavya Sankhyatirtha, Daudpur, Nandigram, Midnapore	10	Contai	.....
,, Kalikanta Smritibhusan, Bhatikhain, Chittagong ...	10	Patia	.....
,, Ramlal Smrititirtha, Sripurbanagram, Khulna ...	10	Daulatpur	.....
,, Joynarain Misra, Kavyatirtha, Samantakhanda, Kharaighar, Midnapore	10	Contai	.....
,, Kalikumar Kavya Vyakarantirtha, Mahajan Sagareswar, Midnapore	10	Do.	.....
,, Anangamohan Tarkabhusana, Bankura	10	Bankura	.....

Stipends reserved for Nyaya.

Pandit Nisikanta Tarkatirtha, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas	12	Calcutta	.....
,, Manmathanath Tarkatirtha, Bhatpara Chatuspathi, 24-Parganas	10	Bhatpara	.....

Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends reserved for Calcutta Pandit Sabha.

(To be paid by the Principal, Sanskrit College, Calcutta)

Pandit Narendra Nath Panchatirtha, 87 Amherst Street, Calcutta	6	Calcutta	.....
,, Pratap Chandra Smritititirtha, 1-3, Grey Street, Calcutta	6	Do.	.....
,, Dasarathi Smritititirtha, Darhatta, Hooghly ...	6	Do.	.....
,, Haridas Siddhantabagis, Nakipur, Khulna ...	5	Do.	.....
,, Purandas Sankhyatirtha, 15, Mohanbagan Lane, Calcutta	5	Do.	.....

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 9th December 1923.*

Results of the Government of Bengal, Education Department, Annual Training Examination, 2nd year class, Dow Hill Training College, Kurseong, held in November 1923.

Order of merit.	Name (seniors).	Class.	Distinction (if any).
1	Mrs. E. Howie	I	In Hygiene and school management; hand work and blackboard drawing.
2	Miss M. Butler	II	Ditto.
3	,, G. Nash	II	Hand work and blackboard drawing.
4	,, N. Yettie	II	Ditto.
5	,, M. Collard	II	Ditto.
6	,, M. Rhenius	II	

Misses L. Montrose and H. Saul failed to satisfy the examiners.

W. F. PAPWORTH, *Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 12th January 1924.*

THE undermentioned students of the 1st year class have been permitted to return in 1924 to the Dow Hill Training College, Kurseong, to complete their course of training:—

1. Miss M. Wilson.
2. ,, E. Clarke.
3. ,, E. Tiery.
4. ,, N. Bull.
5. ,, N. Burnell.
6. Miss E. Harding.
7. ,, L. Grange.
8. ,, N. Pratt.
9. ,, M. Gurnett.
10. ,, V. Marum.

W. F. PAPWORTH, *Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 12th January 1924.*

RESULTS OF THE VERNACULAR TEACHERSHIP EXAMINATION, 1923.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Vernacular Teachership Examination held in December 1923 :—

Seniors.

CLASS I

Serial No	Name.		Institutions
1	Banerjee, Sushila Bala	...	Lee Memorial Training Class, Calcutta
2	Biswas, Bibhabati*	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta
3	,, Esther Rani	...	Lee Memorial Training Class, Calcutta
4	,, Morium	...	Ditto.
5	,, Nirupama*	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta.
6	,, Tarangini	...	Ditto
7	Mondal, Muktakeshi	...	Ditto
8	,, Nivanani	...	Ditto.
9	Pal, Sunitibala	...	Lee Memorial Training Class, Calcutta.
10	Soren, Showdamini	...	Ditto.

CLASS II

1	Bhattacharyya, Margarett	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta.
2	Biswas, Kisibala	...	Ditto
3	,, Naresh Nandini	...	St Margaret's Training Class, Calcutta
4	,, Sudhamukhi	...	Lee Memorial Training Class, Calcutta.
5	Chakravarty, Pritikusum	...	Brahmo Training Class, Calcutta
6	Das, Amiyabala	...	Ditto
7	Dasgupta, Nihar Bala	...	Ditto.
8	Debi, Madhusraba	...	Brahmo Training Class, Calcutta.
9	,, Sudhira	...	Hindu Female Training Institution, Calcutta.
10	Ghose, Pankojini	...	St Margaret's Training Class, Calcutta.
11	Gupta, Sneha Shudha	...	Brahmo Girls' Training Class Calcutta
12	Mitter, Parimal Hashini	...	St Margaret's Training Class, Calcutta.
13	Mondal, Clarushila	...	Lee Memorial Training Class, Calcutta
14	,, Clara	...	Roman Catholic Training Class, Calcutta.
15	,, Shetangini	...	Lee Memorial Training Class, Calcutta.
16	Roy, Hashyamoyi	...	Brahmo Training Class, Calcutta
17	,, Premlata	...	Ditto
18	Singh, Probhabati	...	Lee Memorial Training Class, Calcutta.
19	Sircar, Ruth Mani	...	Ditto

Juniors.

CLASS I.

1	Begum, Syeda Saghira	...	Moslem Training Class, Calcutta
2	Bordya, Jonodamoyee	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta
3	Dewanji, Protiva	...	St Margaret's Training Class, Calcutta.
4	Dey, Shoibalini	...	C E Z Normal School, Krishnagar
5	Halder, Sarala Bala	...	Hindu Female Training Institution, Calcutta
6	Hembrom, Podmini	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta.
7	Naskar, Pushpalata	...	Ditto

CLASS II

1	Bardi, Binodini	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta
2	Bhattacharyya, Sarashibala	...	Hindu Female Training Institution, Calcutta
3	Bhoyra, Bonko Bala	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta
4	Bibi, Nasharan Aktar	...	Moslem Training Class, Calcutta
5	,, Tamanna	...	Ditto
6	Biswas, Abiran Sundari	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta
7	,, Amar Bala	...	St Margaret's Training Class, Calcutta
8	,, Imelda	...	Roman Catholic Training Class, Calcutta.

* With distinction.

Serial No.	Name.		Institutions.
9	Biswas, Kamalakshi	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta.
10	„ Kiron Bala	...	Ditto.
11	„ Monorama	.	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar.
12	„ Parul Bala	...	Ditto.
13	Boiragi, Hemprova	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta.
14	Bor. Probhash Nalini	...	Ditto.
15	Brown, Bonobala	...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar.
16	Chakravertti, Surabala	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta.
17	Dass, Monorama	...	Ditto.
18	Debi, Sarojini	...	Brahmo Girls' Training Class, Calcutta.
19	Dhara, Promila Bala	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta.
20	Datta, Sushama Moyee	...	Hindu Female Training Institution, Calcutta.
21	Ghose, Lilabati	...	Ditto.
22	„ Sulabha Bala	...	Ditto.
23	Gomez, Lucy Mary	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta
24	Halder, Annamoyee	...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar.
25	Karmaker, Soudamini	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta.
26	Maharana, Jamini	...	Ditto.
27	Mitter, Kusum Kumari	...	Hindu Female Training Institution, Calcutta.
28	„ Lilabati	...	Brahmo Girls' Training Class, Calcutta.
29	Mondal, Bidyut Lata	..	St. Margaret's Training Class, Calcutta.
30	„ Pankojini	...	Lee Memorial Training Class, Calcutta.
31	Pramanik, Mayalata	...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar.
32	Sahu, Martina	...	Roman Catholic Training Class, Calcutta.
33	Sarder, Kshiroda Mayee	...	United Missionary Training Class, Calcutta.
34	Sarker, Kironbala	...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar.
35	„ Nirod Bala	...	Hindu Female Training Institution, Calcutta.
36	„ Urmila	...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar.

LILIAN BROCK, *Inspectress of Schools,*
Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

CALCUTTA, *the 19th January 1924.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTIFICATION No. MIS.—N. 89.

THE following changes in the regulations sanctioned by the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) under provisions of section 25, sub-section (*1*) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), as amended by the Calcutta University Act, 1921 (VII of 1921), are notified for general information.

A.

1. In section 9, sub-section (*3*) of Chapter XXX of the regulations, after the word '*Latin*', *add* the two words "French, German".

2. In the same sub-section (*3*), *omit* the words from "appear at" to "Chandernagore may" and the words "but if they do so, they".

3. In the last paragraph of the same sub-section (*3*), *add* the words '*or German*' each time after the word "*French*".

B.

In section 6 of Chapter XXXII (B. A. Examination) of the regulations under (A) *add*—

(vi) Linguistics.

(*ii*) and that, in the detailed description of the subjects, *add* the following before History:

Linguistics.

This subject can be taken up only by candidates who take up one of the languages specified in A (*1*).

The Pass Course in *Linguistics* shall include the General Principles of Linguistic Science, Growth and Development of Languages, Phonetics, the Language-Families of the World, and the Languages of India.

The Honour Course in *Linguistics* shall include the topics prescribed for the Pass Course, to be studied in greater detail. In addition, it will include the Comparative and Historical Grammar of English, or of the language chosen from A (*1*), illustrated by

selected texts. It shall further include a cognate language to be chosen out of an allied group according to a scheme to be recommended from time to time by the Board of Higher Studies in Comparative Philology. Easy texts in the cognate language shall be prescribed.

C

(1) In paragraph 9 of Chapter XXX, paragraph 7 of Chapter XXXI, paragraph 6 of Chapter XXXII and paragraph 7 of Chapter XXXV, *substitute* the expression "One of the following Vernacular Languages" *for* "Composition in one of the following Vernacular Languages."

(2) *Omit* the paragraphs 1—4 of the syllabus on Vernacular and Alternative Paper in English for the Matriculation Examination, paragraphs 1—5 of the syllabus on Vernaculars and Alternative Paper in English for the Intermediate Examinations and paragraphs 1—2 of the syllabus on Vernaculars and Alternative Paper in English for the B.A. Examination and *substitute* the following in lieu thereof :—

1. The course in vernacular shall include select texts in prose and verse to be prescribed by the Syndicate on the recommendation of the Board of Studies concerned.

The Syndicate shall also draw up, on the recommendation of the Board, a small selection of books by notable authors as showing the standard up to which students will be expected to have read.

2. The examination shall include :—

(*a*) Questions on the subject-matter and on the language of the prescribed texts	40	marks.
(*b*) An unseen passage to be summarised or amplified in the vernacular	15	„
(*c*) Translation from English into Vernacular	15	„
(*d*) Questions on Composition	10	„
(*e*) An Essay in Vernacular—headings being given ...	20	„

(3) The unseen passage shall not exceed in difficulty the—

(*a*) Vernacular texts prescribed for the examination.

(*b*) Questions shall not be set to the history of language or literature of the Vernacular.

(4) The Alternative Paper in English (for candidates) whose vernacular is a language not included in the prescribed list shall include—

(*a*) questions on selected texts in prose and verse to be prescribed by the Syndicate on the recommendation of the Board of Studies in English ; and

(*b*) questions on composition including Rhetoric and Prosody.

J. C. GHOSH, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 15th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1C.T.B.C.—It is hereby notified for general information that text-books other than those on Hygiene and Sanitation, prepared in accordance with the revised curriculum for primary schools, published with Government (General Department) notification No. 1605Edn., dated the 16th October 1920, for use in primary schools both in Eastern Bengal and Western Bengal for 1925 ; text-books for primary schools under the old Western Bengal Vernacular curriculum ; and text-books for secondary schools in Western Bengal, will be received in the office of the undersigned up to the 20th February 1924. Text-books on Hygiene and Sanitation should as usual be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, on or before the same date.

No book will be accepted unless accompanied by a prescribed form of application for submission of books to the Text-book Committee and submitted in five copies. Only such books as represent a high standard of production will be considered.

T. O. D. DUNN, *Secretary, Calcutta Text-Book Committee.*

40-1A, FREE SCHOOL STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 12th January 1924.*

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the First M. B. Examination held in November 1923 :—

(Arranged alphabetically.)

	A. S. Ekramul Haque	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Abdul Khalique	...	Ditto.
	Ash, Krishnadhan	...	Ditto.
	Bandyopadhyay, Bhujangabhushan	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Hirendranath	...	Ditto.
	Baruya, Gangaprasad	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Basak, Ramananda	...	Ditto.
	Basu, Balaichand	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Bijayendrakumar	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
10	,, Sachindranath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Bhagwan Prasad	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Achyutananda	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Biswas, Nagendragopal	...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Birendramohan	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Manimohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Saradindu	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Manindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Sudhirkrishna	...	Ditto.
20	Chaudhuri, Radhasyam	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Das, Bankimchandra	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Jogindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Nanigopal	...	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Manindralal	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Datta, Lokesnath	...	Ditto.
	De, Makhanlal	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Panchanan	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Annadaprasad	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Banbihari	...	Ditto.
30	,, Bhupatibhushan	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Prabhatprasanna	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Goswami, Nripendramohan	...	Ditto.
	Guha, Rasaranjan	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Gupta, Kshetramohan	...	Ditto.
	Karmakar, Kanailal	...	Ditto.
	Mazherul Haque	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Md. Abdus Salam	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Baruneschandra	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Manimohan	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
40	,, Sudhansukumar	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	,, Tulsicharan	...	Ditto.
	Naimuddin Bapery	...	Ditto.
	Nanda, Rajkisor	...	Ditto.
	Nawab Ali Sarkar	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Atulchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Kshetramohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Nandalal	...	Ditto
	Raychaudhuri, Sachindranath	...	Ditto
	,, Taranath	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
50	Saha, Somnath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Sanyal, Rohatikanta	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Saurendranath	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Sailendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Santoskumar	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	Sinha, Amarkrishna	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	,, Basantagopal	...	Ditto.
	,, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	Stevens, R. G. S.	...	Medical College, Calcutta
60	Sur, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto.
	Syed Mohammad Sheriff	...	Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia.
	Thakurchaudhuri, Jatindramohan	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
63	Ugra Pratap Sinha	...	Ditto.

N. SEN, *Controller of Examinations (offg.).*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 23rd January 1924.*

Results of the Higher Grade Schools' Final Examination of European Schools in Bengal, November, 1923.

Order of merit.	Roll No.	Name	School.	Distinction.
1	10	Burtenshaw, L. Henry ...	St. Thomas' School, Boys' ...	Arithmetic, Drawing, Algebra, Mensuration and Surveying.
2	11	Culpepper, D. Edmund ...	Ditto	Arithmetic, Drawing, Algebra, Geometry.
3	47	Stray, Freda ...	B. N. Ry. School, Kharagpur	Drawing, Practical Cookery, Home-nursing.
4	48	Bird, Clara ...	Ditto ...	Practical Cookery, Home-nursing.
5	20	Calder, Herbert	St. Paul's Mission School, Calcutta.	
6	12	Gill, F. Robert ...	St. Thomas' School, Boys'.	
7	44	Hann, Bertha ...	St. Agnes' School, Howrah ...	Typewriting.
8	13	Platts, H. Oswald ...	St. Thomas' School, Boys' ...	Arithmetic.
9	21	Bagnell, R. Stanley ...	St. Paul's Mission School, Calcutta.	
10	19	Dowman, Vincent ...	Ditto.	
11	32	Rangel, Edna ...	Loreto Orphanage, Entally.	
12	22	Browne, W. Edward' ...	St. Paul's Mission School, Calcutta.	
13	23	Hourigan, Esther ...	Ditto.	
14	51	Rebeiro, Francis ...	St. Gregory's School, Dacca.	
15	14	Wright, A. Herbert ...	St. Thomas' School, Boys'.	
16	6	Parker, Edwin ...	Catholic Male Orphanage.	
17	33	Rebeiro, Mavis ...	Loreto Orphanage, Entally.	
18	31	Bachman, Noreen, I ...	St. Thomas' School, Girls'.	
19	52	Rodrigues, Peter ...	St. Gregory's School, Dacca.	
20	17	Wright, H. Edwin ...	St. Thomas' School, Boys'.	
21	40	Nuobo, Celestine ...	Loreto Orphanage, Entally.	
22	54	Bradford, George ...	St. Andrew's Colonial Homes, Kalimpong ...	Drawing.
23	49	Augley, Julien ...	St. Gregory's School, Dacca.	
24	25	Taylor, Nellie ...	St. Paul's Mission School, Calcutta.	Drawing.
	28	Singleton, Pearl I. B. ...	St Thomas' School, Girls'.	
26	42	Porter, Kathleen ...	Loreto Boarding, Entally.	
27	18	Charlton, Errol J. ...	St. Paul's Mission School, Calcutta.	
28	43	Boyne, Gwendoline ...	Loreto Boarding, Entally.	
29	26	McKay, Hilda ...	St. Paul's Mission School, Calcutta.	
30	35	Andrews, Annie ...	Loreto Orphanage, Entally.	
31	7	Rozario, Frederic ...	Catholic Male Orphanage.	
32	41	Countinho, Ena ...	Loreto Boarding, Entally.	

N.B.—The undermentioned pupils of the St. Andrew's Colonial Homes, Kalimpong, did not comply with the full regulations of the examinations. They satisfied the examiners in the subjects noted against their names :—

55	Godfrey, Charles ...	English Composition ; Drawing ; Commercial Geography.
59	Tholnall, Robert ...	English Composition ; Drawing ; Commercial Geography ; Practical Manual Work.
60	Watson, Samuel ..	English Composition ; Arithmetic ; Drawing ; Commercial Geography ; Algebra ; Geometry ; Practical Manual Work.
61	Walters, Cyril ...	English Composition ; Arithmetic ; Drawing ; Commercial Geography ; Algebra ; Geometry.
62	Fox, Theresa ...	English Composition ; Arithmetic ; Drawing ; Commercial Geography.
63	Masson, Gladys ...	English Composition ; Drawing ; Commercial Geography ; Geometry.
64	Mitchell, Mabel ...	English Composition ; Arithmetic ; Drawing ; Commercial Geography ; Algebra ; Geometry.
65	Moffatt, Jessie ...	English Composition ; Arithmetic ; Drawing ; Commercial Geography ; Algebra ; Geometry ; Mensuration and Surveying ; Elementary Physics.
66	Robertson, Katherine ...	English Composition ; Drawing ; Commercial Geography ; Algebra ; Geometry ; Mensuration and Surveying ; Physics.
67	Sellar, Jean ...	English Composition ; Drawing ; Commercial Geography.
68	Sellar, Rose ...	Ditto. Ditto.
69	West, Rose ...	Ditto. Ditto.

W. F. PAPWORTH,
Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 16th January 1924.*

ORDERS OF THE PRINCIPAL, EDEN HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, DACCA.

THE undermentioned pupils of the Eden High School for Girls, Dacca, are awarded special Middle English Scholarships, with effect from the 1st January 1924, on the usual condition of good conduct and satisfactory progress. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 5 a month and is tenable for four years in the Eden High School for Girls, Dacca :—

1. Satadalbasini Bose.
2. Parulbala Das Gupta.

The undermentioned pupils of the Eden High School for Girls, Dacca, are awarded special Middle Vernacular Scholarships, with effect from the 1st January 1924, on the usual condition of good conduct and satisfactory progress. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 4 a month and is tenable for two years in the Eden High School for Girls, Dacca :—

1. Satadal Sarkar.
2. Suprabha Das.

The undermentioned pupils of the Eden High School for Girls, Dacca, are awarded special Lower Primary Scholarships, with effect from the 1st January 1924, on the usual condition of good conduct and satisfactory progress. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 3 a month and is tenable for three years in the Eden High School for Girls, Dacca :—

1. Santilata Guha.
2. Jyotsnamayee Sen Gupta.
3. Sunitibala Guha.

RAJKUMARI DAS, *Principal.*

DACCA, *the 16th January 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	724 13 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5 June and September 1923.	...	Revenue— 7 3 5 Cess— 32 3 7

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector.

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bankura Damodar River Railway, in the district of Bankura, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 25th February 1924, corresponding with the 13th Falgun 1330 B.S

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of the purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reason for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	2	3	4	5	6		7		8	9
1	Bankura	Bishnupur, mauza Alipur.	39	North ...	61 16 9	39·44	...	...	From chainage 117800 to 118300.	*North*—Fakir Mullik, Khorshed Shaikh and Khetu Tarafdar's land.
		Mauza Blur ...	39	Do. ...	5 17 4	1·92	...	...	Ditto.	*East*—Arjun Shaikh, Sopedar Shaikh, Alla Mondal, Kartik Chandra Chakrabarty and Sashi Bhattacharjee's land.
										South—Bankura Damodar River Railway side lands.
										West—Local Board Road, Bhola Nath Bagdi, Makhan Bagdi, Khorshed and Jamadar Shaikh, Harsan Mullik and Fakir Mullik's land.

Bankura, the 2nd January 1924. S. C. CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua'...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bankura-Damodar River Railway in the district of Bankura, will be put up to sale at 10 o'clock on Saturday, the 1st March 1924, corresponding with the 18th Falgun 1330 B.S

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs 100, one fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
						Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
1	Bankura...	Pargana Vishnupur, mauza Murachhita, Mallpushkarini and Anandapur.	33	Northern ...	22·96	...	...	From chainage 143,000 to chainage 149,000.	*North*—Saday Moyra, Tarachand Bauri, Natu Kumar, Krishto Muchi and Nanda Ghose's land. *East*—Prem Ghose, Hem Ghose, Jiban Bera and Hari Hazra's land. *South*—Bankura-Damodar River Railway side land. *West*—Renu Das, Jadu Maral, Mriga Dasi, Banka Bauri and Saday Moyra's land.

Bankura, the 4th January 1924.

S. CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situated in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, Krishnagar, on 18th day of February 1924, corresponding with 6th Phalgun of 1330 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity

2nd—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force : and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs 100, the whole amount to be paid down atonce.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
3533	Kalupole thana land, pargana Mahammad Shahi.	85	3 0 0	In thana Chuadanga.

Nadia, the 21st December 1923.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up to sale at 1 o'clock on the 5th March 1924, corresponding with the 22nd Falgoon 1330 B. S., Wednesday, at Natore Subdivisional office.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
						Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	Rajshahi	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Chakdwarki and Iswardi.	5	North-west.	33·843	...	...	Chainage 22,400 to Chainage 26,400.	*North*—By the portion of village Chakdwarki (relinquished land). *East*—By the lands of Samir Mandal, Ajer Mandal, Ratan Sarkar, Dullab Mandal, Hafez Sarkar, Nafar Mandal, Dullab Mandal, Samir Mandal, Dullab Mandal of Chakdwarki and by the lands of Kafi Mallik, Ismail Pramanik, Sagar Pramanik, Sagar Pramanik all of Iswardi and by the railway B class land (khas). *South*—By the district of Pabna. *West*—By the lands of Samir Mandal, Kasir Mandal, Samir Molla, Nafar Mandal, Kasir Mandal, Mukunda Kaiya, Nafar Mandal, Umesh Sarkar, Ram Chandra Sarkar, Mukunda Kaiya, and Ram Chandra Sarkar, all of Chakdwarki, and by the lands of Sairat Gharami, Abed Pramanik, Sairat Karikar, Phulan Pramanik, Ram Chandra Pal, and others, all of Iswardi.
2	Do. ...	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Chakdwarki, Sadipur and Angaripara.	6	Do. ...	25·818	...	...	Chainage 30,400 to Chainage 31,680.	*North*—By the portion of village Angaripara (relinquished land). *East*—By the land of Manu Mandal, of Angaripara, by the lands of Sriram Mandal, Bayat Mandal, Nabin Mandal, Siraj Pramanik, Sriram Mandal, Nabin Mandal, Sriram Mandal, Kedar Nath Chakrabarti, and Rati Kanta Rajak, all of Sadipur, by railway B class land in possession of Ochi Mridha, by the lands of Taser Pramanik, Nasir Molla, and Satish Chandra Pramanik of Sadipur and by the lands of Samir Molla, Tamen Naik, Ram Chandra Sarkar, Samir Molla, of Chakdwarki. *South*—By the portion of village Chakdwarki (relinquished railway land). *West*—By the lands of Naimuddin Mandal, Ajab Sarkar, Kunjalal Shaha, Rafat Pramanik, Syed Pramanik, Siraj Pramanik, Ratan Sarkar, Kanu Monna, Ratan Sarkar, Kedar Nath Chakrabarti of Sadipur and Krishna Chandra Ray's *bat* at Sadipur. By the lands (B class land) in possession of Mahim Chandra Mandal, by the land of Ochhi Mridha, by railway B class land in possession of Darshi Pramanik at Sadipur, by the lands of Umesh Sarkar, Rameswar Haldar, Umesh Sarkar, Samir Molla at Chakdwarki.
3	Do. ...	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Angaripara.	7	Do. ...	8·275	...	...	Chainage 31,680 to terminus of relinquished land.	*North*—By the railway land. *North-east*—By the existing railway line. *East*—By the land of Imarat Mandal, Adan Pramanik and Gopal Joardar, at Angaripara. *South*—By the portion of Angaripara (relinquished railway land.) *West*—By the lands of Nafar Sarkar, Jadu Sardar, Gopal Joardar, Jahir Mandal, Gopal Joardar and Ajob Sarkar at Angaripara.

Rajshahi Collectorate, the 9th January 1924.

F B BRADLEY-BIRT, Collector.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order *ex* the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 113 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and if not cleared on or before the 10th March 1924, on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "Madura."		
17th Dec. 1923 ...	B K. Paul & Co.	1	Case merchandise.
17th ,, ,, ...	Dey in a triangle, K L on sides ...	1	Case buttons.
17th ,, ,, ...	E S C in a diamond, M & Co on top ...	1	Case steel tools.
17th ,, ,, ...	5802 in a diamond	1	Case liquid.
17th ,, ,, ...	5076 in a diamond, G C D below ...	3	Cases merchandise.
17th ,, ,, ...	H S A G / W W	2	Ditto.
17th ,, ,, ...	Martin & Co	1	Case merchandise.
17th ,, ,, ...	Spences Hotel	1	Ditto.
17th ,, ,, ...	T S & Co in a diamond	6	Cases toys.
17th ,, ,, ...	T H S	2	Cases merchandise.
18th ,, ,, ...	Joy in a figure	1	Keg merchandise.
	SHED No. 8.		
	SS. "Media."		
17th Dec. 1923 ...	A A D T	6	Cases machinery.
18th ,, ,, ...	B L C M	1	Case machinery.
19th ,, ,, ...	C N Z	1	Case toilet soap.
17th ,, ,, ...	Rev. Father Obert Catholic Mission ...	1	Case merchandise.
20th ,, ,, ...	Greaves Cotton & Co T 365 B L	1	Case machinery.
20th ,, ,, ...	H in a triangle, R on side	1	Bale cotton yarn.
19th ,, ,, ...	J K / M in a diamond	1	Case merchandise
21st ,, ,, ...	316 in a block, R K K on top ...	1	Bale cotton.
18th ,, ,, ...	S A M / Allahabad	1	Case biscuits.
12th ,, ,, ...	W G B in a block, M on top ...	1	Bag merchandise.
	SHED No. 9.		
	SS. "Yamagata Maru."		
24th Dec. 1923 ...	C B M in a diamond	1	Case merchandise.
24th ,, ,, ...	F A K in a diamond	50	Cases glassware

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description
	SHED No. 9—*concld.*		
	SS. "Yamagata Maru"—*concld.*		
24th Dec. 1923	H D A in a diamond	14	Cases porcelain.
24th „ „ ...	⁻ in a diamond, M B K below ...	1	Package merchandise.
24th „ „ ...	P W / 28-10 in a block	5	Cases porcelain.
24th „ „ ...	P W / 24-9 in a block	6	Ditto.
24th „ „ ...	R 538 in a diamond, C C on top, C J below.	1	Case glassware.
24th „ „ ...	= R 544 = ...	2	Cases porcelain
24th „ „ ...	S T Co / 275 in a block	1	Case merchandise.
24th „ „ ...	T H in a diamond	2	Cases shell ware.
24th „ „ ...	63 / 24, 10 in a block	4	Cases glassware.
24th „ „ ...	B M Start & Co in a figure, A safety matches Y on top.	5	Cases matches.
24th „ „ ...	S T Co / 272 in a block	6	Cases merchandise
	SHED No. 5.		
	SS. "Jalaputra."		
2nd Jan. 1924 ...	B M M	137	Bags black pepper.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Simla."		
27th Dec. 1923 ...	141 in a diamond, B C on top, 162 ...	1	Keg.
28th „ „ ...	E R G / 694 , 2571-72	2	Cases.
28th „ „ ...	=„= / 696 , 2561-62	2	Do.
28th „ „ ...	=„= / 697 , 2566-67	2	Do.
28th „ „ ...	=„= / 695 , 2576-77	2	Do.
29th „ „ ..	5332 in a figure, F G K on top, 434 ...	1	Case.
28th „ „ ...	A figure, 4 on top, 7676	1	Do.
27th „ „ ...	505 / Calcutta , 94	1	Keg.
27th „ „ ...	Gidwang in a block, N M on sides, 8191-1—7.	7	Cases.
28th „ „ ...	2095 in a block, G G on top, C L below, 11-20	10	Do.
28th „ „ ...	=2094=, 6-10...	5	Do
28th „ „ ...	=2198=, 1-2	2	Do.
28th „ „ ...	=2376=, 1-6	6	Do.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 6—*concld*		
	SS. "Simla"—*concld.*		
27th Dec. 1923 ...	2037 in a block, G G on top, C L below, 21-22.	2	Cases.
28th „ „ ...	=2449=, 1-2	2	Casks
27th „ „ ...	G C D in a diamond, K N on top, L C below, 7-12	6	Bales.
28th „ „ ...	K 9 P & 576 Co, Bombay	2	Kegs merchandise.
26th „ „ ...	M S T B	3	Cases sterilised milk.
26th „ „ ...	M S T F	3	Ditto.
28th „ „ ...	0982 in a diamond, M A on top, M S below, 593-2.	1	Case.
8th Jan. 1924 ...	M B & Co / Rangoon in a block, 3-12 ...	10	Cases.
20th Dec. 1923 ...	402 in an inverted triangle, T on top, N Co on sides, Colombo below, 3.	1	Case.
26th „ „ ...	N T C J, ×	1	Case sterilised milk.
29th „ „ ...	Nil	4	Bars square.
28th „ „ ...	Nil	4	Kegs merchandise.
28th „ „ ...	Nil	1	Keg.
28th „ „ ...	Calcutta, 88	1	Do.
28th „ „ ...	2375 R in a block, G G on top, C L below, 1-4.	4	Cases.
27th „ „ ...	=2000 R=, 15-20	6	Do.
26th „ „ ...	R v. E. Owen Cooch Behar, 1 ...	1	Case.
27th „ „ ...	W C D, 44	1	Do.
28th „ „ ...	715 in a diamond, A W on top, J Co below, ×.	1	Do.
	SS. "Manin."		
22nd Dec. 1923...	914 / 4153 in a block, Belgica on top, 1-2 ...	2	Cases.
21st „ „ ...	1078 in a block, G Ltd. on sides, 1, 3-4...	3	Do.
21st „ „ ...	=8170=, 5	1	Case.
29th „ „ ...	R H, 100 121	21	Cases.
22nd „ „ ...	S J in a diamond, K N on top, L C below, 2, 4.	2	Do.
22nd „ „ ...	6 in a diamond, V B on top ...	3	Cases matches.
	SHED No. 2.		
	SS. "Astronomer."		
22nd Dec 1923 ...	B R & B in a diamond	1	Case calendars.
22nd „ „ ...	Paul Bros.	11	Cases toilet soap
22nd „ „ ...	IHJ in a block, S on top, S K on sides, 9788.	1	Bale.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED NO. 4.		
	SS. "Sturmfels."		
13th Dec. 1923 ...	2249 A in a block, G G on top, C L below, 1-10.	10	Cases.
13th „ „ ...	$\frac{891}{4110}$ in a block, Belgica on top, 1-10...	10	Do.
15th „ „ ...	$\frac{637}{4136}$ in a block, Belgica on top, 1-2 ...	2	Do.
13th „ „ ...	$\frac{480}{4112}$ in a block, Belgica on top, 1-2 ...	2	Do.
13th „ „ ...	$= \frac{—o—}{438} =$, 1-2	2	Do.
17th „ „ ...	D C, 19104	1	Case.
13th „ „ ...	100 in a block, G G on top, C L below, 4-5.	2	Cases.
15th „ „ ...	= 2093 =, 1-2, 5	3	Do
13th „ „ ...	= 2414 =, 1-3	3	Do.
13th „ „ ...	P A Co in a diamond, N-N ...	1	Drum disinfecting fluid.
15th „ „ ...	2093 R in a block, G G on top, C L below, 3-4.	2	Cases.
13th „ „ ...	$\frac{T E L}{218}$ in a triangle, S G on sides, 31 ...	1	Case.
17th „ „ ...	15 in a triangle, O on top, T C on sides, 371.	1	Keg.
	SS. "Masirah."		
22nd Dec. 1923 ...	A T R in a diamond, 9-10	2	Cases.
22nd „ „ ...	D 43 A in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	2	Cases common soap.
27th „ „ ...	6341 in diamond, 257-8	2	Cases.
24th „ „ ...	Greaves Cotton & Co T 365 B L	1	Case merchandise.
27th „ „ ...	$\frac{1187}{4663}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below, 355.	1	Case.
24th „ „ ...	M C, 6-8	3	Cases.
22nd „ „ ...	$\frac{P C}{U}$ in a figure, 6016...	1	Case.
22nd „ „ ...	S H, 3561-2	2	Cases.
27th „ „ ...	$\frac{S P}{7146}$ in a diamond, P C on top, C below, 3511.	1	Case.
27th „ „ ...	$\frac{Z}{43}$ in a diamond, 463-467 ...	5	Cases.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 23rd January 1924.

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager.
(130—1)

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 11th January 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	11,11,88,000	0	0
Other Deposits	70,18,43,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act, against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	8,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	77,80,000	0	0
	1,00,15,36,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,47,94,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,29,82,000	0	0
Loans	17,78,90,000	0	0
Cash credits	86,08,74,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	13,26,10,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	18,22,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,45,76,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries	40,25,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	97,58,000	0	0
	82,88,31,000	0	0
Cash	17,27,05,000	0	0
	1,00,15,36,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London	£ 716,800
Advances in London	£ 442,800
Cash and balances at other Banks in London ...	£ 650,700

Percentage 19·17

Bank Rate 8 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M MURRAY (offg.)
Managing Governors.

(125—1)

NOTIFICATION FOR SALE.

In the 2nd Court of the Munsif of Nilphamari, district Rangpur.

RENT EXECUTION CASE No. 571 OF 1923.

Kashi Bihari Lahiri, son of late Kali Chandra Lahiri of Hati Kumrul, police-station Ulapara, district Pabna decree-holder,

versus

Bijoy Nath Roy Choudhury, son of late Chandra Nath Roy Choudhury, of Lakshmanpur, police-station Nilphamari, judgment-debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following properties will be put up to sale by public auction by the Nazir of this Court at the monthly sale commencing at 12 o'clock on the 5th February 1924 in the premises of this Court for realisation of the sum of Rs. 765-3 :—

Schedule of properties.

Zamindari in mauza Lakshmanpur, pargana Swaruppur, bearing tauzi No. 206 of the Rangpur Collectorate of which the annual revenue is Rs. 1,013-13-10 gandas.

K. C. CHATTARJI, Munsif.

Nilphamari, the 11th January 1924. (106—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal (In Insolvency).

No. 138 OF 1918.

Re : Sew Bux Ram Chander, *ex parte* the creditor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 25th day of February 1924 except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

The 12th January 1924. (105—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal (In Insolvency).

No. 39 OF 1919.

Re : Bhuramull Banka, *ex parte* the creditor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 25th day of February 1924 except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

The 12th January 1924. (112—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 158 OF 1922.

Dentadin Tribedi, of 23, Patli Road, Tangra, 24-Parganas, thana Entally, applicant.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 11th day of February 1924, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 9th day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(82—1—97)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 159 OF 1922.

Bangshidhar Tribedi, of 23, Patli Road, Tengra, thana Entally, 24-Parganas, applicant.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 11th day of February 1924, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application

Dated this 9th day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(83—1—98)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that one Kuti Howladar, son of late Ainaddi Howladar, of Panpara, police station Mehendiganj, district Bakarganj, has been adjudicated insolvent on the 2nd day of January 1924, and that six months' time from the date of adjudication has been allowed to the insolvent for filing a petition of discharge.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Barisal, the 10th January 1924. (93—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 59 OF 1923.

WHEREAS Abdul Barek, son of Golam Rasul, of Anderkilla, police-station Kotwali, Chittagong, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 13th December of 1923, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920 this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 31st day of January 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 11th January 1924. (107—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 56 OF 1923

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 24th November 1923, filed by Abdul Sobhan, son of late Nasar Ulla Myanji, of village Mosajidda, police-station Sitakund, district Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent and is directed to apply for discharge within six months. Mr. Perceival is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 12th day of January 1924.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

(124—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 20 OF 1923.

ON the application of Janaki Nath Nath, son of late Guru Charan Nath, resident of Paikpara, police-station Tangibari, district Dacca, to be declared insolvent, the 20th February next has been fixed for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

R. F. LODGE, District Judge in charge.

Dacca, the 15th January 1924. (127—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 28 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 5th July 1923, filed by Basiraddin Biswas, son of late Aslat Biswas, of Syamnaghor, police-station Krishnaganja, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. He is directed to apply for final discharge within a year.

Dated this 10th day of December 1923

B. G. CHATTARJI, District Judge.

(108—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 46 OF 1923.

Petitioner Sujal Sheikh, son of late Saban Sheikh, of Monoharpur, police-station Meherpur, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 16th February 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTARJEE, District Judge

Krishnagar, the 16th January 1924. (116—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 47 OF 1923.

Petitioner Fakir Muhammad Sheikh, son of Sujal Sheikh of Monoharpur, police-station Meherpur, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 16th February 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 16th January 1924. (117—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 48 OF 1923.

Petitioner Taser Sheikh, son of Sujal Sheikh, of Monoharpur, police-station Meherpur district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the abovenamed petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 16th February 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTARJEE, District Judge

Krishnagar, the 16th January 1924. (118—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 51 OF 1923.

Petitioner Parik Sheik Mondal, son of late Turap Mondal, of Monoharpur, police-station Meherpur, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 16th February 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 16th January 1924. (119—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 10th January 1923, and on the application of Syed Hossain Sheik, son of Abdur Hossain Sheik, of Ramnagar, police-station Chatmohar, district Pabna, and on examining the debtor himself, it is ordered that the debtor is adjudged insolvent, who should apply for his discharge within six months. The adjudication order was passed on the 19th day of December 1923.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 15th January 1924. (120—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 59 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Arajulla Sardar, of Dighalkandi, police-station Puthia, district Rajshahi, has applied to this Court under Act V of 1920 to be adjudicated an insolvent and 4th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 7th January 1924. (94—1—90)

In the Court of the District Ju ge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 40 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mafijuddin Ahamad of Syampur, police-station Puba, district Rajshahi, has applied to this Court, under Act V of 1920, to be adjudicated an insolvent and 6th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing of the application

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 7th January 1924. 95—1—89

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 208 OF 1923.

Bhut Nath Jhulki, of Masahat, thana Diamond Harbour, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Jatindra Nath Sarkar, of Masahat, thana Diamond Harbour, and others, creditors.

ON the 15th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 20th December 1923. (33—1—86)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 209 OF 1923.

Rajendra Nath Das, of Behala, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Karunamoy Naskar, of Naskarpur, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 14th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 20th December 1923. (34—1—87)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 210 OF 1923.

Tusturam Nasker, of Naskarpur, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Harish Chandra Dey, of Watgunj, Kidderpur, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 14th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 20th December 1923. (35—1—88)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 236 OF 1923.

Amrita Lal Ray, residing at 4-2-3, Ranee's Branch Road, Paikpara, thana Chitpur, applicant.

To Manick Chand Chunilal, of 40, Siv Thakur Lane, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examind by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 7th January 1924. (66—1—99)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 237 OF 1923.

Niamat Ali, of 3-5, Koraya Bazar Road, thana Ballygunj, applicant.

To Baladin Shaw, of 374, Grand Trunk Road, Salkia, Howrah, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 7th January 1924. (67—1—100)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 238 OF 1923.

Pacha Shaikh, of Garifa, Dorjipara, thana Naihati, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Panchanan Pal, of Naihati, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 7th January 1924. (68—1—101)

INDU BHUSAN MUKHERJEE, M.Sc., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(17—4—17)

PRABHAS CHANDRA MALLIK, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.

(43—4—74)

SACHINDRA NATH MUKERJEE intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(44—4—31)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is notified for general information that the Rajshahi District Board at their special meeting held on the 7th January 1924 resolved to levy road cess at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc., in the district of Rajshahi during the financial year 1924-25.

EMADUDDIN AHMED, Chairman.

Rajshahi, the 14th January 1924. (111—1)

Road Cess notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 46 of the Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Hooghly at their special meeting held on the 7th January 1924 have resolved to fix 6 pies in the rupee as the rate at which road cess shall be levied in the Hooghly district during the year 1924-25 on the annual value of lands and on the net profits from mines, quarries, tramways, railways and other immoveable properties as prescribed in the law.

BARADA PRASAD DEY, Chairman, District Board.

Chinsura, the 11th January 1924. (121—1)

Road Cess notification.

THE District Board of Jalpaiguri at their special meeting held on the 9th January 1924 resolved to levy Road Cess in the Jalpaiguri district during the year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupe on the annual value of all lands, etc.

K. BANERJI, Chairman, District Board.

Jalpaiguri, the 17th January 1924. (129—1)

NOTICE.

Imperial Bank of India.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Principal Register and the Branch Registers of the Imperial Bank of India will be closed for transfer of shares from Wednesday, the 2nd January 1924, to Wednesday, the 16th January 1924, both days inclusive.

W. B. HUNTER,
S. A. H. SITWELL, } Managing Governors.

Calcutta, the 5th December 1923. (2057—3)

Bengal Public Health Department.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS in duplicate in sealed covers are invited for the weekly supply of cattle food including straw and chaff during the ten months from the 1st March to 31st December 1924. They will be received by the Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Health, Bengal at his office in Writers' Buildings up to the 16th February 1924. Prior to delivering their tenders intending contractors must deposit with the Superintendent of the Bengal Vaccine Depôt at Intally two sealed samples of the articles proposed to be supplied under the contract.

2. Forms and conditions of tender are obtainable free on application to the undersigned. Tenderers must abide by the prescribed conditions.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, M.B., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H.,
Director of Public Health, Bengal.

Notice.

THE Suri Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition will be held in the Suri Barobagan from the 15th February 1924 to 21st February next (both days inclusive). It is hoped to make this year's exhibition a record one.

Firms, shop-keepers, manufacturers and traders of all descriptions from all parts of the country are requested to send in suitable exhibits in large numbers in due time. Arrangements will be made to guard the stalls and accommodation will be provided for the exhibitors. Stalls and lodgings will not be charged for. All exhibits should reach the Secretary before the 14th February next.

K. C. Mitra, Hony. Secretary.

J. R. BLACKWOOD, Collector and President.

Suri, the 16th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924.

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest, warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on three cases of whisky marked ⟨F & Sons⟩, ex. ss "Clan Morrison" from Glasgow bonded by Messrs. Framjee & Co. in their private bonded godown at No. 11, Bentinck Street, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

W. W. NIND, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 9th January 1924. (80—2)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest, warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on 13 cases of Brandy marked Framjee out of Nos. 1—50 *ex* SS. "Nagoya" from Charenti *vid* London bonded by Messrs. Framjee & Co. in their private bonded godown at No. 11, Bentinck Street, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

S. N. GUPTA, for Collector of Customs (offg.).

Calcutta, the 14th January 1924. (110—2)

Notice.

A RECEIPT numbered 5145, dated 4th November 1922, was granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes, to one Sarba Sundari Dasi, of 40, Jelliatola Street, Calcutta, who is not the real owner of the notes. The receipt is therefore to be considered as null and void. Notice to this effect has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities.

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount. Rs.	Holder's name.
157894	3½ per cent. 1865	500	Sarba Sundari Dasi.
088156	3½ " " 1842-43	200	
099276	3½ " " 1842-43	100	
099277	3½ " " 1842-43	100	

Name of the proprietor—Radha Kanta Sen, Manager of the lunatic Sarba Sundari Dasi.

Residence—15, Chorebagan 2nd Lane, Calcutta.

(19—3—75)

Estate John Gregory Apcar, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to sections 320 of Act X of 1865 and 42 of Act XXVIII of 1866 all persons having claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased, formerly of 44, Chowringhee, Calcutta, who died on the 28th October 1923 in London, are hereby required to send full particulars of their claims to the undersigned as solicitors to the executors on or before the 15th February 1924.

SANDERSON & Co., Solicitors to the executors of the will of the deceased abovenamed.

26, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 9th January 1924. (77—1—85)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Albert Club, Ltd. (In voluntary liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the members of the above-named Club, held at the Registered Office of the Club, No. 21, Old Court House Street, "Grosvenor House," Calcutta, on Thursday, the 10th January 1924, at 1 P.M., the following special resolutions were duly passed :—

(1) That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and

(2) That Albert Barnes Rosser, of 7-5, Burdwan Road, Alipore, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up with a fixed remuneration of Rs. 1,000 exclusive of all out of pocket expenses to be properly incurred in such winding up.

A. B. ROSSER, Chairman.

Calcutta, the 10th January 1924. (90—1—92)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Albert Club, Ltd. (In voluntary liquidation).

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before Friday, the 1st February 1924, to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Attorneys (if any) to A. B Rosser, 21, Old Court House Street, "Grosvenor House," Calcutta, the liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing by the Liquidator or in person or by their Attorneys to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

A. B. ROSSER, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 10th January 1924. (91—1—93)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Albert Club, Ltd. (In voluntary liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 209 (1) that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named Company will be held on Friday, the 1st February 1924, at 1 P. M., at the office of the Liquidator, 21, Old Court House Street, "Grosvenor House," Calcutta.

A. B. Rosser, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 10th January 1924. (92—1—94)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the British Bengal Tea Company, Limited, in liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a general meeting of the members of the above-named Company will be held on Monday, the 25th February 1924, at 4-30 P.M., at the registered office of the Company at Jalpaiguri town in order that there may be laid before the said Company an account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and the said Company may hear any explanation that may be given by the liquidator, and to pass an extraordinary resolution as to the disposal of books, accounts and documents of the Company.

K. BANERJI, Liquidator.

Jalpaiguri, the 15th January 1924. (126—1—96)

In the mater of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Samuel and Co., Ltd. (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the share-holders and creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held on Wednesday, the 13th February 1924, at 1 P.M., at 95, Clive Street, Calcutta, to pass the liquidator's account for the year ending 31st December 1923 and to take up any other matters that may be brought before the meeting.

M. N. MUKERJEE, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 18th January 1924. (128—1—95)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Commercial Loan Bank, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Commercial Loan Bank, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 11th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Hastings Engineering Works, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Hastings Engineering Works, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 11th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Allies Brand and Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Allies Brand and Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 15th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Bengal Mercantile and Mining Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Bengal Mercantile and Mining Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 15th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Carmen Motor Express, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Carmen Motor Express, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 15th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Eastern Trusts, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Eastern Trusts, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 17th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Konnagar Trading Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of Konnagar Trading Company, Limited, has this day been struck off the Register and that the Company is dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 15th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of "Looker-On," Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of "Looker-On", Limited, has this day been struck off the Register and that the Company is dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 15th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Carmen Export and Import, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Carmen Export and Import, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 15th January 1924.

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :-

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs. 25

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*" which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

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4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Rs. 2.

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List No. 1, dated 30th June 1923. Addenda et Corrigenda to List of General Rules and Orders (Edition 1917).

The Special Marriage Act, 1872 (III of 1872), as modified up to 1st November, 1923. As. 5.

DEBATES.

Council of State Debates, Vol. III, Part III (Official Report, Simla), 16th to 28th July 1923. Rs. 3-8.

Legislative Assembly Debates, Vol. III, Part VI (Official Report, Simla), 2nd to 12th July 1923. Rs. 3.

Legislative Assembly Debates, Vol. III, Part VII (Official Report, Simla), 16th to 28th July 1923. Rs. 4.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

India in 1922-23. Royal 8vo, board. Re. 1-8 (8*a.*)

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Census of India, 1921. Tables given the main Statistics of the Census of Indian Empire of 1921 with a brief explanatory note. Royal 8vo, paper cover. As. 2 (1*a.*)

FOREST BRANCH.

Classified List of Officers of the Imperial and Provincial Forest Services and of the Forest Engineering Service in India and Burma on the 1st July 1923, including the General List of Imperial Forest Officers in Provinces other than Madras and Bombay. Royal 8vo, paper cover Re. 1-2 (5*a.*)

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Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The 12th January 1924.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Beit Harbour Approaches—Correction to Notice to Mariners No. 82M. of 1923.
(Calcutta Notice No. 398 of 1923.)

No. 12 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 98M. of 1923), are republished :—

Correction.—*For* Latitude 22° 25′ 30″ N. *read* Latitude 22° 35′ 30″ N.
Authority.—The Officer Commanding R. I. M. S. "Palinurus," Karachi, dated 7th December 1923.

PERSIAN GULF—KAIS ISLAND LIGHT-VESSEL.

Further details of relief trawler.

No. 13 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 99M. of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 95M. of 1923. *(This Office No. 436 of 1923.)*
Details.—The Trawler painted red with KAIS in white letters on each bow will temporarily relieve the Kais Island Light-Vessel on 4th January 1924.
At night she will exhibit two white lights in a horizontal position 16 feet apart, from the fore yard about 36 feet above the water line, visible all round the horizon about 8 miles.
She will also exhibit a blue flare every half hour.
Chart temporarily affected.—No. 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, eastern sheet.
Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 300.
Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.
Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, dated 17th December 1923.

TASMANIA—NORTH-WEST COAST, HUNTER ISLAND.

Cutter Point—Intended new light (U).

No. 14 (first publication).—

Subject.—A Group Flashing White Light (U) will be established at Cutter Point on or about 16th April 1924.

Position.—On the summit of Cutter Point (202').
Lat. 40° 29½' S., long. 144° 43½' E., on Chart No. 3687.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing White* Light showing *two* flashes in quick succession every ten seconds, thus—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	8 secs.

Elevation.—220 feet.
Visibility.—20 miles.
Power.—5000 candles.
Structure.—White square wooden house with white lantern, 22 ft. in height.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Rocky Head.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695b, Bass Strait, sheet No. 2.
„ 2759b, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.
Publications.—List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 294.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 28 of 1923.

TASMANIA—NORTH COAST—THREE HUMMOCK ISLAND.

Cape Rochon—Intended new light (U).

No. 15 (first publication).—

Subject.—A Flashing White Light (U) will be established on Cape Rochon on or about 1st June 1924.
Position.—On slope, 3½ cables distant bearing 182° from the northerly extreme of Cape Rochon.
Lat. 40° 24' S., long. 144° 57' E. on Chart No. 3687.

Details.—

Character.—*Flashing white* light every *five* seconds, thus—

Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	4½ secs.

Elevation.—150 feet.
Visibility.—18 miles.
Power.—5000 candles.
Structure.—White square wooden house, with white lantern 22 feet in height.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Rocky Head.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695*b*, Bass Strait, sheet No. 2.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.
Publications.—List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, page 293.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 29 of 1923.

TASMANIA—WEST POINT.

West Point Light (U)—Intended alteration in character.

No. 16 (first publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing White Light on West Point will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light (U) on or about 1st May 1924.
Position.—About one cable from the south-western extreme of the Point.
Lat. 40 57,' S., long. 144° 38½' E on Chart No. 1695b.
Alteration.—The character of the light will be altered from Flashing White to *Group Flashing White* showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *fifteen* seconds, thus—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	11½ secs.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—The other details of the light will remain unchanged.

Charts affected.—No. 1695*b*, Bass Strait, western sheet.

„ 1079, Tasmania.

„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.

„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publication.—List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923, No. 2849.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 30 of 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Depths of water.

No. 17-I (first publication).—

Subject.—Depths of 4 to 5½ fathoms have been reported between the following approximate positions.

Positions.—Lat. 21° 15′ N., Long. 91° 16′ E., and Lat. 21° 32′ N., Long. 91° 30′ E. (Approx.) on chart No. 859.

Caution.—Mariners are hereby warned.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river

„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.

Authority.—Master of the SS. "Chenab" dated 11th January 1924.

The 5th January 1924.

EAST COAST OF AUSTRALIA—MORETON BAY.

Lighting of Outer Freeman Channel for Navigation by Night.

Closure of the North or Howe Channel to Navigation.

Discontinuance of Tangaluma Light.

Placing a Lighted Buoy at East Knoll.

No. 1 (second publication).—With reference to this office Notice to Mariners No. 277 of 1923, the Portmaster, Brisbane, has given further Notice (No. 4 of 1923) that on and after 22nd December 1923, the Outer Freeman Channel will be lighted for navigation by night; the North Channel will be closed to navigation; Tangaluma Light will be discontinued, and the red buoy at the East Knoll will be replaced by a lighted buoy.

In the Outer Freeman Channel the following buoys will be replaced by lighted gas-buoys, viz.:—

The Outer Black Buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted black, and from which a fixed white light will show by night.

The Inner Black Buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted black, and showing a fixed green light.

The Outer Red Buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted red, and showing a fixed red light.

The junction chequered buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted red, and showing a fixed white light.

Also a small fixed white light will be exhibited from a lamp-room situated on the beach three-quarters of a mile eastward of Comboyuro Lighthouse. This light will show a bright sector between the approximate bearings from seaward of S. 30° W. and S. 4° E.

The North or Howe Channel will be closed to navigation both day and night. All buoys marking this channel will be removed.

The light at Tangaluma will be discontinued.

The red buoy off East Knoll will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted red, and showing a fixed white light.

DIRECTIONS FOR NAVIGATING FREEMAN CHANNEL BY NIGHT.

Vessels from the South intending to enter by this channel, after passing one mile off Cape Moreton and North Point, then steer W. by S. until Yellow Patch Light comes in line with Cape Moreton Light bearing S. 73° E. Keep these lights in line astern passing through the white sector of Comboyuro beach light. When this light shuts

out bearing approximately S. 4° E. the vessel will then be abreast the Freeman Channel Fairway Buoy, which is not lighted; haul down immediately to pass midway between the white and red lighted buoys. When abreast these lights steer to pass from a cable to a cable and a half off the green light; leave it on the port hand. When abreast this light steer to pass the white light, leaving it the same distance on the starboard hand, then proceed on until the small white light comes in line with Howard Range Light bearing S. 37° E. which marks a course midway between Yule Bank Buoy and Comboyuro Point. Continue on this line until abreast Comboyuro Point and thence proceed as hitherto.

DIRECTIONS BY DAY ARE AS HITHERTO.

By following these directions a depth of 24 feet at L. W. S. will be obtained.

Caution.—The notice of mariners is particularly called to the remarks on Moreton Bay Chart, Northern Portion, 1670A, in reference to the shifting nature of channels, the strong set of tides across the channels, and liability of buoys to break adrift.

Further, as in bad weather a heavy breaking sea occurs in this channel, it is advisable to use the North-West Channel under such conditions at night.

At night an incoming vessel should wait outside until any vessel proceeding out through this channel is well clear to seaward.

Chart affected: No. 1670A; Australia Directory, volume 3, page 105.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUBANG ISLAND.

Look Bay—Amendments to Chart re Shoals and Reefs.

No. 2 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1900 of 1923), are republished:—

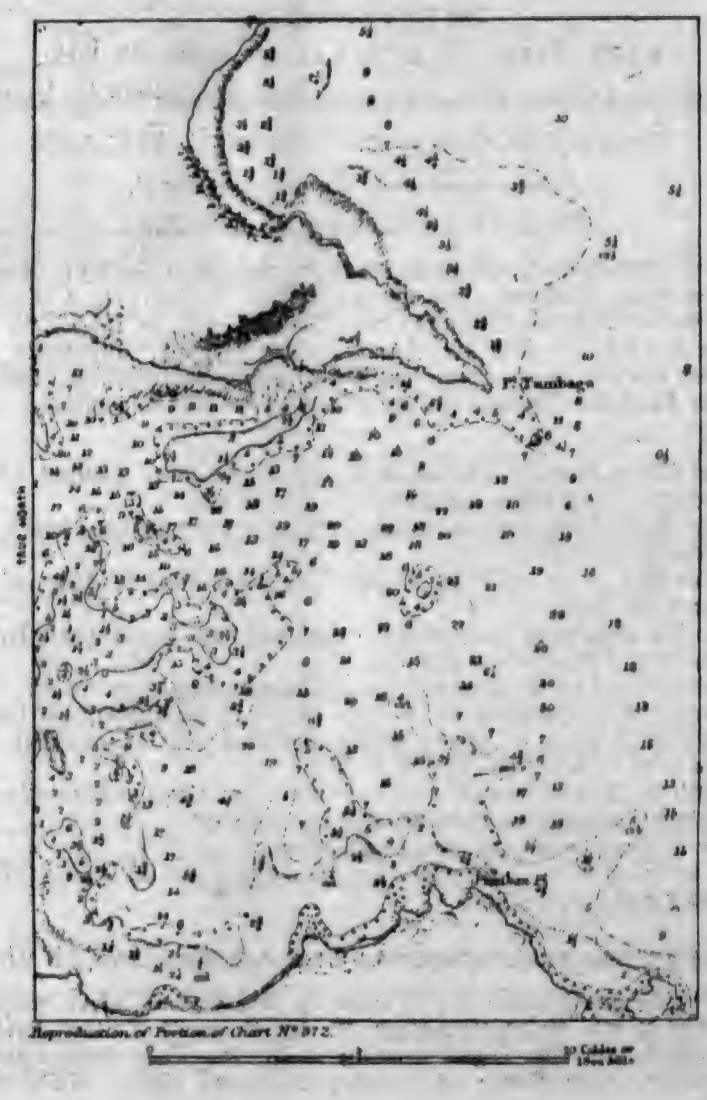
Position.—Point Tumbaga, lat. 13° 44′ N., long. 120° 17′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The accompanying reproduction of a portion of the plan quoted below, shows the necessary amendments with regard to shoals, reefs and fathom lines in Look bay and its entrance.

Chart affected.—No. 972, Plan of Look bay.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 34.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 120-23.*)



NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN—CAROLINE ISLANDS.

Truk Hogolu Islands—General Information to be inserted on Chart.

No. 3 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1912 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Dublon island, lat. 7° 23′ N., long. 151° 52′ E. (*approx.*).

(1) Shoal marked by buoy :

(*a*) Shoal :

Position.—In North East pass, at a distance of 8·35 miles 026° from Kutua point, Dublon island.

Depth—4½ fathoms (8m 2).

(*b*) Buoy :

Position.—Marking the above shoal.

Description.—A red buoy, with topmark.

Remarks.—For the note shown against North East pass on the chart, substitute the words "*Good passage* (*about 7 fms.*)."

(2) Existence of reefs and shoals :

(*a*) *Position.*—Off the south-eastern side of Moen, at a distance of 1·5 miles 347° from Kutua point, Dublon island. From this position a reef extends in a 039° direction for a distance of one mile.

Description.—A coral reef.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 2·9 miles 303° from the north-western point of Moen.

Details—This position is to be encircled by a danger line on the chart and is to be marked "(*P.A.*)"

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 3·7 miles 307° from the north-western point of Moen.

Details.—This position is to be encircled by a danger line on the chart and is to be marked "(*P.A.*)."

(*d*) *Position.*—Close southward of Pis island, at a distance of 10·8 miles 349½° from the north-western point of Moen.

Description.—A small coral reef, about 3 cables in extent.

(*e*) *Position.*—Eastward of Pis island at a distance of 11·2 miles 358½° from the north-western point of Moen.

Description.—A small coral reef, about 3 cables in extent.

(3) W/T mast established :

Position.—On Dublon island, at a distance of about 7 cables 257° from Kutua point.

Details.—This position is to be marked "*W-T Mast* (*P.A.*)."

(4) Foul ground :

Position.—Between Dublon and Fefan islands, at a distance of about 1½ miles south-westward of Mount Tolomen.

Details.—The anchorage symbol shown on the chart in this position is to be expunged. The note "*Foul Ground*" is to be substituted in the vicinity.

(5) Beacon established :

Position.—On the southern side of North East pass, at a distance of 8·3 miles 037° from Kutua point.

Description.—A beacon.

Chart affected.—No. 982, Truk or Hogolu islands.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1924, pages 613, 614, 615.

Authority.—H. M. S. *Foxglove*, Remark Book, 1923, and Japanese Government Chart. (*H. 0051-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—NEW SOUTH WALES.

Port Jackson Entrance—Depth in Dredged Channel.

No. 4 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1930 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—George head, lat. 33° 50′ S., long. 151° 16′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The following note is to be inserted on chart No. 1069, against the leading line which passes in a 224° direction, between George head and the Sow and Pigs beacon.

"*Channel 500 ft. wide, dredged to 40 ft. (1922).*"

Chart affected.—No. 1069, Port Jackson.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 31.

Authority.—Sydney Harbour Trust. (*H. 4943-23.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST—BATAVIA ROADS.

Tanjong Priok Approach—Existence of shoal.

No. 5 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1936 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 7 cables eastward of Vader Smit reef. Lat. 6° 04′ 00″ S., long. 106° 52′ 08″ E., on chart No. 933.

Depth.—3½ fathoms (6^{m}4).

Charts affected.—No. 933, Batavia roads.

„ 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 75.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2907 of 1923. (*H. 8044-23.*)

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

Round Hill Point—Light established.

No. 6 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1938 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 3·83 cables 034° from Round Hill 717 ft, (218^{m}5) ▲.

Lat. 41° 04′ S., long. 146° 03′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl. *W.R. ev. 3 sec., 100 ft. vis. 16 & 12 m.* Characteristics :

Character.—*Flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every three seconds* thus :—Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 2·7 sec.

Elevation.—100 feet (30^{m}5).

Visibility.—*White* light 16 miles, *red* light 12 miles.

Sectors.—*Red* over Blackman point reef. The limits of the sectors are not stated.

Power.—*White* light 3,000 candles ; *Red* light 1,200 candles.

Structure.—Square concrete house ; white lantern ; 22 feet (6^{m}7) in height.

Note.—The light is unwatched. The notation "(*P.D.*)" is to be inserted against this light on the plan quoted and "(*P.A.*)" on Chart No. 1695*b*.

Charts affected.—No. 3717, Plan of Emu bay.

„ 1695*b*, Bass strait—Western sheet.

„ 1079, Tasmania.

„ 2759*b*, Australia—Southern portion.

„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn—western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2798*a*.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 281.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Trade and Customs) Notice No. 21 of 1923. (*H. 8006-23.*)

NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN—PALAU ISLANDS.

Malakal Harbour and Koror Road—General Amendments to Plans.

No. 7 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1949 of 1923), are republished :—

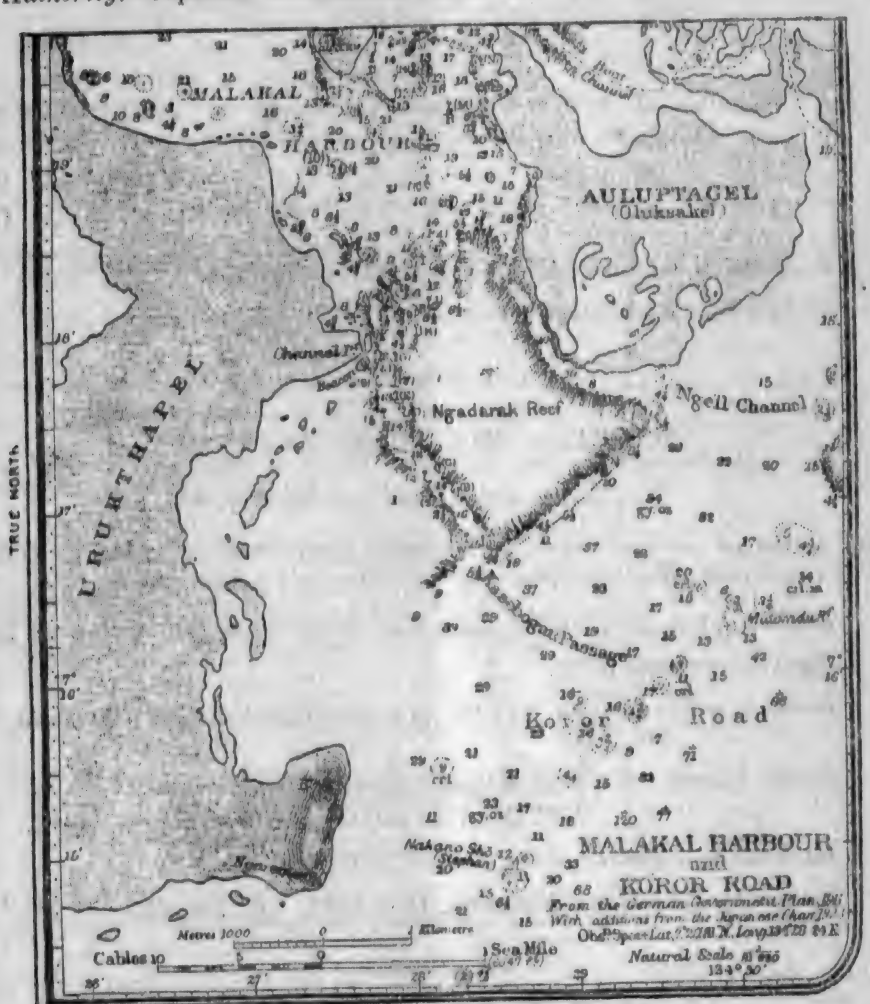
Position.—Kasebogau passage, southern entrance.
Lat. 7° 17′ N., long. 134° 28′ E. *(approx.)*.

Details.—The accompanying reproductions of portions of the plans quoted below show the necessary amendments with regard to reefs, rocks, shoals, depths, buoys and beacons in Malakal harbour and approaches, and Koror road.

Charts affected.—No. 1103, Plan of Malakal harbour and Koror road. Plan of Palau islands.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, pages 636, 637.

Authority.—Japanese Government Chart. *(H. 2610-28)*.



Reproduction of Portions of Chart No. 1103.

10 Sea Miles

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST.

Torres Strait—Certain Shoals to be erased from reproductions of portions of Charts.

No. 8 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1954 of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notices.—Nos. 1738 and 1815 of 1923. (*This Office Nos. 411 and 427 of 1923.*)

Position.—Booby island, lat. 10° 36′ S., long. 141° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Correction.—The following shoals, which do not exist, are to be erased from the reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 437, 2375 and 2354 accompanying Notice No. 1815 of 1923 (*This Office No. 427 of 1923*) these shoals having been expunged from the chart plates in accordance with Notice No. 1738 of 1923 (*This Office No. 411 of 1923*) :—

Position.					Depth.		
2·7 miles	151°	from	Booby island lighthouse	..	4½ fathoms		(8m2)
3·1 „	154°	„	„	...	3½	„	(5m9).
2·2 „	329°	„	„	...	5	„	(9m1).
1·4 „	343°	„	„	...	4	„	(7m3).

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 234.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 8021-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—QUEENSLAND.

Beaver Reef—Shoal westward of.

No. 9 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1955 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 17° 51′ 00″ S., long. 146° 28′ 00″ E. (*approx.*), on chart No. 2349.

Depth.—3 fathoms (5m5).

Remarks.—The notation "(*P.A.*)" is to be inserted against this shoal on chart No. 2349.

Charts affected.—No. 2349, Magnetic island to Double point.
„ 2763, Coral sea and Great Barrier reefs—sheet I.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol IV, 1917, page 189.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 14 of 1923. (*H. 8007-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Beira Approach—Non-existence of Shoals.

No. 10 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1961 of 1923), are republished :—

The following shoals are to be expunged from the charts :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Lat. 20° 00′ 00″ S., long. 35° 10′ 00″ E., on chart No. 597.
Description.—A circular danger line, marked "shoal."

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of 6 miles 203° from (*a*).
Description.—A shoal marked by a circular danger line.

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of 11 miles 205° from (*a*).
Depth.—4 fathoms (7m3).

(*d*) *Position.*—At a distance of 10 miles 236° from (*a*).

Depth.—3 fathoms (5^m5).

(*e*) *Position.*—At a distance of 10 miles 266° from (*a*).

Depth.—2 fathoms (3^m7).

Note.—The foregoing corrections will be included in new edition of chart No. 648 shortly to be published.

Charts affected.—No. 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 223.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5961-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Beira, north-eastern Approach—Shoal reported.

No. 11 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1962 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 19° 41′ S., long. 35° 13′ E., on chart No. 597.

Details.—A depth of 2 fathoms (3^m7) is to be substituted for the 6 fathom (11^m0) depth shown on the chart in this position.

Note.—The above correction will be included in new edition of chart No. 648 shortly to be published.

Chart affected.—No. 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 229.

Authority.—H. M. S. *Verbena*, Hyd, No. 4 of 1923. (*H. 5968-23.*)

The 29th December 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Netrani or Pigeon Island—Existence of wreck south-westward of.

No. 435 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 94M of 1923), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 12 miles south-westward of Pigeon Island.

Lat. 13° 52′ N.
Long 74° 11′ E. } approx.

Details.—Further information has now been received that the derelict referred to in the former Notice No. 81-M. of 1923, as a heavy spar attached to a sunken wreck, is considered to be a sunken wreck showing a large mast about 8 feet above water.

Caution.—Mariners are hereby warned accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 827, Vengurla to Cape Comorin.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, northern portion.

Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, dated 29th November 1923.

PERSIAN GULF.

Kais Island Light-vessel—To be temporarily relieved by a Trawler.

No. 486 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 95M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 26° 28′ N.
Long. 53° 58′ E. } approx.

Details.—On or about 29th December 1923, the Kais Island light-vessel will be temporarily relieved by a trawler, showing a fixed white light visible about 8 miles and a blue flare every half hour.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, eastern sheet.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 300.
Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.

Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, dated 27th November 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

PORT OF RANGOON.

Monkey Point Channel, Front leading mark—Alteration in position.

No. 487 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 96M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position—Lat. 16° 46′ N.
Long. 96° 12′ E. } approx.

Details—The Arracan Chimney (dismantled), which was hitherto used as the Arracan Mark, has been removed from its present position to a new site further east maintaining the same central track transit.

Chart affected.—No. 833, Rangoon river and Approaches.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 465.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator of the Port of Rangoon Pilot Marine Circular No. 34, dated 19th November 1923.

MADAGASCAR, NORTH-WEST COAST—BOMBETOKE BAY ENTRANCE.

Mojanga (Mojunga) Rear Leading Beacon—Alteration in position.

No. 488 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1836 of 1923), are republished :—

New position.—At a distance of about 8 cables south-eastward of charted position and 3·0 miles 132° from Ile Verte (front) beacon.

Lat. 15° 48′ S., long. 46° 23′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A black and white beacon.

Remarks.—The former leading line, marked "Beacons in line 136°," shown on chart No. 701, is to be expunged and the new leading line marked "*Beacons in line 132°*" is to be inserted. The pecked line, marked "124°," shown on chart No. 701 to the north-westward of the outer end of the former leading line, is also to be erased.

Charts affected.—No. 701, Bombetoke bay, and delta of Betsiboka river.
„ 378, Maromanjo point to Makambytra bay.
„ 759*a*, Cape St. Andrew to Bevato island.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1923, pages 331, 332.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 1963 of 1923. (*H. 7396/23.*)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—St Vincent Gulf.

Port Adelaide River No. 0 Leading Lights—Alterations in character.

No. 439 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1839 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—Close westward of south-western end of Revetment mound.

Lat. 34° 47′ S., long. 138° 28′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every second.*

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—At a distance of about 4½ cables eastward of front light (*a*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl, *ev. ½ sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every half second.*

Remarks.—In other respects the leading lights are unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs, with plan.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 2356, 2356*a*.

Authority.—Adelaide Notice No. 12 of 1923. (*H. 6918/23.*)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—St. Vincent Gulf.

Port Adelaide River No. 1 Leading Lights—Alterations in character.

No. 440 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1840 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—Near the north-eastern end of Revetment mound.

Lat. 34° 47′ S., long. 138° 29′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *R. ev. sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed red light has been replaced by a *flashing red* light *every second.*

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ cables north-eastward of front light (*a*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. ½ sec.*

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every half second.*

Remarks.—In other respects the leading lights are unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs, with plan.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 2357, 2358.

Authority.—Adelaide Notice No. 12 of 1923. (*H. 6918-23.*)

CHINA SEA—Singapore Approaches.

Singapore Harbour Limits to be inserted on Charts.

No. 441 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1855 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—White obelisk on the foreshore, situated close westward of Tanjong Katong.
Lat. 1° 18′ N., long. 103° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—Pecked lines, marked "*Harbour Limit*" are to be drawn on the charts from the above white obelisk as follows :—

(*a*) In a 202° direction to Peak island white obelisk.
(*b*) Thence in a 224° direction to the south-eastern end of East St. John island.
(*c*) Thence in a 231° direction to the south-eastern end of West St. John island.
(*d*) Thence in a 260° direction to the south-eastern end of Middle island.
(*e*) Thence in a 270° direction for a distance of 2·79 miles.
(*f*) Thence in a 000° direction to the northern shore at the entrance to Sungi Pandan.

Remarks.—On chart No. 1994 pecked lines are also to be drawn as follows :—

(i) From the south-eastern end of Middle island in a 053° direction for a distance of one mile.
(ii) Thence in a 335° direction for a distance of 2·56 miles.
(iii) Thence in a 246° direction to the north-western end of Freshwater island.

Note.—The note "*Anchorage for Vessels carrying Petroleum*" is to be inserted within this area, to the south-westward of (ii).

Charts affected.—No. 1995, Singapore road. (*a*) (*b*) (*c*) (*d*)
„ 1994, Western approaches to Singapore.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 270, 274.

Authority.—Singapore Port Regulations. (*H. 5532/23.*)

CHINA SEA—SOUTHERN PORTION.

Pulo Sapatu—Discoloured water reported eastward of.

No. 442 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1866 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 44 miles eastward of Pulo Sapatu.

Lat. 10° 02′ 00″ N., long. 109° 51′ 00″ E., on chart No. 2660*a*.

Details.—The above position, which is to be encircled by a danger line on the charts, is to be marked "*Discold. water Repd.* (*1923*)" on chart No. 2660*a*.

Charts affected.—No. 2660*a*, China sea, southern portion, western sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 106.

Authority.—Lloyds List. (*H. 7071-23.*)

JAPAN—KYUSHU, WEST COAST.

Nagasaki Harbour—Information re Time Signals.

No. 443 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1867 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Oura, lat. 32° 44′ N., long. 129° 52′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The words "Time Ball," shown near Oura on the charts, are to be deleted, together with the following note :—

"Time Ball."

"The Time Ball at Oura is dropped at noon of the 135th Meridian, corresponding to 15$^{hrs.}$ 00$^{min.}$ 00$^{sec.}$ G.M.T."

The following note is to be substituted for the above on the charts :—

"*Time Signals*"

"*Time Signals are made from the Harbour Board Observatory, Oura, at Noon of the 135th Meridian corresponding to 15h 00m 00s G.M.T., and at 9 p.m., corresponding to Noon G.M.T., the former by Time ball and the latter by Signal lights.*"

Charts affected.—No. 2815, Nagasaki harbour.
„ 2415, Approach to Nagasaki harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 5057*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 469.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 513 of 1923. (*H. 6943/23*).

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG ENTRANCE.

South Channel—Information re Light-Vessels and Light-Buoys

No. 444 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1869 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Alteration in position of Tungsha light-vessel :

New position.—At a distance of about 3¼ miles south-eastward of charted position and 10·36 miles 088° from Nanhui beacon.

Lat. 31° 05′ N., long. 122° 02′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—As described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

(*b*) Alteration in position of Kiutoan light-vessel :

New position.—At a distance of about one mile south-eastward of charted position and 7·28 miles 014° from Nanhui beacon.

Description.—As described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

Remarks.—The note "*Less water repd. (1923),*" is to be inserted on chart No. 1602, at a distance of about 2 miles north-westward of the new position of Kiutoan light-vessel.

(*c*) Wreck-marking light-buoy withdrawn :

Position.—Close northward of new position of Tungsha light-vessel.

Description.—A wreck-marking light-buoy, with occulting white light.

Remarks.—The wreck, sunk in the year 1917, together with the unlighted green buoy, shown in this position, is to be retained on the charts.

(*d*) Light-buoy established :

Position.—At a distance of 7·47 miles 057° from Nanhui beacon.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted red, marked "Flats," exhibiting an *occulting white* light *every eight seconds*, thus :—
Light 4 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.
„ 1199, Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki. (*a*), (*b*)
„ 1263, China sea. (*a*)
„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liau-tung. (*a*).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 1586 and 1591.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 376 ; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 677 of 17th September 1923. (*H. 7339/23.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST, BASSEIN RIVER ENTRANCE.

Diamond island—Baroni roc buoy.

No. 445 (third publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 77 of 1923.

Subject.—The lighted gas buoy marking the Baroni rock has been replaced by an unlighted spherical buoy painted black with a white horizontal band.

Charts affected.—No. 834, Bassein river and approaches.
„ 3772, Calventuras to Bassein river.
„ 823, Koronge island to White point.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 447.

Authority.—Port Officer, Bassein, Burma, Notice dated 17th December 1923.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

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LIBERALITY OF BABU GUNENDRA KRISHNA ROY.

No. 287Medl., dated Calcutta, the 21st January 1924.

From—G. S. DUTT, ESQ., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Local Self-Government Department (offg.),

To—The Commissioner of the Dacca Division.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik, M.A., B.L.

With reference to your memorandum No. 58J., dated the 7th January 1924, reporting that Babu Gunendra Krishna Roy, son of the late Babu Giridhari Lal Roy, of Bhagyakul, Dacca, has made a donation of Rs. 15,000 for the benefit of the "Gopi Mohan Roy Charitable Dispensary" at Serajdhikhan in the Munshiganj subdivision of the district, I am directed to request that the thanks of Government may be communicated to him for his liberality and public spirit.

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

Notice under section 63 (5) of Bengal Act V of 1911 as amended by Bengal Act III of 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta have applied to the Local Government for sanction to the revised plan of the Proposed Public Street No. I (Cossipore-Chitpore) which was originally published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 7th March 1923.

T. EMERSON, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 9th January 1924.*

Vital Statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 29th December 1923.

District.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births Registered.		Deaths Registered.																									
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding week of the previous year. Male.	Female.	Total.			
Calcutta	1	Calcutta ...	617,590	290,261	907,851	338	31	19	1	1	20	4	—	—	7	24	46	9	3	75	37	36	9	—	247	330	228	558	313	252	565			
Burdwan	2	Asansol Mining Settlement ...	176,814	102,539	279,353	171	2	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	6	11	—		13	—	14	2	—	55	61	39	103	77	62	139			
Howrah	3	Howrah ...	128,472	68,329	196,801	96	5	—	—	—	9	7	—	—	1	21	11	10	—	8	—	17	9	1	36	70	49	123	60	60	120			
Dacca	4	Dacca ...	67,333	32,117	119,450	68	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	23	3	3	—	2	4	2	—	—	35	51	36	87	40	36	76			
24-Parganas	5	Manicktala ...	40,996	26,276	67,272	6	1	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	1	3	5	—	3	4	9	—	—	23	30	39	53	36	36	72			
	6	Bhatpara ...	45,723	19,966	65,689	24	—	5	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	5	9	14	3	2	5			
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur ...	36,288	20,186	56,474	9	—	7	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	1	12	6	18	22	13	35			
	8	Titagarh ...	36,538	15,913	52,451	12	1	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	12	7	19	6	8	14			

CALCUTTA, *the 15th January 1924.*

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Vital statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 5th January 1924.

District.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births Registered.		Deaths Registered.																								
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding week of the previous year. Male.	Female.	Total.
Calcutta	1	Calcutta	617,500	290,351	907,851	335	23	23	1	—	19	3	1	—	7	24	32	4	1	47	24	65	11	3	254	301	238	539	322	268	590
Hardwar	2	Asaroori Mining Settlement.	170,814	152,589	329,383	40	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	4	—	1	1	1	16	9	15	24	50	36	86
Howrah	3	Howrah	128,472	66,829	195,301	97	9	2	—	—	3	2	—	—	1	15	13	7	—	17	1	16	1	1	34	62	51	113	56	62	117
Dacca	4	Dacca	67,833	52,117	119,150	75	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	21	4	1	—	—	3	1	—	—	30	26	38	64	42	41	83
24-Parganas	5	Manbhum	40,996	26,376	67,372	36	—	2	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	5	—	—	1	5	12	—	—	15	31	13	44	15	13	28
	6	Bhatpara	49,722	19,886	69,609	16	1	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	8	—	3	—	4	—	1	1	—	5	13	12	25	5	3	8
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur.	36,289	20,185	56,474	22	1	3	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	5	1	2	—	—	6	18	12	30	14	7	21
	8	Titagarh	36,533	15,918	52,451	22	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	10	3	13	8	8	16

CALCUTTA, *the 15th January 1924.*

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Monthly Weather and Crop Report of Bengal for December 1923.

I. **Character of the season.**—The weather was practically dry excepting a few scattered showers during the third week of the month. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. **Progress of agricultural operations.**—Reaping of winter paddy was in full swing, and the threshing operation commenced in some districts. The sowings of spring crops were well-nigh completed and preparation of lands for and transplantation of *boro* paddy commenced.

III. **State of standing crops.**—The growth of spring crops specially in the high land tracts suffered somewhat owing to drought although the slight showers during the third week improved the situation to some extent.

IV. **Prospects and probable outturn.**—The prospects of spring crops were reported to be generally fair. The outturn of sugarcane crop may be estimated at 80 per cent. of the normal.

V. **Damage to standing crops.**—No appreciable damage to the standing crops was reported from any of the districts.

VI. **Condition of agricultural stock.**—Condition of live-stock was, on the whole fair. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease were, however, reported from six districts.

VII. **Failure of pasturage and fodder.**—No scarcity of fodder was reported from any part of the province.

VIII. **Prices of food-grains.**—During the second half of the month under review the price of common rice of the cheapest quality rose in six districts, fell in seven and remained stationary in the rest of province.

IX. **Condition of agricultural people.**—The condition of the agricultural population was generally reported to be fair.

J. C. ROY,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 18th January 1924.*

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during December 1923.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of December.	Actual district rainfall for the month of December 1923.	Variation from the normal	Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of December.	Actual district rainfall for the month of December 1923.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.			Inches.	Inches	Inches.
Presidency	24-Parganas	0·23	0·21	-0·02	Rajshahi—*concld.*	Rangpur	0·09	Nil	-0·09
	Calcutta	0·27	0·20	-0·07		Bogra	0 11	Nil	-0·11
	Nadia	0·17	Nil	-0·17		Pabna	0·30	Nil	-0 30
	Murshidabad	0·11	Nil	-0·11		Malda	0·10	Nil	-0·10
	Jessore	0·19	0	-0·19					
	Khulna	0·16	0·13	-0·03					
Burdwan	Burdwan	0·12	Nil	-0·12	Dacca	Dacca	0·34	0·01	-0·33
	Birbhum	0·07	Nil	-0·07		Mymensingh	0·12	Nil	-0 12
	Bankura	0·13	Nil	-0·13		Faridpur	0·33	0·02	-0·31
	Midnapore	0·17	0·03	-0·14		Bakarganj	0·33	0·08	-0·25
	Hooghly	0·23	0·01	-0·22					
	Howrah	0·22	0·15	-0 07					
Rajshahi	Rajshahi	0·09	Nil	-0·09	Chittagong	Chittagong	0 57	0·42	-0·15
	Dinajpur	0·07	0·10	+0·03		Tippera	0·23	0·03	-0·20
	Jalpaiguri	0·24	0·14	-0·10		Noakhali	0·44	0·09	-0·35
	Darjeeling	0·31	0·10	-0·21		Chittagong Hill Tracts.	0·68	0·48	-0·20
						Tripura State	0·40	0·04	-0·36
						Cooch-Behar	0·12	0·09	-0·03

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 16th January 1924.

Summary.—Light rain fell in a number of districts. Reaping of winter paddy is almost completed, threshing is in full swing. Prospects of standing crops are satisfactory. Transplantation of summer rice and preparation of lands for autumn crops continue. The average price of common rice has remained almost stationary as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	0·20	6½	6½	Effects of weather on crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy still continues. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	0·24	8⅞	8	
	Barrackpore ...	0·12	7	7	
	Baraset ...	0·40	7¼	7⅛	
	Basirhat ...	0 10	8½	8¼	
2	Nadia· ...	Nil	8	8	More rain is needed. Harvesting of winter paddy is finished ; *rabi* sowings continue. Cattle-disease is reported from Meherpur and Chuadanga. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	0 34	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	0·43	7	7¼	
	Chuadanga ..	0·17	7¼	8	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	8	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	7⅞	8	Weather occasionally cloudy. Rain is needed for *rabi* crops. Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy is almost finished. Fodder is sufficient.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8½	8¼	
	Kandi ...	0·	8 to 8½	8¼	
4	Jessore	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient. Insufficiency of water is being felt in parts of the district. No large import or export.
	Jhenidah ...	0·04	9	9	
	Magura ...	0·45	8¼	8¼	
	Narail ...	0·12	9½	9¼	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7¼	7½	No remarks.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	0·11	8	8	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter paddy is going on. Export and import as usual. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7	7	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kalna ...	0·17	7⅞	7⅞	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is almost finished. Rain is wanted for the *rabi* crops. Fodder is sufficient and water is insufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	0·05	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8	8½	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter rice continues. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Export of rice and paddy continues.
	Vishnupur ...	0·03	9	9	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	0·01	8⅜	8⅜	Harvesting of winter paddy is completed and transplantation of *boro* paddy and threshing of winter paddy are progressing. Fodder and water are sufficient. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Contai ...	Nil	8	8	
	Tamluk ...	0·15	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	7⅞	8	
	Jhargram ...	Nil	8	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	0·35	7	7	Harvesting of sugarcane has commenced. Cattle-disease is reported from Haripal thana. Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	0·04	8	8	
	Arambagh ...	0·22	8¼	8	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·34	7	6¾	Harvesting of winter paddy is nearing completion. Condition of standing crops is fair.
	Uluberia ...	1·30	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are tolerable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	0·18	8½	8½	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7	7	Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	7½	7½	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	7	
15	DARJEELING ...	Nil	5	5	Harvesting of winter rice continues. Wheat is progressing. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	6½	
	Kalimpong ...	Nil	5½	5½	

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	6¼	6	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of mustard and potatoes is going on. Lands are under preparation for jute and *aus* paddy. Cattle-disease is reported from Kotwali, Kurigram, Fulberia, Palashbari, Gaibandha and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	5¾	5¾	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6½	6½	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	7⅞	7½	Prospects of *rabi* crops are bad for want of moisture in the soil.
18	PABNA ...	0·04	6¾	6	Slight rainfall has not done much good to the standing crops. Fodder and water are adequate. Stock of food-grains is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	0·55	6	6½	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Harvesting of winter paddy still continues. Prospects of standing crops are favourable.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7 15/16	7 15/16	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for *bitri* paddy and harvesting of winter paddy continue. Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	0·31	7	7	Weather cool. Fields are being prepared for *boro* paddy. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	1·24	8	8	
	Narayanganj ...	0·26	7½	7½	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	0·12	7½	(*n*)	
22	MYMENSINGH ...	Nil	6½	7	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *boro* paddy is going on. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. Rice market is stationary.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	(*n*)	6⅞	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	Nil	7½	7½	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kanaeis thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	0·48	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	0·11	7½	7⅝	
	Madaripur ...	0·97	9	9	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	Nil	9¼	10	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	0·18	6¼† / 8¼	8¼ / 7¼†	Harvesting of winter rice continues. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7† / 7⅛	7† / 7¼	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7† / 7¼	7† / 7¼	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	0·30	6¼† / 8	6½† / 8	
25	CHITTAGONG ...	Nil	7 / 6⅝*	7 / 6⅝*	Cultivation of the *rabi* crops is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Water and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Satkania. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	7½	7½	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	8	8	Weather very cold at Chandpur but fair elsewhere. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Brahmanbaria and good elsewhere. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	7 3/11	7 3/11	
	Chandpur ...	0·35	7⅛	7⅛	
27	NOAKHALI ...	0·04	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	0·04	8	8	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	8	7	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE	Nil	7½	8	Weather seasonable. *Boro* paddy is being transplanted. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prospects of the standing *rabi* crops are fair. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 25 to Rs. 30 and jute at Rs. 6½ to Rs. 10 per maund.

* Burma rice. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridas pur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 19th January 1924*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of November 1923, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1923-24.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Major Works.						
Midnapore Canal	2,578	24,498	12 375	27,950	2,279	25,915
Hijili Tidal Canal	4,408	63,949	468	2,676	3,861	58,901
Total ...	6,986	88,447	12,843	30,626	6,140	84,816
Minor Works and Navigation						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	50,249	309,188	1,040	35,380	34,366	1,96,960
Tolly's Nala	19,080	177,158	27,800	234,900	6,291	50,495
Madaripur Bil Route ...	166 645	808,707	4,497	7,845	39,201	1,96,425
Total ...	235,974	1,295,053	33,337	278,125	79,858	4,43,880
Magrahat Channels ...	6,848	42,810	4,760	8,010	2,678	15,896
Orissa Coast Canal	2,310	32,517	4,743	10,468	1,147	12,369
Nadia Rivers	...	16,065	...	365,215	...	5,119
Grand Total ...	245,132	1,386,445	42,840	661,818	83,633	4,77,264

Canals.	1922-23.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Major Works.						
Midnapore Canal	2,478	45,306	...	6,450	2,728	24,688
Hijili Tidal Canal	4,995	54,445	742	2,857	4,167	55,669
Total ...	7,473	99,751	742	9,307	6,895	80,357
Minor Works and Navigation.						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	48,148	303,702	495	5,640	28,478	1,80,202
Tolly's Nala	21,983	164,614	44,600	250,879	5,918	48,159
Madaripur Bil Route ...	122,179	966,905	2,406	13,822	27,855	2,12,813
Total ...	192,310	1,435,221	47,501	270,341	62,251	4,41,174
Magrahat Channels ...	5,842	32,943	21,145	42,432	3,329	14,738
Orissa Coast Canal	3,902	32 461	5,193	11,989	1,529	12,471
Nadia Rivers	2,477	30,363	165,900	776.320	1,763	8,916
Grand Total ...	204,531	1,530,988	239,739	1,101,082	68,877	4,77,299

T. C. Bhattacharya,

Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Calcutta, *the 18th January 1924.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 12th January 1924.

Month and date	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year	Remarks.
1924					
6th January ...	7 A.M.	8·1	8·1	8 4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
7th ,, ...	7 ,,	8·1	8·1	8 4	
8th ,, ...	7 ,,	8·1	8·1	8 4	The bench mark for this gauge is marked on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat at Goalundo
9th ,, ...	7 ,,	8·0	8 0	8 2	
10th ,, ...	7 ,,	8·0	8·0	8 0	
11th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·9	7 9	7 9	
12th ,, ...	7 ,,	7 8	7·8	7·6	Its reduced level is 26·84.

Highest water level of the year	...	24·1
Lowest water level of the year	...	5 7
Highest recorded flood	...	24 1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923
Previous highest recorded flood	...	25 75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25 66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Lowest recorded water-level	...	5 7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923
Previous recorded low water-level	...	1 0 on the 9th February 1914

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909

B. N. GANGULI, for *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAJBARI, *the 12th January 1924.* *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending 12th January 1924.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
6th January ...	7 A.M.	40 05	40 05	38 40	P. W. D datum 6·25 feet above Kidderpore old dock sill
7th ,, ...	7 ,,	39 95	39 45	38 40	
8th ,, ...	7 ,,	39·90	39 90	38 35	B. M on Rajshahi College step 64·95.
9th ,, ...	7 ,,	39 85	39 85	38 25	
10th ,, ...	7 ,,	39 75	39 75	38 20	Value of zero = 0·00 P W D.
11th ,, ...	7 ,,	39 70	39 70	38 15	
12th ,, ...	7 ,,	39 65	39 65	38 10	

			Old value	According to P W D datum
The previous year's	Highest water-level	...	on 27th August 1923	... 61 05
Do.	Lowest ,,	...	on 4th May 1923	... 35 80
Record	Highest ,,	...	69 25 on 26th August 1879	... 64 42
Do	Do ,,	...	69 08 on 9th September 1885	... 64 27
Do.	Do ,,	...	68 80 on 25th August 1906	... 63 47
Do	Do. ,,	...	68 21 on 26th August 1890	... 63 40
Do	Lowest ,,	...	37 68 on 25th April 1884	... 32 87
Do.	Do ,,	...	38 18 on 14th and 15th April 1886	... 33 32
Do	Do. ,,	...	39 02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	... 34 21
Do.	Do. ,,	...	39 28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	... 34 47
Do	Do. ,,	...	on 9th May 1922	... 34·70

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer*,

BOALIA, *the 12th January 1924* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 5th January 1924.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1923.							
30th Dec.	52 8	16-25	53·7	10-35	52·3	53·5	F. T. at 10-50 E. T. at 16 30.
31st ,, ...	52·9	17-22	53·45	11-20	52·05	55·2	F. T. at 11-30. E. T. at 17-30.
1924.							
1st Jan. ...	53·0	Dark		12-5	52·0	53 0	F. T. at 12-20. E. T. at 6-40.
2nd ,, ...	53·2	6-30	53 25	12-55	52·0	52·7	F. T. at 13-5. E. T. at 7-32.
3rd ,, ...	53·2	7 20	53 4	13-40	52·05	52·4	F. T. at 13-55. E. T. at 8-27.
4th ,, ...	53 2	8 15	53 5	14-30	52·0	52·25	F. T. at 14-40. E. T. at 9-20.
5th ,, ...	53 25	9-8	53·65	15-20	52·1	52·2	F. T. at 15-35.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

High				Low.			
27th August	1906	...	70·5	28rd February	1907	...	51 06
5th September	1909	...	67·86	18th ,,	1908	...	51·06
10th August	1910	...	69·86	12th March	1912	...	51·06
1st ,,	1911	...	68 46	6th ,,	1914	...	50 60
18th ,,	1912	...	67·16	22nd February	1915	...	50·80
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7	15th ,,	1916	...	50 60
18th ,,	1916	...	68·1	3rd March	1917	...	51·0
12th ,,	1917	...	67 1	21st February	1918	...	51 40
31st ,,	1918	...	69 12	26th ,,	1919	...	50·4
2nd ,,	1919	...	66 5	18th ,,	1920	...	50·9
8th September	1920	...	66·9	19th ,,	1921	...	50·9
28th July	1921	...	68 4	8th March	1922	...	51 05
10th August	1922	...	68 00				

Taken at high tide.

Taken at low tide

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48 51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

S. C. MAZUMDAR, *Executive Engineer,*
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 16th January 1924.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

during February 1924.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
February.	HOURS.		
6th, Wednesday ...	21-51	Leave Sealdah ...	By special train.
7th, Thursday ...	6-15	Arrive Goalundo.	
	7-30	Leave Goalundo ...	By special steamer.
	16-0	Arrive Dacca.	

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
February.	HOURS.		
8th, Friday ...	10-21	Leave Dacca ...	By special train.
	13-28	Arrive Mymensingh. (Level crossing opposite Medical School.)	
	15-11	Leave Mymensingh ...	By special train.
	18-15	Arrive Dacca.	
9th, Saturday to 13th, Wednesday.	...	Halt at Dacca.	
14th, Thursday ...	8-0	Leave Dacca ...	By special steamer.
	19-0	Arrive Goalundo.	
	20-50	Leave Goalundo ...	By special train.
15th, Friday ...	7-16	Arrive Sealdah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Countess of Lytton.*
Lady Hermione Bulwer-Lytton.*
Lady Davina Bulwer-Lytton.*
Lieut.-Col. J. Mackenzie, C.I.E., Military Secretary.*
Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Private Secretary.
Major E. H. V. Hodge, I.M.S., Surgeon.*
Major H. G. Benton, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain S. B. Horn, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.*
Captain G. B. Fyldes, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.*
Captain D. W. M. Prinsep, Aide-de-Camp.*
Captain H. Bruce Johnstone, Aide-de-Camp.*

(2) Letters and telegrams for the party should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

(3) All arrivals and departures will be private.

* Will not go to Mymensingh.

J. MACKENZIE, LIEUT.-COL.,
Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 30th January 1924.*

No. 293L., dated Calcutta, the 22nd January, 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Rule 5 of the Bengal Legislative Council Rules, 1920, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. John Bartley, I.C.S., as an assistant to the Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

C. TINDALL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 654A.R.—The 21st January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, the Governor is pleased to appoint the following three persons as Commissioners to enquire into the petition presented by Babu Prem Hari Barman against the election of Babu Jogindra Chandra Chakravarti to the Bengal Legislative Council by the Dinajpur non-Muhammadan constituency, namely :—

(1) Mr. E. Milsom, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur (*President*).

(2) „ Banamali Sen, Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur.

(3) Rai Jadab Chandra Bhattacharji Bahadur, retired Subordinate Judge.

2. His Excellency the Governor is further pleased, under rule 38 of the said rules, to appoint Dinajpur as the place where the enquiry shall be held.

No. 665A.R.—The 23rd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, the Governor is pleased to appoint the following three persons as Commissioners to enquire into the petition presented by Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri against the election of Babu Sudarsan Chakrabarti to the Bengal Legislative Council by the Rajshahi non-Muhammadan constituency, namely :—

(1) Mr. E. Milsom, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur (*President*).

(2) „ Banamali Sen, Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur.

(3) Rai Jadab Chandra Bhattacharji Bahadur, retired Subordinate Judge.

2. His Excellency the Governor is further pleased, under rule 38 of the said rules, to appoint Dinajpur as the place where the enquiry shall be held.

No. 671A.R.—The 23rd January 1924.—In modification of the orders contained in notification No. 46 A.R., dated the 8th January 1924, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly, to be a Commissioner in the place of Mr. D. C. Patterson, I.C.S., to enquire into the petitions referred to in the aforesaid notification.

No. 687A.R.—The 25th January 1924.—With reference to notification No. 683A.R., dated the 25th January 1924, His Excellency the Governor is pleased, in pursuance of sub-rule (*1*) of rule 26 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, to call upon the Calcutta South non-Muhammadan constituency to elect, on or before the 28th February 1924, a member to the Bengal Legislative Council for the purpose of filling the vacancy caused by the election of the Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik having been declared void.

No. 695A.R.—The 26th January 1924.—Under the provisions of section 93 of the Government of India Act His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mr. J. W. A. Bell of his office of member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 744 A.R.—The 28th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, the Governor is pleased to appoint the following three persons as Commissioners to enquire into the petitions specified in the subjoined schedule, namely :—

1. G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas (*President*).
2. G. B. Mumford, Esq., I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly.
3. Rai Girindra Nath Mukharji Bahadur.

2. The Governor is further pleased, under rule 38 of the said rules, to appoint Alipore, 24-Parganas, as the place where the enquiries shall be held.

Schedule.

1. Petition presented by Khan Bahadur Mirza Shujaat Ali Beg against the election of Maulvi Mahbubal Haq to the Bengal Legislative Council from the 24-Parganas Municipal Muhammadan constituency.

2. Petition presented by Khan Bahadur Abdus Salam against the election of Maulvi Rafiuddin Ahmed to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore South Muhammadan constituency.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 2752A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2592A.—The 23rd January 1924.*—Hon'ble Sushil Kumar Sinha, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to have charge of the Contai subdivision of that district.
Midnapore.

No. 2629A.—The 24th January 1924.—Maulvi Abdul Hafeez, Sub-Deputy Collector, on probation, Midnapore, is transferred to the Presidency Division.
Midnapore. Presidency Divn.

No. 2652A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Surendra Mohan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Presidency Division.
Presidency Divn.

No. 2657A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Kunja Mohan De, Sub-Deputy Collector, on probation, on leave, is posted to the Rajshahi Division.
Rajshahi Divn.

No. 2664A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Akhil Chandra Gangali, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Dacca Division.
Dacca Divn.

No. 2667A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Jatindra Krishna Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector, on probation, on leave, is posted to the Burdwan Division.
Burdwan Divn.

No. 2670A.—The 25th January 1924.—Maulvi Bazlul Wali Muhammad Abdur Rahman, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Chittagong Division.
Chittagong Divn.

No. 2711A.—The 26th January 1924.—Mr. Gyanendra Nath Roy, I.C.S., Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District and Sessions Judge of that district.
24-Parganas.

No. 2713A.—The 26th January 1924.—Mr. Sarat Kumar Ghose, I.C.S., Third Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly.
24-Parganas and Hooghly.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2520A.—The 19th January 1924.*—The Reverend Edwin Charles Brush, Minister, English Union Church, Kharagpur, is authorised, under section 6 of Act XV of 1872, to solemnise marriages between persons one or both of whom is or are a Christian or Christians, and under section 9 of the Act, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians.
Midnapore.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2530A.—The 19th January 1924.*—Babu Chuni Lal Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pabna, is allowed leave on average pay for four months (of which one month and twenty-nine days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.
Pabna.

No. 2562A.—The 21st January 1924.—Mr. D. C. Patterson, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly, is allowed leave for eight months and one day, viz., leave on average pay for eight months under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules with effect from the 1st February 1924, and leave on half average pay for one day under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.
24-Parganas and Hooghly.

No. 2567A.—The 21st January 1924.—Babu Saradananda Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tippera, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and sixteen days, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.
Tippera.

No. 2570A.—The 21st January 1924.—Babu Mahendra Nath Kundu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bogra, is allowed leave on average pay for three months and five days, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 6th January 1924.
Bogra.

No. 2589A.—The 23rd January 1924.—Mr. T. H. Ellis, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Contai, Midnapore, is allowed leave on half average pay for eight months, under rule 81(*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 5th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Midnapore.

No. 2602A.—The 23rd January 1924.—Babu Dhirendra Mohan Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on probation, Faridpur, is allowed leave for three months, viz., leave on average pay for twenty-nine days under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, and leave on half average pay (not due) for the remaining period under articles 81 (*c*) (*1*) and 87 (*b*) of those rules and Local Government's ruling 2 on article 104 (*b*) of the Fundamenta Rules, with effect from the 3rd November 1923.

Faridpur.

No. 2648A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Kamini Mohan Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Pirojpur, Bakarganj, is allowed leave on average pay for two months under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders dated the 26th November 1923.

Bakarganj.

No. 2650A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Charu Chandra Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bagerhat, Khulna, is allowed leave on average pay for three months and fifteen days, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 7th December 1923.

Khulna.

No. 2655A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Phani Lal Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay for four months, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

24-Parganas.

No. 2660 L.—The 25th January 1924.—Mr. Alexander Jitendra Lal Mitter, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bogra, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months, under the proviso to rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 15th February 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Bogra.

No. 2673A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Rebati Raman Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for four months (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit) under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Chittagong.

No. 2675A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Bankim Bihari Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Arambagh, Hooghly, is allowed leave on average pay for two months (of which twenty-six days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Hooghly.

No. 2678A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Hari Charan Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave on average pay for three months, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 5th December 1923.

Hooghly.

No. 2684A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Banamali Bagchi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Malda, is allowed leave for four months, viz., leave on average pay for two months and four days under article 81 (*b* (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Malda.

POLICE.—*No. 2620A.—The 24th January 1924.*—Mr. H. E. Sabine, Assistant Superintendent of Police, under orders of transfer to Barrackpore, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and twenty days (of which one month and five days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81(*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 20th December 1923.

24-Parganas.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 683A.R.—The 25th January 1924.—Whereas the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules to enquire into the petition presented by Mr. S. N. Haldar against the election of the Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik to the Bengal Legislative Council for the Calcutta South non-Muhammadan constituency have after due enquiry reported to the Governor that the returned candidate the Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik had not been duly elected :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by rule 45 (*3*) of the said rules, the Governor is pleased to declare, in accordance with the report of the Commissioners, the election of the Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik as a member of the Bengal Legislative Council for the Calcutta South non-Muhammadan constituency to be void.

The Governor is further pleased to order that in accordance with the recommendations of the said Commissioners each party shall bear his own costs and that the fees of the Advocate-General should be paid by both parties in equal shares.

The following report of the said Commissioners is published in accordance with the provisions of rule 45 (*3*) of the said rules.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923.

PRESENT :

A. J. Chotzner, Esq., I.C.S. ... ... *President.*
D. C. Patterson, Esq., I.C.S.
Rai Girindra Nath Mukerjee Bahadur.

Election case No. 4 of 1923.

S. N. Halder

versus

S. N. Mallik.

REPORT.

The petitioner Mr. S. N. Halder, who is duly qualified to stand for election from the Calcutta South Non-Muhammadan constituency, was a candidate for election from the said constituency to the Bengal Legislative Council. Mr. Halder was duly proposed and seconded for nomination as a candidate by Messrs. B. Chakraverti and B. K. Lahiri and by another two sets of proposers and seconders, all of whom were qualified to propose and second the nomination.

On 8th October 1923 which was the last date for filing the nomination papers Mr. Halder delivered three sets of nomination papers to the Returning Officer Mr. Roxburgh and in his presence he signed the requisite declarations. Mr. Roxburgh signed the hour and date of the presentation of the papers, but the date of the declaration was not filled up.

On 11th October which was fixed for the scrutiny of the nomination papers Mr. Halder attended in person.

The only other candidate for election was Mr. S. N. Mallik, the Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation.

Mr. Halder objected to Mr. Mallik's nomination on the ground that he being an 'official' was ineligible for election.

Mr. Mallik on the other hand objected to Mr. Halder's nomination on the ground that no date had been put in the space provided for it in the declaration.

The Returning Officer overruled Mr. Halder's objection on the ground that the decision of Mr. Mallik's status did not come under Regulation XXI and was outside his province. He however accepted Mr. Mallik's objection and rejected Mr. Halder's nomination under Regulation XXI (*1*) (*iii*).

On 12th October the Returning Officer prepared and published a list of the valid nominations from which Mr. Halder's name was omitted.

On 2nd November he declared Mr. Mallik to be duly elected and a notification to that effect was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* on 7th November.

The present petition was filed on 29th November.

Mr. Halder in his petition has prayed for two declarations. The first is that his nomination paper was improperly rejected by the Returning Officer and that therefore Mr. Mallik's election was void. The second is that Mr. Mallik is an 'official' and was not qualified to stand for election and that therefore Mr. Halder has been duly elected.

We have had the advantage of hearing long and able arguments on both sides by Mr. Ray for the petitioner and by Sir Binode Mitter for the respondent, and also of taking the learned Advocate-General's opinion upon the case.

The facts we have stated above are not in controversy. We have therefore thought it unnecessary to frame issues and no evidence has been adduced on either side.

The points that we have to decide are two. The first is whether the omission of the date in the declaration part of the nomination paper is sufficient in itself to render the nomination a nullity and whether in consequence the Returning Officer was right in rejecting it under Rule XXI (*1*) (*iii*).

The second is whether Mr. Mallik as Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation is an 'official' within the meaning of section 134 of the Government of India Act and is therefore disqualified for election under the provisions of section 80B of the Act.

We proceed to consider the first question. Rule 11 of the Bengal Electoral Rules of 1923, Part IV, relates to the nomination of candidates for election and sub-section (*3*) runs as follows :—"On or before the date so appointed for the nomination of candidates each candidate shall either in person or by his proposer and seconder together between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 3 o'clock in the afternoon deliver to the Returning Officer or such other person as may be authorised in this behalf by regulation, a nomination paper completed in the form prescribed in schedule 3 and subscribed by the candidate himself as assenting to the nomination and by two persons as proposer and seconder whose names are registered on the electoral roll of the constituency." The point for our decision is whether the omission to fill in the date in the declaration portion signed by Mr. Halder is fatal to the validity of the nomination as a whole.

The learned Counsel for the petitioner contends that the nomination paper is in two separate parts, the first being the nomination proper while the second part is the declaration by the candidate that he agrees to the nomination. The space for the date is below this declaration and it is therefore urged that the mere filling in of the date is not essential to the completion of the namination paper. A nomination does not come into effect before the date on which the nomination paper is delivered to the Returning Officer. The Returning Officer himself put in the date when the nomination paper was delivered to him at 11-34 A.M. on 8th October 1923, and the paper was signed by Mr. Halder in his presence on that date (Ext. 2).

The learned Counsel for the respondent on the other hand contends that the words contained in Rule 11 (*3*) are mandatory and not merely directory. He urges that where the law prescribes certain formalities, their omission cannot be excused. Where the word 'shall' is used it is *prima facie* mandatory. Similarly where there is a provision in the main Act, that too is *prima facie* mandatory. The Bengal Electoral Rules which have taken the place of the Ballot Act in England have the force of law because no rules or procedure have been laid down in the Act itself, and the Court is therefore bound to construe them strictly. He observes that where the statute provides for an act to be done by a public officer an omission on his part may be excused, but where the duty of performing that act falls upon a private individual he is bound to do that act and cannot be excused for omitting to do it. Rule 11 (*3*) has taken the place of the earlier Regulation XVII and the form now prescribed differs from the form prescribed in the regulation notably in the fact that in the regulation the candidate was not required to make a declaration.

The learned Counsel urges that the date of assenting to the nomination is of vital importance as up to that date there is no acceptance by the candidate and without that date being recorded the nomination of the candidate is incomplete. Supposing that the acceptance by the candidate was made when he was under the age of 25 or when he was an undischarged bankrupt, then the date of his acceptance becomes of great importance because the question of his eligibility will have to be determined with reference to that date.

We think that upon a true construction of Rule 11 (*3*) the nomination paper should be regarded as being divided into two distinct parts, one containing the nomination proper and the other the declaration of acceptance of the nomination by the candidate. We are fortified in this view by a consideration of Regulation XVII of the Bengal Electoral Regulations of 1920 which is in these terms :—(*1*) "The nomination shall be made by means of a nomination paper in form 1 annexed to this Regulation.....(*2*) every nomination paper shall be subscribed by two electors as proposer and seconder and shall be signed by the candidate assenting to the nomination. *Note.*—A nomination paper signed by a duly qualified attorney on behalf of a candidate shall for the purpose of this regulation be held to be signed by the candidate himself as assenting to his nomination."

The provision permitting an attorney to sign on behalf of a candidate has under Rule 11 (*3*) been abolished and the candidate himself or his proposer and seconder together, have now to deliver the nomination paper to the Returning Officer.

Further upon a comparison of form 1 prescribed by Regulation XVII with the form prescribed in schedule 3 of Rule 11, it will appear that the declaration now required from the candidate under the latter was not required under the former. The date too which appears in the latter found no place in the former. We therefore find it difficult to accept the learned Counsel's argument for the respondent that the date of the acceptance of the nomination is of vital importance because the same question as to the eligibility of the candidate, was as much in issue under the former regulation as it is under the present rules. We think that if it had been the intention of the Legislature to make the date of the acceptance of the nomination by the candidate an integral part of the nomination paper it would have made a special provision to that effect in the rules. The introduction

of the words "and duly dated" after the word "completed" would have been all that was necessary. In point of fact the rules are entirely silent about the date upon which this declaration is to be signed.

The conclusion therefore at which we arrive is that while the provisions in the rules relating to the preparation of the nomination proper are mandatory, they should not be so regarded so far as the filling up of the date of acceptance of the nomination is concerned. At the highest they are directory and there is abundant judicial authority for the proposition that where a provision is merely directory, a substantial compliance therewith is all that is required. In the case of Sham Chand Basak *versus* The Chairman of the Dacca Municipality (I. L. R. 47 Calcutta, 524) the learned Judges referred to a number of English cases wherein the validity of an election was in question. In the case of Woodward *versus* Sarsons (1875, L.R. 10 C. P. 733), Lord Coleridge C. J. made some comment on the effect of section 13 of the Ballot Act of 1872. That section provides that "no election shall be declared invalid by reason of a non-compliance with the rules contained in the first schedule to this Act ..... if it appears to the tribunal having cognizance of the question that the election was conducted in accordance with the principles laid down in the body of this Act and that such non-compliance did not affect the result of the election." Lord Coleridge held that the section was inserted *ex abundanti cautela* and that the same rule would have applied by virtue of the common law, even if the section had not existed. The substance of the matter as observed in the case of Sham Chand Basak is that "the infringement of a rule does not necessarily invalidate the election as it would have done if the rule had been deemed mandatory in character."

In this country there is no Ballot Act or Common Law but in our judgment the principles underlying section 13 of the Ballot Act should be considered with reference to the Electoral Rules upon which we are called to adjudicate and if we may, with a slight modification, borrow the words used in the judgment we should say that the infringement of the rule requiring the date to be given does not necessarily invalidate the nomination as it would have done if the rule had been deemed mandatory in character.

In the present case we have no hesitation in finding that the provisions of Rule 11 which we regard as mandatory, namely, the presentation to the Returning Officer of a completed form by the candidate and his acceptance of the nomination have been complied with. The omission by the petitioner to record the date in the declaration though a technical irregularity as pointed out by the Returning Officer, is, in our opinion, no more than an unsubstantial departure from the law and we hold that the Returning Officer was in error in refusing to accept the nomination especially when it had been signed by the petitioner in his presence. We are therefore of opinion that the improper refusal of the petitioner's nomination paper by the Returning Officer has materially affected the result of the election and that the election of the returned candidate should be held to be void.

We now come to the second branch of this enquiry which is whether Mr. Mallik as Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation was an 'official' under the Government of India Act and was therefore ineligible for nomination or election. Section 80B of the Government of India Act lays down that "an official shall not be qualified for election as a member of a local Legislative Council" and section 134 says that "the expressions 'official' and 'non-official' where used in relation to any person mean respectively a person who is or is not in the civil or military service of the Crown in India." It is further provided that the holders of certain offices may be excluded by rules under the Act but that these must be specified in each case. Under the powers conferred by sections 134 and 129A of the Government of India Act a notification No. 614G., dated 9th September 1920, was issued and under it the rules called 'Non-official (Definition) Rules' were framed. Rule 2 is in these terms :—"The holder of any office in the civil or military service of the Crown, if the office is one which does not involve both of the following incidents, namely, that the incumbent—

(*a*) is a whole-time servant of Government and
(*b*) is remunerated either by salary or fees,

shall not be treated as an official for any of the purposes of the Government of India Act."

It is therefore contended on behalf of the petitioner that Mr. Mallik as Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation is an 'official' as he is a whole-time servant of Government and is remunerated by salary which is fixed by Government. The learned Counsel has referred to a number of sections in the Calcutta Municipal Act which show that the Chairman is appointed by Government and may be removed by Government and that Government exercises control over him in certain respects. He urges that the question by whom he is paid his salary is immaterial. It is contended that he is in the civil service of the Crown in India and is therefore debarred from election to the Council. Reference is made to section 14 of the Indian Penal Code where the words "servant of the Queen" denote "all officers or servants continued appointed, or employed in India by or under the authority of the Statutes 21 and 22 Victoria, Chapter 106 .....or by or under the authority of the Government of India or any Government" and to section 21 where "a public servant" is defined. Reference is further made to the definition contained in section 2 (*17*) (*h*) of the Civil Procedure Code where a "public officer" is said to include "every officer in the service or pay of the Government or remunerated by fees or commission for the purpose of any public duty". This definition has been judicially held to include the Administrator General, the Official Trustee and the Official Assignee.

Learned Counsel for the respondent on the other hand refers to the rules made under section 96B of the Government of India Act which are now known as "The Fundamental Rules".

Rule 2 explains that a Government servant is one whose pay is debitable to Civil Estimates in India, while Rule 9 (7) defines *Foreign Service* as service in which the Government servant receives his substantive pay with the sanction of the Government from any source other than the general revenues of India. *General Revenues* are defined in Rule 9 (8) while *Local Funds* which include Corporation funds are defined in Rule 9 (14). The Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation is, under section 114 (1) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, paid out of municipal funds, and he therefore does not come within the definition of the rules contained in the notification No. 6140., dated 9th September 1920.

We consider that the source from which a Government servant draws his salary is one of the tests for determining whether he is a servant of the Crown or not, and where, as in the present case, the Chairman of the Corporation receives his salary from the municipal funds we cannot think that he is a Government servant within the meaning of the notification This, however, is only one test. A further test is by whom he is liable to be dismissed. Under section 96B of the Government of India Act every person in the Civil Service of the Crown in India holds office during His Majesty's pleasure and may not be dismissed by any authority subordinate to that by which he was appointed. The Chairman of the Corporation is appointed by Government and under section 11 he may be removed from his office by Government at its discretion, but the section goes on to say that he *shall* be removed from his office if his removal is recommended by a resolution which has been passed at a special meeting and in favour of which not less than two-thirds of the Commissioners present at the meeting have voted. When this test is applied it is evident that the Chairman is not in the Civil Service of the Crown in India and is, therefore, not an 'official' who is *ipso facto* debarred from election. We accordingly decide the second question against the petitioner.

The result, therefore, is that we hold that the returned candidate Mr. Mallik has not been duly elected owing to the improper refusal of the petitioner's nomination paper by the Returning Officer and that the election is, therefore, void. On the question of costs we recommend that the parties should bear their own costs and that the fees of the Advocate-General should be paid by them in equal shares.

A. J. CHOTZNER,
D. C. PATTERSON,
GIRINDRA NATH MUKERJEE, } *Commissioners.*

The 21st January 1924.

No. 690A.R.—The 25th January 1924.—Whereas by notification No. 687A.R., dated the 25th January 1924, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to call upon the Calcutta South Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council to elect a member to the said Council in place of the Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Mallik;

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, and in pursuance of sub-rule (*3*) of that rule, to prescribe the 6th February 1924 as the date for the nomination of candidates and for the delivery of nomination papers to the Returning Officer of the constituency and the 8th February 1924 as the date on which the scrutiny of nominations shall be held.

No. 692A.R.—The 25th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*c*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulation XXV of the Bengal Electoral Regulations, the Governor in Council hereby appoints the 18th February 1924 as the date and 8 A.M. to 5 P.M. as the hours for the recording of votes in the by-election for the Calcutta South non-Muhammadan constituency

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2532A.—The 19th January 1924.—Mr. J. M. Cowan, Divisional Forest Officer, Kalimpong, Darjeeling, having passed an examination in the Nepalese Paharia language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, is authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 500.

Darjeeling.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

To be substituted for the notification bearing the same number and date—

No. 11409P.—The 28th November 1923.—It is hereby notified that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 85 of the Code of Civil Procedure (Act V of 1908) and in compliance with a request made by the Political Agent on behalf of His Highness Maharaja Manikya Bir Bikram Kishore Deb Barman Bahadur of Tripura, a minor Prince, the Governor in Council appoints Rai Jyotish Chandra Sen Bahadur, Manager of His Highness' Roshnabad Estates, to be the Agent of the Maharaja for the purposes of that Code.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 403Pl.—The 26th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Kaliganj police-station, in the district of Khulna, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the villages specified in the following schedules A and B which have hitherto been included in that police-station shall be included in the police-stations Shyamnagar and Assasuni, respectively, in the same district :—

Khulna.

Schedule A.

(To be included in Shyamnagar police-station.)

Names of villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Kaliganj.	Remarks.
Matichala ...	262	Kultali Ramchandrapur.
Mahishi ...	267	
Mukundapur ...	272	Hajipur.
Kantakhali ...	273	Chota Kantakhali.
Rajapur ...	274	Chota Rajapur.
Ramchandrapur ...	275	
Alipur ...	276	Amalgamated with 302.
Nurnagore ...	277	
Kismat Muhammadpur or Manikpur ...	300	Manikpur.
Purusottampur ...	301	Paikamari.
Haripur ...	302	
Syamnagar ...	303	
Bishnupur or Durmujkhali ...	304	Durmujkhali.
Gona ...	305	
Shibchandrapur ...	306	
Chak Gayakhali ...	307	Garakhali.
Khosalpur ...	308	
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Boalmari	...	47	
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Kamalkati	...	51	
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Chak Bantra	...	399	
Khalsini	...	400	Chak Khalsini.
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Baliapur	...	402	
Bantra	...	403	
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Madra	...	411	
Chak Bonsali	...	412	Chak Bansail.
Chhayhatia	...	413	Amalgamated with 407.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.

IN exercise of the power conferred on me in rule 63 (*2*) of the Bengal Jail Code, I reappoint the following ladies to be non-official visitors of the Presidency Jail, Calcutta :—

1. Mrs. J. A. Haskell.
2. Mrs. E. d'A Willis.
3. Mrs. P. K. Roy.

C. A. TEGART, *Commissioner of Police.*

CALCUTTA, *the 21st January 1924.*

IN exercise of the power conferred on me in rule 63 (*2*) of the Bengal Jail Code, I appoint Mr. S. Mahboob Aley, M.L.C., to be a Non-official Visitor of the Presidency Jail Calcutta.

C. A. TEGART, *Commissioner of Police.*

CALCUTTA, *the 24th January 1924.*

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2753A.

POWERS.

No. 2528A.—The 19th January 1924.—Babu Satyendra Nath Basu, Deputy Magistrate, Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Nadia.

No. 2530A.—The 19th January 1924.—Maulvi Saiyid Manzur Murshed, Deputy Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

24-Parganas.

No. 2667A.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Jatindra Krishna Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, on probation, on leave, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the Burdwan Division, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Burdwan Divn.

No. 2670A.—The 25th January 1924.—Maulvi Bazlul Wali Muhammad Abdur Rahman, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, on leave, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the Chittagong Division, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Chittagong Divn.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 827J.—The 21st January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Rai Manomohan Chakrabatti Bahadur the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Dacca, for a period of three years from the 5th February 1924, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

Dacca.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 866J.—The 24th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Nasiruddin Ahmed Chaudhuri the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Dinajpur, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Dinajpur.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Independent Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

LEAVE.

No. 855J.—The 23rd January 1924.—Babu Srish Chandra Banarji, Subordinate Judge of Rajshahi and Malda, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate for eight months from 2nd January 1924, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Rajshahi and Malda.

No. 889J.—The 16th January 1924.—Babu Abani Prasad Neogi, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Fatikchari, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed commuted furlough on medical certificate in combination with the Civil Court vacation of 1923 for three months, with effect from the 12th November 1923, under the Government of India, Finance Department, Order No. 601 C. S. R., dated the 21st April 1920, and Resolution No. 2099 C. S. R., dated the 27th November 1920, and under article 301 (*a*) of the leave rules of July 1920,

Chittagong.

No. 890J.—The 18th January 1924.—Babu Kiran Chandra Mitra, Munsif of Narail in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for three months, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules.

Jessore.

No. 891J.—The 19th January 1924.—Babu Ashutosh Roy, Munsif of Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for three months, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 29th November 1923.

Chittagong.

POWERS.

No. 829J.—The 21st January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 164, sub-section (*1*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), as amended by section 35 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, (Amendment) Act, 1923 (XVIII of 1923), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Harendra Krishna Sarkar, an Honorary Magistrate of the Magura Bench, exercising second class powers, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the inquiry or trial.

Jessore.

No. 901J.—The 26th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Sri Ban Behari Sen, an Honorary Magistrate of the Berhampore Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Murshidabad, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench—

Murshidabad.

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said Bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said Bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 903J.—The 26th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Ramani Mohan Sen, an Honorary Magistrate of the Berhampore Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Murshidabad, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench—

Murshidabad.

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said Bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said Bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

N. B. GUPTA,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 396M.—The 23rd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Faridpur, to be a Commissioner (*ex officio*) of the Faridpur Municipality, *vice* the Additional Superintendent of Police, Faridpur, resigned.

Faridpur.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 400M.—The 24th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 222 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Comilla Municipality, in the district of Tippera, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend all the provisions of Part VII of that Act to the said municipality.

Tippera.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 417L.S.-G.—The 25th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 8 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to fix the number of members of the Manikganj Local Board, in the district of Dacca, at ten, with effect from its next reconstitution.

Dacca.

2. This cancels so much of notification, dated the 6th April 1886, as relates to the fixing of the number of members of the Manikganj Local Board.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MEDICAL.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 845Medl.—The 28th January 1924.—The Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make the following amendments in the Appendix annexed to paragraph 9 of the Statutes of the State Medical Faculty of Bengal published under this department notification No. 274Medl., dated the 30th January 1922—

(*i*) *Insert* the following in paragraph 10 of Appendix B :—

(*vi*) The Carmichael Medical College Hospitals, Belgachia.

(*ii*) *Insert* the following in paragraph 5 of Appendix D :—

(*v*) The Carmichael Medical College Hospitals, Belgachia.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.)

PUBLIC HEALTH.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Nadia.

No. 141P.H.—The 22nd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to confirm the by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Kumarkhali Municipality, in the district of Nadia, under section 350 of the said Act, and published for information with notification No. 2662P.H., dated the 3rd November 1923

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Dacca.

No. 143P.H.—The 22nd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 290 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make the following amendment in the Rules published under notification No. 488M., dated the 18th February 1914, subject to which the Commissioners of the Narayanganj Municipality, in the district of Dacca, may allow communication pipes to be laid down from the service pipes of the Commissioners for the purpose of leading water to holdings within the municipality for domestic purposes only :—

Amendment.

For rule 3 *substitute* the following :—

3. A fee on the following scale must be paid by such owner or occupier for each connection before any work is commenced. This fee must be paid at the time when the application for the connection is deposited, and will be in addition to all other costs and charges imposed under these rules :—

Valuation of holdings.				Fees.
	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
From	100	to	150	... 100
,,	151	,,	200	... 150
,,	201	,,	300	... 200
,,	301	,,	500	... 250
,,	501	,,	800	... 350
,,	801	,,	1,500	... 500
,,	1,501	and above		... 750

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Faridpur.

No. 145P.H.—The 22nd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to confirm the by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Madaripur Municipality, in the district of Faridpur, under section 350 of the said Act, and published for information with notification No. 2684P.H., dated the 9th November 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Pabna.

No. 147P.H.—The 23rd January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to confirm the by-laws which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Serajganj Municipality, in the district of Pabna, under section 350 of the said Act, and published for information with notification No. 2665P.A., dated the 5th November 1923.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 1265, dated Calcutta, the 19th January 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Srish Chandra Sarkar is placed on general duty at the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 16th January 1924.

No. 1477, dated Calcutta, the 24th January 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Bisweswar Chakravarty is placed on supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, with effect from the 15th January 1924.

No. 1530, dated Calcutta, the 24th January 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Haris Chandra Sen is appointed to act as Resident Assistant Surgeon at Howrah General Hospital, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Abdul Majed.

No. 1533, dated Calcutta, the 24th January 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Abdul Majed, Resident Assistant Surgeon, Howrah General Hospital, is appointed to act as Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Satis Chandra Das.

B. H. DEARE,

Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Director of Public Health, Bengal.

No. 1041A.—The 24th January 1924.—Under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules Babu Sachindra Kishor Das Roy, assistant analyst of the Bengal Public Health Laboratory, Calcutta, is granted, with effect from the 2nd February 1924, leave on average pay for a period of eight months, of which six months are on account of privilege leave.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY,

Director of Public Health, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 285Edn.—The 21st January 1924.—Mr. W. A. Jenkins, of the Indian Educational Service, Bengal, was allowed leave on average pay for four days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave previously granted to him.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

Presidency Divn.

No. 322Edn.—The 23rd January 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Mowla Buksh, officiating Additional Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, in the Bengal Educational Service, is allowed leave on average pay for one month with effect from the 28th January 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

Howrah.

No. 327Edn.—The 23rd January 1924.—Mr. T. H. Richardson, Principal, Bengal Engineering College, is allowed leave with effect from the 21st February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, up to the 6th August 1924 in combination with the long vacation of the college from the 7th August to the 2nd November 1924, viz., leave on average pay for five months and three days and leave on half average pay for the remaining period, under rules 81 (*b*) (*i*), 81 (*d*) and 82 (*d*) of th Fundamental Rules.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

Howrah.

No. 330Edn.—The 23rd January 1924.—Mr. A. Macdonald, Professor, Bengal Engineering College, is appointed to act as Principal of that college, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. H. Richardson or until further orders.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 331Edn.—The 23rd January 1924.—Mr. Jiban Mohan Basu, Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, in the Bengal Educational Service is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Indian Educational Service as a Professor, Bengal Engineering College, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Mr. A. Macdonald, on deputation.

Calcutta. Howrah.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 339Edn.—The 25th January 1924.—Maulvi Izad Baksh, officiating District Inspector of Schools, Tippera, was allowed privilege leave for the period from the 12th November 1923 to the 9th January 1924 (both days inclusive) under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations (new).

Tippera.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 340Edn.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Umesh Chandra De, Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Brahmanbaria, acted in the Bengal Educational Service as District Inspector of Schools, Tippera, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Izad Baksh.

Tippera.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 349Edn.—The 25th January 1924.—Rai Bhupati Nath Das Bahadur, officiating Principal, Dacca Intermediate College, is allowed leave for four months, viz., leave on average pay for eleven days under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules, in extension of the leave already granted to him.

Dacca.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 358Edn.—The 26th January 1924.—The following officers are confirmed in the Bengal Educational Service, with effect from the 1st September 1923, on completion of the usual probationary period of two years :—

	Name of officers	Designation.
1.	Babu Prafulla Charan Banarji	... Assistant Master, Ahsanullah School of Engineering, Dacca.
2.	„ Ram Ranjan Ghosh	... Teacher, Bengal Engineering College, Sibpur.
3.	„ Sisir Kumar Bardhan	... Lecturer in Philosophy, Hooghly College.
4.	„ Hem Chandra Banarji	... Lecturer in Sanskrit, Hooghly College.
5.	„ Tarak Nath Bhattacharji	... Lecturer in Mathematics, Hooghly College.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 354Edn.—The 24th January 1924.—Babu Kumud Chandra Sen, officiating head master, Krishnagar Collegiate School was allowed leave on average pay for the 18th June 1923, under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules. He was also allowed leave for twenty-seven days with effect from the 6th July 1923, viz., leave on average pay for two days under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of the same rules.

Nadia.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 355Edn.—The 24th January 1924.—Babu Upendra Chandra Guha, assistant head master, Krishnagar Collegiate School, acted in the Bengal Educational Service as head master in the same school, with effect from the 6th July 1923, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kumud Chandra Sen.

Nadia.

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 298Edn.—The 22nd January 1924.—Mr. P. M. O'Riordan, Head Master, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, is allowed leave for one year, viz., leave on average pay for ten months, including privilege leave on full pay for six months at his credit, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Darjeeling.

W. W. HORNELL,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 346Edn.—The 26th January 1924.—Mr. B. H. Niblett is appointed to act as a teacher, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. J. Elliot, or until further orders.

Darjeeling.

T. O. D. DUNN,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 199Mis.—The 24th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Mir Muhammad Zahurul Huq temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Ramoo, in the district of Chittagong, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Mazharul Huq, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 200Mis.—The 24th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Mir Muhammad Zahurul Huq temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Ramoo, in the district of Chittagong, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Mazhar ul Huq, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 205Mis.—The 23rd January 1924.—Rai Gyanendra Nath Ray Bahadur, Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal, is appointed temporarily to act, in addition to his own duties as Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal, Registrar of Parsi Marriages beyond the local limits of the ordinary civil jurisdiction of the High Court under section 7 of Act XV of 1865 and as Registrar-General of Births, Deaths and Marriages under Act VI of 1886, during the absence of the Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Aminul Islam, on deputation, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 29.—The 22nd January 1924.—Babu Sasadhar Pramanik, officiating Sub-Registrar of Atrai, in the district of Rajshahi, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Rajshahi.

No. 30.—The 22nd January 1924.—Babu Jyotish Chandra Maitra, Sub-Registrar, attached to Rajshahi, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Atrai, in the same district, *vice* Babu Sasadhar Pramanik, on leave.

Rajshahi.

No. 31.—The 22nd January 1924.—Maulvi Saiyid Mahmud Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances, under rule 306 (*a*) (*i*) of the new leave rules, for three months, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 602, dated the 22nd December 1923.

No. 32.—The 22nd January 1924.—Maulvi Abdul Ghaffar, Sub-Registrar, attached to Comilla, while officiating as Sub-Registrar of Madarganj, in the district of Mymensingh, was on leave on average pay for twelve days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, from the 13th to the 24th August 1923 (both days inclusive).

Tippera.
Mymensingh.

No. 33.—The 22nd January 1924.—Babu Ramani Mohan Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar is allowed leave for three months, viz., leave on half average pay for one month and seven days under rule 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, and extraordinary leave without allowances for the remaining period under rule 85 (*a*) of the said rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 283, dated the 14th July 1923.

Rangpur.

No. 34.—The 22nd January 1924.—Maulvi Ansaruddin, Sub-Registrar of Phulbaria in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave on average pay for two months (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 21st December 1923.

Mymensingh.

No. 35.—The 22nd January 1924.—Maulvi Abdul Ghaffar, Sub-Registrar, attached to Comilla, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Phulbaria, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 21st December 1923, *vice* Maulvi Ansaruddin, on leave.

Tippera.
Mymensingh.

No. 36.—The 22nd January 1924.—Maulvi Gholam Kasem, Sub-Registrar, attached to Howrah, is allowed leave on average pay for two months and two days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 583, dated the 21st December 1923.

Howrah.

No. 37.—The 22nd January 1924.—Maulvi Abul Hassan Chaudhury, probationary Sub-Registrar, attached to Calcutta, is posted to Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

Calcutta.
24-Parganas.

No. 38.—The 22nd January 1924.—Babu Janaki Prasad Aich, Sub-Registrar, under orders of transfer to Kaliganj, in the district of Khulna, is allowed leave on average pay for three months (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Khulna.

No. 39.—The 22nd January 1924.—Babu Girija Nanda Sen Kabiraj, Sub-Registrar of Mankar, in the district of Burdwan, under orders of transfer to Kotalpur, in the district of Bankura, is allowed leave on average pay for two months (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 1, dated the 4th January 1924.

Burdwan.
Bankura.

No. 40.—The 23rd January 1924.—Maulvi Saiyid Mohsen Ali, Sub-Registrar attached to Burdwan, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Manirampur, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the afternoon of the 5th January 1924, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra Sen, on leave.

Burdwan.
Jessore.

No. 41.—The 23rd January 1924.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Sajjad Sikandar Jah, Sub-Registrar attached to Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is posted to the Sadar Registration office at Rangpur, with effect from the 7th January 1924.

Murshidabad.
Rangpur.

No. 42.—The 23rd January 1924.—Maulvi Gholam Hossain, Sub-Registrar attached to Murshidabad, was on leave on average pay for one month, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, from the 23rd November 1923 to the 22nd December 1923 (both days inclusive).

Murshidabad.

No. 43.—The 23rd January 1924.—Babu Nripendra Nath Ghatak, Sub-Registrar attached to Howrah, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Mahishadal, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, *vice* Babu Bijay Chandra Dhar, on leave.

Howrah.
Midnapore.

No. 44.—The 23rd January 1924.—Babu Nameru Nath Mitra, probationary Sub-Registrar of Howrah, acted as Sub-Registrar of Mathurapur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, from the afternoon of the 15th December 1923 to the afternoon of the 22nd December 1923, *vice* Babu Sarbabijay Ray Chaudhuri, on leave.

Howrah.
24-Parganas.

No. 45.—The 23rd January 1924.—Maulvi Abul Faiz, Sub-Registrar of Gopiballavpur, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Midnapore.

No. 46.—The 23rd January 1924.—Mr. S. M. Allison, Sub-Registrar, on leave, is appointed to be Joint Sub-Registrar of Serajganj at Gandhail in the district of Pabna.

Rangpur.
Pabna.

No. 47.—The 25th January 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Mujibul Huq, Sub-Registrar, attached to Calcutta, is posted to the Sadar Registration office, Dacca.

Calcutta.
Dacca.

No. 48.—The 25th January 1924.—Maulvi Mujibul Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Banskhali, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for one month (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Chittagong.

No. 49.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Promode Ranjan Baruya, Sub-Registrar, attached to Chittagong, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Banskhali, in the same district, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, *vice* Maulvi Majibul Ahmad, on leave.

Chittagong.

A. ISLAM,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 676Com.—The 24th January 1924.—It is hereby notified for general information that Mr. A. Cochran, C.B.E., of Messrs. Burn and Company, Limited, is appointed, under section 4, sub section (*4*) of the Bengal Smoke-Nuisances Act, 1905, to represent the Bengal Chamber of Commerce on the Bengal Smoke-Nuisances Commission in succession to Mr. J. D. Balfour, resigned.

No. 766Com.—The 28th January 1924.—Mr. J. Younie, I.C.S., District Magistrate and Collector of Burdwan, is appointed to be a member of the Mining Board, Bengal, constituted under section 9 (*1*) of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), *vice* Mr. S. G. Hart, I.C.S., resigned.

Burdwan.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8Marine.—The 19th January 1924.—Mr. W. L. Allnutt, acting Branch Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service, is confirmed in the grade of Branch Pilot, with effect from the 1st January 1924.

No. 9Marine.—The 19th January 1924.—Mr. J. Tomlinson, Second Mate Leadsman, Bengal Pilot Service, is granted ten days' leave on average pay, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 23rd December 1923.

No. 10Marine.—The 19th January 1924.—It is hereby notified for general information that under the provisions of section 11 of the Chittagong Port Act, 1914, the resignation tendered by Mr. H. C. McEwen of his office of Commissioner for the Port of Chittagong is accepted.

No. 11Marine.—The 19th January 1924.—Mr. C. W. H. Ansell, Senior Master Pilot, is appointed to act as a Branch Pilot from the afternoon of the 7th January 1924.

No. 12Marine.—The 19th January 1924.—Mr. A. J. May, Senior Master Pilot, is appointed to act as a Branch Pilot from the afternoon of the 6th January 1924.

No. 13Marine.—The 23rd January 1924.—Mr. A. C. Davis, First Mate Leadsman, is promoted to the grade of Mate Pilot with effect from the 12th January 1924.

No. 14Marine.—The 23rd January 1924.—Mr. G. B. Hedley, First Mate Leadsman, is promoted to the grade of Mate Pilot with effect from the 12th January 1924.

No. 15Marine.—The 24th January 1924.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 6 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. H. C. Edmondson of the firm of Messrs. Turner, Morrison & Company, Limited, has been elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to be a Commissioner for the Port of Calcutta, in place of Mr. Nigel F. Paton, resigned.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

[Second publication.]

No. 7 I.—The 21st January 1924.—The following draft of amendments, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 78 and 99 of the Bengal Irrigation Act, 1876 (Bengal Act III of 1876), the Governor in Council intends to make in rules 6, 21 and 22 of the rules and rates for the supply of water from the Eden Canal (published in Bengal Government notification No. 178, dated the 22nd August 1898, at pages 909-911, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, as modified in Bengal Government notification No. 66, dated the 15th November 1904, published at page 1703, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, and Bengal Government notification No. 7, dated the 21st June 1909, published at page 883, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem), is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft amendments.

1. *For* rule 6 of the said rules and rates, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"6. The rates to be charged will be as follows :—

	Per bigha Rs. A.
I.—Long leases, per season	0 12
II.—Season leases, *kharif*, per season	1 2
III.—Single waterings outside the area commanded, each watering	0 6
IV.—Season leases, *rabi*, sugarcane, potato, and other crops irrigated by flow, per season	1 8
Season leases, *rabi*, sugarcane, potato, and other crops irrigated by lift, per season	0 12
Boro rice, onions, brinjals and other country vegetables irrigated by flow, per season	0 12
Boro rice, onions, brinjals and other country vegetables irrigated by lift, per season	0 6
V.—Unauthorised irrigation—	
Kharif season	3 0*
Rabi season	3 0*

* Or such lower rate as may be fixed by the Canal Officer.

2. *For* rules 21 and 22 of the said rules, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"21. When tanks which are used both for irrigation and domestic purposes are filled with canal water, a charge at the rate of annas 12 will be made for each 10,000 cubic feet or part of 10,000 cubic feet."

"22. The Divisional Canal Officer may supply water for manufacturing or other purposes and charge for the same at the rate of one rupee and eight annas for each 10,000 cubic feet or part of 10,000 cubic feet supplied. The same charge will be made if water is taken into a tank without authority or used in an unauthorised manner."

No. 61.—The 19th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the provisions of clause (*b*) of section 76 of that Act shall take effect on and from the 1st March 1924 over a tract of country extending for one mile from each bank of the river as specified below and over the bed of the same river

2. The erection of any new embankment or any addition to an existing embankment or the obstruction or diversion of any water-course within the tract declared, without the previous permission of the Collector, is prohibited.

Name of the river.	From—		To—		District.	Approximate length in miles.
	Village	Pargana.	Village.	Pargana		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Lakshya or Banar	Madanganj	Vikrampur J. L. No. 252.	Singhasri J. L. No 96.	Toppe Ram Bhowal.	Dacca ...	75

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY.

VETERINARY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 401Vety.—The 26th January 1924.—Babu Sharat Chandra Pal, officiating Lecturer, Bengal Veterinary College, is allowed leave on average pay for one month (of which twenty-nine days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), with effect from the 2nd January 1924, under articles 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

EXCISE.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 355Ex.—The 24th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Agriculture and Public Works) are pleased to direct that the following amendment be made in the rules published with the Bengal Government Notification No. 6018.R., dated the 30th March 1915 (published at pages 1-32 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st April 1915), as subsequently amended, namely :—

In clause (*ii*) of paragraph 1 under the heading "*Closing hours*" of rule 201 of the said rules, *after* the word "sunset" *add* the words "except at Beezpur in the 24-Parganas district where the country spirit shop shall be open till 8 P M. for six months every year from October to March".

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 357Ex.—The 24th January 1924.—Babu Tarapada Mukherjee, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, is appointed to act as Inspector of Excise and Salt from the 5th to 26th December 1923 (both days inclusive), during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Waheb Khan, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Burdwan.

Burdwan.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 368Ex. – The 24th January 1924.—Mr. J. C. Platts, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Deputy Commissioner of Excise and Salt, during the absence, on leave, of Rai Bahadur Jogendra Lal Khastagir, for six months with effect from the 17th December 1923, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 370Ex.—The 24th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 7 (*2*) (*b*), read with section 2 (*5*) (*i*) of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Agriculture and Public Works) are pleased to appoint Mr. J. C. Platts, officiating Deputy Commissioner of Excise and Salt, until further orders, to exercise all the powers and to perform all the duties conferred and imposed on a Collector under the Act, to the exclusion of the Collector of Calcutta, and subject to the control of the Commissioner of Excise.

This supersedes Government Notification No. 1094T.A.-I., dated the 27th September 1923.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 376Ex.—The 26th January 1924.—Babu Jatindra Bhusan Acharya, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, Darjeeling, is appointed to act as Inspector of Excise and Salt, with effect from the 3rd September 1923, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Akhil Bandhu Maulik for eight months from the said date, and is posted temporarily to Chittagong.

Darjeeling. Chitta ong.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 377Ex.—The 26th January 1924.—Babu Akhil Chandra Roy, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, Dacca, is appointed to act as Inspector of Excise and Salt, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Anukul Chandra Bose for three months from the said date, and is posted temporarily to Chittagong.

Dacca. Chittagong.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 379Ex.—The 26th January 1924.—Maulvi Mokarram Husain, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is appointed to hold charge of excise work in Calcutta, with effect from the 17th December 1923, *vice* Mr. J. C. Platts, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, appointed to act as Deputy Commissioner of Excise and Salt.

Calcutta.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

No. 420.—The 24th January 1924.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Ramdia Kumulli Co-operative Samiti (registered No. 192-D of 1919), in the district of Dacca, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Munshigunj, Manikganj Circle, to be liquidator of the said Society.

M. THORP,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND ACQUISITION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 862L.A.—The 23rd January 1924.—Mr. Kalyan Kumar Chatterji, I.C.S., Subdivisional Officer of Chuadanga, in the district of Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Nadia.

No. 864L.A.—The 23rd January 1924.—Mr. Alfred Bose, Sadar Subdivisional Officer, in the district of Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Nadia.

No. 866L.A.—The 23rd January 1924.—Rai Saheb Ram Pada Chatterjee, Subdivisional Officer of Meherpur, in the district of Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Nadia.

No. 939L.A.—The 24th January 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bogra Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Namajgarh burial ground, in the village of Nishindara, pargana Shelbarsa, zilla Bogra, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·93 acres, bounded on the—

Bogra.

North—By the lands of Nazir Sardar,
East—By the lands of Naibulla Shekh, Chengtu Shekh, Ashatulla Pramanik and the old burial ground,
South—By Santahar road,
West—By west burial ground,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Nishindara.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector.

Rangpur.

No. 972L.A.—The 25th January 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Rangpur for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the dispensary compound at Kurigram, in the village of Madhabram, pargana Baharband, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·031 acres, bounded on the—

North—By District Board drain,

East—By Public Works Department patit land and District Board road No. 26 (metalled) and Rati Kanta Chakraborty's land,

South—By Local Board road,

West—By dispensary compound,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Madhabram.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector.

24-Parganas.

No. 987L.A.—The 28th January 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Kamarhati Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for opening a pasture ground for cows at Ariadah, in the village of Ariadah, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·6628 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Jatindra Nath Mitra and Haradhan Chatterjee,

East—By the land of Haradhan Chatterjee,

South—By the Ariadah feeder road land,

West—By the municipal land,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Ariadah.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector.

24-Parganas.

No. 999L.A.—The 28th January 1924.—Rai Sahib Mohendra Nath Gupta, Deputy Collector, whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Revenue Department, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, for acquiring lands for public purposes, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

FOREST.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 1014For.—The 28th January 1924.—In modification of the orders contained in this Department notification No. 615For., dated the 16th January 1924, Mr. J. M. Cowan, Deputy Conservator of Forests, employed as working plan officer, Jalpaiguri, is allowed leave for twenty-eight months from the 9th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, viz., leave on average pay for nine months and four days (of which five months and four days are on account of privilege leave at his credit) under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

No. 888 For.—The 23rd January 1924.—Under the provisions of section 19 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), the Governor in Council declares that the land situated in the Darjeeling district, the limits of which are specified below, is reserved forest with effect from the 15th March 1924. The forest will be known as the Lopchu Extension to the Takdah Reserve. Its approximate area is 52·6 acres.

Darjeeling.

BOUNDARIES :

South—The Takdah Forest Reserve,

East—A demarcation line starting from Takdah Reserve forests boundary pillar No. 65 at an angle of 25½° for 130 ft., then at an angle of 16½° for 67 ft.,

North—Then at an angle of 305½° for 140 feet,
Ditto 309½° „ 141 „
Ditto 308° „ 175 „
Ditto 307½° „ 255 „
Ditto 305° „ 150 „
Ditto 308° „ 157 „
Ditto 307½° „ 494 „
Ditto 307° „ 322 „
Ditto 307½° „ 410 „
Ditto 309½° „ 204 „
Ditto 307° „ 429 „
Ditto 306½° „ 339 „
Ditto 307° „ 695 „
West—Then at an angle of 201½° „ 220 „
Ditto 193° „ 300 „
Ditto 202½° „ 90 „
Ditto 213½° „ 195 „
Ditto 197° „ 85 „
Ditto 214½° „ 151 „

to meet the Takdah Forest reserved boundary line between pillars Nos. 56 and 57.

The following rights in the land are reserved : (*1*) the right of the public to use the Public Works Department road and the Khas Mahal road running through the area and indicated on the map ; (*2*) the right of the Public Works Department and the Khas Mahal department to take earth from the sides of the roads in question for repairing them ; (*3*) the right of the Public Works Department, the Peshoke tea estate and of the neighbouring Khas Mahal tenants to make use of the water supply ; (*4*) the right of the Public Works Department to enter on the land for the purpose of repairing the conduit line.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JAILS.

No. 1016 R.J.—The 28th January 1924.—Lieut.-Col. F. S. C. Thompson, O.B.E., I.M.S., is allowed leave for one year eight months and ten days, viz., leave on average pay for eight months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

No. 1018Jails.—The 28th January 1924.—Lt.-Col. W. G. Hamilton, I.M.S., Superintendent of the Presidency Jail, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Lt.-Col. F. S. C. Thompson, O.B.E., I.M.S., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 1019Jails.—The 28th January 1924.—Major N. S. Simpson, I.M.S., Superintendent of the Alipore Central Jail, is appointed to be Superintendent of the Presidency Jail, Calcutta, *vice* Lt.-Col. W. G. Hamilton, appointed to act as Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

24-Parganas. Calcutta.

No. 1020Jails.—The 28th January 1924.—Military Assistant Surgeon H. A. Young, Superintendent of the Midnapore Central Jail, is appointed temporarily to be Superintendent of the Alipore Central Jail, *vice* Major N. S. Simpson, appointed to be Superintendent of the Presidency Jail, Calcutta.

Midnapore. 24-Parganas.

No. 1021Jails.—The 28th January 1924.—Major E. B. Munro, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Midnapore, is appointed temporarily to be Superintendent of the Midnapore Central Jail, in addition to his own duties, *vice* Military Assistant Surgeon H. A. Young, appointed to be Superintendent of the Alipore Central Jail.

Midnapore.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

No. 1For.—The 16th January 1924.—Babu Priya Nath Sarkar, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, is allowed leave on average pay for one day, viz., 13th October 1923, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Sundarbans.

He is permitted to affix the Durga Puja holidays to this leave.

R. C. MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABU RADHA PRASAD MUKHERJI, Deputy Collector, Bogra, has been placed in charge of the Bogra treasury and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

J. M. SINHA, *Collector.*

BOGRA, *the 22nd January 1924.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 16TH JANUARY 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Criminal Sessions of the year 1924 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the eleventh day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

W. L. CAREY, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯২৪ সাল, তারিখ ১৬ই জানুয়ারী।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীনে শহর কলিকাতা ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯২৪ সালের ১১ই ফেব্রুয়ারী সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯২৪ সালের প্রথম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক, তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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সরিফ।

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

CIVIL.

The 21st January 1924.

No. 887A.—Babu Jamini Kanta Mukharji, Subordinate Judge of Rajshahi and Malda, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the executive districts of Malda excluding the Nawabganj munsifi.

The 26th January 1924.

No. 1230A.—Babu Keshab Chandra Sen, munsif of Hatiya, in the district of Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Hatiya munsifi.

No. 1231A.—Babu Tejendra Nath Basu, munsif of Sudharam, in the district of Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Sudharam munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

J. D. V. HODGE,
Registrar.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4059J.G.—Maulvi Ali Asghar, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Serampore, Hooghly, is transferred to the subdivision of Asansol, in the district of Burdwan.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4062J.G.—Babu Bejoy Krishna Sen, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Hooghly Sadar, is transferred to the subdivision of Serampore, in the district of Hooghly.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd December 1923.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 358J.—Babu Badanya Kumar Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, Rangpur, Sadar, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Dinajpur district.

This cancels this office notification No. 212J , dated the 15th January 1924, transferring Babu Sudhir Chandra Bhaduri to the headquarters station of the Dinajpur district.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 22nd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 364J.—Babu Rajendra Chandra Sen, probationay Sub-Deputy Collector, Rangpur Sadar, is transferred to the Nilphamari subdivision of that district to work as Circle Officer.

This cancels this office notification No. 246J., dated the 17th January 1924, transferring Babu Badanya Kumar Roy to the Nilphamari subdivision to work as Circle Officer.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 22nd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 391J.—In this office notification No. 114J., dated the 10th January 1924, three weeks' leave on average pay was granted to Babu Digendra Prosad Nag, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Rajshahi. He was actually on leave from the 9th to the 17th instant, both days inclusive. The unexpired portion of the leave is hereby cancelled.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 23rd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1298R.G.—Babu Debnarain Mukherji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Ranaghat, Nadia, is granted leave on average pay, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for thirteen days from the 14th to the 26th January 1924.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1303R.G.—Babu Sachindra Nath Mitra, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, 24-Parganas, is granted leave on average pay, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for four days from the 18th to the 21st December 1923.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 301J.G.—Babu Makhan Lal Banerji, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Contai, Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for sixteen days under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules with effect from 4th February 1924, or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 26th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 436G.—Maulvi Fazlur Rahman No. II, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Chittagong, is transferred temporarily to Ramgarh subdivision, in the district of Chittagong Hill Tracts.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 26th January 1924.*

ERRATUM.

No. 111L.S.-G.—In this office notification No. 2274L.S.-G., dated the 6th November 1923, published at page 1763 of Part I of the 21st idem, *for* "Babu Gurupada Mukherjee" *read* "Babu Nibaran Chandra Chatterjee".

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 19th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 198J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of the rule 63 (*2*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Mr. Khetra Das Chatterji and re-appoint Babu Manmatha Nath Chatterjee to be non-official visitors of the Katwa subsidiary jail in the district of Burdwan for a period of two years.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 19th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 293J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*2*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby re-appoint Babu Satya Kinkar Banerji and appoint Rev. C. H. Archibald to be non-official visitors of the Asansol subsidiary jail in the district of Burdwan for a period of two years from the date of this notification.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 297J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*1*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Raja Moni Loll Singh Roy and Maulvi Mohammad Yasin, members of the Bengal Legislative Council, to be non-official visitors of the Burdwan District Jail for a period of one year from the date of this notification.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 25M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 15th March 1924, has been fixed as the date for holding a bye-election in Ward No. V of the Gobardanga Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to elect a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Shiba Das Rakhit, removed.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 21st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 207M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the general election held on the 7th January 1924, the following gentlemen were duly elected as Commissioners of the Nawabganj Municipality, in the district of Malda :—

Ward No.		Names.
I	...	1. Babu Joyram Gupta. 2. „ Debendranath Roy. 3. „ Panchanan Sinha.
II	...	4. Babu Gangacharan Dutt.
III	...	5. Muhammad Najmal Haque. 6. Muhammad Pear Bux.
IV	...	7. Muhammad Asaduzzaman Mia. 8. Muhammad Maniruddin Ahmed.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 23rd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 82M.—It is hereby notified for general information that in the by-election held on the 10th December 1923 in ward No. III of the Kalna Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, Babu Satya Kinkar Mukherjee was duly elected as a Commissioner in the place of Babu Bidhu Bhusan Chatterjee, resigned.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 26th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the 17th March 1924 is fixed for holding a by-election for electing a member of the Kushtia local board, in the district of Nadia, to represent thana Daulatpur, in place of Babu Sudhir Kumar Goswami, removed.

M. A. MOMEN, *District Magistrate.*

NADIA MAGISTRACY, KRISHNAGAR, *the 21st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 64L.S.-G.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I approve the election by the members of the local boards concerned, in the district of Jessore, of the following gentlemen to be Chairmen of the boards mentioned against their names :—

Name of local board.	Name of Chairman.
Sadar	... Babu Surendra Nath Haldar.
Narail	... Maulvi Waliar Rahman.
Bongaon	... Babu Prokash Chandra Prodhan.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN, CALCUTTA, *the 21st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 360J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, Babu Manomohan Basu Mazumdar has been duly elected to be a member of the Kendua union board, police-station Madaripur of the subdivision Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, in place of Babu Ras Behari Basu, deceased.

J. C. CHAUDHURI, *Personal Assistant* for *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 367J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Dulalpur union board in Shibpur police-station in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Nalini Kishore Roy.
2. Munshi Md. Maqub Ali Mridha.
3. „ Johar Ali.
4. „ Md. Ebadulla.
5. „ Gyasuddin Ahamed.
6. Babu Jadu Nath Das.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Munshi Sahabuddin Ahamed.
2. „ Aboo Yusuff Khan.
3. Babu Nibaran Chandra Gupta.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 23rd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 199M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Badarganj union committee, in the district of Rangpur, under section 40 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act :—

1. Munshi Kafiluddin Mia.
2. „ Azamuddin Sarkar.
3. „ Raj Mian Mondal.
4. Babu Chandra Mohan Bairagi.
5. „ Dina Bandhu Bhoumick.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the said union committee under section 41 of the Act :—

1. Munshi Jamiruddin Sirdar.
2. Babu Bepin Chandra Shaha.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 22nd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 211M.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 18 (*1*) (*c*) of the Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), as amended by Act V (B. C.) of 1908, Babu Sristidhar Kundu is removed from his office as a member of the Chatmohar union committee, in the district of Pabna.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 23rd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 378J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, Babu Munindra Chandra Mandal has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be a member of the Singair union board in Singair police station in the Manikganj subdivision of the district of Dacca, *vice* Babu Umesh Chandra Neogi, deceased.

J. C. CHAUDHURI, *Personal Assistant*, for *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 23rd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 104L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 39 of the rules for election and appointment of members of union boards made thereunder, Babu Ganga Gobinda De has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Burdwan to be a member of the Jahannagar union board in Purbasthali police-station in the Kalna subdivision of the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Sashi Bhusan De, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 18th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that the undermentioned candidates for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Pabna Muhammadan constituency have lodged their returns of expenses and the declarations in respect thereof on the dates shown against their names. The returns can be inspected in the office of the undersigned on payment of a fee of rupee one between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on office days :—

	Name of candidate.	Date of filing returns.
1.	Maulvi Syed Akbar Ali ...	... 9th January 1924.
2.	„ Abdul Gafur ...	... 15th „ „
3.	Khan Bahadur Wasimuddin Ahmed	... 17th „ „

D. K. MITTER, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

PABNA MAGISTRACY, *the 21st January 1924.*

NOTICE.

No. 371J.—It is hereby notified, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules, that Babu Surendra Chandra Ray Chaudhury, a duly nominated candidate for election to the Legislative Assembly from the Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions non-Muhammadan constituency of the Bengal Presidency, lodged his return of election expenses and declarations with the Returning Officer on the 10th day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the office of the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division on payment of a fee of Re. 1 in office hours.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*
and Returning Officer.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 22nd January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidate on the 10th January 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of rupee one only :—

Babu Surendra Nath Sen Gupta, Mymensingh East Non-Muhammadan Constituency.

J. R. BLAIR, for *Returning Officer and District Magistrate.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 22nd January 1924.*

NOTICE UNDER THE BENGAL ELECTORAL RULES.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal, Electoral Rules.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S. ... ... *President.*
Mr. Banamali Sen ... ... } *Commissioners.*
Rai Jadab Chandra Bhattacharji Bahadur ... }
In the matter of Babu Premhari Barma ... *Petitioner*

versus

1. Babu Jogindra Chandra Chakravarti ... } *Respondents.*
2. Srijut Tanka Nath Choudhuri ... ... }

To

1. Babu Jogindra Chandra Chakravarti Pleader, Dinajpur ... ... } *Respondents.*
2. Srijut Tanka Nath Choudhuri, Maldwar Lodge, Dinajpur ... ... }

Please take notice that abovementioned petition will be tried by the Commissioners on the 25th day of February 1924, at 11 o'clock, in the District Judge's Court-room at Dinajpur.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur, this 25th day of January 1924.

E. MILSOM, *President.*

Election petition under rule 32 of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Babu Premhari Barma ... ... *Petitioner*

versus

1. Babu Jogindra Chandra Chakravarti, Pleader, Dinajpur ... ... } *Respondents.*
2. Srijut Tanka Nath Choudhuri, Maldwar Lodge, Dinajpur ... ... }

The humble petition of Premhari Barma above mentioned

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH—

1. That your Excellency's petitioner is a pleader practising in the District Court of Dinajpur, while the respondent No. 1 Babu Jogindra Chandra Chakravarti, is another pleader and President of the Dinajpur Bar, and respondent No. 2. Srijut Tanka Nath Choudhuri is a zamindar of the district.

2. That during the last Bengal Council election, your Excellency's petitioner as well as the other two gentlemen stood as candidates from the Dinajpur non-Muhammadan constituency, the polls for which took place on 20th and 23rd of November 1923.

3. That the total number of electors for the said constituency aggregate over twenty-two thousand, out of which over thirteen thousand belong to the Kshatriya community, from which your petitioner comes as the first and the only pleader in the district.

4. That most of the votes of your petitioner's said community were assured for your petitioner, but owing to some very serious irregularities and gross violations of the Electoral Rules and Regulations, and malpractices, as indicated below, most of the votes for your petitioner could not be recorded, and many of his voters were turned away or broke off, while others were made to vote for respondent No. 1, who was known as the "Swarayya candidate," and who was ultimately declared the "returned candidate" on 28th November 1923.

5. That it may be specifically mentioned here that the Presiding Officers of almost all the different centres in the Thakurgaon subdivision, which was the stronghold of your petitioner, arbitrarily excluded all the polling agents of your petitioner and those of respondent No. 2 from the polling stations in the said subdivision, while the several agents of the respondent No. 1 were freely admitted in those centres, at some of which, again, the polling officers, instead of the presiding officers, made the cross marks for the illiterate voters, while others were made or misled to put the cross marks at the wrong place.

6. That at the above arbitrary action of the presiding officers, which, your petitioner submits, might be the result of a trick or manipulation in some quarter in favour of respondent No. 1, for whom there was apparently a combination at the local Bar, and who was being supported by the Swarayya party, myriads of voters, assembled to vote for your petitioner and the other rival candidate, went away out of sheer disgust and disappointment evidently false ideas created and circulated, while others, who could or did enter the polling stations, were easily made to vote for respondent No. 1—practically the only candidate thus left in the field.

7. That the above and other illegal acts done, and various other false and misleading statements, appeals, and advertisements circulated against your Excellency's petitioner and the other rival candidate and various threats used against those who voted or wanted to vote for them, with a view to capture votes for respondent No. 1, amounting to "corrupt practice," vitiated the whole election from the beginning to the end.

In these circumstances, your Excellency's petitioner most respectfully prays that your Excellency may be pleased to entertain this humble petition, and appoint the Court of Commissioners to try it, and upon their report, declare the election of the said returned candidate void, and your Excellency's petitioner duly elected instead, or direct a fresh election to take place, and award costs to this petitioner, or pass such other or further order or orders as to your Excellency may seem fit and proper.

And your Excellency's petitioner, as in duty bound, shall ever pray.

VERIFICATION.

I, Premhari Barma, petitioner abovemamed, do hereby declare that the matters and facts set out in paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and the first and the last clauses of paragraph 4 are true to my knowledge, while those in paragraphs 5, 6 and 7, and the intermediate clauses in paragraph 4 are true to the best of my information, which I believe to be true. I sign this verification, sitting at Vidyasagar College Hostel, No. 17, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta, this the 15th day of December 1923.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 19th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 19th January 1924.

No. 17-A. C.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Honourable Sir Benode Chandra Mitter, Kt., of his office of Member of the Council of State.

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 22nd January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 22nd January 1924.

No. 20.—A vacancy having occurred in the Council of State by reason of the acceptance by the Governor General of the resignation of his office by the Honourable Sir Robert Watson-Smyth, Kt., a Member elected to the said Council by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency, the Governor General is pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of sub-rule (*1*) of rule 26 of the Council of State Electoral Rules, to call upon the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency to elect, in accordance with the said rules, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy on or before the 7th February, 1924.

2. This Department's Notification No. 2, dated the 3rd January, 1924, is hereby cancelled.

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th January 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 17th January 1924.

No. 11.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by Mr. G. Morgan of his office of Member of the Legislative Assembly.

No. 12.—A vacancy having occurred in the Legislative Assembly by reason of the acceptance by the Governor General of the resignation of his office by Mr. George Morgan, a Member elected to the said Assembly by the Bengal (European) constituency, the Governor General is pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of sub-rule (*1*) of rule 26 of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules, to call upon the Bengal (European) constituency to elect, in accordance with the said Rules, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy on or before the 7th March 1924

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th January 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 14th January 1924.

No. F.-356—23.—With reference to the Home Department notification No. F.-137—23-Ests., dated the 5th June 1923, it is announced for general information that five appointments will be made to the Indian Civil Service as a result of the competitive examination being held at Allahabad this month, a sixth vacancy being kept in reserve to be filled, if necessary, by nomination, in accordance with the terms of paragraph 8 of the Home Department Resolution No. 2559 (Ests.), dated the 1st December 1920.

J. CRERAR,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 19th January 1924.

No. F.-868—22.—The following rules relating to premature retirement on proportionate pension, which were made on the 15th January 1924, by the Secretary of State in Council, in virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 96-B (*2*) and (*3*) of the Government of India Act, are published for general information.

2. The rules are in the main a reproduction in the form of Statutory rules of existing orders. Apart from amplifications and clarifications, the only changes of substance made in those orders are the following :—

(*i*) It has been made clear that the rules apply to members of the services specified, however and wherever they were appointed, but that previous service in a provincial or subordinate service cannot be counted for proportionate pension by officers promoted from such a service to an all-India service. (Second Schedule, paragraph 1.)

(*ii*) Passage gratuity is made admissible to officers who retired as the result of an application submitted while they were on leave out of India, if their leave commenced before the date of the issue of these rules. After that date passage-gratuity will—as was originally intended—be admissible only to an officer whose application is submitted while he is on duty in India. (Rule 3 (*2*).)

(*iii*) Provision has been made for the refund by instalments of passage-gratuity paid to officers who are subsequently permitted to return to duty. (Rule 11 (*8*).)

(*iv*) Conditions have been prescribed under which acceptance of further employment under the Crown may involve suspension or reduction of proportionate pension. (Rule 9.)

(*v*) The arrangements admissible in respect of family pensions of officers of the Indian Army in civil employ have been prescribed. (Rule 13.)

PREMATURE RETIREMENT ON PROPORTIONATE PENSION.

Rules under section 96-B (*2*) and (*3*), Government of India Act.

1.—(1) These rules may be called the Premature Retirement Rules.

(2) They shall be deemed to have come into force in respect of officers serving elsewhere than in Burma on the 8th November 1921, and in respect of officers serving in Burma on the 2nd January 1923.

2. Any officer whose active service as a member of one of the services specified in the First Schedule commenced before the 1st January 1920, and who is not permanently employed directly under the Governor General in Council, may be permitted by the Secretary of State in Council to retire under these rules :

Provided that no officer of the Indian Army in civil employ who has not been placed on the supernumerary list, and no officer of the Indian Medical Service who has completed less than 17 years' total service, shall be eligible to retire under these rules unless the competent military authorities are unable or unwilling to absorb him in military employment.

3.—(1) Every application for such permission shall be addressed in the first instance to the Local Government under which the officer is employed, and shall be accompanied by the following declaration, which shall be signed by the applicant :—

"In view of the changes in the conditions of my service occasioned by the Government of India Act, 1919, I desire to retire on the terms set forth in the rules relating to premature retirement."

(2) An application under this rule may be submitted by an officer while he is on leave out of India, and in that case, unless the Local Government considers his return to duty necessary before his application can be considered, the rules shall apply to him in the same manner as if his application had been submitted while on duty :

Provided that an officer who has made an application under this rule while he is on leave out of India and whose application is sanctioned by the Secretary of State in Council before his leave expires shall not, unless his leave commenced before the *19th January 1924*, be eligible for the gratuity described in rule 11, except to the extent admissible under sub-rule (*6*) of that rule.

4. On receipt of an application the Local Government shall forward it with their recommendations to the Governor General in Council, who shall transmit it with his recommendations to the Secretary of State in Council for orders.

5. An officer who has been permitted by the Secretary of State in Council to retire under these rules, or whose application has been forwarded by the Local Government to the Governor General in Council with a recommendation that his retirement be sanctioned, shall, unless the Local Government sees reason to the contrary, be permitted to avail himself, in anticipation of his retirement, of the full amount of leave which is due to him and which may be granted to him at one time (otherwise than on medical certificate) under the regulations for the time being in force and applicable to him :

Provided that if the Local Government considers that leave in anticipation of retirement should not be granted, or that less than the full amount of leave available under regulations for the time being in force should be granted, the proposal to withhold or reduce the leave applied for shall be submitted with the reasons therefor for the orders of the Secretary of State in Council.

6.—(1) The Local Government shall have discretion to fix the date on which leave granted under Rule 5 shall commence :

Provided that an officer who has been granted by the Secretary of State in Council permission to retire under these rules shall not be detained in India beyond the date on which he desires to leave unless his detention cannot be avoided without prejudice to the public interest.

(2) If the Local Government considers that suitable arrangements cannot be made for the relief of any officer at the date on which he desires to proceed on leave preparatory to retirement under these rules, it may, when forwarding his application to the Governor General in Council, recommend that the Secretary of State in Council should postpone the grant of permission and in that case shall specify the period during which such postponement should extend.

7. An officer who has submitted an application for permission to retire under these rules, and has been granted leave under Rule 5, shall not be at liberty to cancel his application and to return to duty without the consent of the Local Government under which he was employed.

8.—(1) An officer who has submitted an application for permission to retire under these rules may be permitted to take up other employment during the currency of his leave preparatory to retirement.

(2) Such permission may be granted by the Governor General in Council if the proposed employment lies in India, and by the Secretary of State in Council if the proposed employment lies elsewhere than in India :

Provided that an officer who has been granted permission to take up employment under this rule shall be precluded, save with the specific consent of the Secretary of State in Council, from withdrawing his request for permission to retire and from returning to duty in India.

(3) The Secretary of State in Council and the Governor-General in Council, as the case may be, hereby reserve to themselves the right to withhold permission to take up employment under this rule in cases where the employment appears to them to be such as could not with propriety be held by a person who is still in the service of the Crown in India ; or, alternatively, to grant the desired permission in any such case subject to such conditions or restrictions as they may think necessary.

9.—(1) The right of any officer to receive or retain a pension under the provisions of these rules is subject to the right of the Secretary of State in Council—

(*a*) to reduce or withhold any pension, if the past service of the applicant is not approved, or if the pensioner after retirement is convicted of serious crime or is guilty of grave misconduct ; and

(*b*) in cases where an officer obtains, prior to, or within two years from, the date of his retirement under these rules, other employment under the Crown, to suspend payment, wholly or in part, while the officer continues to be employed under the Crown, of the proportionate pension admissible under these rules.

(2) In cases where a proportionate pension is suspended wholly or in part under clause (*b*) of the preceding sub-rule, the services of the officer shall be transferred to the authority under which he is to be employed, on the understanding that on the termination of his employment under the Crown he shall have the option of receiving either (i) a pension in respect of his total service calculated under the rules made by the Treasury under section 7 (*1*), Superannuation Act, 1909, or (ii) a proportionate pension under these rules in respect of his Indian service together with such pension or pensionary award (if any) as he may earn under the rules of the authority re-employing him, in respect of his services under that authority :

Provided that if the department employing the officer does not consent to a pension calculated under the said Treasury Rules, or if the said Treasury Rules are inapplicable, the services of the officer shall be transferred on the understanding stated in the second alternative in the preceding paragraph.

(3) For the purposes of this rule, the expression "employment under the Crown" shall be deemed to include employment under the Governments of Crown Colonies, Protectorates, and territories mandated to the British Government, but does not include employment under the Government of a self-governing Dominion or a State in India, or under a Local Authority.

(4) A proportionate pension shall not be liable to suspension either wholly or in part under sub-rule (*1*) (*b*) of this rule unless the proportionate pension, when combined with the initial pay of the officer in his new appointment, would exceed the initial pay which he might have received under Rule 51 of the Fundamental Rules if his new employment had been on deputation from India.

10. Subject to the provisions of Rule 9, an officer who is granted by the Secretary of State in Council permission to retire under these rules shall be entitled, if he has completed less than five years' total service, to a gratuity equal to one month's pay (at the rate drawn by the applicant while last on duty before his retirement), multiplied by the number of completed months of total service at the officer's credit and divided by 12, and converted at the rate of 1*s*. 9*d*. per rupee ; and, if he has completed five years' total service to a pension of the amount shown in the Second Schedule.

11.—(1) In addition to the pension or gratuity referred to in Rule 10, any officer who has been permitted to retire under these rules (other than an officer who is entitled to the pension specified in the Second Schedule as the maximum pension admissible under the rules for the service to which he belongs, and where more than one method of calculating the pension is prescribed, for the method of calculation of the pension actually adopted) and who proceeds on retirement or on leave preparatory to retirement to some part of the British Empire intending to settle there permanently, shall, subject to the provisions of Rule 3 (2), be entitled to receive a gratuity equal to the cost of first-class fares and passages from the last place of his employment in India to his destination for himself, and for his wife and children if they were in India at the time of his proceeding on leave preparatory to retirement.

(2) For purposes of payment of this gratuity to officers proceedings to or *via* the United Kingdom, first class fares and passages, in the case of officers last employed in India, excluding Burma, shall be first-class steamer or railway fares to Bombay *plus* cost of first-class passage at B. rates by the P. and O. Steam Navigation Company to London (all sea route) ; and in the case of officers last employed in Burma, first-class railway

or steamer fares to Rangoon *plus* cost of first-class passage by the Bibby Line to London (all sea route); and, in both cases, railway fares from London to destination. These rates are payable irrespective of the line or class by which an officer or his family travels.

(3) Payment of the gratuity (excluding that portion representing railway fares from London, which shall be paid by the High Commissioner) shall be made by the Local Government concerned before the officer leaves India.

(b) A Local Government may at its discretion sanction the payment of a gratuity calculated as in sub-rules (1) and (2) of this rule but excluding the fares and passages of the officer himself, to the families of officers who are obliged by climatic or analogous reasons to leave later than the officer himself, or in advance of the officer but subsequent to the submission of his application to retire.

(5) An officer who applies in India for permission to retire and who is permitted to leave India in anticipation of the sanction of the Secretary of State in Council is eligible for the gratuity. In such cases, if the officer proceeds to the United Kingdom, the Local Government shall authorise the High Commissioner to make payment.

(6) Officers who apply to retire while on leave in England and whose families are in India at the time when their retirement was sanctioned by the Secretary of State in Council, shall receive a portion of the gratuity equal to the cost of first-class railway fares and passages for their families when the latter leave India.

(7) In no case shall a gratuity or any portion thereof be payable until the Secretary of State in Council has sanctioned the officer's retirement under these rules.

(8) The gratuity paid to an officer under this rule shall, in the event of his being permitted to return to duty in India, be refunded. Such refunds may be made by deductions of 36 equal monthly instalments from the officer's pay-bill, commencing with the first pay-bill drawn after return.

12.—(1) A member of the Indian Civil Service who retires under these rules may adopt at his option any one of the three following methods of retaining for his wife and children benefits admissible under the Indian Civil Service Family Pension Regulations, namely :—

(*a*) He may cease to make any contributions and payments under the regulations and shall then retain only the right to a proportion of the contingent benefits under the regulations for his wife and children existing on the date of retirement, and for any children subsequently born to that wife. This proportion shall be equal to the number of his completed years' total service divided by 25, and the calculation shall be based upon the pension admissible to the widow of an officer of the class to which he belonged at the time of his retirement.

(*b*) He may continue up to his 51st birthday to make contributions under the regulations at the rates payable by him at the date of retirement, and shall then retain the right to the full contingent benefits admissible under the regulations, according to his class on the date of his retirement, for his wife existing at the date of retirement, and for any children by her, whether born before or after retirement. Under this alternative subscriptions will be payable under the ordinary regulations for each child, whether born before or after retirement. In the event of the death of the wife, subscriptions at the bachelor rate appropriate to the subscriber's class on retirement will be payable until the age of 51.

(*c*) He may continue up to his 51st birthday to make contributions and payments under the regulations at the rates which would have been payable by him from time to time had he remained in the service. In that case he shall retain the full benefits admissible under the regulations as if he had remained in the service until death or retirement with an ordinary pension.

(2) The Secretary of State in Council shall make good to the Indian Civil Service Family Pension Fund under a suitable procedure any loss which may be estimated to be thrown upon it by the operation of this rule.

13.—(1) An officer of the Indian Army or of the Indian Medical Service who retire, under these rules may select any one of the three following 'options with regard to his subscriptions under the Indian Military Service Family Pension Regulations or to the Indian Military Widows' and Orphans' Fund :—

(*a*) He may continue to subscribe at the half rate of subscription under article 28 of the Indian Military Service Family Pension Regulations or Rule 32 of the Indian Military Widows' and Orphans' Fund; or if a married subscriber under the Indian Military Service Family Pension Regulations, he may withdraw, receiving the refund authorised by article 28. If he continues to subscribe he will retain the same rights to contingent benefits from the funds as if he had retired under the ordinary rules.

(*b*) He may cease to make any payments under the regulations except in so far as is provided by the last sentence of this clause and shall then retain the right to continuance of benefits at rates admissible under the regulations to the widow and children of an officer of the class to which he belonged at the date of retirement for his wife and children existing at that date and for any children subsequently born to that wife. Under this alternative any donation payable under the ordinary rules for any child born after retirement must, however, be paid by the officer if he desires to retain any right to contingent benefits for any such child.

(*c*) He may continue up to his 55th birthday to make payments under the Regulations at the full rates applicable to the class which he would have attained had he remained in the service until that date, and thereafter at half rates according to the class in which he is then subscribing. Any donation becoming due after age 55 will be payable in full as in the case of ordinary retirements. His wife and children will in this case be eligible for the full benefits appropriate to the class in which he is subscribing at the date of death.

(2) The Secretary of State in Council shall make good to the Indian Military Service Family Pension Scheme or the Indian Military Widows' and Orphans' Fund, as the case may be, any loss which may be estimated to be thrown upon them by the operation of this rule.

(3) The family of a military officer or of an officer of the Indian Medical Service who retires under these Rules shall retain their contingent rights to pensions under the Royal Warrant if the officer had on retirement completed 20 years' service. If such an officer is permitted to retire under these Rules after completing less than 20 years' service, the Secretary of State in Council shall, on the death of the officer, grant, subject to conditions identical with those laid down in the Royal Warrant (other than the condition requiring an officer to have completed 20 years' service in order to entitle his widow or children to pensions)—

to his widow, a yearly pension of 70*l.* divided by 20 and multiplied by a figure corresponding to the number of years' total service completed by the officer at the date of his retirement; and

to each child, a pension of 16*l.* divided by 20 and multiplied by a figure as aforesaid or, in the case of a motherless child, a pension of 25*l.* divided by 20 and multiplied by a figure as aforesaid.

14. An officer awarded a proportionate pension may be permitted to commute a portion of his pension, not exceeding one-third of the whole unless in the opinion of the sanctioning authority (the local Government under which the officer was last employed for an officer who draws his pension directly or indirectly from Indian Treasuries, and the High Commissioner in all other cases) there are exceptional reasons for refusing sanction to the application in whole or in part. If the sanctioning authority considers that such reasons exist, the case shall be referred for the decision of the Secretary of State in Council.

15. An officer in Europe desirous of commuting shall make application in writing to the High Commissioner for India, stating his desire so to commute, and furnishing information as to his age and the reasons on which he bases his request. Permission to commute in sterling will not ordinarily be granted by the High Commissioner to an officer residing only temporarily out of India. Commutation in his case will ordinarily be dealt with by the authorities in India.

16. If the High Commissioner for India approves the commutation, the officer shall be so informed and his application shall be referred to the Medical Board at the India office.

17. The Board shall require the officer to give such information as to his health and habits as is usual in the case of persons proposing to assure their lives in assurance companies, and he shall be required to submit himself for personal examination by the Board at the Indian office.

18. An officer residing in a Dominion or Colony (other than those whose accounts are adjusted direct with Indian Treasuries) and desirous of commuting will be required to follow a procedure similar to that in the case of an officer residing in Europe, except that he shall apply to the High Commissioner for India through the official from whom he draws his pension. If the application is approved the officer shall be informed accordingly, and a special civil medical board will be assembled under the orders of the local Colonial Government.

The Medical Board shall report in the following form :—

"We have carefully examined and are of opinion that he is (or is not) in good bodily health, and has (or has not) the prospect of an average duration of life. We therefore (or do not) recommend compliance with his application to be allowed to capitalise a portion of his pension."

In the case of impaired lives in which compliance with the officer's application is recommended, but with an addition of years of age, the following shall be added :—"but as he is suffering his age for purposes of commutation should be taken to be years."

19. The basis of commutation, subject to an addition of years of age in the case of impaired lives, shall be the following table, the age of the officer being reckoned at the age he will attain on the birthday next succeeding the date upon which the capitalised sum will become payable :—

Age next Birthday.	Number of Years' Purchase.	Age next Birthday.	Number of Years' Purchase.	Age next Birthday.	Number of Years' Purchase.
21	14·376	41	12·413	61	8·728
22	14·297	42	12·275	62	8·503
23	14·218	43	12·131	63	8·275
24	14·139	44	11·982	64	8·046
25	14·058	45	11·828	65	7·815
26	13·975	46	11·669	66	7·583
27	13·892	47	11·505	67	7·351
28	13·807	48	11·336	68	7·118
29	13·720	49	11·162	69	6·886
30	13 631	50	10·983	70	6·654
31	13·542	51	10·799	71	6·423
32	13·449	52	10·611	72	6·194
33	13·352	53	10·417	73	5·967
34	13·250	54	10·218	74	5·742
35	13·145	55	10·018	75	5·520
36	13 035	56	9·812	76	5·300
37	12·920	57	9·602	77	5·084
38	12·800	58	9·388	78	4·872
39	12 676	59	9·171	79	4·664
40	12·547	60	8·951	80	4·460

NOTE 1.—*These rates are subject to modification by the Secretary of State in Council from time to time.*

NOTE 2.—*In order to ensure payment at the rate shown for any specified age, it is essential that the application to commute should reach the High Commissioner's Office at least one month before the date on which the applicant will attain that age.*

20. When commutation has been sanctioned by the High Commissioner the applicant shall be informed accordingly, and shall have the option of withdrawing his application within one week after receiving notice.

21. If the applicant does not withdraw his application within that period, the decision shall be considered final, the commutation of pension shall become absolute, and payment will be made forthwith, payment of the commuted portion of the pension thereupon ceasing.

22. The capitalised sum shall be payable in India if the commutation is effected there; in all other cases it shall be payable in England. When commutation of a sterling pension is effected in India by officers residing temporarily in that country the commutation shall be on the basis of the current rate of exchange, the rate adopted being the rate of exchange for telegraphic transfers from Calcutta on London on the 20th of the month preceding that in which the capitalised sum is paid.

23. The commutation of the proportionate pension of an officer, who draws his pension directly or indirectly from Indian Treasuries shall be governed by the rules contained in the Third Schedule.

FIRST SCHEDULE (*See* Rule 2.)

Services to Members of which these Rules apply.

(i) The Indian Civil Service.
(ii) The Indian Police Service.
(iii) The Indian Forest Service.
(iv) The Indian Educational Service.
(v) The Indian Agricultural Service.
(vi) The Indian Service of Engineers.
(vii) The Indian Veterinary Service.
(viii) Officers of the Indian Medical Service in civil employ.
(ix) Officers of the Indian Army or other officers holding posts other than listed posts borne on the provincial cadres of any of the above-mentioned services.

SECOND SCHEDULE (*See* Rule 10).

1. (*a*) The letter 'N' in the following paragraphs shall be deemed to represent the number of years' active service in one or more of the services specified in the first schedule, or in a service which has been merged in one of those services or in military employ, at the credit of an officer at the time of his retirement *plus* one-twelfth for each completed month of such service in excess of the completed years :

Provided that previous military service of officers first appointed during or after the Great War to one of the services specified shall not be counted as active service for the purposes of these rules :

Provided further that service rendered by an officer which would not be reckoned as qualifying service in calculating his ordinary retiring pension or annuity shall not be counted as active service for the purposes of these rules.

(*b*) Active service shall, for this purpose, be interpreted in the same way as active service for the purpose of pension in Article 8 of the Civil Service Regulations, war leave being treated for the purpose of these rules as privilege leave.

(*c*) In the case of an officer who, before entering upon service in India, was employed under His Majesty's Government elsewhere than in India, and whose service elsewhere than in India has already been accepted as qualifying for a combined pension under the rules made by the Treasury under section 7 (1), Superannuation Act, 1909, the service elsewhere than in India which counts for such combined pension shall be included in the period of active service.

2. Pensions expressed in rupees in this schedule shall be converted at the minimum rate of 1*s.* 9*d.* per rupee, subject to the conditions stated in Article 936 of the Civil Service Regulations, or in any rule which may be substituted therefor.

3. The pension admissible to an officer who is permitted to retire under these rules shall be as follows :—

(*a*) To an officer of the Indian Civil Service, £ $\frac{N}{21}$ × 1,000, subject to a maximum of 1,000*l.* a year :

Provided that whenever the sum of Rs. 10,666 10. 8 exceeds 1,000*l.* in value, that sum shall be substituted for 1,000*l.* in both places where it occurs in this clause, and the pension shall be recalculated accordingly.

(*b*) To an officer of the Indian Army in civil employ, £ $\frac{N}{25}$ × 800, subject to a maximum of 800*l.* a year :

Provided that the proportionate pension of an officer of the Indian Army in civil employ who is granted after the 19th January 1924 permission to retire under these rules shall be subject to revision, in the same manner as the ordinary maximum pension of 800*l.* of a Lieut.-Colonel of the Indian Army, in accordance with the provisions of Army Instruction, India, No. 448, dated the 29th June 1920.

(*c*) To an officer of the Indian Medical Service in civil employ—

(i) if of less than 17 years' total service, £ $\frac{N}{14}$ × 400 subject to a maximum of 400*l.* a year ;

(ii) if of more than 17 years' total service, the pension admissible under ordinary regulations :

Provided that the proportionate pension of an officer of the Indian Medical Service in civil employ who is granted after the 19th January 1924 permission to retire under these rules shall be subject to revision, in the same manner as the ordinary pension of 400*l.* of an officer of the Indian Medical Service after 17 years' service for pension, in accordance with the provisions of Army Instructions, India, Nos. 442 and 448, dated the 29th June 1920.

(*d*) To all other officers (other than members of the Women's Branch of the Indian Educational Service) to whom these rules apply Rs $\frac{N}{26}$ × 7,500, subject to a maximum of Rs. 6,000 a year ; provided that any officer referred to in this clause who has earned an additional pension under Article 475A of the Civil Service Regulations, whether he has or has not completed the 28 years' qualifying service required by that Article, may at his option be granted in lieu of the pension specified in the said clause a pension calculated as follows, namely, Rs. $\frac{N}{20}$ × 6,000 subject to maximum of Rs. 6,000 a year *plus* any additional pension earned under Article 475A of the Civil Service Regulations, subject to an aggregate maximum of Rs. 8,500 a year.

(*e*) To members of the Women's Branch of the Indian Educational Service, Rs. $\frac{N}{28}$ × 5,000 subject to a maximum of Rs. 5,000 a year.

4. Any officer to whom the provisions of Articles 403, 404, and 404A of the Civil Service Regulations apply and who is permitted to retire under these rules shall be permitted to deduct from the divisor 26 and 22 in the fraction specified in clauses (*d*) and (*e*), respectively, of paragraph 3 of this schedule a number equal to the number of years which he would be entitled to deduct from his age if he were retiring on superannuation pension.

THIRD SCHEDULE (*See* Rule 23).

1.—(1) The rules contained in this Schedule apply only to pensioners drawing pensions directly or indirectly from Indian Treasuries.

(2) Pensioners residing in Colonies having an account-current with the Accountant General, Central Revenues, who draw their pensions from the local Treasuries, the amounts being subsequently adjusted in the books of the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, shall be treated for the purpose of these rules as drawing their pension indirectly from Indian Treasuries.

2. Subject to the conditions stated in these rules, a Local Government may sanction the commutation for a lump payment of a portion not exceeding one-third of the proportionate pension which has been or is about to be granted to any officer serving in its jurisdiction.

3. The incidence of the commutation payment shall in all cases follow that of the pension, and the commuted amo nt shall be made payable at the Treasury at which the pension is being or is to be drawn. If a pensioner who has obtained commutation of a portion of his pension transfers himself thereafter to another province, a note shall be made on the Pension Payment Order as to the amount of pension which has been commuted.

4. Application for commutation shall be made in Form A appended to these rules.

5.—(*a*) If on consideration of the facts stated in the application the Local Government decides to allow commutation, the applicant shall be required to produce a certificate as to his expectation of life, from a medical officer of standing not lower than that of a Civil Surgeon, District Medical Officer or Presidency Surgeon. The Local Government may further, at its discretion, require a second medical opinion or direct the applicant to appear before a Medical Board.

(*b*) The certifying Surgeon or Board shall subject the applicant to a strict medical examination, requiring him to give such information as to his health and habits as is usual in the case of persons proposing to assure their lives in assurance companies, and shall report in the following form :—

"I/We have carefully examined.....and am/are of opinion that he/she/is/is not in good bodily health and has/has not the prospect of an average duration of life.

I/We therefore, do/do not recommend compliance with his application to be allowed to capitalise a portion of his pension.

In the case of impaired lives in which compliance with the officer's application is recommended, but with an addition of years of age, the following shall be added :—

"but as he is suffering from.....his age, for purposes of commutation, should be taken to be.....years."

(*c*) The applicant shall himself pay the medical officer's fee for examination except when a second medical opinion is required or the applicant is directed to appear before a Medical Board.

6. The lump sum payable on commutation shall be the amount certified by the Audit Officer to be admissible according to the table of present values appended to this Schedule. This amount may be intimated, at the discretion of the Local Government, to the applicant for definite acceptance or rejection, within specified period before final sanction to commutation issues.

7. Commutation, when sanctioned, shall take effect from a date, to be named in the order, which shall ordinarily be one month later than the date of the order; and all calculations shall be made with reference to that date. Payment of the commuted portion of the pension will cease from the date specified and the sum payable on commutation will be paid on that date or as soon afterwards as possible.

8 A commutation once applied for, sanctioned and given effect to, shall not be rescinded, that is to say, the portion of a pension commuted shall not be restored on refund of its capitalised value.

9. If a pensioner whose pension has been commuted dies on or after the date from which the commutation is to take effect under Rule 8, but before he receives the commutation value, this value shall be paid to his heirs.

10. In the case of a pensioner who is re-employed in Government service or in the service of a Local Fund, and who commutes a portion of his pension before or after such re-employment, the amount which the pensioner is entitled to draw under the rules in Chapter XXI of the Civil Service Regulations shall be the amount to which he would have been entitled under those rules had there been no commutation, less the amount commuted.

APPENDIX. (*See* Rule 4 of this Schedule.)

FORM.

I....., desire to commute a portion of my proportionate pension of Rs..... As..... Ps.....a month. After careful consideration I am convinced that it will be to the distinct and permanent advantage of myself and my family to apply, as I am resolved to do, the commuted value in the manner detailed in separate signed statement I have attached hereto. I also certify that I have correctly answered each and all of the questions below.

Signature.....

Place.....

Designation.. .....

Dated.....

Address.....

Questions	Answers.
1. What is the date of your birth ?	
2. How much of your pension do you wish to commute ?	
3. Have you any debts or liabilities ? Give particulars.	
4. Have you a wife ? Name the members of your family dependent on you, with their respective ages.	
5. What was your monthly income from all sources during the past year ? Give particulars.	
6. Do you suffer from any complaint likely to shorten life. If so, state its nature ?	

Place..... *Signature*.....

Dated.....

APPENDIX II. (*See* Rule 6.)

TABLE OF PRESENT VALUES OF A MONTHLY PENSION OF 1 RUPEE FOR LIFE.

Nearest exact age.	Present value of a monthly pension of one rupee for life.	Nearest exact age	Present value of a monthly pension of one rupee for life.
25	175·5	53	117·5
26	174·0	54	114·8
27	172·4	55	112·2
28	170·7	56	109·4
29	169 1	57	106·7
30	167·4	58	103·8
31	165·6	59	101·0
32	163·8	60	98·1
33	162·0	61	95·1
34	160·1	62	92·1
35	158·2	63	89·1
36	156 3	64	86·0
37	154·3	65	82·9
38	152·3	66	79·8
39	150·2	67	76·6
40	148·1	68	73·5
41	146·0	69	70·4
42	143·8	70	67·2
43	141·6	71	64·2
44	139·4	72	61·1
45	137·1	73	58·1
46	134·8	74	55·2
47	132·4	75	52·2
48	130 0	76	49·4
49	127·6	77	46·7
50	125·1	78	44·0
51	122·6	79	41·4
52	120·1	80	38·9

NOTE.—The foregoing rates are subject to modification from time to time

JUDICIAL.

The 17th January 1924.

No. D.-801—C.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice G. C. Rankin, Barrister-at-Law, having been placed on deputation, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Government of India Act, section 105, sub-section (*3*), to appoint Mr. A. J. Chotzner, I.C.S., to act as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal with effect from the date on which he takes his seat, during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice G. C. Rankin, or until further orders.

H. TONKINSON,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications issued by the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Labour, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th January 1924, are republished for general information :—

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 14th January 1924.

No. M.-100.—Mr. N. Barraclough, B. Sc., is appointed Junior Inspector of Mines in India on probation with effect from the 31st December 1923.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

TELEGRAPHS.

The 19th January 1924.

No. 51-P.T.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct

that the following further amendment shall be made in the rules issued with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry No. 6975-157, dated the 16th September 1909, namely :—

1. For rule 36 of the said rules, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"36. The following persons shall be entitled to send State telegrams, subject to the conditions noted against each :—

(*a*) All officials of the British Government, except those who are on leave provided that the telegrams sent by them relate solely to the business of the British Government.

(*b*) The Registrars of the Universities of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Allahabad, Patna, Rangoon, Delhi and the Punjab, provided that the telegrams sent by them relate solely to the business of the University.

(*c*) The Presidents of the District Educational Councils in the Madras Presidency and their Secretaries, provided that the telegrams sent by them relate solely to the business of the Council.

(*d*) The Astronomer in charge of the G. V. Juggarao Observatory, Vizagapatam, provided that the telegrams sent by him relate solely to the business of the Observatory.

(*e*) The Chairman of the Board of Trustees for the European Hospitals for mental diseases at Ranchi and the Superintendent of the said Hospital, provided that the telegrams sent by them relate solely to the business of the Hospital.

(*f*) The Secretary of the Indian Central Cotton Committee provided that the telegrams sent by him relate solely to the business of the Committee."

A. H. LEY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 24th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 24th January 1924.

No. 25.—A vacancy having occurred in the Council of State by reason of the acceptance by the Governor General of the resignation of his office by the Honourable Sir Benode Chandra Mitter, Kt., a Member elected to the said Council by the West Bengal (Non-Muhammadan) constituency, the Governor General is pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of rule 26 of the Council of State Electoral Rules, to call upon the West Bengal (Non-Muhammadan) constituency to elect, in accordance with the said Rules, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy on or before the 10th March, 1924.

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the Senior Muhammadan Educational Fund Settlement Scholarships (now known as the "Jack Muhammadan Settlement Scholarships) attached to the University of Dacca, of the value of Rs. 90 each per annum, are awarded to the following students :—

1.	Afazuddin Mia	...	... 1st year B. Sc. Class.
2.	Mahmudur Rahman	...	... 1st year B. A. class (Honours in Islamic Studies).

2. The scholarships are tenable at Dacca University for two years with effect from the 1st of June 1923.

3. The scholars must reside in the Muslim Hall, Dacca University.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1C.T.B.C.—It is hereby notified for general information that text-books other than those on Hygiene and Sanitation, prepared in accordance with the revised curriculum for primary schools, published with Government (General Department) notification No. 1605Edn.. dated the 16th October 1920, for use in primary schools both in Eastern Bengal and Western Bengal for 1925; text-books for primary schools under the old Western Bengal Vernacular curriculum; and text-books for secondary schools in Western Bengal, will be received in the office of the undersigned up to the 20th February 1924. Text-books on Hygiene and Sanitation should as usual be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, on or before the same date.

No book will be accepted unless accompanied by a prescribed form of application for submission of books to the Text-book Committee and submitted in five copies. Only such books as represent a high standard of production will be considered.

T. O. D. DUNN, *Secretary, Calcutta Text-Book Committee.*

40-1A, FREE SCHOOL STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 12th January 1924.*

Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca.

NOTIFICATION.

EXAMINATIONS, 1924.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the ensuing examinations to be conducted by the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca, will be held on Wednesday and Monday, the 5th and the 17th March 1924, respectively, and the following days, in the order given below :—

Date.	Day.	Subject.	Time.
High School Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th "	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu / Alternative English paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
8th "	Saturday	Mathematics (Compulsory)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Hygiene / Drawing and Practical Geometry	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
10th "	Monday	Mathematics (Additional)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mechanics	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th "	Tuesday	History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
12th "	Wednesday	General Science	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Supplementary Matriculation Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th "	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian (Compulsory)	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
8th "	Saturday	Mathematics (Compulsory)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian (Additional)	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
10th "	Monday	Mathematics (Additional)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mechanics	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th "	Tuesday	History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Intermediate Examination in Group "A" (Arts).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	English Literature, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English Literature, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	History, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		History, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Economics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Economics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th "	Tuesday	Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
26th "	Wednesday	Logic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Logic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Intermediate Examination in Group "B" (Science).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	Botany, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Botany, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	Physics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Physics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Geography, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Intermediate Examination in Group "C" (Islamic studies).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Islamic History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	Fiqh and Usul	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Hadis and Tafsir	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Koran and Kalam	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic Logic	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Arabic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th "	Tuesday	Arabic, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Date.	Day.	Subject.	Time.
Intermediate Examination in Group "D" (Dyeing).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	Principles of Dyeing (Theoretical)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	Physics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Physics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Dyeing (Practical)	From 10 A.M.
25th "	Tuesday		
Intermediate Examination in Group "E" (Commerce).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	Commercial Correspondence, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Commercial Correspondence, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	History, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		History, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Economics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Economics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Geography, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th "	Tuesday	Shorthand (1 hour)	From 10 A.M.
		Book-keeping	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Supplementary Intermediate Examination in Arts.			
17th March	Monday	English, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	History, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		History, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Geography, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th "	Tuesday	Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
26th "	Wednesday	Logic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Logic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Supplementary Intermediate Examination in Science.			
17th March	Monday	English, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	Physics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Physics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
High Madrasah Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th "	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Logic	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
8th "	Saturday	Mathematics	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Kalam	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
10th "	Monday	Arabic (Compulsory)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic (Additional)	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th "	Tuesday	Islamic History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Fiqh	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

Date.	Day.	Subject	Time.
Supplementary Special Islamic Matriculation Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th "	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu (1 hour paper)	10 A.M to 11 A.M.
		Logic (2 hours paper)	2 P.M to 4 P.M.
8th "	Saturday	Mathematics	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Kalam (2 hours paper)	2 P.M. to 4 P.M.
10th "	Monday	Arabic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic, 2nd paper	2 P.M to 5 P.M.
11th "	Tuesday	Islamic History (2 hours paper)	10 A.M. to 12 noon.
		Fiqh (2 hours paper)	2 P.M. to 4 P.M.
Supplementary Islamic Intermediate Examination.			
17th March	Monday	English, 3rd paper (2 hours paper)	10 A.M. to 12 noon.
18th "	Tuesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Islamic History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	Fiqh and Usul	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Hadis and Tafsir	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Koran and Kalam	10 A.M to 1 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Arabic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic, 2nd paper	2 P.M to 5 P.M.
25th "	Tuesday	Arabic, 3rd paper	10 A.M to 1 P.M.

No examination will be held on Fridays, the 7th and 21st and Sundays, the 9th and 23rd March 1924.

The centres for the High Madrasah and Supplementary Special Islamic Matriculation Examinations are Dacca, Chittagong, Chinsura and Serajganj. All other examinations will be held only at Dacca.

The dates for the Oral Test in English for the Intermediate Examinations will be notified later.

K. AHMED, *Secretary* (*offg.*).

DACCA, *the 12th January 1924.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

IT is hereby announced for general information that Daulatpur, in the district of Khulna, is created a centre for holding the B. A. Examination, 1924, on usual conditions.

By order of the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate,

N. SEN, *Controller of Examinations* (*offg.*).

SENATE HOUSE, *the 21st January 1924.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION No. Mis. N. 90.

Erratum.

IN the notification No. Mis. N. 84, dated the 28th November 1923, in which the list of text-books prescribed and recommended for Law Examinations for 1925 and 1926 was published, *read* Chapters I to XXI *for* Chapter I, XXI in the paragraph "Constitutional Law—Chalmers and Asquith, etc."

J. C. GHOSH, *Registrar*.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 25th January 1924.*

Departmental Examinations of Training Schools, Session 1923.

THE undermentioned candidates have passed the Departmental Examinations of Training Schools, Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, held in December 1923 :—

Second Departmental Examination.

No.	Name of Candidate.	Age.		Name of School.
		Yrs.	M.	
	High (2).			
	(Arranged in order of merit.)			
1	Lambodar Mandal	... 18	3	Hooghly Training School.
2	Nirod Baran Karmakar	... 21	0	Calcutta Training School.
	Medium (42).			
	(Arranged alphabetically.)			
1	Abdul Roffique Molla	... 13	9	Hooghly Training School.
2	Adhikari, Nilkantha*	... 20	2	Ditto.
3	Akanda, Ahmed Ali	... 18	0	Calcutta Training School.
4	Baroi, Ananda Kumar	... 19	3	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
5	,, Sashi Kumar	... 23	0	Private (Krishnagar).
6	Bhunia, Gunadhar	... 21	0	Calcutta Training School.
7	Biswas, Amrita Lal	... 18	0	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
8	,, Upendra Nath	... 21	8	Hooghly Training School.
9	Chakravartty, Baidya Nath	... 17	7	Ditto.
10	Chatterjee, Dinabandhu*	... 25	0	Ditto.
11	Chowdhury, Bhupati Bhusan	... 17	9	Ditto.
12	,, Sankar Prasad	... 16	10	Ditto.
13	,, Upendra Nath	... 17	9	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
14	Das, Charu Chandra	... 19	0	Calcutta Training School.
15	,, Iswar Chandra	... 22	6	Hooghly Training School.
16	,, Khudiram	... 19	0	Calcutta Training School.
17	,, Probhat Kumar	... 19	3	Hooghly Training School.
18	Ghosh, Bhola Nath	... 17	11	Ditto.
19	,, Nagendra Nath	... 19	0	Calcutta Training School.
20	Ghosal, Ramendra Sundar	... 19	0	Ditto.
21	Giri, Haradhan	... 22	4	Private (Hooghly).
22	Halsana, Surendra Nath	... 19	3	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
23	Khanra, Nalini Kanta	... 22	0	Calcutta Training School.
24	Maiti, Gobinda Chandra	... 19	0	Calcutta Training School.
25	,, Hemanta Kumar	... 20	0	Ditto.
26	Mandal, Md. Hamizuddin	... 20	0	Ditto.
27	,, Radhika Nath	... 20	4	Hooghly Training School.
28	,, Satya Kumar	... 21	0	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
29	,, Surjya Kanta	... 20	0	Calcutta Training School.
30	,, Tribhanga Murari	... 22	10	Hooghly Training School.
31	Manna, Hari Krishna	... 16	4	Ditto.
32	Misra, Harish Chandra	... 18	0	Calcutta Training School.
33	Mullick, Md. Nabiruddin	... 19	0	Ditto.
34	Parui, Sukhi Charan	... 19	0	Ditto.
35	Paul, Sambhu Nath	... 15	11	Hooghly Training School
36	Purkait, Munshadas	... 21	0	Calcutta Training School.
37	Sahu, Upendra Nath	... 20	0	Ditto.
38	Samanta, Nritya Gopal*	... 17	9	Hooghly Training School.
39	Santra, Bepin Behari	... 20	0	Calcutta Training School.
40	Sardar, Mofizuddin	... 22	10	Hooghly Training School.
41	Sasmal, Bhola Nath	... 20	0	Calcutta Training School.
42	Shaha, Giridhar*	... 23	0	Hooghly Training School.
		...		
	Low (12).			
1	Chakravartty, Bhaba Taran	... 20	0	Calcutta Training School.
2	Hudait, Basantakumar	... 18	2	Hooghly Training School.
3	Kar, Jogendra Nath	... 23	0	Private (Calcutta).
4	Mandal, Kalipada*	... 17	1	Hooghly Training School.
5	Md. Abdul Majid*	... 23	0	Calcutta Training School.
6	Md. Karimbox	... 19	9	Hooghly Training School.
7	Pain, Tripura Charan*	... 17	11	Ditto.
8	Panja, Gobinda Prasad	... 22	0	Private (Calcutta).
9	Pradhan, Arjun Chandra	... 18	0	Calcutta Training School.
10	Ray, Ram Satya*	... 18	0	Ditto.
11	Samanta, Nimai Charan	... 24	0	Private (Calcutta).
12	Sardar, Rahim Buksh	... 19	0	Calcutta Training School.

* Not passed in English.

First Departmental Examination.

No.	Name of Candidate.	Age.		Name of School.
	High (3).			
	(Arranged in order of merit.)			
		YRS.	M.	
1	Madan Mohan Panda	... 17	3	Hooghly Training School.
2	Debendra Nath Das	... 16	4	Calcutta Training School.
3	Shashi Bhusan Maiti	... 23	3	Hooghly Training School.
	Medium (41).			
	(Arranged alphabetically)			
1	Bag, Sudhansu Sekhar	... 16	1	Calcutta Training School.
2	Bala, Sarat Chandra	... 20	1	Ditto.
3	Biswas, James Nolini K.	... 18	0	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
4	Bhuinya, Jyotish Chandra	... 15	6	Hooghly Training School.
5	Chatterjee, Sudhir Kumar	... 16	6	Calcutta Training School.
6	Chiard, Ajit Kumar	... 16	2	Ditto.
7	Das, Surendra Nath	... 23	0	Private (Krishnagar).
8	Dhali, Ram Chandra	... 17	0	Calcutta Training School.
9	Gayen, Haripada	... 17	0	Ditto.
10	Ghosh, Basanta Kumar	... 17	9	Hooghly Training School.
11	„ Roghu Nath	... 20	0	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
12	Haldar, Manindra Nath	... 17	4	Calcutta Training School
13	Haneda, Benjamin	... 16	6	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
14	Jana, Surendra Nath	... 17	11	Calcutta Training School.
15	Kazi, Niranjan	... 23	0	Krishnagar C. M S. Training School.
16	Kor, Jagannath	... 26	7	Calcutta Training School.
17	Koyal, Astik Mani	... 19	0	Ditto.
18	Maiti, Nagendra Nath	... 17	2	Ditto.
19	Mahato, Sarat Chandra	... 17	0	Hooghly Training School.
20	Mandal, Aswini Kumar*	... 19	2	Ditto.
21	„ Bastulla	... 20	11	Calcutta Training School.
22	„ Bibhudan	... 18	0	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School
23	„ Debendra Prasad*	... 19	9	Hooghly Training School.
24	„ Hem Taran*	... 17	11	Ditto.
25	„ Nalini Kanta	... 20	9	Calcutta Training School.
26	„ Nathaniel	... 19	0	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
27	Mandal, Nitya Prosad	... 17	4	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
28	Misra, Bibhuti Bhusan*	... 16	0	Hooghly Training School.
29	Narasundar, Monomohan	... 15	11	Ditto.
30	Nath Banka Behari	... 17	0	Calcutta Training School.
31	Paria, Sripati Charan	... 16	10	Ditto.
32	Patra, Bhuban Chandra*	... 21	8	Hooghly Training School.
33	„ Joy Gopal*	... 18	10	Ditto.
34	Purkait, Makhan Lal	... 16	2	Ditto.
35	„ Nakul Krishna	... 19	6	Calcutta Training School.
36	Rahman, Mujibar	... 15	5	Ditto.
37	Sarkar, Mansur Ali	... 18	2	Ditto.
38	Sinha Mahapatra, Nabagopal	... 15	7	Hooghly Training School.
39	Todu, Fakir Chandra*	... 15	3	Ditto.
40	„ Fudan	... 19	0	Krishnagar C. M S. Training School.
41	Upadhyay, Chandi Charan*	... 15	6	Calcutta Training School.
	Low (12).			
1	Haldar, Jyotish Chandra	... 17	2	Hooghly Training School.
2	Kumbhakar, Gour Chandra*	... 15	10	Ditto.
3	Mandal, Atul Krishna	... 16	4	Calcutta Training School.
4	„ Sambhupada	... 15	1	Hooghly Training School.
5	„ Moyezuddin*	... 15	0	Ditto.
6	Mia, Saberali	... 16	0	Krishnagar C. M. S. Training School.
7	Moslem, Sheikh	... 17	0	Hooghly Training School.
8	Paul, Amulya Ratan	... 18	5	Ditto.
9	Purkait, Haripada*	... 21	4	Ditto.
10	Roy, Shyama Pada	... 18	7	Ditto.
11	Samanta, Benode Behari	... 17	6	Calcutta Training School.
12	Sardar, Mohendra Nath*	... 22	11	Hooghly Training School.

* Not passed in English.

CHINTA HARAN CHAKRAVARTTY,
Principal, David Hare Training College (offg.).

CALCUTTA, *the 26th January 1924.*

BOARD OF INTERMEDIATE AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, DACCA.

NOTIFICATION.

Special Scholarships.

THE following students are awarded the above scholarships on the results of the Special Islamic Matriculation Examination, 1923, conducted by the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca. The scholarships take effect from 1st of July 1923, and are tenable for two years.

(Principals of Islamic Intermediate Colleges are requested to report to the Secretary to the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca, the names of holders of scholarships. No scholarship can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship-holder):—

Four Scholarships of Rs. 12 a month each.

1.	Abul Farh Muhammad Abdul Huq ...	Dacca Madrasah.
2.	Muhammad Yusuf Sherajuddin Ahmed	Chittagong Madrasah.
3.	Shoikh Abdur Rahim ...	Hooghly Madrasah.
4.	Abul Faiz Muhammad Nurul Huda ...	Husamiah Madrasah, Comilla.

K. AHMED, *Secretary* (*offg.*).

DACCA, *the 15th January 1924.*

BOARD OF INTERMEDIATE AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, DACCA.

NOTIFICATION.

Special Stipends.

THE following students are awarded the above stipends on the results of the Special Islamic Matriculation Examination, 1923, conducted by the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca. The stipends take effect from 1st of July 1923, and are tenable for two years.

(Principals of Islamic Intermediate Colleges are requested to report to the Secretary to the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca, the names of holders of stipends. No stipend can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every stipend-holder):—

Six stipends of Rs. 8 a month each.

1.	Muhammad Abdul Awwal	Dacca Madrasah.
2.	Sheikh Habibur Rahman	Hooghly Madrasah.
3.	Abdul Majid	Husamiah Madrasah, Comilla.
4.	Abul Quasem	Chittagong Madrasah.
5.	Muhammad Abdul Ghafur	Dacca Madrasah.
6	Mohiuddin Ahmed	Ahmedia Senior Madrasah, Noakhali.

K. AHMED, *Secretary* (*offg.*).

DACCA *the 17th January 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
									Revenue—
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	734 13 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5 June and September 1923.	...	7 3 5
									Cess—
									32 3 7

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector.

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923

Advertisement of sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up to sale at 1 o'clock on the 5th March 1924, corresponding with the 22nd Falgoon 1330 B. S., Wednesday, at Natore Subdivisional office.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Rajshahi	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Chakdwarki and Iswardi.	5	North-west.	32·843	...	...	Chainage 23,401 to Chainage 26,400.	*North*—By the portion of village Chakdwarki (relinquished land). *East*—By the lands of Samir Mandal, Ajer Mandal, Ratan Sarkar, Dullab Mandal, Hafez Sarkar, Nafar Mandal, Dullab Mandal, Samir Mandal, Dullab Mandal of Chakdwarki and by the lands of Kafi Mallik, Ismail Pramanik, Sagar Pramanik, Sagar Pramanik all of Iswardi and by the railway B class land (khas). *South*—By the district of Pabna. *West*—By the lands of Samir Mandal, Kasir Mandal, Samir Molla, Nafar Mandal, Kasir Mandal, Mukunda Kaiya, Nafar Mandal, Umesh Sarkar, Ram Chandra Sarkar, Mukunda Kaiya, and Ram Chandra Sarkar, all of Chakdwarki, and by the lands of Sairat Gharami, Abed Pramanik, Sairat Karikar, Phulan Pramanik, Ram Chandra Pal, and others, all of Iswardi.
2	Do. ...	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Chakdwarki, Sadipur and Angaripara.	6	Do. ...	25·318	...	...	Chainage 30,400 to Chainage 31,680.	*North*—By the portion of village Angaripara (relinquished land). *East*—By the land of Manu Mandal, of Angaripara, by the lands of Sriram Mandal, Bayat Mandal, Nabin Mandal, Siraj Pramanik, Sriram Mandal, Nabin Mandal, Sriram Mandal, Kedar Nath Chakrabarti, and Rati Kanta Rajak, all of Sadipur, by railway B class land in possession of Ochi Mridha, by the lands of Taser Pramanik, Nasir Molla, and Satish Chandra Pramanik of Sadipur and by the lands of Samir Molla, Tamea Nail, Ram Chandra Sarkar, Samir Molla, of Chakdwarki. *South*—By the portion of village Chakdwarki (relinquished railway land). *West*—By the lands of Naimuddin Mandal, Ajab Sarkar, Kunjalhi Shaha Refat Pramanik, Syed Pramanik, Seraj Pramanik, Ratan Sarkar, Kanu Monna, Ratan Sarkar, Kedar Nath Chakrabarti of Sadipur and Krishna Chandra Ray's hat at Sadipur. By the lands (B class land) in possession of Mahin Chandra Mandal, by the land of Ochhi Mridha, by railway B class land in possession of Darshi Pramanik at Sadipur, by the lands of Umesh Sarkar, Rameswar Haldar, Umesh Sarkar, Samir Molla at Chakdwarki.
3	Do. ...	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Angaripara.	7	Do. ...	8·275	...	...	Chainage 31,680 to terminus of relinquished land.	*North*—By the railway land. *North-east*—By the existing railway line. *East*—By the land of Imarat Mandal, Adam Pramanik and Gopal Joardar, at Angaripara. *South*—By the portion of Angaripara (relinquished railway land.) *West*—By the lands of Nafar Sarkar, Jadu Sardar, Gopal Joardar, Jabir Mandal, Gopal Joardar and Ajob Sarkar at Angaripara.

Rajshahi Collectorate, the 9th January 1924.

F. B. BRADLEY-BIRT, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua ...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situated in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, Krishnagar, on 18th day of February 1924, corresponding with 6th Phalgun of 1330 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force : and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
3533	Kalupole thana land, pargana Mahammad Shahi	85	3 0 0	In thana Chuadanga.

Nadia, the 21st December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Imperial Bank of India on the 15th January 1924.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS					4 PER CENT.		INDIAN WAR LOAN.		
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-47.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.
Balance of 31st December 1923 ...	21,83,400	60,27,200	2,95,53,100	1,27,35,000	36,51,400	27,59,350	23,900	2,40,27,400	29,46,050	100	500
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 20th December 1923	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 4th January 1924	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th January 1924	.....	.....	.....	10,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	21,83,400	60,27,200	2,95,53,100	1,27,45,500	36,51,400	27,59,350	23,900	2,40,27,400	29,46,050	100	500
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	29,500	71,900	30,000	10,500	7,25,000	.....	.....	3,000	.....	.....
Balance on 15th January 1924 ...	21,83,400	59,97,700	2,94,81,200	1,27,15,500	36,40,900	20,34,350	23,900	2,40,27,400	29,43,050	100	500

Particulars.	SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN.			5 per cent. Loan, 1945-55	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1930.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1926.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1931.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1927.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1932.	Ten year 5 per cent. Bonds, 1933.	Total.
	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1923.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1925.	5½ per cent War Bonds 1928.								
Balance of 31st December 1923 ...	4,100	47,600	2,28,075	4,81,900	22,82,500	51,38,000	66,21,400	25,75,500	44,90,600	100	10,57,77,175
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 20th December 1923	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	5,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 4th January 1924	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,500	50,000	.....	51,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th January 1924	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	12,500
Total ...	4,100	47,600	2,28,075	4,81,900	22,82,500	51,38,000	66,23,400	25,82,000	45,40,600	100	10,58,46,175
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000	.....	11,400	11,000	.....	9,02,300
Balance on 15th January 1924 ...	4,100	47,600	2,28,075	4,81,900	22,82,500	51,28,000	66,23,400	25,70,600	45,29,600	100	10,49,43,875

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th November 1923—Enfaced from India 13,160 lacs re-transferred from London 13,160 lacs.
" 16th November 1923 to 30th November 1924 " " " ... " " " 1 lac.
" 1st December " to 15th December " " " 1 lac " " " 16 lacs.
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " " ... " " " 3 "
" 1st January 1924 to 15th January 1924 " " " 1 lac " " " 9 "

13,162 lacs. 13,488 lacs.

F. E. DALTON,
Superintendent (offg.).

D. S. MCCLURE,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA,
Calcutta, the 19th January 1924.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order ex the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 113 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and if not cleared on or before the 11th March 1924 on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "Lepanto."		
9th Jan. 1924 ...	Behar and Orissa Benares	6	Cases auto parts.
8th „ „ ...	18923 in a diamond, B B on top, & S below.	1	Case merchandise.
9th „ „ ...	D B S 136 ... ... B Co	2	Cases shoes.
8th „ „ ...	6757 in a diamond, D on top, S below, 132052.	1	Case tools.
10th „ „ ...	111 in a diamond, D on top, S below ...	1	Case merchandise.
9th „ „ ...	A Firpo Ltd	1	Case cigars.
8th „ „ ...	Gano Narain Hardutrai	1	Case merchandise.
9th „ „ ...	4231 in a diamond	2	Cases merchandise.
9th „ „ ...	3864 in a diamond, $\frac{63923}{64234}$ below ...	6	Cases medicine.
7th „ „ ...	M D 506 C ... ... N C B	6	Cases merchandise.
7th „ „ ...	M P 5228 M E 43373	1	Case merchandise.
7th „ „ ...	3798 in a diamond, M M on top, 61972 below.	1	Case clocks.
8th „ „ ...	6812 in a diamond, N N on top ...	2	Cases hardware.
10th „ „ ...	103 in a diamond	1	Case merchandise.
9th „ „ ...	313 in a diamond, 12093 below ...	1	Ditto.
8th „ „ ...	303 in a diamond, 11667 below ...	1	Ditto.
7th „ „ ...	303 X in a diamond, 11668 below ...	1	Ditto.
9th „ „ ...	T M C	1	Ditto.
9th „ „ ...	298 in a diamond	1	Case hardware.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 8.		
	SS. "Mathura."		
31st Dec. 1923 ...	W B M G in a cross	6	Cases cotton.
31st „ „ ...	Miss E. Faith Stewart	1	Case merchandise.
31st „ „ ...	$\frac{1391}{30117}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	2	Cases merchandise.
31st „ „ ...	= 30226 = ...	1	Case merchandise.
5th Jan. 1924 ...	H B in a diamond	4	Casks iron pipe fittings.
31st Dec 1923 ...	H C in a block, C on top, H H on sides...	3	Bales cotton.
2nd Jan. 1924 ...	Mayohas in a triangle	1	Case cotton.
	SHED No. 5.		
	SS. "Mahanada."		
24th Dec. 1923 ...	S. Abdul Sattar & Co., 700-708, 674 ...	10	Cases confectionery.
24th „ „ ...	D in a diamond, T D on top, & C below, 1-10.	10	Cases antifriction metals.
24th „ „ ...	Good Hope, 1-5	5	Cases medicine.
24th „ „ ...	$\frac{\text{G M S Co.}}{7858}$ in a diamond, L C on top, 1.	1	Case merchandise.
26th „ „ ...	J. C. Biswas, 27, College Street ...	2	Boxes organs.
24th „ „ ...	J M A, 1-2	2	Cases rubber goods.
24th „ „ ...	E S C in a diamond, M & Co on top, 1 ...	1	Case machinery.
24th „ „ ...	P S & Co in a diamond, 214-16 ...	3	Cases motor parts.
27th „ „ ...	W G W in a diamond, H L on top ...	1	Case merchandise.
	SHED NO. 2.		
	SS. "Honolulu Maru."		
31st Dec. 1923 ...	A A in a diamond, 1-10 ...	10	Cases porcelain.
31st „ „ ...	$\frac{\text{A D A}}{1238}$ in a block, 479-83 ...	5	Cases rubber goods
31st „ „ ...	B A in a diamond, 1-10 ...	10	Cases celluloid ware and umbrella furniture.
3rd Jan. 1924 ...	C in a diamond, T M K below ...	1	Parcel merchandise.
31st Dec. 1923 ..	1460 in a diamond, 1	1	Case pencil.
31st „ „ ...	M R in a diamond, 26-39	14	Cases glassware.
31st „ „ ...	1119 in a diamond, 1	1	Case pencil.
31st „ „ ...	1455 in a diamond, 1-2	2	Cases metal ware.
31st „ „ ...	R 514 in a diamond, C C on top, C J below, 837.	1	Case enamelled ware.
31st „ „ ...	= R 544 = 845, 849	2	Cases enamelled ware.
31st „ „ ...	$\frac{8}{19\text{-}9}$ in a block, 277 ...	1	Case merchandise.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description
	SHED No. 2—*concld*		
	SS. "Honolulu Maru"—*concld.*		
31st Dec 1923 ..	T H in a diamond, 45, 74 ...	2	Cases shell ware.
31st ,, ,, ...	1273 in a diamond, 1 ...	1	Case celluloid ware.
31st ,, ,, ...	1272 in a diamond, 1 ...	1	Ditto.
31st ,, ,, ...	TEL 7944 in a diamond, A M on top, & Co below, 11	1	Case merchandise
	DOCK SHED No. 25.		
	SS. "Java."		
25th Oct 1923 ..	E Meyer & Co	1	Case sugar sample
25th ,, ,, ...	Walker Goward & Co	1	Ditto
25th ,, ,, ...	G D W G & Co	2	Cases sugar sample.
25th ,, ,, ...	P P B C L	1	Case sugar sample.
25th ,, ,, ...	W G P P	1	Ditto.
	DOCK SHED No. 29.		
	SS. "Java."		
24th Dec. 1923 ..	Holland Bombay & Co	2	Packages paint.
24th ,, ,, ...	Abdul Rohim	1	Case tapioca sample
24th ,, ,, ...	Osman & Co. H S 16 H	1	Case sugar sample.
24th ,, ,, ...	Nil or K N G-B K	1	Ditto.
24th ,, ,, ...	Walker Goward & Co.	1	Ditto
24th ,, ,, ...	W G T G	1	Ditto.
24th ,, ,, ...	W G K T	1	Ditto.
24th ,, ,, ...	Mill Mark Brown K R	1	Package sugar sample (containing 3 phials).
	DOCK SHED No. 4.		
	SS. "Tanda."		
2nd Jan. 1924...	K A in a diamond, Y N on top, 1-12 ...	12	Cases merchandise.
3rd ,, ,, ...	R & Co in a triangle, 83-84	2	Ditto
3rd ,, ,, ...	S A R in a diamond	20	Bundles sulphur.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	DOCK SHED No. 14.		
	SS. "City of Pittsburg."		
17th Dec 1923 ...	D & S P T D matter	1	Case merchandise.
17th „ „ ...	L K Flmhurst, Agri. Dept, Bolpore ...	4	Cases merchandise.
19th „ „ ...	M L Calcutta	5 1	Crates merchandise. Box merchandise.
	DOCK SHED No. 11.		
	SS. "Kutsang."		
21st Dec. 1923 ...	A D A / 329 – in a block, 427-36 ...	10	Cases merchandise.
21st „ „ ...	=„= / 237 442-46	5	Ditto.
21st „ „ ...	=„= / 134 447-52	6	Ditto.
21st „ „ ...	39 in a triangle, K C on top, T below, 9-10.	2	Ditto.
21st „ „ ...	M R in a diamond, 18-19	2	Ditto.
21st „ „ ...	S S in a diamond, 618	1	Case merchandise.
21st „ „ ...	T H in a diamond, 61-68	8	Cases merchandise.
	Unidentified goods received from Police.		
	Nil	1	Iron tongs.
	Nil	3	Empty gunny bags.
	Nil	1	Bundle old newspaper.
	Nil	...	About 2½ seers of sugar.
	Nil	3	Electric bulbs.
	Nil	1	Chitack peas
	Nil	1	Bunndle imitation silver thread.
	Nil	...	About 5 seers of shellac.
	Nil	4	Tins paint.
	Nil	2	Packets dye.
	Nil	8½	Seers of tea.
	Nil	¼	Seer of catechu.

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 30th January 1924.

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IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 18th January 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	14,80,16,000	0	0
Other Deposits	70,85,69,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act, against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	8,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	97,00,000	0	0
	1,04,20,35,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,40,61,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,29,82,000	0	0
Loans	20,49,44,000	0	0
Cash credits	37,65,12,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	13,54,55,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	18,56,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,46,12,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries	34,86,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	1,20,03,000	0	0
	87,59,13,000	0	0
Cash	16,61,22,000	0	0
	1,04,20,35,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London ... ... £ 997,800

Advances in London ... ... £ 444,700

Cash and balances at other Banks in London ... £ 800,800

Percentage 17·64.

Bank Rate 8 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,

N. M. MURRAY (offg.).

Managing Governors.

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Postponed Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, dated the 2nd day of September 1918, in execution case No. 63 of 1915 (Lala Manna Lal and others *versus* Goswami Nannilal and others) by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale room on the ground floor of the Court-house by public auction on Friday, the 29th day of February 1924, at the hour of 12 noon, the following property claimed by the decree-holder to be the property of the judgment debtor Goswami Nannilal Munnilal Mulchand *alias* Kannahyalal, Myssamut Shiboo and Radhakissen, the defendants in the above execution case.

All that the partly two and partly three-storied brick-built house with the land whereon the same is built containing about 7 cottahs more or less situate lying at and being premises No. 20, Cross Street, in holding No. 158 of Block No. XII in the Northern Division in the town of Calcutta bounded on the north by Cross Street, on the west by Nos 17, 18 and 19, Cross Street, on the south by the godown of Prosad Das Mullick, and on the east by Nos. 23 to 25, Cross Street, and 63 to 72-1, Khangrapatty Street. In respect of the entire holding the sum of Re. 1-5-5 is payable as Government revenue.

So far as appears from the searches made in the office of the Registrar of Assurances at Calcutta from January 1905 to 1st September 1919 both inclusive it appears (1) that there is a mortgage on the premises Nos 16, 18, 20, 22 and 24, Cross Street, Calcutta, executed by the Official Receiver of the High Court and as such Receiver appointed in suit No. 580 of 1915 in favour of one Abhoye Charan Pal to secure the repayment of Rs. 12,000 advanced thereunder with interest at 9 per cent. per annum and costs and that such mortgage forms a first charge on the said premises, (2) that the said premises have been let out by the said Receiver to one Goswami Gobordhan Laljee for a term of three years from 1st October 1916 at the monthly rent of Rs. 750 inclusive of taxes by and under a lease, dated the 15th September 1916, (3) that Mulchand Lal Goswami on the 8th August 1917 mortgaged to one Madho Prosad Jallan his one-fourth share in *inter alia* Nos. 16, 18, 20, 22 and 24, Cross Street, to secure the repayment of Rs. 16,000 with interest at 12 per cent.

The following documents have been found as a result of searches for encumbrances made after the order for sale :—

1. Assignment of the said mortgage, dated 8th August 1917, from Madho Prosad Jallan to Surendra Narayan Dey, executed on the 11th October 1918.

2. Mortgage by Nanney Lal Goswami of his one-fourth share of 16, 18, 20, 22 and 24, Cross Street, in favour of Soshee Mukhi Dassi to secure the repayment of Rs. 5,000 with interest at 12 per cent. per annum and executed on the 14th March 1919.

3. Mortgage by Munnilal Goswami of his undivided one-fourth share of the said premises Nos. 16, 18, 20, 22 and 24, Cross Street, in favour of Gunendra Nath Mitter to secure the repayment of Rs. 14,000 with interest at 9 per cent. per annum executed on the 4th June 1919.

4. Mortgage by Radha Kissen Goswami of his undivided one-fourth share of the said premises Nos. 16, 18, 20, 22 and 24, Cross Street, in favour of Gunendra Nath Mitter to secure the repayment of Rs. 14,000 with interest at 9 per cent. per annum and executed on the 4th June 1919.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 7,328-7-3 with interest on Rs. 7,326-7-3 at 6 per cent. per annum from the 11th day of October 1915 till realisation besides the cost of execution.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on the ground floor of the High Court on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. L. CAREY, Sheriff.

H. N. Dutt & Co., Attorneys for the plaintiff.

High Court, Original Side, Sheriff's Office, Calcutta, the 22nd January 1924. (172—1)

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the order made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, dated the 9th day of July 1921, in execution Suit No. 68 of 1919 (wherein Lalit Mohan Dey is the plaintiff and Jaffar Hossein and others are the defendants), by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale room on the ground floor of the Court-house by public auction on Friday, the 29th day of February 1924, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon the undivided twelve annas share of the defendants Jaffar Hossein, Amirunnessa Bibee, Badrunnessa Bibee, Nathifunnessa Bibee and Aktarunnessa Bibee in the properties mentioned and described hereunder :—

Lot 1.—All that one-storied brick-built house together with the land on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation an area of one cottah, a little more or less, being premises No. 88, Collin Street, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta, block No XV, holding No. 54, and bounded on the north by premises No. 86, Collin Street, on the south by premises No. 87, Collin Street, on the east by Municipal Lane, and on the west by the tenanted house belonging to Jaffar Hossein.

Lot 2.—All that partly one and partly two-storied brick-built house together with the land thereunto belonging on part whereof the same is erected and built) containing by estimation an area of 1 cottah 5 chitaks 7 square feet, be the same a little more or less, being premises No. 82-1, Collin Street, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta, comprised in block No. XV, holding No. 57, and butted and bounded on the north by premises No. 77, Collin Street, on the east partly by premises No. 82 and partly by premises No. 81, Collin Street, on the south by Nos. 82-1, 82-2 and 82 3, Collin Street, and on the west by premises No. 82-2, Collin Street.

Lot 3.—All that two-storied brick-built house together with the land on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation an area of 2 cottahs 4 chitaks and 36 square feet, be the same a little more or less, being premises No. 82-2, Collin Street, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta, being in block No. XV, holding No. 57, and bounded on the north by premises Nos 77 and 78, Collin Street, on the east by premises Nos. 82 and 82-1, 82-2 and 82-3, Collin Street, and the road, and on the west and south by No. 86, Collin Street.

Lot 4.—All that two-storied brick-built house together with the land on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation an area of 1 cottah 7 chitaks and 40 square feet, be the same a little more or less, being premises No. 83A, Collin Street, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta, being in block No. XV, holding No. 57, and bounded on the north partly by premises Nos. 82, 82-1, 82-2 and 82-3, Collin Street, and the road leading to the said premises, partly by No. 82 2, Collin Street, on the west partly by No. 82-2, Collin Street, and partly by No. 86, Collin Street, on the east by premises No. 84, Collin Street, and on the south by premises No. 83, Collin Street.

Lot 5.—All that two-storied brick-built house together with the land on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation an area of 12 chitaks, more or less, being premises No. 86, Collin Street, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta, block No. XV, holding No. 57, and bounded on the north partly by premises Nos. 82-2 and 78, Collin Street, and partly by premises Nos. 8 and 9, Kerr's Lane, on the south partly by premises Nos. 86, 87-1 and 87-2, Collin Street, and partly by the house of Maharaja of Nadia, on the east by premises Nos. 82-2, 82-3, 83, 85 and 87-1, Collin Street, and on the west by municipal drain

Lot 6.—All that raiyati land containing by estimation an area of 5 cottahs 5 chitaks and 14 square feet, a little more or less, being premises No 87, Collin Street, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta in block No. XV, holding No. 56, and bounded on the north by premises Nos. 86, 87 and 87-1, Collin Street, on the west and south by the house of Maharaja of Nadia, on the east by premises Nos. 88-1, 87 and 87-1, Collin Street,

Lot 7.—All that one-storied brick-built house together with the land on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation an area of 11 chitaks and 30 square feet, more or less, being premises No. 87-1, Collin Street, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta in block No. XV, holding No. 56, and bounded on the north by premises No. 86, Collin Street, on the south by premises Nos. 87, 87-1 and 86, Collin Street, and partly by the road, on the east by premises No. 88, Collin Street, and on the west by premises Nos. 87 and 86, Collin Street.

In respect of all the above properties an annual revenue of Rs. 3-15-4 is payable to the Collector of Calcutta.

From the searches made in the Calcutta Registry office from 1865 to 1922 the aforesaid premises appear to be subject to several encumbrances mentioned in the affidavit of searches filed herein, a copy of which can be inspected at the office of Mr. Abhash Chandra Ghosh, Solicitor for the decree-holder, at No. 12-1, Old Post Office Street.

The abovementioned properties are to be sold for the recovery of the decretal amount including costs of the Small Causes Court, viz., Rs. 453-12, and the costs of this execution.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff on any date before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. L. CAREY, Sheriff.

Abhash Chandra Ghosh, Attorney for the plaintiff decree-holder, the 2nd January 1924. (171—1)

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an order made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction and dated the 4th day of January 1923 in Suit No. 910 of 1922 (wherein Ahmed Dowji Motala is the plaintiff and Wahidunnessa Bibi is the defendant) in execution of the decree made in the said suit and dated the 13th June 1922, by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room on the ground floor of the Court-house by public auction, on Friday, the 29th day of February 1924, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned property :—

All that 16 annas share of the defendant in all that piece or parcel of revenue-paying bustee land containing by estimation 3 cottahs 8 square feet, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying at and being premises No. 54, Taltola Lane, block No. 9-A, 103, holding No. 184, and annual Government revenue therefor being 7 annas 8 pies only and payable to Calcutta Collectorate, and butted and bounded on the north by premises No. 55, Taltola Lane, being the bustee land of Womesh Chandra Sen, on the east by the land belonging to Chand Mia being premises No. 46, Imdad Ali Lane, on the south by premises No 52, Taltola Lane, being the tenanted land of Bepin Behari Sen, on the west by partly 52, and partly 53, Taltola Lane

It appears from a search made in the office of the District Registrar of Assurance, Calcutta, from 1865 to 1923, that the above property along with certain other properties are subject to a mortgage created by Sheik Abdul Majid, Sheik Abdul Hamid, Gafuronnessa Bibi, Amina Khatum of their undivided 4 annas 4 gahdas share for Rs 2,000 with interest thereon at Re. 1 per cent. per month in favour of one Sheik Mohabab Ali. This mortgage is dated 22nd June 1921.

(2) The above property is subject to a mortgage, dated 22nd December 1921, created by Wahidunnessa Bibi for Rs. 6,000 in favour of one Dowji Mohammed Motala with interest thereon at 12 per cent. per annum with quarterly rests. This mortgage stands cancelled by the decree of the 13th June 1922 in suit No. 910 of 1922, Ahmed Dowji Motala *versus* Wahidunnessa Bibi.

(3) By an agreement, dated the 22nd December 1921, Wahidunnessa Bibi agreed with one Ahmed Dowji Motala, the plaintiff in suit No 910 of 1922, to convey a moiety of her interest in the said property and in other properties subject to the claim under the mortgage, dated the 22nd December 1921

The amount for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs 6,200 and the costs of the execution proceedings and the Sheriff's poundage and charges

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta before the sale and the same shall be produced and read at the time of sale.

W. L. CAREY, Sheriff

P C. Ghose, plaintiff's Attorney, 8-2, Hastings Street, Calcutta, the 22nd January 1924. (170—1)

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge, Midnapore.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION No 146 of 1923

Value Rs 8,987 0-6 pies.

Sale date—15th March 1924

Kumar Debendra Lal Khan, of Narajole, district Midnapore, decree-holder, *versus* (1) Keshoripati Roy, (2) Satcouripati Roy, (3) Sudhirpati Roy, of Jara, station and pargana Chandrokona, judgment-debtors

Schedule of properties—Rent-free.

Lot No 1.—All that piece of rent-free bastu land, measuring about 4 bighas, two storied with building erected thereon situate at Colonelgola, in town Midnapore, police-station and sub registry Midnapore, together with all rights, liberties, privileges easements, advantages and appurtenances whatsoever to the said land, hereditaments and premises or any part thereof belonging or in any wise appertaining or usually held, used, occupied therewith or reputed to belong or be appurtment thereto together with full and free right, right liberty and licence (কুল হক হকুক বহু লভ্য) for the owner of the said land and premises including minor apartment, baitakkhana, or outer apartment, orchard, well, privy, cook-room and boundary walls on all sides, bounded and butted on the west by the public road, outside the boundary walls, south by the public road, north outside the drain and Bepin Chandra Dutt and others' tank together with the tank commonly known as Munsi tank to its furthermost other and east by the furthermost end of the rent-free bastu land purchased and in possession thereof by the owner together with under-tenants Srinath Chandra Napit and Alhadi Bewa, bearing Nos 386 and 387 in the Midnapore municipal register, approximate value of which is Rs 2,500.

Lot No. 2.—In the district of Midnapore, pargana Barada, thana and sub registry Ghatal, bearing tauzi No 8, mahal lot Alui, whose malikana rent of Rs. 5,500 is being paid to Maharajadhiraj of Burdwan, consisting of 8 annas share in the joint possession of said lot and 16 annas share in his own share in the following mauzas, viz., mauza Madara including pati and all chaks, etc, mauza chak Madara including pati and all chaks, etc, mauza Jalkar Gadara and others eleven vabhnuries, mauza Dani Atar including all chaks, etc., mauza Hemantapur including pati and all chaks, etc, mauza Gangaprosad including pati and all chaks, etc, all rent free kharija 16 annas share in those aforesaid mauzas All rents due from the niskar and rent-free holders and biti holders in these aforesaid mauzas, including all rent-free and kharija 16 annas share and rents due from the rent free holders together with full rights, liberty and licence for the owner (কুল হক হকুক পত্তনী বহু লভ্য), approximate value of which is Rs. 1,000.

Lot No. 3.—Patni and darpatani right together with full right, liberty and license for the owner (কুল হক হকুক বহু লভ্য) in mauza Ghanarampur and others including all chita lands in the district of Midnapore, pargana Chandrakona, sub registry Jara, bearing tauzi No 20 in Burdwan Collectorate patni rent of Rs 967-12 8 and darpatni rent of Rs. 1,269 12 of which is payable to the superior landlords, approximate value of which is Rs 100.

N G MUKERJEE, Sub Judge.

Midnapore, the 15th January 1924. (132—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal (in Insolvency).

No. 157 of 1920

Re Hukmichand and Gajanand, *ex parte* the creditors

To Babu Hukmichand and Babu Gajanand, the insolvents abovenamed, and

To G. M Falkner, Esq, Official Assignee and assigned to the estate of the abovenamed insolvents,

PLEASE take notice that on Monday, the 11th day of February 1924, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, an application will be made before the Registrar in Insolvency of this Hon'ble Court on the part of Messrs Chaitram Thakursidas, one of the creditors of the above insolvents, for an order that the adjudication order made herein by this Hon'ble Court against the above insolvents on the 6th December 1920 be annulled and that the cost of and incidental to this application to be taxed, if necessary, by the taxing officer of this Hon'ble Court be paid either by the Official Assignee or by the insolvents personally.

Dated the 19th day of January 1924

SURENDRA NATH GHOSAL, applicants' attorney

(134—1—126)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal (in Insolvency).

No 230 of 1914

Re.—Ram Kissen Das Surajmull

Ex parte the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a 2nd dividend is intended to be declared in the above estate and that the same will be paid on or after the 10th day of March 1924 except Saturday and Sunday

G M FALKNER, Official Assignee

Calcutta, the 25th January 1924 (176—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Asansol.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1 of 1924

[*Notice under section 19 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment debtor Bholanath Gorai, son of Radhu Gorai, of Santa, police-station Asansol, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and 16th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing thereof

N K BOSE, Sub-Judge.

Asansol, the 21st January 1924. (159—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Asansol.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1924.

[*Notice under section 19 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment debtor Jayanangal Misir, son of Ramjas Misir, of Santa Burupur, police-station Asansol, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and 16th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

N. K. BOSE, Sub-Judge.

Asansol, the 21st January 1924. (160—1)

ORDER ANNULLING ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 42 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the Sub-Judge at Asansol.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 10 OF 1922.

Dasarath Sutradhar, of Ukhra, police-station Ondal, district Burdwan, applicant, insolvent.

THE insolvent above-named having failed to apply for discharge it is ordered that the order of adjudication dated 4th November 1922 against the insolvent be and the same is hereby annulled.

Dated this 4th day of January 1924.

N. K. BOSE, Judge.

(161—1)

ORDER ANNULLING ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 42 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the Sub-Judge at Asansol.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 11 OF 1922.

Radha Gobinda Sinha, of Ichhapur, chouki Asansol, district Burdwan, applicant, insolvent.

THE insolvent above-named having failed to apply for discharge it is ordered that the order of adjudication dated 17th February 1923 against the insolvent be and the same is hereby annulled.

Dated this 3rd day of January 1924.

N. K. BOSE, Judge.

(162—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 58 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 10th December 1923, filed by Ram Sundar Sorma, son of Bechu Ram Sorma, at Gairola, police-station Patiya, and on the application of the debtor and on reading the application and hearing the pleader for the debtor it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The debtor is directed to apply for discharge within six months Mr. Perceival is appointed receiver.

Dated this 19th day of January 1924.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

(151—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 42 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 5th October 1923, filed by Aman Ali, son of Perat Ali, at Rufkania, police-station Satkania, and on the application of debtor himself and on reading the application and hearing the pleader for the debtor it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent and is directed to apply for discharge within six months. Mr. Perceival is appointed receiver.

Dated this 18th day of January 1924.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

(152—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Foton Ali, son of Mosof Ali, of Baraveola, police-station Chakoria, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 8th January 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 2nd day of February 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 19th January 1924.

(153—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Abdul Rohim, son of Osimoddin Chowdhury, of Chaudagaon, police-station Panchalise, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 18th January 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 15th day of February 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 21st January 1924.

(154—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1924.

TAKE notice that Mati Lal Biswas, son of late Gaur Chandra Biswas, of Shirkhara, police-station Madaripur, has prayed to be adjudicated an insolvent and 4th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing.

Dated the 19th day of January 1924.

R. L. SADHU,
Additional District Judge in charge.

(137—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 OF 1923.

TAKE notice that Manomohan Dhupee, son of late Ram Charan Dhupee, of Lakshmiganj, police-station Madaripur, has prayed to be adjudicated an insolvent, and 15th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing.

Dated the 22nd day of January 1924.

R. L. SADHU, Addl. District Judge in charge.

(150—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Sital Chandra Banerji, son of Adhar Chandra Banerji, of Shibanipore, thana Singti, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 2 of 1924 and that the 6th February 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD,
Additional District Judge of Howrah.

Howrah, the 15th January 1924. (136—1—125)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 49 OF 1923.

Petitioner Atar Ali Shaik, son of late Mongal Shaik, of Monoharpur, police-station Meherpur, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 16th February 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 23rd January 1924. (156—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 50 OF 1923.

Petitioner Panchu Shaik, son of late Mangal Shaik of Monoharpur, police-station Meherpur, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the abovenamed petitioner has filed an insolvency petition, and that 16th February 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 23rd January 1924. (157—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 17 OF 1923.

Petitioner Hakibot Mondal, son of late Kapil Mondal of Bhayana, police-station Haushkhali, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 43 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the order of adjudication dated 21st July 1923 against Hakibot Mondal be and the same is hereby annulled on 22nd January 1924.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 23rd January 1924.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 22 AND 23 OF 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that (1) Dwarika Nath Saha, (2) Sricharan Saha, of Dharail, police station Mohanpur, district Rajshahi, have applied to this Court for their discharge under Act V of 1920, and 15th February 1924 is fixed for hearing of the application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 11th June 1923. (1141—1—102)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 61 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Shukurdi Sheikh, of Naodiari, police-station Gomastapur, district Maida, has applied to this Court under Act V of 1920 to be adjudicated an insolvent and 8th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing of application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 22nd December 1923. (63—1—103)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1923.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the insolvent Mahammuddin Sarkar, son of late Nilu Pramanik, of Golna, police-station Jaldhaka, in Rangpur, for an order of discharge the 23rd day of February 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the insolvent.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 21st January 1924. (138—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kharku Mahmud, son of late Bahar Mahmud, of Garagram, police-station Kishoreganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent the 16th day of February 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 21st January 1924. (139—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Nasarat Hossain Munshi, son of late Etabat Hossain Munshi, of Anailer Tari, police-station Gaibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 1st day of February 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 19th January 1924. (140—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Joyenullah Mahomed, son of late Hazi Cheng Mahomed, of Nekbakat, police-station Jaldhaka, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 14th day of February 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 19th January 1924. (141—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 217 OF 1923.

Sovaram Manik, of 2, Bhoru Mukherji Lane, Belgachia thana Ultadingi, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Lakshmi Chand Ramdhan, of 14, Sutapatti, Barabazar, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 29th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th February 1924, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge

Alipore, the 10th January 1924. (96—1—127)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 231 OF 1923.

Debi Charan Kalwar, of 18, Manasatola Lane, Kidderpore 24-Parganas, applicant,

To Ganga Sing Satri, of 197, Rajabazar, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 29th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th January 1924. (97—1—128)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 235 OF 1923.

Beni Madhab Mondul, of Kanchantola, thana Metiaburuj 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Hari Charan Das, of 182-4, Lower Chitpur Road Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 27th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th January 1924 (98—1—129)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 239 OF 1923.

Abinash Chandra Ghosh, of 76, Narikeldanga North Road, thana Beliaghatta, applicant.

To Surendra Nath Chaudhuri, of 28, Charakdanga Road thana Beliaghatta, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 26th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th January 1924. (99—1—130)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 240 OF 1923.

Ram Krishna Purkait, of Jangalpara, thana Diamond Harbour, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Advaita Chandra Gayen, of Gobindapur, thana Diamond Harbour, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 26th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th February 1924 and that the said, applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th January 1924. (100—1—131)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 244 OF 1923.

Benode Behari Das, of Panchgor, thana Diamond Harbour, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Krishna Chandra Gui, of Barabazar, district Midnapore, and others, creditors.

ON the 27th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 25th February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th January 1924. (101—1—132)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 245 OF 1923.

Shaikh Amir, of Kalabagan, thana Jagaddal, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Parama Sing, of Kalabagan, thana Jagaddal, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 27th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 25th February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th January 1924. (102—1—133)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 246 OF 1923

Bepin Behari Mondal, of Madral, thana Jagaddal, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Rasam Khan, of Gauripur, thana Naihati, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 27th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 25th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th January 1924. (103—1—134)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 248 OF 1923.

Sheu Sankar Ram Teli, of Gauripur, thana Naihati, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Nagendra Nath Ray, of Bolepur, district Birbhum, and others, creditors.

ON the 29th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 25th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th January 1924. (104—1—135)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1 OF 1924

Ganga Prosad, son of late Gurdin Shah, of Canning Town, Matla, 24-Parganas, applicant,

To Jiban Ram Sagan Chand and others, creditors.

ON the 12th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. J. CHOTZNER, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th January 1924. (122—1—122)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 42 OF 1923.

Haji Haidar Khan, of 10, Moijoddi Jamadar Lane, thana Ballygunge, applicant,

To Hasem Kasem Mamooji and others, creditors.

ON the 12th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. J. CHOTZNER, District Judge.

Alipore, the 14th January 1924. (123—1—123)

INDU BHUSAN MUKHERJEE, M.Sc., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(17—4—17)

PRABHAS CHANDRA MALLIK, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.

(49—4—74)

SACHINDRA NATH MUKERJEE intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(44—4—31)

Notice.

WANTED for about ten months a lady graduate preferably trained for the post of the Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Faridpur. Thorough knowledge of Bengali is essential. Salary Rs. 200 a month in Bengal Women's Educational Service. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned till the 30th January 1924.

M. V. IRONS, Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.

Dacca, the 18th January 1924.

Bengal Public Health Department.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS in duplicate in sealed covers are invited for the weekly supply of cattle food including straw and chaff during the ten months from the 1st March to 31st December 1924. They will be received by the Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Health, Bengal at his office in Writers' Buildings up to the 16th February 1924. Prior to delivering their tenders intending contractors must deposit with the Superintendent of the Bengal Vaccine Depôt at Intally two sealed samples of the articles proposed to be supplied under the contract.

2. Forms and conditions of tender are obtainable fraid application to the undersigned. Tenderers must been by the prescribed conditions.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, M.B., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H.,
Director of Public Health, Bengal.

NOTICE.

Imperial Bank of India.

THE Members of the Local Board have made the following changes in the Bank's Establishment :—

Mr. F. R. C. Bamlet to be officer-in-charge, Lyallpur Branch, as from 13th January 1924, *vice* Mr. L. H. Brown, transferred.

Mr. W. P. M Beresford to be officer-in-charge, Meerut Branch, as from 13th January 1924, *vice* Mr. W. A. Smurthwaite, transferred.

Mr. K. G. J. Headington to act temporarily as officer-in-charge, Muzaffarpur Branch, as from 18th January 1924, *vice* Mr. C. R. Murray, granted short leave.

Mr. L. P. Kichlu resumed his appointment as Acting Assistant-in-charge, Kasauli Branch, as from 17th January 1924, *vice* Mr. A. L. Heywood, transferred.

By order,

D. S. MCCLURE,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 24th January 1924. (175—1)

Road cess notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B C.) of 1885, the District Board of Noakhali have, at their special meeting of the 4th January 1924, determined to levy the Road Cess in the district during the year 1924-25 at the maximum rate, i.e., 6 pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands.

ABDUL GOFRAN, Chairman.

Noakhali, District Board's Office, the 25th January 1924.

(178—2)

Notice.

THE Suri Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition will be held in the Suri Barobagan from the 15th February 1924 to 21st February next (both days inclusive). It is hoped to make this year's exhibition a record one.

Firms, shop-keepers, manufacturers and traders of all descriptions from all parts of the country are requested to send in suitable exhibits in large numbers in due time. Arrangements will be made to guard the stalls and accommodation will be provided for the exhibitors. Stalls and lodging will not be charged for. All exhibits should reach the Secretary before the 14th February next.

K. C. Mitra, Hony. Secretary.

J. R. BLACKWOOD, Collector and President.

Suri, the 16th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924.

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

THE Municipal Commissioners of Howrah at a meeting having previously given notice of their intention to define the general line of buildings on either side of Hara Dayal Babu Lane and no objection having been received, within the limit of time fixed in the notice, the Commissioners in meeting by a resolution No. 21 have made an order on the 21st December 1923 under section 350 (4) of Act III (B. C) of 1899 as in force in the town of Howrah, defining the general line of buildings on either side of Hara Dayal Babu Lane, aforesaid, in Ward No I, in accordance with the plan approved by them on the last mentioned date.

CHARU CHANDRA SINHA, Chairman.

Howrah Municipal Office, the 23rd January 1924.

(169—1)

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that records of cases disposed of in the year 1921, in the Courts of the Presidency Magistrates, Calcutta, will be destroyed under the Circular Orders of the High Court. The undersigned will not be responsible for any exibit filed in connection with cases disposed of in the Courts of the Presidency Magistrates, Calcutta, in the year 1921, if not taken back by the parties who filed them, within a month from this date.

T. ROXBURGH, Chief Presidency Magistrate.

Calcutta, the 22nd January 1924.

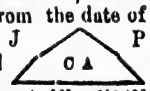
Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on 18 cases of Brandy marked Framjee out of Nos. 1—50 *ex* SS. "Nagoya" from Charenti *vid* London bonded by Messrs. Framjee & Co. in their private bonded godown at No. 11, Bentinck Street, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

S. N. GUPTA, for Collector of Customs (offg.).

Calcutta, the 14th January 1924. (110—2)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within 10 days from the date of this notice on 48 cases of brandy marked 

ex SS. "Author", from Charentee *vid* Liverpool, bonded by Messrs. Framjee & Co. in their private bonded godown at No. 11, Bentinck Street, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act

S. N. GUPTA, *for* Collector of Customs (offg.).

Custom House, the 22nd January 1924. (163—2)

Lost.

THE upper half of the Government Promissory Note No. 305701 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 10,000, originally standing in the name of Syed Mobarak Ali, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the proprietor—Syed Mobarak Ali.

Residence—Guzri, Patna City.

(16—3—119)

Notice.

A RECEIPT numbered 5145, dated 4th November 1922, was granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes, to one Sarba Sundari Dasi, of 40, Jelliatola Street, Calcutta, who is not the real owner of the notes. The receipt is therefore to be considered as null and void. Notice to this effect has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities.

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
157884	3½ per cent. 1865	500	Sarba Sundari Dasi.
088156	3½ ,, ,, 1842-43	200	
099276	3½ ,, ,, 1842-43	100	
099277	3½ ,, ,, 1842-43	100	

Name of the proprietor—Radha Kanta Sen, Manager of the lunatic Sarba Sundari Dasi.

Residence—15, Chorebagan 2nd Lane, Calcutta.

(19—3—75)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 31497, dated 15th November 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
255686 & 87	3½ per cent. of 1900-01	100 each	Mandakini Debi.

Name of the Proprietor—Sm. Mandakini Debi.

Residence—Chatra, Serampore.

(113—1—120)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 31498, dated 15th November 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
329563	3½ per cent. of 1865.	500	Gagan Chandra Rai.

Name of the Proprietor—Gagan Chandra Rai.

Residence—Chatra, Serampore.

(114—1—121)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Anglo-American Motor Car Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above Company by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal was on the 30th July 1923 presented to the said High Court by Messrs. Dwarkadas Kedarbux, of No. 4, Ramkumar Rakhit Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a creditor of the said Company, and that the said petition is directed to be heard on the 15th day of February 1924 and any creditor or contributories of the Company desirous to oppose the making of an order of the winding up of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of the hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

MANUEL AGARWALLA & Co.,

Attorneys for the petitioners Messrs. Dwarkadas Kedarbux.

3, Hastings Street, Calcutta, the 19th January 1924.

(133—1—124)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Rangpur Tobacco Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Rangpur Tobacco Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 21st January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Tobacco India, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Tobacco India, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 21st January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Coronation Iron and Button Factory, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Coronation Iron and Button Factory, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 22nd January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Estate Loans and Industries (India), Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date the name of Estate Loans and Industries (India), Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 22nd January 1924.

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :-

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 18 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs 25

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*," which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post.

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs. Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Re. 2.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

Government reserve the right to alter the price without notice.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Saturday.

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PART IV.

Bills introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council, Report of Select Committees presented or to be presented to that Council, and Bills published before introduction in that Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 315L., dated the 26th January, 1924.—The following Bill was introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council on the 24th January, 1924, and is hereby published for general information, together with Statement of Objects and Reasons annexed thereto :—

THE CALCUTTA RENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1924.

A

BILL

further to amend the Calcutta Rent Act, 1920.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Calcutta Rent Act, 1920, in the manner hereinafter provided ; Ben. Act III of 1920.

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General under sub-section (3) of section 80A of the Government of India Act, has been obtained to the passing of this Act ; 5 & 6 Geo. V, c. 61 ; 6 & 7 Geo. V, c. 37 ; 9 & 10 Geo V, c. 101.

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title. **1.** This Act may be called the Calcutta Rent (Amendment) Act, 1924.

Amendment of section 1 of Ben. Act III of 1920.

2. In sub-section (*f*) of section 1 of the Calcutta Rent Act, 1920 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act) as amended by the Calcutta Rent (Amendment) Act, 1923, for the figures "1924" the figures "1927" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 2 of Ben. Act III of 1920.

3. In sub-clause (*i*) of clause (*f*) of section 2 of the said Act, for the words "ten *per cent.*" the words "fifteen *per cent.*" shall be substituted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

As the condition of tenants in Calcutta continues unsatisfactory owing to the limited housing accommodation of the city; and following the precedent in the further continuance of the Rent Act in London, the Calcutta Rent Bill gives an extension to the existing Rent Act up to the year 1927, allowing adequate time for the building of additional premises, some of which are still in the course of construction, to house the increasing population of the city. Recognising the rights of landlords to some increase in the returns for their investments in house property in the city, a proportion of fifteen *per cent.* increase is allowed to the previous proportion of ten *per cent.* in the laying down of standard rent. The extension of the time provided for in this Bill will give sufficient opportunity for the formulation of definite action which may be taken on the resolutions of the Committee appointed to inquire into the housing conditions of Calcutta, which were recently published for information.

H. W. B. MORENO.

CALCUTTA;

The 21st December, 1923.

C. TINDALL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

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APPENDIX.

Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for Port Officer of Calcutta.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The 19th January 1924.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—GULF OF ST. VINCENT, PORT ADELAIDE.

Wonga Shoal Light (U)—Intended alteration in period.

No. 18 (first publication).—

Subject.—The period of the Flashing White Light (U) on Wonga Shoal will be altered on or about 1st March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 34° 50′ S., long. 138° 27′ E. on Chart No. 2389.

Details.—The period of the *Flashing White* Light will be altered from three to *seven and a half seconds*, thus:—

Flash	Eclipse
1 sec.	6½ secs.

Note.—In other respects the light will remain unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923, No. 2355.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 32 of 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Bankot—Buoys relaid in positions.

No. 19 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 100M. of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 56-M. of 1923. (*This office No. 228 of 1923.*)

Position.—Lat. 17° 58′ N.
Long. 73° 02′ E. } approx.

Details.—The Bankot buoys, which were withdrawn during the south-west Monsoon, were relaid in their positions on the 22nd November 1923.

Authority.—The Commissioner of Customs, Salt and Excise, Bombay, dated 19th December 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

Rangoon River entrance, Eastern Channel—Buoys laid for surveying purposes.

No. 20 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 101M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—In the Eastern Channel.
Lat. 16° 25′ N.
Long. 96° 26′ E. } approx.

Details.—Three black can and three red conical buoys have been temporarily laid in the above channel for surveying and other purposes only.

Caution.—These buoys are not to be made use of by the Mariners when navigating the entrance to the Rangoon river, until the completion of survey.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 833, Rangoon River and Approaches.
„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator of the Port, Pilot Marine Circular No 38, dated 10th December 1923.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SULU SEA.

Tub Bataha Reefs—Non-existence of breakers reported south-eastward of.

No. 21 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1974 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 34 miles south-eastward of South islet light-house.
Lat. 8° 28′ N., long. 120° 20′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The breakers, reported in the year 1907 in the above position, are non-existent and are to be expunged from the charts accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 967, Palawan island.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 73.

Authority.—U. S. Government Charts. (*H. 8096-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—LOURENCO MARQUES APPROACH.

Cockburn light—Alteration in characteristics.

No. 22 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1984 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 25° 53′ S., long. 32° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *W. R. ev. 3 sec. 52 ft. vis. 12 m.* (U).

Details.—The fixed light with white and red sectors has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—*Flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every three seconds*, thus :—Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 2·7 sec.

Elevation.—52 feet (15^{m}8).

Visibility.—12 miles.

Sectors.—*White* from 021° through east to 273°; *Red* thence to 282°; *White* thence to 318°; *Red* thence to 021°.

Structure.—Small tower on iron pile structure.

Note.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 644, Delagoa bay.
„ 2089, Tugela river to Delagoa bay.
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 58.

Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 190, 195, 196.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 50 of 1923. (*H. 8135-23.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—KAGAYANES.

Sultana Bank—Information re Rock and Shoals.

No. 23 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1986 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of 15·5 miles 011° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Lat. 9° 53′ N., long. 121° 24′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—5¼ fathoms (10^{m}1).

Remarks.—The 24 fathom (43^{m}9) depth close northward of this position on chart No. 2578 is to be expunged.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of 19·1 miles 018° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Depth.—7 fathoms (12^{m}8), coral.

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of 18·9 miles 005½° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Details.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^{m}8) is to be substituted for the 2½ fathom (4^{m}6) depth shown on chart No. 2578 in this position.

(*d*) *Position.*—At a distance of 22·2 miles 005° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Details.—A depth of 1½ fathoms (2^{m}7) is to be substituted for the 3 fathom (5^{m}5) depth shown on chart No. 2578 in this position.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea (*b*).
„ 781, Pacific ocean—north-west sheet. (*c*).

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 71.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 8329-23.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—TIMOR ISLAND, NORTH COAST.

Dilhi Harbour entrance—Buoys replaced by Light-Buoys.

No. 24 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2010 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—On the northern side of entrance, at a distance of about 2½ cables north-eastward of Laguebada (Stanley) point lighthouse.

Lat. 8° 32′ S., long., 125° 35′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The black buoy has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

(*b*) *Position.*—On the southern side of entrance, at a distance of about one cable south-westward of (*a*).

Details.—The red buoy has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted red, exhibiting a *red* light.

Chart affected.—No. 1460, Plan of Dilhi harbour.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 326.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 48 of 1923. (*H. 8222-23.*)

NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH ISLAND—QUEEN CHARLOTTE SOUND.

Cape Koamoru—Rock northwestward of.

No. 25 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2011 of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 666 of 1923. (This office No. 181 of 1923.)

Position.—At a distance of 3·45 miles 290° from Brothers lighthouse.

Lat. 41° 05′ S., long. 174° 23′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—6 fathoms (11^{m}0), rock.

Remarks.—The note "Shoal water repd. (1923)" shown on the charts in the passage between Cape Koamoru and White rocks, is to be deleted; this passage, however, should not be used without local knowledge,

Charts affected.—No. 2685, Cook strait anchorages—sheet 2.
„ 695, Cook strait.
„ 2054, Cook strait and the coast of Cape Egmont.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1919, pages 310, 311, 312.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 67 of 1923. (*H. 8241-23.*)

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Otago Mole light—Alteration in colour.

No. 26 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2012 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 4 cables north-westward of Taiaroa head lighthouse.

Lat. 45° 47′ S., long. 170° 45′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *Gn. ev. 3 sec., 23 ft., vis. 2 m.* (U).

Alteration.—The colour of the *flashing* light has been altered from white to *green.*

Remarks.—The visibility of the light is now 2 miles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 2411, Otago harbour, with plan.
„ 2533, Otago to Mataura river.
„ 2532, Banks peninsula to Otago.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 3044.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 62 of 1923. (*H. 8281-23.*)

The 12th January 1924.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Beit Harbour Approaches—Correction to Notice to Mariners No. 82M. of 1923.
(Calcutta Notice No. 398 of 1923.)

No. 12 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 98M. of 1923), are republished :—

Correction.—*For* Latitude 22° 25′ 30″ N. *read* Latitude 22° 35′ 30″ N.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding R. I. M. S. "Palinurus," Karachi, dated 7th December 1923.

PERSIAN GULF—KAIS ISLAND LIGHT-VESSEL.

Further details of relief trawler.

No. 13 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above' issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 99M. of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 95M. of 1923. (*This Office No. 436 of 1923.*)

Details.—The Trawler painted red with KAIS in white letters on each bow will temporarily relieve the Kais Island Light-Vessel on 4th January 1924.

At night she will exhibit two white lights in a horizontal position 16 feet apart, from the fore yard about 36 feet above the water line, visible all round the horizon about 8 miles.

She will also exhibit a blue flare every half hour.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, eastern sheet.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 300.
Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.

Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, dated 17th December 1923.

TASMANIA—NORTH-WEST COAST, HUNTER ISLAND.

Cutter Point—Intended new light (U).

No. 14 (second publication).—

Subject.—A Group Flashing White Light (U) will be established at Cutter Point on or about 16th April 1924.

Position.—On the summit of Cutter Point (202′).
Lat. 40° 29½′ S., long. 144° 43½′ E., on Chart No. 3687.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing White* Light showing *two* flashes in quick succession every ten seconds, thus—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	8 secs.

Elevation.—220 feet.

Visibility.—20 miles.

Power.—5000 candles.

Structure.—White square wooden house with white lantern, 22 ft. in height.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Rocky Head.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695b, Bass Strait, sheet No. 2.
„ 2759b, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 294.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 28 of 1923.

TASMANIA—NORTH COAST—THREE HUMMOCK ISLAND.

Cape Rochon—Intended new light (U).

No. 15 (second publication).—

Subject.—A Flashing White Light (U) will be established on Cape Rochon on or about 1st June 1924.

Position.—On slope, 3½ cables distant bearing 182° from the northerly extreme of Cape Rochon.
Lat. 40° 24′ S., long. 144° 57′ E. on Chart No. 3687.

Details.—

Character.—*Flashing white* light every *five* seconds, thus—

Flash	Eclipse
½ sec	4½ secs.

Elevation.—150 feet.

Visibility.—18 miles.

Power.—5000 candles.

Structure.—White square wooden house, with white lantern 22 feet in height.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Rocky Head.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695*b*, Bass Strait, sheet No. 2.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, page 293.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 29 of 1923.

TASMANIA—WEST POINT.

West Point Light (U)—Intended alteration in character.

No. 16 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing White Light on West Point will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light (U) on or about 1st May 1924.

Position.—About one cable from the south-western extreme of the Point.
Lat. 40° 57′ S., long. 144° 38½′ E on Chart No. 1695b.

Alteration.—The character of the light will be altered from Flashing White to *Group Flashing White* showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *fifteen* seconds, thus—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	11½ secs.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—The other details of the light will remain unchanged.

Charts affected.—No. 1695*b*, Bass Strait, western sheet.

„ 1079, Tasmania.

„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.

„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publication.—List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923, No. 2849.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 30 of 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Depths of water.

No. 17-I (second publication).—

Subject.—Depths of 4 to 5¼ fathoms have been reported between the following approximate positions.

Positions.—Lat. 21° 15′ N., Long. 91° 16′ E., and Lat. 21° 32′ N., Long. 91° 30′ E. (Approx.) on chart No. 859.

Caution.—Mariners are hereby warned.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river

„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.

Authority.—Master of the SS. "Chenab" dated 11th January 1924.

The 5th January 1924.

EAST COAST OF AUSTRALIA—MORETON BAY.

Lighting of Outer Freeman Channel for Navigation by Night.

Closure of the North or Howe Channel to Navigation.

Discontinuance of Tangaluma Light.

Placing a Lighted Buoy at East Knoll.

No. 1 (third publication).—With reference to this office Notice to Mariners No. 277 of 1923, the Portmaster, Brisbane, has given further Notice (No. 4 of 1923) that on and after 22nd December 1923, the Outer Freeman Channel will be lighted for navigation by night; the North Channel will be closed to navigation; Tangaluma Light will be discontinued, and the red buoy at the East Knoll will be replaced by a lighted buoy

In the Outer Freeman Channel the following buoys will be replaced by lighted gas-buoys, viz.:—

The Outer Black Buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted black, and from which a fixed white light will show by night.

The Inner Black Buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted black, and showing a fixed green light.

The Outer Red Buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted red, and showing a fixed red light.

The junction chequered buoy will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted red, and showing a fixed white light.

Also a small fixed white light will be exhibited from a lamp-room situated on the beach three-quarters of a mile eastward of Comboyuro Lighthouse. This light will show a bright sector between the approximate bearings from seaward of S. 30° W. and S. 4° E.

The North or Howe Channel will be closed to navigation both day and night. All buoys marking this channel will be removed.

The light at Tangaluma will be discontinued.

The red buoy off East Knoll will be replaced by a gas-buoy painted red, and showing a fixed white light.

DIRECTIONS FOR NAVIGATING FREEMAN CHANNEL BY NIGHT.

Vessels from the South intending to enter by this channel, after passing one mile off Cape Moreton and North Point, then steer, W. by S. until Yellow Patch Light comes in line with Cape Moreton Light bearing S. 73° E. Keep these lights in line astern passing through the white sector of Comboyuro beach light. When this light shuts

out bearing approximately S. 4° E. the vessel will then be abreast the Freeman Channel Fairway Buoy, which is not lighted; haul down immediately to pass midway between the white and red lighted buoys. When abreast these lights steer to pass from a cable to a cable and a half off the green light; leave it on the port hand. When abreast this light steer to pass the white light, leaving it the same distance on the starboard hand, then proceed on until the small white light comes in line with Howard Range Light bearing S. 37° E. which marks a course midway between Yule Bank Buoy and Comboyuro Point. Continue on this line until abreast Comboyuro Point and thence proceed as hitherto.

DIRECTIONS BY DAY ARE AS HITHERTO.

By following these directions a depth of 24 feet at L. W. S. will be obtained.

Caution.—The notice of mariners is particularly called to the remarks on Moreton Bay Chart, Northern Portion, 1670A, in reference to the shifting nature of channels, the strong set of tides across the channels, and liability of buoys to break adrift.

Further, as in bad weather a heavy breaking sea occurs in this channel, it is advisable to use the North-West Channel under such conditions at night.

At night an incoming vessel should wait outside until any vessel proceeding out through this channel is well clear to seaward.

Chart affected: No. 1670A; Australia Directory, volume 3, page 105.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUBANG ISLAND.

Look Bay—Amendments to Chart re Shoals and Reefs.

No. 2 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1900 of 1923), are republished:—

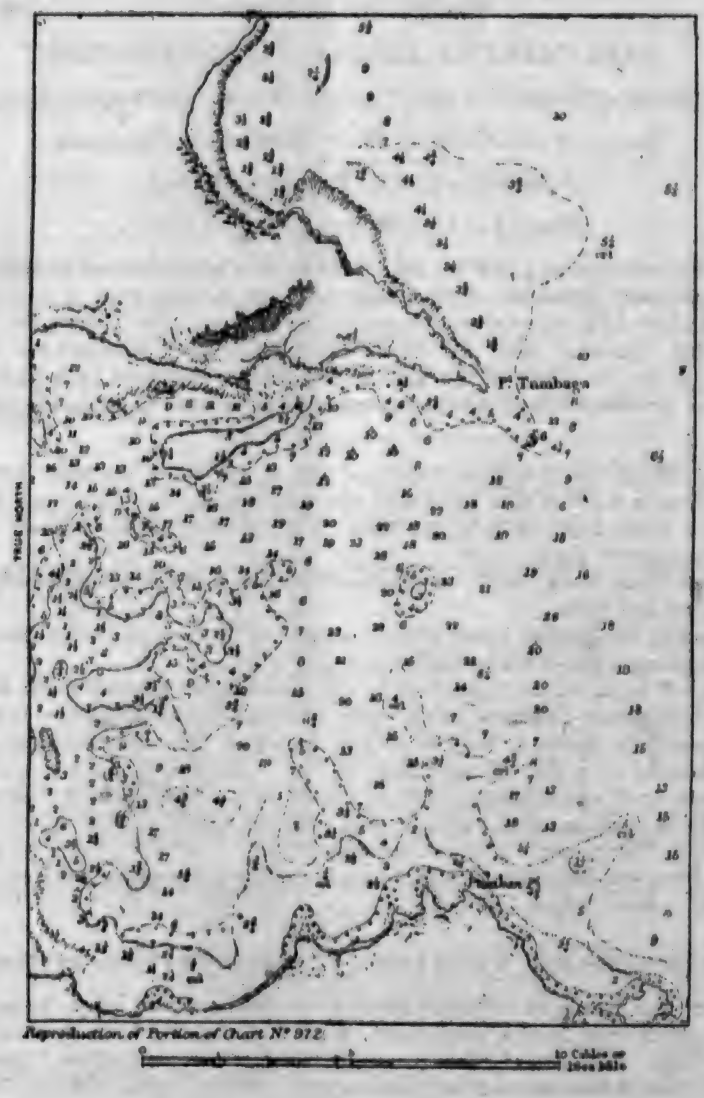
Position.—Point Tumbaga, lat. 13° 44′ N., long. 120° 17′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The accompanying reproduction of a portion of the plan quoted below, shows the necessary amendments with regard to shoals, reefs and fathom lines in Look bay and its entrance.

Chart affected.—No. 972, Plan of Look bay.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 34.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 420-23.*)



NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN—CAROLINE ISLANDS.

Truk Hogolu Islands—General Information to be inserted on Chart.

No. 3 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1912 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Dublon island, lat. 7° 23′ N., long. 151° 52′ E. (*approx.*).

(1) Shoal marked by buoy :

(*a*) Shoal :

Position.—In North East pass, at a distance of 8·35 miles 026° from Kutua point, Dublon island.

Depth—4½ fathoms (8m 2).

(*b*) Buoy :

Position.—Marking the above shoal.

Description.—A red buoy, with topmark.

Remarks.—For the note shown against North East pass on the chart, substitute the words "*Good passage* (*about 7 fms.*)."

(2) Existence of reefs and shoals :

(*a*) *Position.*—Off the south-eastern side of Moen, at a distance of 1·5 miles 347° from Kutua point, Dublon island. From this position a reef extends in a 039° direction for a distance of one mile.

Description.—A coral reef.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 2·9 miles 303° from the north-western point of Moen,

Details—This position is to be encircled by a danger line on the chart and is to be marked "(*P.A.*)"

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 3·7 miles 307° from the north-western point of Moen.

Details.—This position is to be encircled by a danger line on the chart and is to be marked "(*P.A.*)."

(*d*) *Position.*—Close southward of Pis island, at a distance of 10·8 miles 349½° from the north-western point of Moen.

Description.—A small coral reef, about 3 cables in extent.

(*e*) *Position.*—Eastward of Pis island at a distance of 11·2 miles 358½° from the north-western point of Moen.

Description.—A small coral reef, about 3 cables in extent.

(3) W/T mast established :

Position.—On Dublon island, at a distance of about 7 cables 257° from Kutua point.

Details.—This position is to be marked "*W-T Mast* (*P.A.*)."

(4) Foul ground :

Position.—Between Dublon and Fefan islands, at a distance of about 1½ miles south-westward of Mount Tolomen.

Details.—The anchorage symbol shown on the chart in this position is to be expunged. The note "*Foul Ground*" is to be substituted in the vicinity.

(5) Beacon established :

Position.—On the southern side of North East pass, at a distance of 8·3 miles 037° from Kutua point.

Description.—A beacon.

Chart affected.—No. 982, Truk or Hogolu islands.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, pages 613, 614, 615.

Authority.—H. M. S. *Foxglove*, Remark Book, 1923, and Japanese Government Chart. (*H. 6051-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—New South Wales.

Port Jackson Entrance—Depth in Dredged Channel.

No. 4 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1930 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—George head, lat. 33° 50′ S., long. 151° 16′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The following note is to be inserted on chart No. 1069, against the leading line which passes in a 224° direction, between George head and the Sow and Pigs beacon.

"*Channel 500 ft. wide, dredged to 40 ft. (1922).*"

Chart affected.—No. 1069, Port Jackson.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 31.

Authority.—Sydney Harbour Trust. (*H. 4943-23.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST—Batavia Roads.

Tanjong Priok Approach—Existence of shoal.

No. 5 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1936 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 7 cables eastward of Vader Smit reef. Lat. 6° 04′ 00″ S., long. 106° 52′ 08″ E., on chart No. 933.

Depth.—3½ fathoms (6^{m}4).

Charts affected.—No. 933, Batavia roads.

„ 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 75.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 2907 of 1923. (*H. 8044-23.*)

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

Round Hill Point—Light established.

No. 6 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1938 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 3·83 cables 034° from Round Hill 717 ft, (218^{m}5) ▲.

Lat. 41° 04′ S., long. 146° 00′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl. *W.R. ev. 3 sec., 100 ft. vis. 16 & 12 m.* Characteristics :

Character.—*Flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every three seconds* thus :—Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 2·7 sec.

Elevation.—100 feet (30^{m}5).

Visibility.—*White* light 16 miles, *red* light 12 miles.

Sectors.—*Red* over Blackman point reef. The limits of the sectors are not stated.

Power.—*White* light 3,000 candles ; *Red* light 1,200 candles.

Structure.—Square concrete house ; white lantern ; 22 feet (6^{m}7) in height.

Note.—The light is unwatched. The notation "(*P.D.*)" is to be inserted against this light on the plan quoted and "(*P.A.*)" on Chart No. 1695*b*.

Charts affected.—No. 3717, Plan of Emu bay.

„ 1695*b*, Bass strait—Western sheet.

„ 1079, Tasmania.

„ 2759*b*, Australia—Southern portion.

„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn—western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2798*a*.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 281.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Trade and Customs) Notice No. 21 of 1923. (*H. 8006-23.*)

NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN—PALAU ISLANDS.

Malakal Harbour and Koror Road—General Amendments to Plans.

No. 7 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1949 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Kasebogau passage, southern entrance.
Lat. 7° 17′ N., long. 134° 28′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The accompanying reproductions of portions of the plans quoted below show the necessary amendments with regard to reefs, rocks, shoals, depths, buoys and beacons in Malakal harbour and approaches, and Koror road.

Charts affected.—No. 1103, Plan of Malakal harbour and Koror road. Plan of Palau islands.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, pages 636, 637.

Authority.—Japanese Government Chart. (*H. 2610-23*).

Reproduction of Portions of Chart N°1103.

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AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST.

Torres Strait—Certain Shoals to be erased from reproductions of portions of Charts.

No. 8 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1954 of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notices.—Nos. 1738 and 1815 of 1923. (*This Office Nos. 411 and 427 of 1923.*)

Position.—Booby island, lat. 10° 36′ S., long. 141° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Correction.—The following shoals, which do not exist, are to be erased from the reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 437, 2375 and 2354 accompanying Notice No. 1815 of 1923 (*This Office No. 427 of 1923*) these shoals having been expunged from the chart plates in accordance with Notice No. 1738 of 1923 (*This Office No. 411 of 1923*) :—

Position.					Depth.		
2·7 miles	151°	from	Booby island lighthouse	..	4½ fathoms		(8m2).
3·1 „	154°	„	„	...	3½	„	(5m9).
2·2 „	329°	„	„	...	5	„	(9m1).
1·4 „	343°	„	„	...	4	„	(7m3).

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 234.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 8021-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—QUEENSLAND.

Beaver Reef—Shoal westward of.

No. 9 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1955 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 17° 51′ 00″ S., long. 146° 28′ 00″ E. (*approx.*), on chart No. 2349.

Depth.—3 fathoms (5m5).

Remarks.—The notation "(*P.A.*)" is to be inserted against this shoal on chart No. 2349.

Charts affected.—No. 2349, Magnetic island to Double point.
„ 2763, Coral sea and Great Barrier reefs—sheet I.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. IV, 1917, page 189.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 14 of 1923. (*H. 8007-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Beira Approach—Non-existence of Shoals.

No. 10 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1961 of 1923), are republished :—

The following shoals are to be expunged from the charts :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Lat. 20° 00′ 00″ S., long. 35° 10′ 00″ E., on chart No. 597.

Description.—A circular danger line, marked "shoal."

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of 6 miles 203° from (*a*).

Description.—A shoal marked by a circular danger line.

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of 11 miles 205° from (*a*).

Depth.—4 fathoms (7m3).

(*d*) *Position.*—At a distance of 10 miles 236° from (*a*).

Depth.—3 fathoms (5^{m}5).

(*e*) *Position.*—At a distance of 10 miles 266° from (*a*).

Depth.—2 fathoms (3^{m}7).

Note.—The foregoing corrections will be included in new edition of chart No. 648 shortly to be published.

Charts affected.—No. 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 223.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5961-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Beira, north-eastern Approach—Shoal reported.

No. 11 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1962 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 19° 41′ S., long. 35° 13′ E., on chart No. 597.

Details.—A depth of 2 fathoms (3^{m}7) is to be substituted for the 6 fathom (11^{m}0) depth shown on the chart in this position.

Note.—The above correction will be included in new edition of chart No. 648 shortly to be published.

Chart affected.—No. 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 229.

Authority.—H. M. S. *Verbena*, Hyd. No. of 1923. (*H. 5968-23.*)

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

First Forecast of the Wheat Crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

[NOTE.—On an average of the five years ending 1921-22, the area under wheat in Bengal has represented some 0·4 per cent. of the total area under wheat in India. The ratio of the irrigated wheat acreage to total wheat acreage in (*a*) British India and (*b*) in the territory now reported on, has, in the five years ending 1921-22, averaged (*a*) 41·8 and (*b*) 18·2 per cent., respectively.

Explanatory.—Four forecasts of the wheat crop are published. This forecast deals only with the area sown and the general condition of the crop in its early stages.

Acreage.—According to the estimates of the District Officers the total area sown amounts to 121,400 acres against 115,400 and 124,800 acres reported, respectively, in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

Character of the season.—The rainfall in September and October was suitable for preparatory tillage, and sowings commenced at the normal time. Slight showers in November helped the germination of the crop, but since then absence of rain has affected some districts including the important one of Malda, which covers about two-fifths of the area under the crop. The present condition is reported as generally fair.

ROBERT S. FINLOW,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal (*offg.*).

CAMP BANGALORE, *the 22nd January 1924.*

APPENDIX.

First Forecast of the Wheat Crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

District.	Estimated normal area under the wheat crop.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER WHEAT.		Date on which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1922-23).	This year (1923-24).		
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
Nadia	23,100	11,700	11,900	Beginning of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been very favourable for want of rains. The condition of the crop is fair.
Murshidabad ...	35,800	21,800	21,300	October and November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
Jessore ...	3,800	900	700	November ...	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
Burdwan ...	1,600	2,300	1,500	Early in November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crop is poor.
Birbhum ...	4,800	3,100	2,800	End of October ...	The sowings were normal The weather has not been favourable The condition of the crop is poor.
Bankura ...	6,500*	3,400	3,000	Ditto ...	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
Midnapore ...	800	800	800	November ...	The normal area has been revised on the basis of settlement record. The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
Hooghly ...	400	900	900	Middle of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
Rajshahi ...	18,600	10,000	9,200	November ...	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable for want of rain. The condition of the crop is fair.
Dinajpur ...	1,300	1,600	1,800	By the end of October.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
Jalpaiguri ...	800	500	600	November. Normal.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
Darjeeling ...	2,900	2,500	2,500	3rd week of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
Rangpur ...	3,400	3,400	3,400	Beginning of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
Bogra ...	100	300	300	November ...	The sowings were normal. The condition of the crop is poor for want of moisture in the soil.
Pabna ...	8,800	6,800	6,900	Middle of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions have not at all been favourable for the growth of the crop. The condition of the crop is poor.
Malda ...	43,000	48,000	48,000	Latter part of October.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. For want of timely rainfall the growth of the crop has been retarded to some extent. The condition of the crop is fair at present.
Dacca ...	4,100	3,500	3,400	Middle of November	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair at present.
Mymensingh ...	500	600	600	Beginning of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been generally favourable, but rain is wanted. The condition of the crop is fair.
Faridpur ...	2,700	2,900	2,700	October ...	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
TOTAL BENGAL	162,700	124,800	121,400		

* Revised.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Final Forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

[NOTE.—On an average of the five years ending 1921-22, the area under sugarcane in Bengal has represented some 8·2 per cent. of the total area under sugarcane in British India.]

Character of the season.—As noted in the second forecast, the season commenced under favourable conditions. Subsequently during the early period of growth, the crop suffered from drought over the greater part of the province, especially in the deltaic tracts. With the break of the monsoon prospects improved but the crop did not fully recover in many districts. On the whole the crop has been satisfactory in East Bengal and fair for the rest of the province.

Acreage.—The total area planted with sugarcane for the province is estimated at 207,900 acres this year against 200,600 acres last year.

Outturn.—From the Appendix I attached to the report, it will be seen that two districts (namely Rangpur and Chittagong Hill Tracts) report a normal crop, seven districts a crop varying from 92 to 88 per cent., and ten districts a crop between 83 and 75 per cent., and five districts return a crop between 68 and 67 per cent. Three districts report crops as low as between 47 to 58 per cent.

According to the above estimates, the average outturn of the crop for the province works out at 80 per cent. of the normal against 79 per cent. last year.

Taking 36½ maunds as the normal rate of cane-*gur* per acre, the gross outturn for the province is estimated at 223,000 tons this year against 212,500 tons last year.

Other sources of *Gur*.—The total quantity of *gur* likely to be obtained from date-palm juice and others is estimated at 119,300 tons this year against 131,900 tons last year.

The quantity of *gur* for the province from all sources is thus estimated at 342,300 tons this year against 344,400 tons last year.

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APPENDIX I.

Final Forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

District.	Estimated normal area under sugarcane.	Estimated area under sugarcane—		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of the crop generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas	4,600	2,400	1,400	58	58	November. Normal ...	The decrease as compared with that of the last year is due to want of rain at the time of planting as also to want of sufficient cuttings. The weather has not been favourable. Damage to the extent of 8 annas is reported from Basirhat subdivision.
Nadia	7,900	6,000	5,700	75	67	Beginning of January. Normal.	The weather conditions were at first favourable, but want of rain was felt from the latter part of May and retarded the growth of the plants. The outturn is expected to fall much below the normal for want of timely rainfall.
Murshidabad	5,500	3,200	3,200	67	50	Sadar and Jangipur. Normal. Elsewhere not yet begun.	Weather has not been favourable. Continued drought after planting stunted the growth of the crop; hence the outturn is below the normal.
Jessore	3,200	2,500	3,200	67	75	December. Normal ...	The increase of area is due to favourable weather at planting time. The effect of weather after the plantation has not been favourable for want of soil moisture.
Khulna	1,500	700	700	75	67	.....	The weather has not been favourable and the outturn is below the normal owing to want of timely rainfall.
Burdwan	11,600	14,300	17,000	100	83	Not yet commenced ...	The increase in area is due to increase on the price of *gur*. The weather was favourable at planting time, but subsequent hot weather affected the young plants adversely. Since the middle of June the weather has been very favourable and the damage was made good to some extent.
Birbhum	9,800	9 000	9,000	83	83	Ditto ...	The weather has been fairly favourable. The outturn is below the normal owing to want of rainfall.
Bankura	9,700	11,000	9,000	67	83	Ditto ...	The weather was favourable at planting time, but subsequently since September the growth of the crop was retarded by drought. Damage was done to the crop in some places by drought and insect pests.
Midnapore	6,600	4,300	5,700	75	75	Ditto ...	The decrease in area compared with the previous estimates is due to revision. The weather has been fair.
Hooghly	3,300	3,900	3,700	67	67	Ditto ...	The weather was unfavourable for want of rain. Drought caused damage to the extent of eight annas crop in the Arambagh subdivision.
Howrah	5,300	4,600	3,900	38	47	Ditto ...	The weather has not been favourable. Damage was done by drought in the Uluberia subdivision.
Rajshahi	7,500	6,800	5,500	83	83	December. Normal ...	The decrease as compared with last year is due to want of rain at planting time. The effects of weather on the cultivation and growth of the crop have not altogether been favourable. About 2 annas damage is reported from Natore for want of rain.
Dinajpur	29,300	27,500	29,200	74	68	January. Normal ...	The weather was favourable at planting time, but the drought in July and August retarded the growth of the plants and caused the outturn to fall below the normal.
Jalpaiguri	6,000	5,200	5,100	83	92	Middle of October to December 1923.	The weather and its effects on the growth of the crop have been favourable. Excessive rainfall caused the outturn to fall somewhat below the normal.
Darjeeling	200	200	300	83	75	December. Normal ...	The increase in area is due to good rain at the beginning of the year. The weather has been fair.
Rangpur	11,900	14,200	21,200	100	100	First week of January. Normal.	The increase in area is due to seasonable weather and high price of *gur*. The weather was favourable.
Bogra	6,700	3,500	3 500	80	90	January. Early ...	The weather has been favourable.

District.	Estimated normal area under sugarcane.	Estimated area under sugarcane—		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of the crop generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Pabna	5,600	3,500	3,500	83	67	End of December. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with the previous estimates is due to revision. The weather was not favourable at planting time and continued drought afterwards retarded the growth of the crop. About 4 annas crop was damaged by drought.
Malda	300	300	300	80	75	Second week of November. Normal.	The weather was not favourable at the planting time. The outturn is below the normal due to want of timely rainfall.
Dacca	21,100	21,500	20,000	80	88	July. Normal ...	The decrease in area as compared with that of the last year is due to increased cultivation of jute and that with the previous estimates is due to revision. The weather was not favourable at the planting time for want of timely rain. Since then the conditions have improved and the weather has been favourable.
Mymensingh	11,100	6,500	7,000	80	80	November and December. Normal.	The increase in area is due to the high price of *gur*. The weather was not favourable at the start but it has improved afterwards.
Faridpur	7,400	7,000	6,900	88	89	September. Normal...	The weather was not favourable at planting time and the growth of the crop was affected to some extent. Subsequently the condition was favourable.
Bakarganj	18,800	28,500	29,000	67	75	September. Early ...	The weather has on the whole been favourable, but the outturn is below the normal due to premature harvesting and to damage done by insect pests.
Chittagong	5,300	6,000	6,000	100	92	October to December. Normal.	The weather has been favourable. Some damage is reported to have been caused by insects in Cox's Bazar and by floods in Satkania.
Tippera	6,100	6,100	6,000	100	92	December. Normal ...	The weather was favourable. Slight damage was done to the crop for want of timely rainfall.
Noakhali	800	1,000	900	100	99	End of September. Normal.	The weather has been favourable. The outturn is somewhat below the normal due to unfavourable weather at the time of planting.
Chittagong Hill Tracts	1,000	900	1,000	88	100	End of December. Normal.	The weather was favourable for the crop.
Total for Bengal ...	215,100	200,600	207,900	79	80		

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of estimated acreage and outturn of the sugarcane crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

Province.	Area (in acres).							Yield (in tons).						
	Of current year's crop (1923-24).	Of previous year's crop (1922-23).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (-), area in—			Estimated yield of current year, *i.e.*, of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, *i.e.*, of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+), or is less than (-), yield in—		
					Column 3.	Column 4.						Column 8.	Column 9.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
			Five years.	*Ten years.*		*Five years.*	*Ten years*			*Five years.*	*Ten years*		*Five years.*	*Ten years.*
Bengal ...	207,900	200,600	216,800	219,200	+3·6	-4·1	-5·1	223,000	213,500	243,900	244,000	+4·7	-8·90	-8·6

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Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas	Sauar Island ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Diamond Harbour.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
		Budge-Budge ...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Canning Town...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barrackpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dum-Dum* ...																				
		Barasat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Basirhat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gosaba* ...																				
	Nadia ...	Ranaghat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Krishnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chuadanga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Meherpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Harlughata ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad.	Kandi ...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Berhampore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jalbagh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Azimganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jangipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalgola* ...																				
		Akriganj (*Murcha*).	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
		Patkabari ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
		Dumkal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalivangan (*Ishanpur*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore ...	Narali ...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jhenida ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
		Magura ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bongaon ...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
	Khulna ...	Satkhira ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagerhat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khulna ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Naikpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
		Dumuria ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rampal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalaroa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Paikgachha ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mollahat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mosalpanj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
BURDWAN	Burdwan	Kalna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Burdwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Katwa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Asansol ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mankar* ...																				
		Mangalkot ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Royna* ...																				
		Monteswar* ...																				
	Birbhum	Suri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hetampur* ...																				
		Rampurhat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bolpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Murarai* ...																				
		Labpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bankura	Bankura ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Vishnupur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mallara* ...																				
		Khatra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Indus ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kotalpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Onda* ...																				
		Gangajalghati...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sonamukhi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Taldangra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saraugi* ...																				
		Indpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Arhra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barjora ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Simlapal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mejia* ...																				
		Sironmalpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palasdanga* ...																				
		Chatna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raniband ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saltora ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joypur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ambikanagar* ...																				
		Jairampur (*Radhanagar.*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1923.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st December to 31st December 1923.	Normal rainfall from 1st December to 31st December 1923.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	0·21	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	0·23	0·26	0·21	0·23	0·26	Sagor Island ...	24-Parganas	PRESIDENCY.
...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	0·08	0·18	0·08	0·08	0·18	Diamond Harbour.		
...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·4	0·18	0·24	0·18	0·18	0·24	Budge-Budge.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·08	Nil	Nil	0·08	Canning Town.		
...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·4	0·20	0·27	0·20	0·20	0·27	Alipore.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·13	Nil	Nil	0·13	Berhampore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·11	Nil	Nil	0·11	Lalbagh.		
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												0·3		0·10			0·10	Lalgola.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·1	Nil	0 07	Nil	Nil	0·07	Akriganj (*Mariela*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·1	Nil	0·08	Nil	Nil	0·08	Patkabari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·14	Nil	Nil	0·14	Dumkal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0 5	Nil	0·18	Nil	Nil	0·18	Kalliangunj (*Ishanpur*).		
...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	0·03	0·18	0·03	0·03	0·15	Narail ...	Jessore ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·20	Nil	Nil	0·20	Jessore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·16	Nil	Nil	0·16	Jhenida.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·16	Nil	Nil	0·16	Magura.		
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...	...	...	...	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0 4	0·34	0·18	0·34	0·34	0·18	Barasiat.		
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(a) Not ascertained.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN BENGAL

Division	District.	Station	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN—contd.	Midnapore	Contai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tamluk	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore*	...																			
		Ghatal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kukrahati	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amlagora*	...																			
		Panskura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dantan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandrakona*	...																			
		Pachet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhawanipur kultikri* (*Keshiary*)	...																			
		Nayabasan*																				
		Silda (*Belpahari*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kharagpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Goaltore*	...																			
		Salboni	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narayangarh	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Henria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jenka (*Ahajri*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nandigram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Moyna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pingla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narajole*	...																			
		Balichak	...																			
		Jamgram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kolahat (*Dainan*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hooghly ...	Serampore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hooghly	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Arambagh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohesreka	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Uluberia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Nangaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bilmaria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahadebpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tanor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chaugram*	...																			
		Joari*	...																			
	Dinajpur	Nithpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj*	...																			
		Gangarampur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Churamon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raiganj*	...																			
		Dinajpur	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Balurghat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Thakurgaon	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Setabganj	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ranganj*	...																			
		Atwari	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Birganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Falakata	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Debiganj*	...																			
		Bhagatpur* (*Bagrakata*).																				
		Buxa	...	...	...	0 09	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalchini	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kumargram*	...																			
	Darjeeling	Siliguri	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Mongpoo	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurseong*	...																			
		Pedong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jalapahar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangpur	Bhawaniganj (*Gaibandha*).	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurigaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gobindganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagdogra (*Nilphamari*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ulipur*	...																			
		Bundergani	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saidpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bogra ...	Sherpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nowkhilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panchbibi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khetlal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pabna ...	Shahzadpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sirajganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1923—*contd.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st December to 31st December 1923.	Normal rainfall from 1st December to 31st December 1923.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.
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		Sibganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gomastapur ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj* ...																				
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Munshiganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dacca ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Narayanganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narsingdi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manikganj ...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joydebpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kapasia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	Kishorganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Atia (*Tangail*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sarisabari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mymensingh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jamalpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Netrokona ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Phulpur* ...																				
		Durgapur* ...																				
		Sherpur (*Town*)*																				
		Dewanganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nalitabari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Faridpur	Madaripur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Faridpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rajbari (*Goalundo*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haridaspur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Taketat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhanga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Bhusna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palong* ...																				
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
		Barguna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirozpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barisal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gaurnadi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhola ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daulatkhan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bauphal ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Satkania ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Brahmanbaria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramchandrapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nasirnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daudkandi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kasba ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Laksam* ...																				
	Noakhali	Noakhali ...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Feni ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Harishpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chhagalnaya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hatiya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lakhmipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bandarban ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barkal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahalcheri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lama ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramgarh* ...																				
		Manikcheri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dighinala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tippera.	Agartala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Cooch Behar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mekliganj ...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mathabhanga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Fulbaria ... (*Tufanganj*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

DACCA, *the 23rd January 1924.*

FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1923—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st December to 31st December 1923.	Normal rainfall from 1st December to 31st December 1923.	Station.	District.	Division.
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...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	0·09	0 29	0·09	0·09	0·29	Daulatkhan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·46	Nil	Nil	0·46	Bauphal.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·53	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	0·53	0·42	0·53	0·53	0·42	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	0·52	0·58	0·52	0·52	0·58	Chittagong.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	0·45	0·41	0·45	0·45	0·61	Kutubdia.		
...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	0·15	0·45	0·15	0·15	0·45	Satkania.		
...	...	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	0·65	0·72	0·65	0·65	0·72	Kodala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	0·22	0·64	0·22	0·22	0·64	Mirsarai.		
...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	0·09	0·30	0 09	0·09	0·36	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	0·08	0·27	0·08	0·08	0·37	Chandpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·26	Nil	Nil	0·26	Brahmanbaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·11	Nil	Nil	0·11	Ramchandrapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·19	Nil	Nil	0·19	Nasirnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·13	Nil	Nil	0·13	Daudkandi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0 5	Nil	0·26	Nil	Nil	0·26	Kasba.		
												0·4		0·25			0·25	Laksam.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	0·04	0·47	0·04	0·04	0·47	Noakhali ...	Noakhali	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	0·05	0·58	0·05	0·05	0 58	Feni.		
...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	0·05	0 52	0·05	0·05	0·52	Hajiganj.		
...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·3	0·10	0·25	0·10	0·10	0·25	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·44	Nil	Nil	0·44	Chhagalnaya.		
...	...	...	...	0·25	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·6	0·40	0·49	0·25	0·40	0·49	Hatia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·30	Nil	Nil	0·30	Lakimipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·61	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	0·61	0·62	0·61	0·61	0 62	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	0·45	0 59	0·45	0·45	0·59	Banderbau.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	0·65	0·82	0·65	0·65	0·82	Barkal.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·49	...	...	...	...	...	1	(x)	0·49	(x)	0·49	0·49	(x)	Mahalcheri.		
...	...	...	...	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(x)	0·75	(x)	0·75	0·75	(x)	Lama.		
												(x)		(x)			(x)	Naugaih		
...	...	...	...	...	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	1	(x)	0·39	(x)	0·39	0·39	(x)	Manikcheri.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(x)	Nil	(x)	Nil	Nil	(x)	Dighinala.		
...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	0·04	0·32	0·04	0·04	0·32	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·11	Nil	Nil	0·11	Dinhata ...	Cooch Behar.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·10	Nil	Nil	0·10	Cooch Behar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·3	0·22	0·13	0·22	0·22	0·13	Mathabhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·09	Nil	Nil	0·09	Mekliganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	1	0·3	0·21	0·18	0·21	0·21	0·18	Fulbaria (*Tufangunj*).		

(x) Not ascertained.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal*

Statement showing the quantity of Salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of January 1924 and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th January 1924.

Description of Salt	In Sulkea Government golas (Bonded).	Quantity afloat.	Total.	Transactions during half-month from the 1st to the 15th January 1924, inclusive.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds. Srs.	Mds	Mds. Srs.	Mds. Srs.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	1,124,156 0	...	1,124,156 0	116,580 0	29,984	42,700	72,142
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt	520 017 0	...	520,017 0	41,200 0	5,667	31,094	6,700
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	312,620 0	...	312,620 0	4,280 0	...	...	7,650
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	400 0	...	400 0	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt	653,991 0	12,364	666,355 0	91,600 0	...	41,500	25,056
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt	289,904 0	85,445	275,349 0	138,450 0	...	102,900	59,756
Salif salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt	328,221 26	205,995	584,216 26	69,200 0	179,667	79,700	15,200
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tuticorin salt	20,650 0	...	20,650 0	400 0	...	...	400
Kayalpatnam salt ...	33,863 0	...	33,863 0	...	...	...	800
Total ...	(a) 3,283,822 26	253,804	3,487,626 26	(b) 431,610 0	215,268	297,944	187,204

	Mds.	Srs
Written off during the half-month—		
Wastage in Sulkea golas	3,474	0
Abandoned and destroyed	570	0
In transit—		
Port Said salt	7,220	0
Massawah salt	33,900	0
Aden salt	4,800	0

(a) Besides 28,079 maunds are in the private licensed warehouses at Calcutta.
(b) Includes 500 maunds passed free of duty and excludes 2,000 maunds on which extra duty at Re. 1-4 per maund was paid

R. R. SAKSENA,
Assistant Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 21st January 1924.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 23rd January 1924.

Summary.—The week was rainless. Preparation of lands for jute and other autumn crops is proceeding. Threshing of winter paddy is in full swing Harvesting of mustard and potatoes and pressing of sugarcane are going on under favourable conditions. The standing crops are doing fairly well. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 0·39 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week	Previous week.	
	1	2	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	Nil	6½	6½	Effects of weather on crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy is nearly completed. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8½	8⅞	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8	8½	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and sugarcane continues. Lands are being prepared for *bhadoi* crops. Rain is badly needed. Stock of rice is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the Sadar and Chuadanga subdivisions.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7¼	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	8	7½	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	8	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	7½	7⅞	Weather occasionally cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy is finished. Cultivation of *boro* paddy has been started. *Rabi* crops require rain. Fodder is sufficient.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8½	8¼	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8¼	8 to 8½	
4	Jessore	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient. Insufficiency of water is being felt in places. No import or export.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	9	
	Magura ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	
	Narail ...	Nil	9¼	9¼	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of crops are fair.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SERS PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. The effects of weather on crops are beneficial. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of potatoes in some places and threshing of *aman* paddy are going on. Stock of food-grains and fodder and water are sufficient. Export and import of rice continuing as usual.
	Asansol ...	Nil	6	7	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kalna ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	7½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter paddy is going on. Rain is wanted for the *rabi* crops. Fodder is sufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	Nil	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter paddy is finished. Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Export of rice and paddy continues.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	8½	9	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter paddy, transplantation of *boro* paddy and pressing of sugarcane continue. The prices of rice are stationary. Import and export are normal. Prospects of rape, mustard and sugarcane are fair.
	Contai ...	Nil	8	8	
	Tamluk ...	0·70	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	7⅜	7⅜	
	Jhargram ...	Nil	8	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Haripal thana.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8½	8½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Harvesting of paddy is almost finished; threshing is proceeding.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are tolerable. Fodder and water are still sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7	7	Harvesting of winter paddy is nearing completion. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Panitola police-station.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8	7½	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	7	
15	DARJEELING ...	Nil	5	5	Paddy is being harvested. Wheat is progressing. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is prevalent.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong ...	Nil	5½	5½	

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	6½	6¼	Harvesting of winter rice is over and that of mustard and potatoes is going on. Lands are being prepared for jute and autumn paddy. Cattle-disease is reported from Gaibandha, Palashbari and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	6¼	5¾	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6	6¼	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	7½	7⅞	Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are bad. Preparation of lands for jute and *aus* paddy has commenced.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	6¾	6¼	More rain is wanted. Water and stock of food-grains are sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	7	7½	Harvesting of winter paddy is nearly finished. Prospects of standing crops are favourable.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7¼	7 9/16	Weather is seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on and that of mustard seed has commenced in places. Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease exists in the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	7	7	Weather very cold. Transplantation of *boro* paddy has commenced. Fields are being prepared for *aus* crops. Prospects of *rabi* crops are satisfactory. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8	8	
	Narayanganj ...	Nil	7½	7¼	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	(*n*)	7½	(*n*)	
22	MYMENSINGH ...	Nil	6¼	6½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are available.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6⅞	(*n*)	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	Nil	7¼	7½	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	Nil	7½	7½	
	Madaripur ...	(n)	(n)	9	
	Gopalganj (a) ...	Nil	9½	9½	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	8 6½†	8½ 6½†	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is almost finished. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7† 7½	7† 7½	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7† 7½	7† 7½	
	Dakshin Shahazpur (Bhola).	Nil	6½† 8	8 6½†	
25	CHITTAGONG ...	Nil	7 6½*	7 6⅝*	Cultivation of the *rabi* crops is progressing. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are fair. Water and fodder are sufficient. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	7½	7½	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	8	8	Weather good. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Brahmanbaria but elsewhere good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	$7\frac{3}{11}$	$7\frac{3}{11}$	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair in Feni and not bad in Sadar subdivision. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	8	8	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *boro* rice is going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 25 to Rs. 30 and jute at Rs. 7 to Rs. 10 per maund.

* Burma rice. (a) Not reported. † Old.

(a) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 26th January 1924.*

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of January 1924.

Marts.	PADDY, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	7 2 0	7 6 0	8 12 0
Burdwan ...	2 12 6	2 12 0	2 12 3	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 11 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 11 0	2 10 0	2 15 0	2 8 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0
Chittagong ...	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	7 2 0	7 4 0	7 12 0
Dacca ...	3 2 0	3 6 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	6 5 0	6 8 0	6 8 0
Pabna ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0
Rangpur ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	6 8 0
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	RICE, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	6 4 0	6 8 0	7 2 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0
Burdwan ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	(a)	(a)	7 4 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	(c)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 4 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0
Chittagong ...	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 2 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	5 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	5 0 0
Pabna ...	5 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 4 0
Rangpur ...	6 8 0	6 12 0	5 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	5 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not available. (c) No transaction. (d) New.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of January 1924.

Marts.	Gram.			Arhar Dal.			Linseed.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	8 0 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	9 8 0
Burdwan	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	(a)	(a)	(a)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 0 0	4 8 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	7 0 0
Chittagong ..	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0
Dacca ...	4 0 0	5 0 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 4 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	8 12 0
Pabna ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 4 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	11 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 12 0
Rangpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	(a)	(a)	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	Mustard.			Gur.			Cotton (unginned).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	8 8 0	8 8 0	9 8 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	20 0 0 to 22 0 0	(c)	13 0 0 to 15 0 0
Burdwan ..	7 4 0 to 8 4 0	7 4 0 to 8 4 0	9 0 0 to 9 4 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0 to 7 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	8 4 0 to 9 12 0	8 8 0 to 10 0 0	10 0 0 to 11 0 0	13 0 0	14 0 0	10 8 0 to 12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong	8 8 0	8 8 0	9 8 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	11 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	11 0 0	12 8 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	9 0 0	11 0 0	15 0 0	6 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	17 0 0	14 0 0	7 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not reported. (c) Not available. (d) No transaction.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of January 1924.

Marts	Jute.			Ghee.			Hide Cow).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(1)12 0 0 (2) (c) (3)11 10 0	(1) 12 0 0 (2) (c) (3) 11 7 0	(1)s 18 0 0 (2) 17 0 0 (3) 15 0 0	85 0 0	87 0 0 (m)	85 0 0	337 8 0*	337 8 0*	345 0 0*
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigunj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Serajganj (Pabna).	9 12 0	9 12 0	11 8 0 to 13 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	11 0 0 to 13 0 0	11 0 0 to 13 0 0	14 8 0 to 17 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	9 0 0 to 10 12 0	9 12 0 to 10 12 0	12 4 0 to 16 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(1) Price of jat jouts.
(2) Price of district jouts.
(3) Weighted average price.

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosine Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(a) 11 0 0 to 13 0 0	(a) 11 0 0 to 13 0 0	(d) 93 0 0	3 4 0*	3 4 6	(e) 115 0 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigunj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Per 100 pieces. (a) British mild steel per cwt. (c) No transaction. (d) Per ton. (e) Per 100 maunds ex Golah. (m) Revised.
(n) Report not received.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of January 1924.

Marts.	MUSTARD OIL			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	20 8 0	20 12 0	22 0 0	0 12 0	0 12 0	13 6 0	(n)	(n)	(n)
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(n) Not reported.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 25th January 1924.*

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first half of January 1924.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.																	
			Common rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar dal or Tiur Caijan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.														
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hat	6 8	6 8	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 0	10 0 9 8*	10 0	12 0* 11
	2	Magra Hat	8 0	8 0	6 11	8 14	8 14	7 4	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 5	5 5	5 5	10 13	10 13	12 8*
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata	5 14	5 11	5 4	7 10	8 0	8 0	6 2	6 2	6 2	5 8	5 8	4 11	8 0†	8 0†	10 0 10 0*
		Nadia															
	4	Goari	7 8	8 4	8 7	8 0	8 14	9 2	4 8	4 0	4 9	5 0	5 0	4 9	8 14†	8 6†	12 12†
	5	Ranaghat	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	5 4	4 8	4 8	5 4	5 4	4 0	10 0†	10 0†	10
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampore	7 12	8 8	8 8	7 14	8 8	9 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	10 0* 8 8	10 0* 7 9	8 0 13 0*
	7	Kandi	8 12	8 0 8 8	9 8	9 0	8 4 (b) 8 12	9 12	8 0 (b)	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 0	10 0†	10 0†	13 0*
	8	Jangipur ...	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	9 0	5 0	5 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0†	10 0†	13 0*
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	7 4	8 0	5 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	4 8	6 0	3 4	4 0	5 8	4 0	8 0	9 0	13 0 12 0*
	10	Bongaon	7 0	8 8	7 8	8 4	9 0	8 8	4 0	3 8	3 4	5 8	4 8	4 0	10 0* 10 8	10 0†	13 0 12 8*
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	7 4	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 8	4 8	4 4	4 0	8 12†	8 12†	11 8* 12 0*
	12	Bagerhat	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 0	7 0	5 8	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	12 8* 13 0*
		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	7 12	7 12	7 0	9 8	9 8	8 12	5 0	4 12	4 8	5 8	6 0	5 7	10 0 10 8*	10 0 10 8*	13 0* 12 12
	14	Kalna	7 0	6 8	7 13	7 8	7 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 5	5 8	5 0	4 4	10 0†	10 0†	14 8* 14 8
		Birbhum															
	15	Suri	8 0	8 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	9 0	6 4	6 6	6 4	6 0	6 4	5 4	10 0*	10 0*	13 0*
	16	Rampur Hat	8 0	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 0	9 8	7 0	5 8	5 0	6 0	6 0	4 8	10 0†	10 0†	14 0* 13 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 12	8 8	9 0	6 0	8 0	5 12	5 12	6 0	5 0	9 0 10 0*	10 0†	12 0 14 0*
	18	Vishnupur	9 0	9 0	8 12	10 0	10 0	8 14	7 0	7 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	5 8	10 0†	10 0†	13 0
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	8 11	8 11	9 8	9 0	9 0	10 1	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 0	5 0	4 8	9 0* 10 0	10 8†	13 0 11 0
	20	Contai	9 0	8 8	9 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 0	5 0	5 8	9 8†	10 0†	12 0 8 0*
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 0	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 0	6 8	8 0	5 4	5 8	5 0	10 4 10 0*	10 4 10 0	11 8* 13 0
	22	Arambagh	8 4	8 4	9 0	9 0	9 4	10 0	4 0	4 8	5 0	4 4	4 4	3 14	9 4 8 8*	9 0 8 4	13 0 10 8*
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	7 0	6 12	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 0	5 8	11 0 10 0*	11 0 10 8*	14 0 13 0*
	24	Uluberia	7 0	7 0	7 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	6 0	5 12	5 8	5 0	11 8†	10 8†	12 4
		Rajshahi.															
Rajshahi	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 14	7 8	7 8	8 10	9 0	9 0	7 14	5 4	5 14	6 0	6 0	5 14	9 12 9 0*	9 12* 9 0	12 0 12 0 9 12*
	26	Nator	7 8	8 12	6 12	8 4	8 4	7 8	4 14	4 14	4 14	8 0	6 0	4 14	8 11	8 11	
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	7 3	7 7	9 0	8 7	8 7	9 9	4 13	4 13	4 0	5 8	5 8	4 0	9 2†	9 2†	11 0* 11 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ..	7 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 8	9 0	5 12	5 12	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	9 0†	9 0†	11 0†

* Karkach. (a) Not available. (b) New.

N B.—The price of karkach and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of January 1924.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common rice. Average.			Common rice. Cheapest.			Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar dal or Tur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi—contd.	29	Sadar	7 0	6 0	6 12	8 4	6 12	7 4	4 8	4 0	4 8	4 0	4 0	3 4	7 0 / 8 0*	8 0	9 0†
	30	Siliguri	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0*	8 0*	8 0†
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	5 0	5 4	7 4	6 4	6 4	8 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0* / 7 0	8 0* / 7 0	8 0* / 7 0
	32	Nilphamari	7 4	7 0	9 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 8	4 8	3 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0*	8 0*	12 0*
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	7 2	7 2	7 11	7 8	7 8	7 14	4 4	4 0	4 0	6 0	6 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	8 8 / 10 0*
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	6 12	6 12	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 4	5 4	5 8	4 0	4 0	3 8	8 0† / 8 0*	10 0 / 11 0*	
	35	Sirajganj	6 0	6 0	6 6	7 10	7 10	8 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	9 8 / 12 0*
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 0†	9 8* / 10 0	11 8* / 12 0
	37	Dalia—Nawabganj...	7 8	8 12	8 2	8 0	10 0	9 1	8 0	6 12	5 8	6 0	8 0 (b)	6 0	9 0†	12 0* / 9 12	12 0 / 12 8*
Dacca.		Dacca.															
	38	Sadar	7 0	7 8	8 10	8 8	8 8	8 0	6 4	5 8	8 0	5 8	5 4	4 8	8 0* / 8 0†	8 0†	10 8
	39	Mirkadim ...	7 12	7 12	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	9 12* / 10 0	9 12* / 10 0	13 4 / 14 0*
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	6 0	5 0	5 4	6 0	6 0	5 14	8 12* / 10 0	10 0 / 9 0*	12 4 / 11 4*
	41	Netrakona	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	4 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	9 0 / 8 0*	9 0 / 8 0*	11 4 / 10 0*
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar...	7 12	7 0	7 4	8 4	8 0	7 8	(c)	(c)	7 0	(c)	(c)	3 4	8 0†	8 0†	12 8 / 13 0*
	43	Rajbari	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 0	7 12	5 0	5 0	5 12	6 0	6 0	4 4	12 0* / 11 0	12 0* / 11 8	14 0 / 12 0
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	6 12 (f) / 8 4	7 5 (b) / 7 14	7 4	7 8 (d) / 9 0	7 8 (d) / 8 12	9 0	8 0	8 0	5 0	5 4	5 4	4 12	10 0†	8 0 / 8 8*	11 0* / 13 0
	45	Pirojpur	7 8	8 0	7 4	8 0	8 6	7 12	6 8	6 8	5 8	4 0	4 0	(a)	9 0†	9 0†	12 4†
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	(b) 7 9	8 0	8 0	(b) 8 0	9 0	7 12	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 8	5 0	4 0	9 0 / 8 0*	8 0†	13 0* / 10 0
	47	Chandpur	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 4	8 12	7 0	7 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 8* / 11 0	10 8†	14 8* / 15 0
Chittagong.		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 4	7 8	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	3 8	9 0 / 8 0*	8 4†	12 8 / 8 0*
	49	Feni Hat	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	10 0 / 8 0*	10 0 / 8 0*	13 0 / 8 0*
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar...	7 0	7 0	6 4	8 0	8 0	6 12	5 8	5 8	4 12	5 8	5 8	4 0	10 0 / 8 0*	10 0 / 8 0	13 0 / 9 0*
	51	Cox's Bazar	7 8	7 0	7 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 0	8 0 / 8 0*	8 0 / 8 0*	10 8 / 6 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rankamati.	(a)	(a)	7 0	6 8	7 0	10 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	3 12	3 12	3 12	10 8 / 6 8*	9 0 / 6 8*	11 0 / 6 8

(a) Not available. (d) Ana. (c) No sale. (s) Not reported. (b) New. * Karkach.

N.B.—The prices of karkatch and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 25th January 1924.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 19th January 1924.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
13th January ...	7 A.M.	7·6	7·6	7·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
14th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·5	7·5	7·4	
15th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·4	7·4	7·3	The bench mark for this gauge is marked on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
16th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·2	7·2	7·3	
17th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·0	7·0	7·3	
18th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·9	6·9	7·4	
19th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·9	6·9	7·4	Its reduced level is 26·64.

Highest water level of the year	...	24·1.
Lowest water level of the year	...	5·7
Highest recorded flood	...	24·1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood	...	25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Lowest recorded water-level	...	5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1920.
Previous recorded low water-level	...	1·0 on the 9th February 1914.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

M. L. MAITRA, for *Subdivisional Officer*,
P. W. D., Faridpur.

RAJBARI, *the 19th January 1924.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending 19th January 1924.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
13th January ...	7 A.M.	39·65	39·65	38·00	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet above Kidderpore old dock sill.
14th ,, ...	7 ,,	39·60	39·60	38·00	
15th ,, ...	7 ,,	39·60	39·60	37·95	B. M on Rajshahi College step 64·93.
16th ,, ...	7 ,,	39·55	39·55	37·90	
17th ,, ...	7 ,,	39·50	39·50	37·80	Value of zero = 0·00 P. W. D.
18th ,, ...	7 ,,	39·50	39·50	37·70	
19th ,, ...	7 ,,	39·50	39·50	37·70	

		Old value.		According to P. W. D. datum
The previous year's	Highest water-level ...	on 27th August 1923	...	61·05
Do.	Lowest ,, ...	on 4th May 1923	...	35·80
Record	Highest ,, ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879	...	64·44
Do.	Do. ,, ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885	...	64·27
Do.	Do. ,, ...	68·80 on 25th August 1906	...	68·47
Do	Do. ,, ...	68·21 on 20th August 1890	...	68·40
Do	Lowest ,, ...	37·68 on 25th April 1884	...	32·82
Do.	Do ,, ...	38·18 on 14th and 15th April 1888	...	38·32
Do.	Do. ,, ...	39·02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	...	34·21
Do.	Do. ,, ...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	...	34·47
Do.	Do. ,, ...	on 9th May 1922	...	34·70

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer*,
I. D., Jangipur.

BOALIA, *the 21st January 1924.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 12th January 1924.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1324.							
6th Jan.	53·0	10-0	53·8	16-12	52·4	52·6	E. T. at 10-10. F. T. at 16-40.
7th ,, ...	52·45	10-50	54·4	17-5	53·2	53·2	E. T. at 11-3. F. T. at 17-18.
8th ,, ...	52·6	11-40	54·5	Dark		53·2	E. T. at 11-55. F. T. at 7.
9th ,, ...	52·5	12-40	54 40	6-45	52·5	53·25	E. T. at 12-55. F. T. at 7-50.
10th ,, ...	52·6	13-30	54·25	7-40	52·4	53·3	E. T. at 13-42. F. T. at 8-42.
11th ,, ...	52 45	14-15	54·0	8-30	52·3	53·3	E. T. at 14-25.
12th ,, ...	52·6	15-0	53·85	9-10	52·2	53·4	F. T. at 9-25. E. T. at 15-12.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

		High.				Low.	
27th August	1906	... 70·5		28rd February	1907	... 51·06	
5th September	1909	... 67·86		18th ,,	1908	... 51·06	
10th August	1910	... 69·86		12th March	1912	... 51·06	
1st ,,	1911	... 68 46		6th ,,	1914	... 50·80	
18th ,,	1912	... 67·16		22nd February	1915	... 50·30	
31st ,,	1915	... 69·7		15th ,,	1916	... 50·60	Taken at low tide.
18th ,,	1916	... 68·1	Taken at high tide.	3rd March	1917	... 51·0	
12th ,,	1917	... 67 1		21st February	1918	... 51·40	
31st ,,	1918	... 68·12		26th ,,	1919	... 50·4	
2nd ,,	1919	... 66 8		18th ,,	1920	... 50·9	
8th September	1920	... 66·9		19th ,,	1921	... 50·9	
28th July	1921	... 68 4		8th March	1922	... 51·05	
10th August	1922	... 68·00					

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48·51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

S. C. MAZUMDAR, *Executive Engineer,*
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th January 1924.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

during February 1924.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
February.	HOURS.		
6th, Wednesday ...	21-51	Leave Sealdah ...	By special train.
7th, Thursday ...	6-15	Arrive Goalundo.	
	7-30	Leave Goalundo ...	By special steamer.
	16-0	Arrive Dacca.	

Date and day.	Standard time	Station.	Remarks.
February.	HOURS.		
8th, Friday ...	10-21	Leave Dacca ...	By special train.
	13-28	Arrive Mymensingh. (Level crossing opposite Medical School.)	
	15-11	Leave Mymensingh ...	By special train.
	18-15	Arrive Dacca.	
9th, Saturday to 13th, Wednesday.	...	Halt at Dacca.	
14th, Thursday ...	8-0	Leave Dacca ...	By special steamer.
	19-0	Arrive Goalundo.	
	20-50	Leave Goalundo ...	By special train.
15th, Friday ...	7-16	Arrive Sealdah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Countess of Lytton.*

Lady Hermione Bulwer-Lytton.*

Lady Davina Bulwer-Lytton.*

Lieut.-Col. J. Mackenzie, C.I.E., Military Secretary.*

Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Private Secretary.

Major E. H. V. Hodge, I.M.S., Surgeon.*

Major H. G. Benton, Aide-de-Camp.

Captain S. B. Horn, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.*

Captain G. B. Fyldes, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.*

Captain D. W. M. Prinsep, Aide-de-Camp.*

Captain H. Bruce Johnstone, Aide-de-Camp.*

(2) Letters and telegrams for the party should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

(3) All arrivals and departures will be private.

* Will not go to Mymensingh

J. MACKENZIE, LIEUT.-COL.,

Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 30th January 1924.*

No. 754A.R.—The 29th January 1924.—Whereas a vacancy has occurred in the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council by reason of the resignation of Mr. J. W. A. Bell, His Excellency the Governor is pleased, in pursuance of sub-rule (*1*) of rule 26 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, to call upon the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency to elect a person for the purpose of filling the vacancy by the 1st March 1924.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 2957A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2738A.—The 28th January 1924.*—Babu Kumud Kumar Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred temporarily to the Jhargram subdivision of that district.

Midnapore.

No. 2782A.—The 30th January 1924.—Mr. Sarat Kumar Ghose, I.C.S., Third Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

This cancels notification No. 2713A., dated the 26th January 1924.

No. 2833A.—The 31st January 1924.—Maulvi Abul Khair Sirajul Islam Zahid, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Presidency Division.

Presidency Divn.

No. 2877A.—The 1st February 1924.—Babu Jitendra Nath Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

No. 2923A.—The 2nd February 1924.—Mr. Mati Lal Ray, Subordinate Judge, Hooghly, is appointed temporarily to act as District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Hooghly.

POLICE.—*No. 2708A.—The 26th January 1924.*—Mr. H. E. Sabine, Assistant Superintendent of Police, on leave, is posted temporarily to the Narayanganj subdivision of the Dacca district, and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

Dacca.

No. 2709A.—The 26th January 1924.—Mr. D. A. Braydon, probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Tippera, is transferred to the Barrackpore subdivision of the 24-Parganas district, and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

Tippera.
24-Parganas.

No. 2807A.—The 31st January 1924.—Mr. R. Higgins, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

No. 2819A.—The 31st January 1924.—Mr. F. P. Prior, probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Serampore, Hooghly, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Bakarganj district.

Hooghly.
Bakarganj.

No. 2820A.—The 31st January 1924.—Mr. J. L. Jenkins, probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is transferred to the Serampore subdivision of the Hooghly district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

Dacca.
Hooghly.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2799A.—The 30th January 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872 (Act XV of 1872), the Governor in Council is pleased to grant a license to the Reverend H. E. Myers of the American Churches of God Mission, Uluberia, in the district of Howrah, authorising him to grant certificates of marriage between Native Christians.

Howrah.

RESIGNATION.

GENERAL.—*No. 2770A.—The 29th January 1924.*—Mr. C. F. Payne, C.S.I., has been permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 5th May 1924.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2747A.—The 28th January 1924.*—Mr. P. H. Waddell, I.C.S., has been granted by the High Commissioner for India an extension of leave on half average pay for six days.

No. 2756A.—The 29th January 1924.—Babu Shashi Bhusan Bhattacharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay for four months, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924 or any subsequent date on which he availed himself of it.

24-Parganas.

No. 2767A.—The 29th January 1924.—Rai Jyotish Chandra Sen Bahadur, Magistrate and Collector, is allowed leave on average pay up to the 30th November 1923, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in continuation of the leave granted to him under the orders dated the 13th November 1923.

No. 2803A.—The 30th January 1924.—In supersession of the orders of the 29th November 1923, Mr. S. G. Hart, I.C.S., is allowed leave on average pay for eight months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 31st December 1923.

POLICE.—*No. 2740A.—The 28th January 1924.*—Babu Nalini Nath Sen, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and twenty-three days, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 7th January 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 2742A.—The 28th January 1924.—Mr. R. Robertson, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay for three months, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 3rd December 1923.

Calcutta.

No. 2898A.—The 1st February 1924.—Mr. H. B. Miller, probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Faridpur, is allowed leave on average pay for two days (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 14th December 1923.

Faridpur.

No. 2899A.—The 1st February 1924.—Mr. R. Higgins, probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Serampore, Hooghly, was allowed leave on average pay for one month and ten days (of which twenty-six days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 19th December 1923.

Hooghly.

No. 2917A.—The 2nd February 1924.—Mr. R. Higgins, Assistant Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on half average pay for eight months, under article 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd February 1924.

24-Parganas.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2790A.—The 30th January 1924.*—The Reverend C. J. Grimes, Chaplain, St. Stephen's Church, Kidderpore, is allowed leave for eighteen months, viz., leave on average pay for eight months (including privilege leave for two months and sixteen days) under article 81 (*b*) (*1*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 25th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

24-Parganas.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 757A.R.—The 29th January 1924.—Whereas by notification No. 754A.R., dated the 29th January 1924, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to call upon the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council to elect a member to the said Council in place of Mr. J. W. A. Bell, resigned ;

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, and in pursuance of sub-rule (*3*) of that rule, to prescribe the 11th February 1924 as the date for the nomination of candidates and for the delivery of nomination papers to the Returning Officer and the 13th February 1924 as the date on which the scrutiny of nominations shall be held.

The Governor in Council is also pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by Regulation LIV of the Bengal Electoral Regulations, to appoint the 20th February 1924 as the date on or before which the Returning Officer for the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency shall send out ballot papers.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2845A.—The 31st January 1924.—The report of the Central Examination Committee having been received the result of the Second Half-Yearly Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others held on the 26th November 1923 and the four following days is published for general information :—

SECOND OR HIGHER STANDARD.

(*i*) The officers named below, who passed partially at previous examinations, have now passed in the remaining subject or subjects mentioned opposite their names :—

K. A. L. Hill, I.C.S.	...	Law, Part III, Bengali and Hindustani.
C. A. Noronha	...	Bengali.
P. J. Griffiths, I.C.S.	...	Law, Part III, Bengali and Hindustani.
Binay Lal Ghosh	...	Accounts and Hindustani.
Muhammad Fariduddin	...	Law, Part III.
Jasoda Kinkar Ghosh	...	Accounts.
B. R. Sen, I.C.S.	...	Law, Parts II and III, and Hindustani.
Khagendra Nath Mitra	...	Hindustani.
Dinesh Chandra Gupta	...	Do.
Ashutosh Das Gupta	...	Law, Part III, and Hindustani.
Abu Ahmad Faizul Mohi	...	Law, Parts II and III.
Charu Chandra Ray	...	Hindustani.
Prabhat Chandra Chatarji	...	Law, Part III.
Jyotibaran Chakrabatti	...	Do.
Santosh Kumar Sarkar	...	Hindustani.
Prakriti Nath Basu	...	Law, Part III.
N. M. Ayyer, I.C.S.	...	Law, Parts II and III, Bengali and Hindustani.
B. E. J. Burge, I.C.S.	...	Hindustani.
A. E. Porter, I.C.S.	...	Law, Part III, Accounts, Bengali and Hindustani.
Satya Priya Bhattacharji	...	Law, Part III, and Accounts.
Satya Prasanna Banarji	...	Accounts.
Rajendra Nath Biswas	...	Law, Part III.
Fazlur Rahaman (No. II)	...	Law, Part III, and Accounts.
Ahmad Hussain	...	Law, Part III.
Sukumar Sen, I.C.S.	...	Do.
A. K. Gyasuddin Sofdar	...	Law, Part III, and Hindustani.
Jyotish Chandra Aich	...	Hindustani.
Nur Muhammad Chaudhuri	...	Law, Part III.
Mafizuddin Ahmad	...	Do.
Shashanka Shekhar Chaudhuri	...	Do.
Muhammad Taher	...	Law, Part II, and Accounts.
Abu Hamid Nurul Huda	...	Law, Part III.
Fazlul Karim (No. II)	...	Accounts.
Rajendra Chandra Sen	...	Law, Parts II and III.
Jogendra Nath Maitra	...	Law, Part III.
Sudhir Kumar Mazumdar	...	Law, Parts II and III, and Hindustani.
Tauhiduddin Ahmad	...	Law, Part III, and Hindustani.
Muhammad Osman Ghani	...	Law, Part III, and Accounts.
Charu Chandra Bhattacharji	...	Law, Part III.
Motaharul Haq	...	Do.
Priya Ranjan Das Gupta	...	Do.
Atindra Nath Mukharji	...	Do.
A. H. M. Wazir Ali	...	Do.
Saiyid Furrokh Mirza	...	Do.
Abdul Gaffur	...	Do.

(*ii*) The undermentioned Police Officers have passed in subject or subjects mentioned opposite their names :—

G. E. T. H. Evans	...	Bengali.
Muhammad Yusuf	...	Accounts.
E. E. English	...	Bengali.
R Higgins	...	Bengali and Hindustani.
W. A. B. Price	...	Do.
D. A. Brayden	...	Do.
C. J. Minister	...	Do.
P. N. Jones	...	Police Law with books and Accounts.
J. V. B. Janvrin	...	Police Law with and without books.
B. H. Routledge	...	Police Law with books and Accounts.
E. B. Ellison	...	Police Law with books.
E. Springfield	...	Police Law with and without books.
E. H. Le Brocq	...	Police Law with books and Accounts.
J. L. Jenkins	...	Bengali.

Ramgati Banarji	...	Police Law without books, Accounts and Hindustani.
Sukumar Gupta	...	Police Law with books.
F. P. Prior	...	Bengali.
T. J. Clark	...	Do.
A. J. Kennedy	...	Do.
E. H. O'Donovan	...	Hindustani.
Khan Sahib Muhammad Yusuf	...	Accounts.

(*iii*) The undermentioned Excise Officer has passed in Excise Law without books :—
Asoka Krishna Mukharji.

(*iv*) The officers named below have passed partially and are still liable to examination in subject or subjects mentioned opposite their names :—

Names.	Now passed in—	Still liable to examination.
T. B. Jameson, I.C.S.	Law, Part III, Bengali and Accounts.	Hindustani.
A. G. McCall, I.C.S.	Hindustani ...	Bengali.
Ahmad Meah	Law, Part II, and Hindustani.	Law, Part III, and Accounts.
Anwaruddin Ahmad	Law, Part III ...	Law, Parts I and II, and Accounts.
Khundkar Muhammad Hussain	Do. ...	Law, Part II.
Ratindra Chandra Basu	Hindustani ...	Law and Accounts.
Monoranjan Das Gupta	Law, Part I ...	Law, Parts II and III, Accounts and Hindustani.
Satyendra Nath Banarji	Law, Parts II and III	Accounts and Hindustani.
Sisir Kumar Har	Law, Part I, and Hindustani.	Law, Parts II and III, and Accounts.
Dhirendra Chandra Nag	Law, Parts I and III, and Accounts.	Law, Part II.
Sudhansu Shekhar Lahiri	Law, Parts II and III	Law, Part I, and Accounts.
Jatindra Kumar Mazumdar	Hindustani ...	Law and Accounts.
Nazimuddin Ahmad	Accounts ...	Law, Parts I and III.
Sakhawat Hussain Molla	Law, Part III ...	Law, Part II, and Hindustani.
Bidyut Kumar Raha	Do. ...	Law, Part I.
Amar Nath Mukharji	Law, Part II ...	Do.
Anil Chandra Bose	Do. ...	Law, Parts I and III.
Debabrata Mallik	Law, Part I ...	Law, Parts II and III, Accounts and Hindustani.
Kula Bhushan Datta	Law, Part III ...	Law, Part II.
R. H. Parker, I.C.S.	Law, Part III, and Accounts	Law, Parts I and II Bengali and Hindustani.
H. D Benjamin, I.C.S.	Do. ...	Law, Part II, Bengali and Hindustani.
Satyajiban Ghosh	Law, Part II ...	Law, Part III, Accounts and Hindustani.
Muhammad Ershad	Hindustani ...	Law and Accounts.
Maniruddin Ahmad	Law, Part I ...	Law, Parts II and III, and Accounts.
Sudhansu Binal Das Gupta	Law, Part II, and Accounts.	Law, Parts I and III, and Hindustani.
Basanta Kumar Banarji	Law, Part I ...	Law, Parts II and III, Accounts and Hindustani.
A. S. Larkin, I.C.S.	Law, Part I, and Bengali.	Law, Part II.
Dhirendra Nath Khan	Law, Part II ...	Law, Part III, Accounts and Hindustani.
Madhab Chandra Sarkar	Law, Parts I and II ...	Do.
Saiyid Abdul Majid	Law, Part II, and Hindustani.	Law, Parts I and III, and Accounts.
Sudhir Chandra Bhaduri	Law, Part III ...	Law, Part I.
S. G. Macdonald	Law, Part I ...	Law, Parts II and III, Bengali Accounts and Hindustani.
Badanya Kumar Ray	Law, Part II ...	Law, Part III, and Accounts.
Kunja Mohan De	Do. ...	Law, Parts I and III, Accounts and Hindustani.
Zillur Rahman	Law, Part III ...	Accounts.
Surat Chandra Gupta	Law, Parts I, II and III	Do.
Hamid Hossan Nomani	Hindustani ...	Law and Accounts.
Muhammad Israil Khan	Law, Part I ...	Law, Parts II and III, and Accounts.
Kshirode Behari Mallik	Hindustani ...	Law and Accounts.
Habibur Rahman	Law, Part III ...	Law, Parts I and II, and Accounts.

Names.	Now passed in —	Still liable to examination.
Suresh Chandra Ghosh	Law, Part II ...	Law, Parts I and III, and Accounts.
Umesh Chandra Banarji	Do ...	Law, Parts I and III, Accounts and Hindustani.
Saiyid Abbas Ali	Law, Part III ...	Law, Part I.
Muhammad Mohsin	Accounts and Hindustani.	Law.
Abdur Rahim	Law, Part II ...	Law, Part III.
Ahmad-ul-Alum Saiyid Abdul Quadir ...	Hindustani ...	Law and Accounts.

(*v*) The undermentioned Forest Officer has passed in Hindustani (Higher Standard) :—

W. E. Hodge.

FIRST OR LOWER STANDARD.

(*i*) The following officers have passed completely :—

Jatindra Kumar Mazumdar.
Sudhansu Bimal Das Gupta.
Madhab Chandra Sarkar.
N. M. Ayyer, I.C.S.

(*ii*) The officers named below, who passed partially at previous examination, have passed in the remaining subject mentioned opposite their names :—

A. G. McCall, I.C.S.	... Bengali.
Khundkar Muhammad Hussain	... Law, Part II.
H. D. Benjamin, I.C.S.	... Bengali.
T. B. L. Webb, I.C.S.	... Do.
Sharashi Mohan Das Gupta	... Law, Part I.
Bipul Chandra Chatarji	... Law, Part II.
Muhammad Israil Khan	.. Do.
Sushil Kumar Saha	... Do.

(*iii*) The officers named below have passed partially and are still liable to examination in the remaining subject mentioned opposite their names :—

Names.	Now passed in—	Still liable to examination.
Sishir Kumar Har	Law, Part I ...	Law, Part II.
Debabrata Mallik	Do. ...	Do.
Phanindra Nath Banarji	Do ...	Do.
Muhammad Ershad	Do ...	Do.
Maniruddin Ahmad	Do. ...	Do.
Basanta Kumar Banarji	Do. ...	Do.
Saiyid Abdul Majid	Law, Part II ...	Law, Part I.
S. G. Macdonald	Law, Parts I and II...	Bengali.
Muhammad Mohsin	Law, Part I ...	Law, Part II.

(*iv*) The following Police Officers have passed in subject or subjects mentioned opposite their names :—

J. V. B. Janvrin ...	... Bengali.
B. H. Routledge ...	... Do.
E. Springfield ...	... Bengali and Police Law without books.
E. H. LeBrocq ...	... Bengali.
E. H. O'Donevan ...	... Do.
E. S. C. Sen ...	... Do.
Ramgati Banarji ...	... Police Law without books.

(*v*) The following officers of the Public Works and Irrigation Department have passed in the subject or subjects mentioned opposite their names :—

H. Orr ...	... Canal Law, Parts B and C.
Prithiraj Mukharji ...	... Canal Law, Parts A and C.
Hari Sadhan Gangali ...	... Canal Law, Part A.
Gyanendra Nath Chatarji ...	... Canal Law, Parts A, B and C.

(*vi*) The undermentioned Forest Officers have passed in the subject or subjects mentioned opposite their names :—

C. K. Homfray ...	... Forest Law and Land Revenue.
R. A. M. Macalpine ...	... Forest Law.
Prafulla Kumar Ray ...	... Do.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 820A.R.—The 31st January 1924.—Whereas the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules to enquire into the petition presented by Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandi, K.C.I.E., against the election of Mr. Pravash Chandra Mitter, C.I.E., to the Bengal Legislative Council for the Presidency Division Landholders constituency have after due enquiry reported to the Governor that the returned candidate Mr. Provash Chandra Mitter, C.I.E., was duly elected ;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by rule 45 (*3*) of the said rules, the Governor is pleased to order that the said petition be dismissed and that Mr. Pravash Chandra Mitter be deemed to have been duly elected to the said Council.

The Governor is further pleased to order that in accordance with the recommendations of the said Commissioners the petitioner shall pay 40 gold mohurs to Mr. Pravash Chandra Mitter as costs of the suit.

The following report of the said Commissioners is published in accordance with the provisions of rule 45 (*3*) of the said rules.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under Rule 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

PRESENT :

A. J. Cholzner, Esq., I.C.S. ... *President.*
D. C. Patterson, Esq., I.C.S. ... *Commissioner.*
Rai Girindra Nath Mukerjee Bahadur ... *Commissioner.*

Election case No. 13 of 1923.

Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandy, K.C.I.E.

versus

Hon'ble Mr. Pravash Chandra Mitter, C.I.E.

REPORT.

This is an election petition under Rule 32 of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations of 1923 presented by Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandy of Kassimbazar.

The facts as set out in his petition are that he was a member of the Council of State and on 7th October 1923 resigned his seat on the Council by a telegram and a letter addressed to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India.

The telegram was received in Simla at 11-15 A.M. on 7th October and His Excellency's orders accepting his resignation were passed on the 10th.

The date fixed by Government for the presentation of the nomination papers of candidates for election to the Bengal Legislative Council was 8th October, and on that date the Maharaja delivered three nomination forms to Mr. Lindsay, the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, who was the Returning Officer for the Presidency Division Landholders' Constituency.

On 9th October the Maharaja sent another telegram to the Viceroy for communication of the acceptance of his resignation to the Returning Officer.

On 10th October his resignation was formally accepted by His Excellency and a notification being No. 225 of that date was published in the *Gazette of India* of 13th October.

On 11th October, the date fixed for the scrutiny of the nomination papers by the Returning Officer, an objection to the Maharaja's nomination was raised on behalf of the respondent Mr. Pravash Chandra Mitter that the Maharaja was not eligible for election on the date of filing the nomination papers, 8th October 1923, as his resignation had not been accepted by the Governor-General and he was still a member of the Council of State. The Returning Officer thereupon made the following endoresement upon the nomination paper :—

> "I must refuse the nomination of this candidate the Maharaja of Kassimbazar. Under section 93 of the Government of India Act the seat in the Council of State becomes vacant on the acceptance of the resignation of the member. The Maharaja wired his resignation on 7th instant and also sent a letter on that day. The only evidence of the acceptance of the resignation is a telegram from Simla, from the Secretary, Legislative Department, dated 10th instant. If this evidence is accepted, I must hold that the resignation takes effect from the 10th instant, and that on the 8th instant when the nomination papers were filed, the Maharaja was still a member of the Council of State. Accordingly at the time of his nomination, he was not eligible for election [*cf.* rule 5 (*1*) (*c*)] and so the provisions of rule 14 (*1*) were not complied with. The nomination is therefore refused under Regulation XXI (*i*) and (*iii*)."

As there was no other candidate, the Returning Officer proceeded to declare Mr. Mitter duly elected and his name was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 28th November 1923.

The facts as we have summarised them above are not in dispute and we have therefore found it unnecessary to frame any issues.

The main point for our determination is whether the question of the eligibility of the Maharaja for election is to be decided with reference to the date of the presentation of his nomination paper, 8th October, or to the date of scrutiny by the Returning Officer, 11th October.

Mr. Chaudhuri who has appeared on behalf of the Maharaja contends that his resignation of his office in the Council of State had been tendered on 7th October and was accepted by the Governor-General on 10th. Therefore at the time of the scrutiny on 11th the statutory bar contained in Rule 5 (*1*) (*c*) of the Electoral Rules of 1923 had been removed. The learned Council has referred to the regulations framed under Rule 15 of the rules with particular reference to Regulations XX and XXI. Regulation XX provides for the scrutiny of nominations in the presence of the parties or their agents while Regulation XXI provides for the examination of the nomination papers by the Returning Officer who "shall decide all objections which may be made to any nomination and may either on such objection or on his own motion, after such summary enquiry, if any, as he thinks necessary, refuse any nomination on any of the following grounds :—

(*i*) that the candidate is ineligible for election under rule 5 or rule 6, or

(*ii*) that there has been any failure to comply with any of the provisions of rule 11 or rule 12."

Learned Counsel says that what the Returning Officer has to see in regard to Rule 5 is whether the candidate is eligible for election. He has not to see whether he is eligible for nomination. The date of scrutiny is the date with reference to which the eligibility of the candidate for election is to be determined. Further under Rule 5 a person shall not be eligible for election as a member of the Council if he labours under certain disqualifications one of which is that he is a member of the Council or of any other legislative body constituted under the Act and has made oath or affirmation as such member. The Maharaja had admittedly made the oath as a member but it is argued that on the date of the scrutiny he had ceased to be a member of the Council of State and therefore, though he might possibly be said to be ineligible on the date on which the nomination paper was presented, the acceptance of his resignation on 10th October, the day before the scrutiny, removed the disqualification. By a parity of reasoning a person qualified on the date of nomination might be found to be disqualified on the date of scrutiny.

Learned Counsel further contends that in any case the mere tender of the resignation was in itself sufficient to vacate the seat as there is no rule under the Government of India Act under which the Governor-General is empowered to refuse a resignation. A member of an elected body stood on a footing different from a public officer who was required to observe certain formalities such as making over charge of his office.

Sir Benode Mitter who has appeared on behalf of the respondent contends that the mere fact of the resignation having been tendered does not of itself vacate the seat. Section 93 of the Government of India Act says that "a nominated or elected member of either chamber of the Indian Legislature may resign his office to the Governor-General . . . and on the acceptance of the resignation the office shall become vacant." The same provision is made in section 64 of the Government of India Act where the resignation must be "duly accepted". The power to accept resignation implies also the power to refuse it. It would follow therefore that a member whose resignation had not been accepted continues to be a member until its due acceptance by the Governor-General. The Maharaja thus continued to be a member of the Council of State till the acceptance of his resignation on the 10th October.

Learned Counsel further contends that the eligibility of a candidate depends on whether he was, as a fact, eligible on the date of the nomination. Election is a continuing process in which the nomination is the first step. The nomination is the foundation of a candidate's right to go to the poll and is an integral part of the election. Scrutiny is for the purpose of seeing that what was required to be done had been done. Rule 11 (*1*) says :—" Any person may be nominated as a candidate for election in any constituency for which he is eligible for election under these rules." Rule 11 (*3*) provides that a candidate must assent to the nomination and must at that particular point of time have the capacity to accept the nomination and under Rule 11 (*5*) he must also have the capacity of nominating election agents to act for him. The Maharaja, it is urged, had not the requisite capacity and was therefore ineligible at the time of the nomination. It is further argued that the date of the scrutiny of the nomination papers as laid down in Regulations XX and XXI is not the governing factor in considering the eligibility of the candidate. He must be eligible at the time of the nomination and if he has not the necessary qualifications then, he cannot acquire them between the date of the nomination and the date of the scrutiny.

We are of opinion that under the provisions of Rule 11 the date with reference to which the question of the eligibility of a candidate for election is to be determined is

the date fixed by Government for the nomination and if on that date a candidate is not eligible, his nomination paper must be refused. The object of the scrutiny by the Returning Officer is to see whether the nomination was valid on the date on which it was made. The nomination is an integral part of the election and it cannot be supposed that a person who is ineligible on the date of the nomination can, in the interval between the nomination and the scrutiny, acquire new rights or that the acquisition of such rights would be sufficient to do away with his pre-existing disqualification.

Various disqualifications which will render a candidate ineligible for election are given in Rule 5 (*1*). Rule 5 (*1*) (*c*) declares a person ineligible for election if he is a member of the Council or of any other legislative body constituted under the Act and has made oath or affirmation as such member. In the present case it is admitted that the Maharaja had made oath as a member of the Council of State. It is also conceded that his resignation was not accepted until 10th October though the date for the presentation of the nomination paper was fixed for 8th October. It is therefore plain that on 8th October the Maharaja was still a member of the Council of State and was therefore ineligible under Rule 11(*1*). The argument that the mere tender of his resignation automatically terminates his office does not seem to us to be well founded. If it had been so, the words used in sections 93 and 64 of the Government of India Act which require acceptance by the Governor-General of the resignation as a condition precedent to the vacating of the office would be mere surplusage.

We are of opinion therefore that the nomination paper of the Maharaja has been properly rejected by the Returning Officer and that Mr. Mitter, the returned candidate, has been duly elected.

We estimate the total amount of costs payable for the hearing at 40 gold mohurs and we recommend that that sum be paid by the Maharaja to Mr. Mitter.

A. J. CHOTZNER ... ...
D. C. PATTERSON ... ... } *Commissioners.*
GIRINDRA NATH MUKERJEE ...

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1092P.—The 30th January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7, sub-section (*6*) of the Cinematograph Act, II of 1918, as amended by Act XXIII of 1919, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the film entitled "Orphans of the Storm" produced by D. W. Griffith shall be deemed to be an uncertified film in the whole of the Bengal Presidency.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 428Pl.—The 30th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, 1914 (VIII of 1914), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules regulating the use of motor vehicles in places in the Presidency of Bengal other than Calcutta (including suburbs and the Municipality of Howrah) :—

Darjeeling.

Amendment.

Insert the following as a proviso to rule 55 (*2*) in Part V (II) of the said rules (Additional rules applicable to the Darjeeling district) :—

"Provided that if a train proceeding in the same direction as the car gets line-clear to a certain point, the car may also proceed to that point to await the train crossing from the opposite direction."

No. 429Pl.—The 30th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Nilphamari police-station, in the district of Rangpur, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the village specified in the following schedule which has hitherto been included in that police-station shall be included in the police-station Khansama, in the district of Dinajpur :—

Rangpur.
Dinajpur.

Schedule.

Name of village.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Nilphamari.
Bher-Bheri	11

No. 470Pl.—The 2nd February 1924.—Whereas the Governor in Council has reason to believe that the members of a gang of dacoits and thieves, ordinarily residing in the jurisdiction of police-stations Dhamrai, Saturia, Manikganj, Gheor, Daulatpur and Srinagar, in the district of Dacca, of police-station Nagarpur, in the district of Mymensingh, and of police-station Rajbari, in the district of Faridpur, commonly known as Dinesh Sarkar's gang, are addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences :

Dacca.
Mymensingh.
Faridpur.

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the criminal tribes Act, 1911 (Act III of 1911), hereby declares the said gang to be a criminal tribe for the purposes of that Act.

No. 471Pl.—The 2nd February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (Act III of 1911), the Governor in Council hereby directs that every registered member of Dinesh Sarkar's gang which has been declared to be a criminal tribe, by notification No. 470Pl., dated the 2nd February 1924, shall, in the prescribed manner, report himself at fixed intervals and notify his place of residence, any change or intended change of residence and any absence or intended absence from his residence.

Dacca.
Mymensingh.
Faridpur.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.

IN exercise of the power conferred on me in rule 63 (*2*) of the Bengal Jail Code, I re-appoint Sahibzada Ahmed Hossain Khan to be a non-official visitor of the Presidency Jail, Calcutta.

C. A. TEGART, *Commissioner of Police.*

CALCUTTA, *the 1st February 1924.*

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2958A.

POWERS.

No. 2718A.—The 25th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. Norman Bose, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Barrackpore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

Barrackpore.

No. 2722A.—The 25th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Sati Prasad Gangali, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Bongaon, Jessore, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

Jessore.

No. 2720A.—The 25th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Jitendriya Mukharji, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Lalbagh, Murshidabad, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

Murshidabad.

No. 2764A.—The 29th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Anadi Nath Lahiri, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Jhargram, Midnapore, to record any statement or confession made to him in course of an investigation under chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

Midnapore.

No. 2794A.—The 30th January 1924.—Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (*2*), section 8 of the Reformatory Schools Act (Act VIII of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to invest Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate, Asansol, Burdwan, with the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*), section 8 of the said Act.

Burdwan.

No. 2841A.—The 31st January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Din Muhammad, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate, and also a Magistrate of the second class at Bakarganj, to record any statement or confession made to him in course of an investigation under chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

Bakarganj.

No. 2808A.—The 31st January 1924.—Babu Ashutosh Chaudhuri, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

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No. 2907A.—The 1st February 1924.—Babu Amar Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate on probation, Howrah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Howrah.

No. 2909A.—The 1st February 1924.—Babu Rajendra Nath Biswas, Sub-Deputy Magistrate on probation, Howrah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

Howrah.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1239J.—The 1st February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Bhramar Singh Nahar the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

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(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sealdah Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1260J.—The 1st February 1924.—Babu Keshab Chandra Sen, munsif of Sudharam, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be a munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Hatiya, and is vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Hatiya munsifi.

Noakhali.

No. 1262J.—The 1st February 1924.—Babu Tejendra Nath Basu, munsif of Hatiya, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be a munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Sudharam.

Noakhali.

No. 1264J.—The 1st February 1924.—Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, munsif of Chandpur, in the district of Tippera, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Tippera.

No. 1275J.—The 2nd February 1924.—Khan Bahadur Abu Nasr Muhammad Ali, Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, from 4th February 1924 to 10th March 1924, both days inclusive.

Calcutta.

No. 1304J.—The 4th February 1924.—Mr. J. W. Chippendale, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Nawabzada A. S. M. Latifur Rahman, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

No. 935J.—The 22nd January 1924.—Mr. Satish Chandra Bagchi, munsif of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave on half average pay till the 22nd January 1924, under article 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 19th December 1923.

Tippera.

No. 936J.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Bimal Chandra Chatarji, munsif of Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay, on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for three months, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules, with effect from the 18th January 1924.

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No. 937J.—The 25th January 1924.—Babu Bihari Lal Sarkar, munsif, lately acting as Subordinate Judge of Dinajpur, is allowed privilege leave on half pay for two months, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the Government of India, Finance Department, order No. 168C.S.R., dated the 24th February 1919, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Dinajpur.

No. 938J.—The 26th January 1924.—Babu Surjyamani De, munsif of Pingna, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave on avarage pay on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for four months, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules, with effect from the 11th January 1924.

Mymensingh.

No. 1296J.—The 4th February 1924.—Babu Hem Chandra Basu, No. I, Subordinate Judge, is allowed leave on half average pay for six months from the 1st January 1924, under rule 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules and rule 19 (*a* of the supplementary rules relating to leave, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 18th October 1923.

No. 1299J.—The 4th February 1924.—Nawabzada A. S. M. Latif-ur-Rahman, Judge, Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay for forty-five days, with effect from the 5th February 1924, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Calcutta.

N. B. GUPTA,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (*offg.*).

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 930J.—The 29th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union boards mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be union benches within the jurisdiction of the union boards of which they are, respectively, members for the purposes of that section :—

Mymensingh.

Names of the members of union boards to constitute union benches in the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

Name of police-station.	Name of the union board and No. of union.	Names of the members
Kathiadi...	Karpasha, No. V ...	1. Babu Joy Chandra Pal. 2. „ Radha Nath Pal. 3. Munshi Shamsuddin Ahmad.
Do. ...	Achmita, No. XI ...	1. Babu Kedar Nath Roy. 2. „ Hemendra Mohan Chaudhuri. 3. Maulvi Abdul Rahman.

No. 931J.—The 29th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union boards mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be union courts within the jurisdiction of the union boards of which they are, respectively, members for the purposes of that section :—

Mymensingh.

Names of the members of the union boards to constitute union courts in the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

Name of police-station.	Name of the union board and No. of union.	Names of the members.
Kathiadi...	Karpasha, No. V ...	1. Babu Joy Chandra Pal. 2. „ Radha Nath Pal. 3. Munshi Shamsuddin Ahmad.
Do. ...	Achmita, No. XI ...	1. Babu Kedar Nath Roy. 2. „ Hemendra Mohan Chaudhuri. 3. Maulvi Abdul Rahman.

No. 1201J.—The 31st January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 13 of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that village Bherbheri, bearing jurisdiction list No. 11 of thana Nilphamari, shall henceforth be excluded from the local limits of the Nilphamari munsifi in the district of Rangpur, and shall be included within the local limits of the Sadar munsifi in the district of Dinajpur.

Rangpur. Dinajpur.

N. B. GUPTA,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 445M.—The 30th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 9A of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to alter the number of the Commissioners of the Sonamukhi Municipality, in the district of Bankura, from 9 to 10

Bankura.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 15 of the said Act and in modification of notification No. 368M., dated the 15th February 1911, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self Government) are also pleased to raise the number of Commissioners to be elected by Ward No. V of the said municipality from 1 to 2.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 448M.—The 30th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Babu Mathura Kanta Nandi to be a Commissioner of the Taki Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Babu Bepin Behari Chatarji, resigned.

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Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 465M.—The 30th January 1924.—The following draft of a notification, which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) intend to issue in exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), is published, as required by the second proviso to that section, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby

24-Parganas.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 24th March 1924, and any objection or suggestion with regard thereto which may be received by the undersigned from any rate-payer or inhabitant of the Kanchrapara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft notification.

In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend to the Kanchrapara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, all the provisions of the said Act except sub-section (*1*) of section 6.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 466M.—The 30th January 1924.—The following draft of by-laws, which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to make for the Kanchrapara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 71 of the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

24-Parganas.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 21th March 1924, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned before that date through the District Magistrate will be duly considered :—

Draft by-laws under section 71 (1) of the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), for the Kanchrapara Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas.

Appointment and duties of the Registering Officer.

1. Every hackney-carriage in the Kancharapara Municipality shall be annually registered by a Registering Officer who shall be appointed for the purpose by the Municipal Commissioners and who shall keep a register in which he shall enter the class and number assigned to every hackney-carriage.

Qualification of Drivers.

2. Every person applying for a driver's licence shall be required to satisfy the Registering Officer—

(*a*) that he knows how to drive and control horses and is in all respects a fit person for such employment ;
(*b*) that he is well acquainted with the principal roads and places of interest in and around Kanchrapara ;
(*c*) that he has a thorough knowledge of the list of fares and tables of distances prepared by the Commissioners of the municipality ;
(*d*) that he knows the rules of the roads and the signals used by drivers.

3. Licences for hackney-carriage drivers and bearers for palanquins and rickshaws will be in different forms. There shall be attached to each licence in such manner as the Commissioners may prescribe—

(*a*) the thumb mark of the driver ;
(*b*) a book of fares and distances to be prepared under the authority of the Commissioners.

4. Every driver of a hackney-carriage or bearer of a palanquin or a rickshaw shall carry with him and produce, when called upon to do so by any officer of the municipality or by his fare, his licence with book of fares and distances supplied free of cost to every driver or bearer.

5. No hackney-carriage driver shall drive with his feet in any other position than on the foot-board of the vehicles, nor shall he muffle up his face and head in such manner as might endanger the proper driving of his vehicle.

6. No hackney-carriage driver shall be allowed to drive any licensed hackney-carriage or carriages other than those specified on his licence without the permission of the Registering Officer.

Uniform.

7. The clothing of the drivers shall be clean.

Description of horses, carriages, palanquins and rickshaws.

8. No horse shall be used to draw a hackney-carriage unless it has been passed by the Registering Officer, and no horse shall be passed unless it is—

(*a*) not less than 14 hands high if intended to be used in a pair in a first class hackney-carriage ;
(*b*) not less than 14·2 hands high if intended to be used singly in a first class hackney-carriage ;
(*c*) not less than 13 hands high if intended to be used in a pair in second class hackney-carriage ;
(*d*) not less than 14 hands high if intended to be used singly in a second class hackney-carriage ;
(*e*) not less than 12 hands high if intended to be used in a pair in a third class hackney-carriage ;
(*f*) not less than 13·2 hands high if intended to be used singly in a third class hackney-carriage ;
(*g*) thoroughly broken to harness ;
(*h*) free from infectious or contagious disease ; and
(*i*) sufficiently sound and strong for constant hard work.

9. The harness shall be black in colour, of a decent appearance, strong and in good repair ; rope or iron chain traces may be used provided they be covered with leather. No string fastenings will be allowed.

10. First class hackney-carriage shall conform to the following dimensions and be of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners :—

	Ft.	In.
Width of seats	3	4
Breadth of front seats	1	4
Breadth of rear seats	1	6
Height of seat from floor without cushion	1	2
Height of back rest of hind seat	2	4
Thickness of cushions	0	3
Height of back rest of front seat	1	4
Width between seats	1	10
Height of floor of body from ground	1	8
Height of step from ground	0	10
Diameter of front wheels	2	8
Diameter of back wheels	3	6
Height of hood from hind seat board to top of hood inside ...	3	10

Provided that hackney-carriages registered before the issue of these by-laws are exempted from conforming to these dimensions.

The wheels shall be rubber-tyred, strong and sound, so as to run true and without rattling or shaking, and shall be protected by properly fitted splash-boards.

The springs and axles shall be in perfect order, and all iron work must be strongly put together.

The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition, and the inside of the carriage perfectly clean.

The hood and apron shall be made of strong leather and shall be so fitted as to make the carriage water-tight.

The body, wheels and shafts of the carriage shall be painted dark green with plain yellow or gold lining ; the hood and apron shall be painted black.

The doors shall close well and shall not rattle.

All iron works shall be painted black.

Each carriage must have a thoroughly good pair of lamps, and each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window shall be visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicles.

11. Second class hackney-carriages shall conform to the following dimensions and be of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners :—

	FT.	IN.
Width of seats	3	4
Breadth of seats	1	6
Height of seat from floor without cushions	1	2
Thickness of cushions	0	3
Height of roof from seats without cushions	3	10
Width between seats	1	6
Height of bottom of well from ground	1	8
Height of step from ground	0	10
Diameter of front wheels	2	6
Diameter of back wheels	3	6

Provided that hackney-carriages registered before the issue of these by-laws are exempted from conforming to these dimensions.

The wheels shall be rubber-tyred or iron-tyred, strong and sound, so as to run true and without rattling or shaking.

The springs and axles shall be in perfect order.

The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition, and the inside of the carriage perfectly clean.

The doors shall close well.

The windows, venetians and blinds shall not rattle but shall work easily and shall have proper catches to raise and lower them.

The roof shall be water-tight.

The body, wheels and shafts of the carriage shall be painted dark blue with thin red lining.

All iron work shall be painted black.

Each carriage must have a good pair of lamps.

Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicles.

12. Third class hackney-carriages shall conform to the following dimensions and be of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners :—

	FT.	IN.
Width of seats	3	0
Breadth of seats	1	6
Height of seats from floor without cushions	1	2
Thickness of cushions	0	3
Height of roof from seat without cushions	3	6
Width between seats	1	6
Height from bottom of well from ground	1	8
Height of step from ground	0	10
Diameter of front wheels	2	6
Diameter of back wheels	3	6

Provided that hackney-carriages registered before the issue of these by-laws are exempted from conforming to those dimensions.

The wheels shall be iron-tyred, strong and sound, so as to run true and without rattling or shaking.

The springs and axles shall be in perfect order.

The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition, and the inside of the carriage perfectly clean.

The doors shall close well.

The windows, venetians and blinds shall not rattle but shall work easily and shall have proper catches to raise and lower them.

The roof shall be water-tight.

The body, wheels and shafts of the carriage shall be painted chocolate with plain yellow lining. All iron work shall be painted black.

Each carriage must have a good pair of lamps. Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicles.

13. There shall be one class of rickshaws of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners.

The body of the rickshaws shall be sound and clean and all the boards strong and properly secured.

The wheels shall be rubber-tyred, strong and sound, so as to run true and without rattling or shaking and shall be protected by properly fitted splash-boards, provided that rickshaws registered before the issue of these by-laws need not be rubber-tyred.

The springs and axles shall be made of good metal, strong and properly riveted and free from rust.

The iron supports at the back shall be properly curved and securely fixed at each side, strong and of sound metal and free from rust.

The shafts shall be of sound wood, strong, securely fixed and furnished at the fore ends with the ring-shaped metal supports and connected by a collision guard.

The hood, apron and cushions shall be made of and covered with good cloth, canvas or other material approved by the Commissioners. The hood and apron shall be so fitted as to make the vehicles water-tight.

The body, wheels and shafts of all rickshaws shall be painted dark blue with thin red lining. All iron work shall be painted black.

Every rickshaw must have a good pair of lamps. Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

14. There shall be one class of palanquins of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners.

The body of the palanquin shall be sound and clean, properly secured. The doors shall close well, work easily and shall not rattle, and shall have proper catches to open and shut them.

The body and pole shall be painted dark blue with thin red lining. All iron work shall be painted black.

Every palanquin must have a good pair of lamps. Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

Class of hackney-carriages, palanquins and rickshaws.

15. Hackney-carriages shall be of three classes and of patterns fixed by the Commissioners and of the dimensions and colours prescribed by by-laws Nos. 10 to 12.

16. There shall be one class of rickshaws and of palanquins of a pattern fixed by the Commissioners and of the dimensions and colours prescribed by by-laws Nos. 13 and 14.

17. Every licensed hackney-carriage, palanquin or rickshaw shall have a plate fixed on any conspicuous place bearing the registered number.

Fees.

18. A fee shall be paid to the Commissioners in accordance with the following scale for the issue, transfer or renewal of licences, etc :—

	First class hackney carriage.	Second class hackney carriage.	Third class hackney carriage.	Rickshaw.	Palanquin.	Horse.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
Owner's licence ...	4 0	3 0	2 0	1 0	0 8	2 0
Driver's licence ...	2 0	2 0	2 0	...	...	...
Duplicate licence plate ...	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	...
Transfer of owner's licence ...	3 0	2 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	2 0
Duplicate owner's licence ...	2 0	1 8	1 0	0 8	0 4	1 0
Duplicate driver's licence ...	1 0	1 0	1 0	...	...	...
Duplicate driver's ticket ...	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	...
Bearer's licence ...	...	...	...	0 4	0 4	...
Renewal of bearer's licence ...	...	...	...	0 2	0 2	...
Duplicate of bearer's licence ...	...	...	...	0 2	0 2	...
Alteration in register ...	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8

Rates and fares.

19. Fares shall be paid according to the distance or time at the option of the hirer to be expressed at the commencement of hiring ; if not otherwise expressed, the fare to be paid according to the time.

(1) Rates and fares to be paid for hackney-carriages.

Description of carriages.	Fares by distance.		Fares by time.
	For any distance within and not exceeding one mile.	For any distance exceeding one mile.	
			Rs. A.
First class ...	8 annas ...	At the rate of 6 annas for every mile and for any part of a mile over and above any number of miles completed.	Minimum fare for short distance not exceeding fifteen minutes ... ... 0 8 For half-an-hour ... 1 0 For one hour ... ... 1 8 For subsequent hours ... 0 12 Half day of 5 hours ... 4 0 Whole day of 9 hours ... 7 0
Second class ...	6 „ ...	At the rate of 4 annas for every mile and for any part of a mile over and and above any number of miles completed.	For half-an-hour ... 0 8 For one hour ... ... 0 14 For subsequent hours ... 0 8 For half day of 5 hours ... 2 8 For whole day of 9 hours ... 4 0
Third class ...	6 „ ...	At the rate of 3 annas for every mile and for any part of a mile over and above any number of miles completed.	For half an hour ... ... 0 6 For one hour ... ... 0 8 For subsequent hours ... 0 6

(2) Rates and fares to be paid for palanquins.

FARES BY DISTANCE.		FEES BY TIME.			
For any distance within and not exceeding one mile.	For any distance exceeding one mile.	For any time within and not exceeding one hour.	For any hour or part of an hour beyond one hour.	For half a day of five hours.	For a whole day consisting of nine hours.
3 annas ...	At the rate of 3 annas for every mile and for any part of a mile over and above number of miles completed.	6 annas ...	3 annas ...	1 rupee ...	1 rupee and annas 8.

(3) Rates and Fares to be paid for rickshaws.

FARE. BY DISTANCE.		FARES BY TIME.	
For any distance within and not exceeding one mile.	For any distance exceeding one mile.	For any time within and not exceeding one hour.	For every hour or part of an hour beyond one hour.
3 annas	At the rate of 3 annas for every mile and for any part of any mile over and above number of miles completed.	6 annas ...	3 annas.

Passengers and Luggage.

20. No hackney-carriage shall carry more than four adult persons altogether, in addition to the drivers and attendant.

21. No rickshaw shall carry more than two adult persons.

22. No palanquin shall be allowed to carry more than two adult persons.

For the purpose of these by-laws two children under twelve years of age shall be reckoned as one adult.

23. The driver of every hackney-carriage shall carry in or upon such carriage a quantity of luggage not exceeding two maunds, together with one additional maund for every person below four carried in the carriage, without any charge over and above the fare.

24. A charge not exceeding two annas may be levied for every ten seers or part thereof in excess of the above free allowance.

25. Rule 23 shall not apply to bicycles, perambulators and child's mail carts for each of which a charge not exceeding four annas may be made.

26. No baggage shall be carried on any rickshaw except a small box or hand-bag, not exceeding 24" × 15" × 9".

Inspection of Hackney-carriages, palanquins and rickshaws.

27. It shall be lawful for any officer of the municipality at any time between sunrise and sunset to enter any premises on which any licensed hackney-carriage, palanquin or rickshaw or the horses or other animals, harness or other things used therewith are kept, in order to carry out any provision of this Act or these by-laws, and the owner, occupier or his agent shall afford every facility for such officer's inspection.

Protection of weak and lame horses.

28. It shall be lawful for the Registering Officer at any time to cause any animals used in a hackney-carriage to be produced before him for the purpose of inspection, and it shall be compulsory upon the owner to produce any such animals within 24 hours after the receipt of such notice.

29. The owner of any animals declared under section 30 to be unfit for use in a hackney-carriage shall, if he disposed of it, or removes it from the premises on which it is stabled, give notice of the fact to the Registering Officer, within one week of such disposal or removal, intimating at the same time the name and address of the person to whom he has disposed of it and the place to which it has been removed.

30. Notice of the death of a registered horse shall also be given to the Registering Officer, who on receipt of such notice shall cause the entry concerned to be cancelled in the "Register of Horse" and the certificate of registration to be withdrawn.

Regulation of use of horses.

31. No owner shall permit any horse to work continuously in any hackney-carriage in excess of the following scale of time :—

Class of carriage.	Maximum period allowed to be worked.	Minimum period of rest.
First, second and third if drawn by two horses ...	10 hours	14 hours.
First, second and third if drawn by one horse ...	8 „	16 „

32. The following particulars shall be entered in a register to be kept by every owner for the purposes of by-law No. 31 :—

Date.	Registered number and class of hackney carriage.	Number of horse or horses used to draw the carriage together with description.	Hour of leaving stable.	Hour of return to stable.	Name of driver and attendant.	Signature of owner.	Signature and rank of inspecting officer

Advertisements on hackney-carriage, palanquin or rickshaw.

33. No printed, written or other matter shall appear on the inside or outside of any hackney-carriage, palanquin or rickshaw by way of advertisement, without the permission of the Registering Officer.

Register and Licences.

34. The following particulars shall be entered in the registers and licences under this Act :—

(1) Hackney-carriage licence.

Particular of licence.

1. The class and number assigned to the carriage in the register.
2. The name and father's name and the residence of the owner, the description of the carriage and the place where the carriage is kept.
3. The number and description of horses to be employed in drawing such carriage.
4. The number of passengers the carriage is licensed to carry.
5. The date on which the licence was granted.
6. That the carriage shall ply for hire at any of the public stands in the town and not at any other place.
7. Signature of the Registering Officer.

(2) Register of Hackney-carriages.

1. The class and number assigned to the carriage in the register.
2. The certificate numbers.
3. The date on which the licence was granted.
4. Owner's and his father's names.
5. Place of residence.
6. Stable locality.
7. House number.
8. Driver's and his father's names.
9. Place of residence.
10. Period of suspension or cancellation.
11. Date of renewal.
12. Duplicate ticket.
13. Duplicate licence.
14. Date of conviction.
15. Section of law
16. Punishment inflicted.
17. Date of offence.
18. Offence.
19. Ownership transferred to.
20. Date of transfer.
21. Signature of Registering Officer.
22. Remarks.

(3) Horse Registration.

1. Serial number.
2. Class of hackney-carriage in which horse is to be used.
3. To be used singly or in pair.
4. Owner's and his father's names.
5. Owner's address.
6. Number assigned to horse in register.
7. Place where it is intended to keep the horse.
8. Date on which the licence was granted.
9. Ownership transferred to.
10. Date of transfer.
11. Date of notices issued to owners.
12. Date of disposal of notices.
13. Signature of Registering Officer.
14. Remarks.

(4) Hackney-carriage driver's license.

1. The number of the licence, the name, father's name, place of abode, and the age of the person to whom such licence is granted.
2. The date on which the licence was granted.
3. The class and number of hackney-carriage he is allowed to drive.
4. Date of expiry of licence.
5. A summary of the more important statutory provisions and by-laws affecting drivers of hackney-carriages.
6. Signature of the Registering Officer.

(5) Rickshaw bearer's licence.

1. The number of the licence.
2. The name and father's name, place of abode, and age of the person to whom such licence is granted.
3. The date on which the licence was granted.
4. The number of rickshaw he is allowed to draw.
5. Date of expiry of licence.
6. A summary of the more important statutory provisions and by-laws affecting bearers of rickshaws.
7. Signature of the Registering Officer.

(6) Rickshaw owner's licence.

1. The number assigned to the rickshaw in the register.
2. The name, father's name and the residence of the owner, the description of the rickshaw, and the place where the rickshaw is kept.
3. The number of passengers the rickshaw is licensed to carry.
4. The date on which the licence was granted.
5. Date of expiry of licence.
6. That the rickshaw shall ply for hire at any of the public stands in the town and not at any other place.
7. Signature of the Registering Officer.

(7) Register of rickshaws.

1. The number assigned to the rickshaw in the register.
2. The certificate number.
3. Date on which licence was granted.
4. Owner's and his father's names.
5. Place of residence.
6. Place where the rickshaw is kept.
7. House number.
8. Driver's and his father's names.
9. Place of residence.
10. Period of suspension or cancellation.
11. Date of renewal.
12. Duplicate license.
13. Duplicate ticket.
14. Date of conviction.
15. Section of law.
16. Punishment inflicted.
17. Date of offence.
18. Offence.
19. Ownership transferred to.
20. The number of persons the rickshaw is licensed to carry.
21. Date of transfer.
22. Signature of Registering Officer.
23. Remarks.

(8) Register of palanquin.

1. The number assigned to the palanquin in the register.
2. Date on which the licence was granted.
3. Owner's and his father's names.
4. Place of residence
5. Place where the palanquin is to be kept.
6. House number.
7. Bearer's and his father's names.
8. Place of residence.
9. Period of suspension or cancellation.
10. Date of renewal.
11. Duplicate licence.
12. Duplicate ticket.
13. Date of conviction.
14 Section of law.
15. Punishment inflicted.
16. Date of offence.
17. Offence
18. Ownership transferred to.
19. Date of transfer.
20. The number of persons the palanquin is licensed to carry.
21. Signature of Registering Officer.
22. Remarks.

(9) Palanquin owner's licence.

1. The number assigned to the palanquin in the register.
2. The name, father's name and residence of the owner, the description of the palanquin, and the place where the palanquin is to be kept.
3. The number of passengers the palanquin is licensed to carry.
4. The date on which the licence was granted.
5. Date of expiry of licence.
6. That the palanquin shall ply for hire at any of the public stands in the town and not at any other place.
7. Signature of Registering Officer.

(10) Palanquin bearer's licence.

1. The number of licence.
2. The name and father's name, place of abode and the age of the person to whom such licence is granted.
3. The date on which the licence was granted.
4. Date of expiry of licence.
5. The number of palanquin he is allowed to carry.
6. A summary of the more important statutory provisions and by-laws affecting bearers of palanquin.
7. Signature of the Registering Officer.

(11) Horse licence.

1. The class of the hackney-carriage with which the horse is to be used, and whether it is to be used singly or in pair.
2. The name, father's name of the owner, residence of the owner.
3. The number assigned to the horse in the register.
4. The place where it is intended to keep the horse.
5. The date on which the licence was granted.
6. The date on which the licence expires.
7. Signature of the Registering Officer.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 468M.—The 30th January 1924.—The Commissioners of the Rajshahi Municipality having recommended that the following local area should be excluded from the said municipality, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*b*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of

Rajshahi.

1884), to declare their intention to give effect to that recommendation. The area is bounded on the—

North—Sibtala road and Bagdhani road.

East—Pinjrapole road, Public Works Department embankment on the west of Court compound and Nawabganj burial ground road.

South—The river Padma.

West—Bashuri ring bund and Raipara road.

2 The boundaries of the Rajshahi Municipality after the exclusion of the said area will be as follows :—

North—Lakshmipur road (kutcha and pucca), Bilsimla road (kutcha), Hetamkhan road (pucca), Distillery road, Nawhatta road (up to municipal kutcha drain), municipal kutcha drain, mauza Ballavgunge and old Nator road (now Nator road).

East—Kazla post-office and mauza Kazla.

South—The Ganges.

West—Pinjrapole road, Sibtala road, Godagari pucca road, Public Works Department embankment to the west of Court compound, Basury road, Nawabganj burial ground road.

3. Any rate-payer of the municipality or any inhabitant of the said local area, who objects to the exclusion of the said local area from the said municipality, should submit his objection in writing through the District Magistrate to the undersigned before the 1st March 1924.

4. This cancels notification No. 4354M., dated the 20th November 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Burdwan.

No. 484M.—The 1st February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Kalna Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend all the provisions of Part IX of that Act to the areas of the said municipality, the boundaries of which are specified below :—

(1) Shyamlali Mohalla.

North—The portion of Rajbati road, south, lying to the north of the Laldighi tank, portions of the Fatakdar and Lakhanpara mohallas.
East—Baruipara road.
South—Baruipara road and Mamdo road.
West—Mamdo road, Garaud.

(2) Jugipara Mohalla.

North—The southern limits of Ghattakpara, Bydyabagispara and a portion of Lakhanpara.
East—Mamdo road and the portion of Garonedanga road between its junction with Jugipara road and the Sens' lane.
South—Baruipara.
West—Station road.

(3) Baruipara Mohalla.

North—A portion of Jewdhara road at its commencement from Baruipara road, a portion of the latter from that junction of Mamdo road westward and the southern limit of the Jugipara mohalla.
East—Jewdhara road and Jewdhara mohalla.
South—A portion of Jewdhara and the arable fields.
West—A portion of station road from the southern limit of Kanadighi up to arable fields.

(4) Modhubone Mohalla.

North—Portion of the Kalinagar mohalla.
East—Station road.
South—The arable fields.
West—Amlapokur katcha road.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MEDICAL.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 366Medl.—The 30th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 4 of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VI of 1914), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to nominate Dr. E. Houseman, M.D., B.C (Cantab)., to be a member of the Bengal Council of Medical Registration, *vice* Dr. A. Caddy, M.D., F.R.C.S.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 382Medl.—The 1st February 1924.—The Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make the following amendments in the Appendix annexed to paragraph 9 of the Statutes of the State Medical Faculty of Bengal published under this Department notification No. 274 Medl., dated the 30th January 1922 :—

(*a*) *Insert* the following in paragraph 10 of the Appendix B :—

(*vi*) The Carmichael Medical College Hospitals, Belgachia.

(*b*) *Insert* the following in paragraph 5 of Appendix D :—

(*v*) The Carmichael Medical College Hospitals, Belgachia.

N. B.—The orders in this notification will have force for a period of one year

2. Notification No. 345 Medl., dated the 28th January 1924, is hereby cancelled.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 389Medl.—The 2nd February 1924.—The following draft of a notification which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to issue under section 69B of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and clause (*k*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th March 1924, and any objections or suggestion with regard thereto received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*vi*) of section 69B of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and clause (*k*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make the following amendments in the rules for the establishment and management of hospitals and dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, published under Government notification No. 138T.—Medl., dated the 7th June 1915, as subsequently amended, namely :—

(1) At the end of clause (*b*) of rule 20 *add* the following proviso, namely :—

" Provided that the local authority concerned may at any time reserve to itself any power exercisable under these rules by the Manager or the Managing Committee."

(2) To rule 35 *add* the following paragraph, namely :—

" The Chairman and Vice-Chairman of a local body shall have power to inspect the dispensaries maintained by it. The District Health Officer shall have power to inspect District Board Dispensaries, and a copy of his inspection note shall be submitted by the Managing Committee to the District Board through the Civil Surgeon."

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 1772, dated Calcutta, the 30th January 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Ghosh, II, of the Ghatal subdivision and dispensary, Midnapore district, is granted leave on average pay for three days, viz., from the 12th to 14th September 1923, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

B. H. DEARE,
Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Appointment by the Chancellor.

No. 419Edn.—The 28th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6, sub-section (*3*) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), as amended by the Calcutta University Act, 1921 (VII of 1921), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to approve of the following elections of Ordinary Fellows by the Faculties of Arts and Medicine with effect from the dates mentioned against their names :— **Calcutta.**

Elected by the Faculty of Arts.

(1) Principal Heramba Chandra Maitra, M.A. (with effect from the 18th March 1924).

(2) Mr. Syamaprasad Mukherji, M.A. (with effect from the 30th January 1924).

Elected by the Faculty of Medicine.

Major W. L. Harnett, F.R.C.S., I.M.S. (with effect from the 3rd January 1924).

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 428Edn.—The 31st January 1924.—Maulvi Mirza Abu Jaafar, Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Presidency Division, is allowed leave on average pay for two months and twenty-two days, with effect from the 1st December 1923, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules. **Presy. Divn.**

This cancels notification No. 44 Edn., dated the 3rd January 1924.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 429Edn.—The 31st January 1924.—Kazi Momtazuddin Ahmed, officiating District Inspector of Schools, Khulna, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Presidency Division, during the absence on leave of Maulvi Mirza Abu Jaafar or until further orders. **Khulna. Presy. Divn.**

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 393Edn.—The 28th January 1924.—In notification No. 2163 Edn., dated the 27th July 1923, published at page 1061, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st August 1923, *for* "Mr. M. Bowen" *read* "Mr. A. V. Bowen."

T. O. D. DUNN,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 240Mis.—The 30th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Zakiuddin temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Sharishabari, in the district of Mymensingh. **Mymensingh.**

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 241Mis.—The 30th January 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Zakiuddin temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Sharishabari, in the district of Mymensingh. **Mymensingh.**

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.

No. 246Mis.—The 23rd January 1924.—The report of the Examination Board on the second half-yearly Departmental Examination of probationers, held on the 26th and 27th November 1923, having been received, the probationers named below are declared to have passed the examination completely :—

(*In order of merit.*)

1. Maulvi A. K. M. Fokaruddin Ahmad.
2. Babu Prabhat Chandra Sarkar.
3. Maulvi Abul Hussain Choudhury.
4. „ Salamatullah.
5. „ Muhammad Muzaffarullah.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 50.—The 28th January 1924.—Babu Upendra Lal Deb, Sub-Registrar, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and fifteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 581, dated the 21st December 1923.

No. 51.—The 28th January 1924.—Babu Upendra Lal Deb, Sub-Registrar, on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Fulgazi, in the district of Noakhali.

Noakhali.

No. 52.—The 29th January 1924.—Babu Surendra Nath Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Haripal, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 15th January 1924.

Hooghly.

No. 53.—The 29th January 1924.—Babu Girindra Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar of Potaspur, in the district of Midnapore, on leave, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Haripal, in the district of Hooghly, with effect from the 15th January 1924, *vice* Babu Surendra Nath Mukharji, on leave.

Midnapore.
Hooghly.

No. 54.—The 29th January 1924.—Babu Nalini Kanta Singh, Sub-Registrar of Garbeta, in the district of Midnapore, was on leave on average pay from the 1st to the 13th October 1923 (both days inclusive) under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Midnapore.

No. 55.—The 29th January 1924.—Babu Pramatha Nath Das Gupta, Sub-Registrar of Joydebpur, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 10th January 1924.

Dacca.

No. 56.—The 29th January 1924.—Maulvi Khundkar Ali Asghar, Sub-Registrar, attached to Berhampur, is transferred to the Sadar Registration office at Krishnagar.

Murshidabad.
Nadia.

No. 57.—The 29th January 1924.—Babu Jyotish Chandra Maitra, officiating Sub-Registrar of Tushbhandar, in the district of Rangpur, was on leave on average pay for three days, with effect from the 26th October 1923, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Rajshahi.
Rangpur.

No. 58.—The 29th January 1924.—Babu Bijay Chandra Dhar, Sub Registrar of Mahisadal, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and six days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 575, dated the 20th January 1923.

Midnapore.

No. 59.—The 29th January 1924.—Maulvi Abdus Samad Khan, Sub-Registrar, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 12, dated the 16th January 1924.

No. 60.—The 29th January 1924.—Maulvi Mahbubal Alam, Sub-Registrar, attached to Chittagong, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Fulgazi, in the district of Noakhali, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Chittagong.
Noakhali.

No. 61.—The 29th January 1924.—Babu Mohini Ranjan Bhattacharji, Sub-Registrar, attached to Chittagong, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Hathazari in the same district, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, *vice* Babu Binod Bihari Datta, on leave.

Chittagong.

No. 62.—The 29th January 1924.—Babu Nikunja Bihari Sen Gupta, Sub-Registrar, attached to Faridpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Nazirpur, in the district of Bakarganj, with effect from the afternoon of the 15th December 1923.

Faridpur.
Bakarganj.

No. 63.—The 29th January 1924.—Maulvi Anwar Ali, Sub-Registrar, attached to Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub Registrar of Matbaria, in the district of Bakarganj, with effect from the 17th December 1923, *vice* Babu Asitaranjan Chaudhuri, on leave.

Tippera.
Bakarganj.

No. 64.—The 29th January 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Mujibul Huq, Sub-Registrar, attached to Calcutta, acted as Sub-Registrar of Kushtia, in the district of Nadia, from the 18th December 1923 to the 22nd December 1923, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Dhanesh Chandra Sen, to act as Sadar Sub-Registrar of Krishnagar in the same district.

Nadia.
Calcutta.

No. 65.—The 30th January 1924.—Babu Sudhir Chandra Mitra, Sub-Registrar of Dubrajpur, in the district of Birbhum, is allowed leave for two months and fifteen days, viz., leave on average pay for seventeen days under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, and on half average pay under rule 81 (*c*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, for one month and twenty-eight days, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 380, dated the 17th September 1923.

Birbhum.

This cancels this department notification No. 521, dated the 7th December 1923, on the subject.

No. 66.—The 30th January 1924.—Maulvi Abdul Karim Khilji, Sub-Registrar, attached to Bankura, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan, with effect from the date on which he has joined at Jamalpur.

Bankura.
Burdwan.

No. 67.—The 30th January 1924.—Babu Sashi Bhusan Datta, Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Memari, in the same district, with effect from the date on which he has joined at Memari

Burdwan.

No. 68.—The 30th January 1924.—Maulvi Hamid-ud-din Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Ratua, in the district of Malda, under orders of transfer to Kishoreganj, in the district of Rangpur, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Malda.

No. 69.—The 30th January 1924.—Babu Bhutnath Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Chanchal, in the district of Malda, is allowed leave on average pay for three months (entire period being on account of privilege leave at credit) under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Malda.

No. 70.—The 30th January 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Yasin, Sub-Registrar attached to Murshidabad, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Chanchal, in the district of Malda, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, *vice* Babu Bhutnath Mukharji, on leave.

Murshidabad.
Malda.

No. 71.—The 30th January 1924.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen Gupta, Sub-Registrar of Raiganj, in the district of Dinajpur, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Dinajpur.

No. 72.—The 30th January 1924.—Maulvi Jasimuddin Ahmad, Sub-Registrar attached to Pabna, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Raiganj, in the district of Dinajpur, *vice* Babu Surendra Nath Sen Gupta, on leave.

Pabna.
Dinajpur.

No. 73.—The 30th January 1924.—Babu Bankim Chandra Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Ghatal, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for one month (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit) under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 565, dated the 19th December 1923.

Midnapore.

No. 74.—The 30th January 1924.—Babu Nameru Nath Mitra, probationer, Howrah, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Ghatal, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 13th January 1924, *vice* Babu Bankim Chandra Mukharji, on leave.

Howrah.
Midnapore.

No. 75.—The 4th February 1924.—Maulvi M. A. Jabbar, Sub-Registrar attached to Pabna, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Joydebpur, in the district of Dacca, with effect from the 20th January 1924, *vice* Babu Pramatha Nath Das Gupta, on leave.

Pabna.
Dacca.

No. 76.—The 4th February 1924.—Maulvi Abu Yusuf Wahidul Haq, Sub-Registrar of Ghior, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for three months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 16th January 1924.

Dacca.

No. 77.—The 4th February 1924.—Maulvi Kazi Abdul Majid, Sub-Registrar attached to Dacca, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Ghior in that district, with effect from the 16th January 1924, *vice* Maulvi Abu Yusuf Wahidul Haq, on leave.

Dacca.

No. 78.—The 4th February 1924.—Babu Amod Lal Barman, Sub Registrar, under orders of transfer to Mohanpur, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for three months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this Department notification No. 555, dated the 18th December 1923.

Midnapore.

No. 79.—The 4th February 1924.—Babu Panchanan Mukherji, Sub-Registrar attached to Jessore, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Rampal, in the district of Khulna, with effect from the 2nd January 1924 until further orders.

Jessore.
Khulna.

No. 80.—The 4th February 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Mujibul Haq, Sub-Registrar attached to Calcutta, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj, in the district of Khulna, with effect from the 7th January 1924 until further orders.

Calcutta.
Khulna.

A. ISLAM,

Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 806Com.—The 31st January 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 5 of the Indian Boilers Act, 1923 (V of 1923), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the gentlemen, named below, to be temporary Inspectors of Boilers for the Province of Bengal, with effect from the 1st February 1924 :—

Mr. Alexander Hay Meldrum Husband.
„ William Nairn.
„ Thomas Henry Gallacher.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 16Marine.—The 29th January 1924.—Mr. R. S. Smyth, Branch Pilot, is granted leave on average pay for two months, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he avails himself of it.

No. 17Marine.—The 29th January 1924.—It is hereby notified for general information that Mr. B. J. Corcoran has been elected by the Chamber of Commerce, Chittagong, to be a Commissioner for the Port of Chittagong, *vice* Mr. H. C. McEwen, resigned.

No. 18Marine.—The 29th January 1924.—Mr. L. J. MacDonald, acting Senior Master Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service, is granted privilege leave for one month and one day, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for the period 17th April to 17th May 1920.

No. 19Marine.—The 30th January 1924.—Mr. E. W. Bentley, 2nd Mate Leadsman, Bengal Pilot Service, is granted leave on average pay for three weeks under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 12th January 1924.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 2.—The 24th January 1924.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Guha, Assistant Engineer, in charge of Comilla subdivision, is granted, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, leave on average pay for five days (entirely on account of privilege leave at his credit) with effect from the 18th December 1923.

G. G. DEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 81.—The 28th January 1924.—The following draft of revised rules and rates of tolls for the Calcutta and Eastern Canals, Tolly's Nala and Sunqarbans Steamer Route, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Revised Rules and Rates of Tolls.

The rules shall apply to the following navigable channels which are included under the designation "Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala" and the "Sundarbans Steamer Route."

I. The Circular Canal comprising the still-water canals between the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks and the New Cut Canal from Ultadingi to Dhapa Lock, together with its junction with the river Hooghly and Orange Soorah at Dhapa.

II. The Central Lake Channel from its junction with the Circular Canal at the Dhapa Lock to its junction with the Bidyadhari at Bamunghatta.

III. The Nowbhanga khal extending northwards for a mile from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock.

IV. The Soorah from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock and extending to the fish market situated adjacent to, and to the west of, the Dhapa Inspector's residence.

V. Tolly's Nala extending from a line drawn across the Nala 25 feet west of the Hastings Bridge at Kidderpore to the Bidyadhari river at Samukpota.

VI. The Kristopore Canal extending from a point in the New Cut Canal, 1 mile 4,700 feet from the Chitpore Lock to a point where it joins the Bhangore khal at Kantatala.

VII. The outfall channel of the Thakurdhari sluice, 4,180 feet in length, extending from a point in village Thakurdhari near the 5th mile-post of the Kristopore Canal to the Thakurdhari sluice on the Paran Chaprasi's khal.

VIII. The Sundarbans Steamer Route as defined in notification No. 71 of the 22nd July 1922.

1. Every vessel on entering the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala shall be liable to measurement for the purpose of ascertaining the tolls payable ; in case of any reasonable doubt arising, the persons appointed by the Governor in Council to collect tolls and officers to whom such persons are subordinate shall have authority to enter upon and again measure a vessel notwithstanding that it was measured on entering the canals.

2. Vessels for the purposes of the determination of tonnage shall be divided into two classes as below :—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build, including *saltees* and *hapars* (fish cages).

Class II.—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and other square built vessels.

The net tonnage of every vessel, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of Act V (B.C.) of 1864 and of these rules, be determined by the following measurements :—

Class I.—

A.—The product of one quarter the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches : the measurement of breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting any remainder of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which the amount of toll is calculated shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 12½ maunds, any remainder of less than 12½ maunds being rejected. In the case of vessels exceeding 500 maunds by measurement, the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 50 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 50 maunds.

D.—**Saltees.**—The product of one quarter of the inside length of the vessel measured along the centre line from stem to stern, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the greatest depth measured from the top to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which tolls shall be levied.

Class II.—

For vessels of class II the number of maunds obtained by the system of measurement prescribed for vessels of class I, shall be increased by one-half. For vessels of this class above 5,000 maunds measurement the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 500 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 500 maunds. In the case of steamers, the maundage determined as above shall be reduced by one-third as an allowance for engine space.

For vessels of class II which are furnished with reliable way-bills, the gross maundage of cargo shown by the way-bills, or in the case of steamers, the maundage obtained from multiplying the registered tonnage of the steamer by 27, may, at the option of the employer of the vessel or the steamer (as the case may be), be taken as the maundage on which toll will be charged :

Provided that firms or individuals, who wish to make use of this rule, must be approved by the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle, and that such approval may be withdrawn for any just cause.

3. Every vessel entering the canals shall be furnished with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the cargo it contains, the amount of toll charged, and the number of days for which the ticket remains current, shall be entered.

4. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed : Provided that the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle may at his direction permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognised standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

5. The ticket must be kept on board the vessel and must be produced for inspection when demanded by any person authorised to collect tolls, or by any officer to whom such person is subordinate. If on demand the ticket is not produced, such person or officer shall assess the tollage as provided in rule 2 and shall require payment of toll, and unless and until the toll is paid, or the original ticket or a duplicate is produced as evidence that toll has already been paid, the vessel shall be liable to seizure and detention under the provisions of section IX of the Act.

6. Duplicates of lost tickets, of which the numbers and dates can be satisfactorily established, will be granted by the collector of tolls on payment of a sum of one rupee and annas eight. Provided that for tickets on which the total tollage is less than six rupees the fee to be charged for a duplicate shall be one quarter of the total tollage. The minimum fee will be eight annas per ticket.

7. A vessel which has been detained under these rules or under section IX of the Act may not be removed from the canals without the order of the collector of tolls until the toll due has been paid and a ticket obtained for presentation at the exit station. During such detention the manjee, owner or agent must make arrangements for the safety of the vessel and cargo.

8. All vessels, whether the property of Government or of private owners, are liable for toll except those specially exempted under any Government orders in force for the time being.

9. Vessels may be hauled up for repairs on the banks of the canals with the previous written permission of the supervisor appointed by the Governor in Council under section XIII. A rent calculated at one-sixth the rate of ordinary demurrage will be charged for the time the vessel occupies the bank. No vessel may be launched in the canal without the previous written permission of the supervisor.

10. At places where mooring posts have been provided by the supervisor, vessels desiring to moor shall be made fast in single line along the banks to such posts in such manner as the supervisor may direct and shall not be moored in any other manner.

11. The Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle, may fix the limit within which vessels are permitted to remain free of toll, and may also define the limits within which no loading or unloading shall be permitted.

12. No vessel whose extreme breadth including overhanging cargo exceeds 35 feet will be permitted to enter the locks at Chitpore or Dhapa : in the case of the Kulti and Bamunghatta Locks the maximum width allowable is 29 feet.

13. The supervisor may, by written notices to be posted at the toll offices, prohibit the dropping of anchors or the putting up of bamboos or *luggees* in any specified part of the canals or on the banks.

14. Vessels shall be allowed to make fast in single line along the canal banks in such manner as may be directed by the supervisor, and no vessel shall be made fast or be placed outside of vessels so secured. No vessel or raft shall be placed in such a position as to endanger the safety, or obstruct the passage, of other vessels. Every vessel shall at all times have some responsible person on board when the vessel is within the locked canals between toll stations or on Tolly's Nala.

15. Vessels passing through the canals shall keep in separate lines, in accordance with the rules in force as laid down by the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle from time to time.

16. No person shall deposit goods of any description on the berms of the canals between the frontage roads or towpaths and the canals, except during the actual process of loading or unloading vessels, without the previous permission of the supervisor.

17. Iron built cargo boats, with outside angle irons projecting beyond the wooden fenders, will not be allowed to enter the locks unless permanent fenders are fixed over the edges of the angle irons so as to prevent them from causing damage to the lock.

18. No fire or open or unprotected light of any description shall be used on vessels containing petroleum, jute, hay or straw while in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala; and no fire or open or unprotected light (except in the case of steamers, the galley and engine-room fires and the electric light) shall be used on any vessel while in a lock basin.

19. No person shall wilfully or negligently allow a vessel to sink in the canals. No vessel which is obviously overloaded or unseaworthy will be permitted to proceed along any part of the canals until made safe to the satisfaction of the supervisor or his staff.

20. In every case of a sunken vessel, whether due to negligence or otherwise, the supervisor and his subordinates shall offer every assistance in removing the same.

If three days after the occurrence of a wreck, it is seen that prompt measures are not being taken by the owner to remove the sunken vessel from the line of navigation, the supervisor and his subordinates shall make their own arrangements for the removal of the same at the expense of the owner, provided that when the wreck obstructs the fairway they shall take immediate steps to remove the same.

21. When a sunken vessel has been recovered, the supervisor shall cause notices to be posted at the locks, toll-offices, or other prominent places, calling on those concerned to pay to the collector of tolls all toll or demurrage which may be due, as well as the expenses incurred in the recovery of the vessel and cargo; should the sum due be not paid within fifteen days of the date of notice, the boat and its furniture, or so much of it as may be necessary for the recovery of the dues, will be sold under the procedure directed in section IX of the Act.

22. The purchaser of a vessel sold under the provisions of section IX of the Act shall have the right to take it out of the canals on the day of purchase, or within such time as may be allowed by the collector of tolls, without payment of tolls.

23. When any laden vessel which has sunk has been recovered or when, any laden vessel has been seized under the provisions of the Act, or of these rules, the supervisor shall give immediate notice of the recovery or seizure to the owner of the cargo or his agent, requiring the removal of the cargo without delay, and informing him that he will be required to pay all expenses necessary for the proper custody and storage of the cargo until removed.

24. If the supervisor be unable to ascertain the name and place of business or the abode of the owner of the cargo of such vessel, the notice prescribed in rule 23 shall be effected by a notice exhibited in his office, and by advertisement in at least one English and one vernacular Calcutta newspaper.

25. Steamers are not allowed to tow flats or cargo boats in the Circular Canal, but may tow one flat or barge at a time astern in the New Cut Canal or Kristopore Canal within toll limits.

26. **Lights and signals.**—All vessels, whether travelling or moored in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala, must, between sunset and sunrise, carry a white light properly protected from the weather on the forepart of the vessel where it can be distinctly seen from all sides. All steam vessels in motion shall carry the lights prescribed by the Board of Trade Regulations. Barges or boats attached to a steam vessel, whether in motion or moored, shall carry the light prescribed above.

27. **Speed of vessels.**—Every vessel proceeding through the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala must, between sunset and sunrise, limit her speed to three miles per hour.

28. For any contravention of rules 7, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 25, 26 and 27 the person in charge of the vessel or other person in fault shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 or Rs. 5 a day for any continuing infringement.

29. No boats will be allowed to remain in the entrance channels to the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks.

30. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained.

SCHEDULE OF TOLLS.

Tolly's Nala.

No.	Description of vessels.	Entering at Kidderpore.				Entering at Russa.			
		Not proceeding beyond Russa and returning *via* Kidderpore.		Proceeding beyond Russa.		Not proceeding beyond Kidderpore and returning *via* Russa.		Proceeding beyond Kidderpore.	
		Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels per hundred maunds.	1	4 0	2	0 0	1	4 0	2	0 0
2	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber.	0	4 0	0	6 0	0	4 0	0	6 0
3	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber	0	2 0	0	3 0	0	2 0	0	3 0
4	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred.	0	2 0	0	3 0	0	2 0	0	3 0
5	On *saltees* under 25 maunds, each *saltee* ...	0	6 0	0	8 0	0	6 0	0	8 0
6	On *saltees* of 25 maunds and less than 50 maunds, each *saltee*.	0	12 0	1	0 0	0	12 0	1	0 0
7	On *saltees* of 50 maunds and less than 75 maunds, each *saltee*.	1	2 0	1	8 0	1	2 0	1	8 0
8	On *saltees* of 75 maunds and not exceeding 100 maunds, each *saltee*.	1	8 0	2	0 0	1	8 0	2	0 0
9	Minimum toll on all vessels	0	6 0	0	8 0	0	6 0	0	8 0

NOTE 1.—Loaded vessels entering the Nala and again leaving by the station of entry will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement and when leaving will again pay tolls in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty they will be passed out free of any further charge. A boat returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the Nala.

NOTE 2.—Empty vessels entering "to load" and again leaving by the station of entry will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion, and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 3.—Through vessels entering at Kidderpore and leaving at Russa or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 4.—The tollage rates for items 2, 3 and 4 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 5.—The tollage charged for items 5, 6, 7 and 8 includes the return journey; *saltees* over 100 maunds will pay the tolls prescribed under item 1.

Calcutta Canals.

No.	Description of vessels.	Entering at Chitpore.				Entering from the east at Kristopore or Dhapa and leaving at either Chitpore, Dhapa or Kristopore.		
		Not proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.		Proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.				
		Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels except those loaded with fire-wood per hundred maunds.	1	4 0	2	12 0	2	12	0
2	On all boats, steamers or other vessels laden with fire-wood per hundred maunds	1	4 0	2	4 0	2	4	0
3	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber ...	0	4 0	0	8 0	0	8	0
4	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber ...	0	2 0	0	4 0	0	4	0
5	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred	0	2 0	0	4 0	0	4	0
6	Minimum toll on all vessels	0	6 0	0	6 0	0	6	0

NOTE 6.—Loaded vessels entering the canal at Chitpore and again leaving *via* Chitpore will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement, and when leaving will again pay toll in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty, they will be passed out free of any further charge. A vessel returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the canal.

NOTE 7.—Empty vessels entering at Chitpore "to load" and again leaving *via* Chitpore will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 8.—Through vessels entering at Chitpore and leaving at Dhapa or Kristopore or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving, according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry: if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 9.—The tollage rates for items 3, 4 and 5 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 10.—Vessels entering at Dhapa and Kristopore will be passed out free at the station of entry, provided the maundage does not exceed that when entering; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 11.—(1) Monthly tickets are, at the option of the payers, issued to boats carrying passengers, grass or perishable articles going to the Orphangunj Bazar or proceeding outside the Dhapa Lock. The cost of these tickets is at six times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the supervisor's office, and at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the toll stations at Dhapa or Kidderpore.

(2) Monthly tickets at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated under item 1 of the Schedule for entering the canals from the eastward will be issued to boats carrying passengers, vegetables and perishable goods for plying within the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals. These tickets will not entitle the boats to pass through the Dhapa or Chitpore Lock, but they will be allowed to pass the Kristopore toll-station.

NOTE 12.—*Demurrage.*—Every vessel, raft or float, which has paid toll, shall be allowed three days for passing through the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals and two days for Tolly's Nala between Russa and Kidderpore, and three days for the reach outside Dhapa Lock, the days of entering and leaving being both included. In addition to these periods, they may, without further payment, remain in the canals for the additional undermentioned periods, that is to say—

Vessels—Two days for the first hundred maunds and one day for every hundred maunds above the first hundred maunds.

Floats.—Two days for any number of timbers not exceeding fifty, and one day for every additional fifty.

Rafts.—Two days for any number of bamboos not exceeding five hundred and one day for every additional five hundred.

Every vessel, raft or float remaining in any part of the aforesaid canals longer than the period allowed under the foregoing rules shall, for each day in excess of such period, be charged demurrage equal to one-half of the toll payable under the schedules above, provided that the demurrage charged shall in no case exceed Rs. 7-8 per diem.

(Open *dinghies* accompanying large boats are entitled to the same demurrage allowance of time as the parent boats.)

NOTE 13.—Steamers or flats passing through the Lower Sundarbans channels must pay tolls at the rate of Rs. 20 each per single trip.

NOTE 14.—*Additional toll.*—All boats, steamers and flats, after passing out of the Dhapa Lock must proceed outside the toll limit at Bamunghatta within 48 hours; otherwise a fresh toll will be levied in accordance with the rules in force.

NOTE 15.—(1) During the period of closure of Tolly's Nala at Samukpotta, vessels laden with firewood will be permitted to proceed from the Bidyadhari or Bhangore khal to Tolly's Nala and back through the Circular, New Cut and Kiderpore Canals *viâ* Kidderpore on payment of three rupees per hundred maunds by canal measurement. Vessels plying under this concession will not be permitted to unload their cargo except in Tolly's Nala and must return empty. Infringement of this rule will render such vessels liable to the ordinary tollage in force.

(2) Vessels laden with cargo other than firewood will be allowed a similar concession for journeys mentioned in the foregoing rule on payment of Rs. 2-12 per hundred maunds. On the return voyage only they may load in the Hooghly or any of the canals including Tolly's Nala and will pay in accordance with the following schedule :—

(*a*) If vessels accomplish the return trip empty, no further toll will be levied.

(*b*) If vessels leave Tolly's Nala with a load not exceeding that on entry and proceed out at Dhapa or Kristopore without taking in extra cargo on the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals, no further toll will be levied.

(*c*) Vessels leaving Tolly's Nala with a load exceeding that on entry will be charged for the additional cargo at Rs. 4 per hundred maunds.

(*d*) Vessels picking up cargo in the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals will pay the ordinary schedule tolls on all cargo thus loaded.

NOTE 16.—Tolls will be levied at the toll offices at Russa and Kidderpore on Tolly's Nala and at Chitpore, Kristopore, Dhapa and Bantolla on the Circular Canals.

[Third publication.]

No. 7 I.—*The 21st January 1924.*—The following draft of amendments, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 78 and 99 of the Bengal Irrigation Act, 1876 (Bengal Act III of 1876), the Governor in Council intends to make in rules 6, 21 and 22 of the rules and rates for the supply of water from the Eden Canal (published in Bengal Government notification No. 178, dated the 22nd August 1898, at pages 909-911, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, as modified in Bengal Government notification No. 66, dated the 15th November 1904, published at page 1703, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, and Bengal Government notification No. 7, dated the 21st June 1909, published at page 883, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem), is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft amendments.

1. *For* rule 6 of the said rules and rates, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"6. The rates to be charged will be as follows :—

	Per bigha Rs.	A.
I.—Long leases, per season	0	12
II.—Season leases, *kharif*, per season	1	2
III.—Single waterings outside the area commanded, each watering	0	6
IV.—Season leases, *rabi*, sugarcane, potato, and other crops irrigated by flow, per season	1	8
Season leases, *rabi*, sugarcane, potato, and other crops irrigated by lift, per season	0	12
Boro rice, onions, brinjals and other country vegetables irrigated by flow, per season	0	12
Boro rice, onions, brinjals and other country vegetables irrigated by lift, per season	0	6
V.—Unauthorised irrigation—		
Kharif season	3	0*
Rabi season	3	0*

* Or such lower rate as may be fixed by the Canal Officer.

2. *For* rules 21 and 22 of the said rules, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"21. When tanks which are used both for irrigation and domestic purposes are filled with canal water, a charge at the rate of annas 12 will be made for each 10,000 cubic feet or part of 10,000 cubic feet."

"22. The Divisional Canal Officer may supply water for manufacturing or other purposes and charge for the same at the rate of one rupee and eight annas for each 10,000 cubic feet or part of 10,000 cubic feet supplied. The same charge will be made if water is taken into a tank without authority or used in an unauthorised manner."

No. 91.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix for the inner main channel, branch channels and outlets, viz., the Gouri khal, Kedar khal, and Matler khal and for the outfall channel on the river side of the Sarenga sluice of the Burrojolla drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessel along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying toll.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls —

(*a*) For the inner channel—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

		A.	P.
Per trip either way ..	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage ...	12	0
	For each 12½ maunds ...	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

		A.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage ...	4	0
	For each 12½ maunds ...	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Sarenga near the sluice.
(2) Ghoraghata at the junction of an old side khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(3) Dhulagori at the junction of Matler khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(4) Kushadanga at the junction of Gouri khal outlet with the branch channels leading to the bridge at Joyrampur.

No. 101.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix, for the inner channels, as well as the outfall channel on the river side of the Nazirganj sluice, in the Howrah drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessels along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying tolls.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls—

(*a*) For the inner channels—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

			As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage		12	0
	For each 12½ maunds		1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

			As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage		4	0
	For each 12½ maunds		0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Panchpara (Nazirganj).
(2) Chamrali.
(3) Tentulkuli.
(4) Unshani.

T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES.

VETERINARY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 449.—The 30th January 1924.—Mr. P. J. Kerr, M.R.C.V.S., I.V.S., Director, Civil Veterinary Department and Veterinary Adviser to the Government of Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months (of which one month and three days are on account of privilege leave on full pay at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 26th February 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 450.—The 30th January 1924.—Mr. R. T. Davis, I.V.S., Vice-Principal, Bengal Veterinary College, is appointed to act as Director, Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. P. J. Kerr, or until further orders.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 451.—The 30th January 1924.—Maulvi Saiyid Sultan Ahmad, Lecturer, Bengal Veterinary College, is appointed to act as Vice-Principal, Bengal Veterinary College, *vice* Mr. R. T. Davis.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

EXCISE.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 490Ex.—The 4th February 1924.—Babu Manindra Chandra Boral, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, Jalpaiguri, is appointed to act as Inspector of Excise and Salt, with effect from the 16th November 1923, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bani Kanta Mukharji.

Jalpaiguri.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 491Ex.—The 4th February 1924.—Babu Kulada Prosad Neogi, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, Rajshahi, is appointed to act as Inspector of Excise and Salt, with effect from the 16th November 1923, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jahar Lal Shaha, for six months from the said date.

Rajshahi.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

No. 81-T.-A.—The 26th January 1924.—Mr. Surendra Nath Bose, Bacteriological Assistant, is granted, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, leave on average salary for six weeks (the entire period on account of privilege leave at his credit), in extension of the leave sanctioned under this office notification No. 16288, dated the 22nd December 1923

R. S. FINLOW,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

No. 666.—The 1st February 1924.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Dewanganj Co-operative Supply and Sale Society, Limited (registered No. 602 of 1917) in the district of Mymensingh under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Jamalpur Circle, to be liquidator of the said society.

M. THORP,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1231L.R.—The 4th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 101 (*1*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), as amended up to date, the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands which are comprised within the administrative boundaries of the following mauzas in the district of Chittagong.

Chittagong.

The particulars to be recorded in the record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant and occupant,

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rents or rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure,

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the lands held by each tenant or occupier,

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord,

(*e*) The name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the lands, if any, which are his private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act,

(*f*) the rent and cess lawfully payable by each tenant, at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared,

(*g*) the mode in which the rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a court, or otherwise,

(*h*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases,

(*i*) the rights and obligations of each landlord and tenant in respect of—

(1) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, jhil, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(2) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land,

(*j*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy,
(*k*) any right-of-way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared,
(*l*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

Mauzas.

DISTRICT CHITTAGONG.

Sadar Subdivision.

Thana.	Name of mauza.	Thana jurisdiction list number.	Revenue Survey number.
Anwara ...	Paraikora ...	202	72
Do. ...	Khaskhama ...	208	78

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

No. 1140L.A.—The 31st January 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of the 24-Parganas for a public purpose, viz., for the approach road to Kalsur tank, in the village of Kalsur (jurisdiction No. 51 of thana Deganga), pargana Chaurashi, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·2267 of an acre, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the lands of Hazer and Nazir Mondal and Golam Abbas Sardar,
East—By the local board road,
South—By the land of Hazer and Nazir Mondal,
West—By the District Board tank,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Kalsur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector, 24-Parganas.

No. 1209L.A.—The 2nd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the South Suburban Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a nikashi drain from old Tollygunge road to Tolly's nullah in the village of Etelghata *alias* Habadahara, pargana Magura, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·0539 of an acre, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North and East—By the lands of Panchkari Samanta, Priya Nath Saha and by the surplus land of Tolly's nullah,
South—By the lands of Kenaram Das, Anath Krishna Mondal and others and Panchkari Samanta,
West—By the lands of Panchkari Samanta, Anath Krishna Mondal and others and Kenaram Das and by the old Tollygunge road land,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Etelghata *alias* Habadahara.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may within thirty days of the publication of this notification file an objection in writing before the Collector, 24-Parganas.

No. 1225L.A.—The 4th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal Nagpur Railway Company, Ltd., for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed railway station at Shijberiya at mile 17·302, in the villages of Cheyan and Shijberiya, pargana Balia, zilla Howran, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 17·21 acres, on the northern side of the existing Bengal Nagpur Railway line, between chainage 276,000 and 278,500, with a uniform width of 300 feet, is likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Cheyan and Shijberiya.

Howrah.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector.

No. 1228L.A.—The 4th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Budge-Budge Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of Dome's quarters at the burning ghat, in the village of Chitraganj, jurisdiction list No. 12 of thana Budge-Budge, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·0444 of an acre, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the land of Durgadas Chakrabarty and the municipal land,
East—By the municipal land and the slope of Mehta road,
South—By the slope of Mehta road and the lands of Habul Pal and Durgadas Chakrabarty,
West—By the lands of Habul Pal and Durgadas Chakrabarty,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Chitraganj.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 1208L.A.—The 2nd February 1924.—For the boundaries given in the schedule attached to the agreement, made under section 41 of the Land Acquisition Act and published under notification No. 11631L.A., dated the 18th December 1923, at pages 1968-1969, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, in respect of the proposed acquisition of land on behalf of the Calcutta Medical Aid and Research Society for the construction of a new hospital at Jadabpur in the district of the 24-Parganas, *substitute the following* :—

24-Parganas.

North—By the drain of Jadabpur station road, and by the lands of Shaik Karim (*chota*), Majahar Saddar, Bhoda Molla, Kachimuddi Molla, Motalab Mondal, Shashi Bhusan Ghosh, Ashutosh Singha and others,
East—By the lands of Shaik Karim (*chota*), Majahar Saddar, Bhoda Molla, Kachimuddi Molla, Motalab Mondal, Shashi Bhushan Ghosh, Asutosh Singha and others, and Naran Chandra Das,
South—By Kamarpara road, land of Shaik Karim (*chota*), Kamarpara road and the drain of Gariahata road,
West—By the drains of Gariahata road and of Jadabpur station road,

excluding two plots of land, comprised within the boundaries described above, one belonging to Ranada Prasad Gupta and the other to Debendra Nath Das and Kumudini Dassi, as shown in yellow colour in the plan which may be inspected in the office of the Collector of the 24-Parganas.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATA.

Birbhum. *No. 1058L.A.—The 29th January 1924.*—In line 15 of the declaration No. 6308L.A., dated the 9th August 1923, published at page 1181, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, in respect of the acquisition of a piece of land required for the extension of Sainthia police-station in the village of Sainthia, district Birbhum, *for* the words "By Bolpur-Rajgaon Road and Kalidas Mandal's bastu" describing the western boundary of the land, *read* "By Bolpur-Rajgaon Road."

Bankura. *No. 1178L.A.—The 1st February 1924.*—In declaration No. 4480L.A., dated the 21st June 1923, published at page 851, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, *for* the words "North, South and West By Kunja, Akhil, Gobinda and Upendra Midda's land," *read*—

North—By Jadu Nath Batabyal's land.

South—By Jatindra Nath, Jogendra Nath, Gopal Chandra, Nagendra Nath, Hrishikesh and Sripati Bhattacharjee's land.

West—By Jadu Nath Batabyal, Jatindra Nath, Jogendra Nath, Gopal Chandra, Nagendra Nath, Hrishikesh and Sripati Bhattacharjee's land.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JURISDICTION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Rangpur. *No. 1159Jur.—The 1st February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 8 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications relating to the area included within the Nilphamari subdivision of the district of Rangpur and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the limits of that subdivision shall include the local areas of the following police-stations :—

Police-station.		Number and date of notification defining jurisdiction.
Nilphamari	...	No. nil, dated the 7th July 1884, No. nil, dated the 1st October 1884, and No. 429Pl., dated the 30th January 1924.
Saidpur	...	No. 15Pl., dated the 4th January 1922.
Dimla	...	No. nil, dated the 23rd February 1875.
Domar	...	No. 16Pl., dated the 4th January 1922.
Jaldhaka	...	No. 4241P., dated the 21st April 1914.
Kishoreganj	...	No. 4242P., doted the 21st April 1914.

Dinajpur. *No. 1160Jur.—The 1st February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 8 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications relating to the area included within the Thakurgaon subdivision of the district of Dinajpur and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the limits of that subdivision shall include the local areas of the following police-stations :—

Police-station.		Number and date of notification defining jurisdiction.
Thakurgaon	...	No. 3173P., dated the 6th March 1916.
Baliadangi	...	No. 3172P., dated the 6th March 1916.
Atwari	...	No. 3171P., dated the 6th March 1916.
Ranisankail	...	No. 8512P., dated the 1st December 1913.
Haripur	...	No 8513P., dated the 1st December 1913.
Pirganj	...	No. 8026P., dated the 18th November 1913.
Bochaganj	...	No. 8027P. dated the 18th November 1913.
Birganj	...	No. 8775P., dated the 5th December 1913.
Kaharul	...	No. 8777P., dated the 5th December 1913.
Khansama	...	No. 8776P., dated the 5th December 1913, and No. 429Pl., dated the 30th January 1924.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2 For.—The 26th January 1924.—Babu Jitendra Nath Sen Gupta, Probationary Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, is allowed leave on average pay for three days from 20th to 22nd December 1923, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

He is permitted to affix the Christmas and New Year's Day holidays to his leave.

R. C. MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABU KALI MOHAN SEN, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Comilla Treasury from the afternoon of the 25th January 1924, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries and Banks.

A. J. DASH, *Collector.*

TIPPERA TREASURY, *the 26th January 1924.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 16TH JANUARY 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Criminal Sessions of the year 1924 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the eleventh day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

W. L. CAREY, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯২৪ সাল, তারিখ ১৬ই জানুয়ারী।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে স্থবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীনে শহর কলিকাতা ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯২৪ সালের ১১ই ফেব্রুয়ারী সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯২৪ সালের প্রথম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক, তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ডব্লিউ, এল, কেরী,
সরিফ।

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

CIVIL.

The 29th January 1924.

No. 1359A.—Mr. Satish Chandra Bagchi, munsif of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Comilla munsifi.

The 1st February, 1924.

No. 1503A.—Babu Basanta Kumar Roy, munsif of Howrah, in the district of Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Howrah munsifi exclusive of the Howrah and Bally Municipalities.

No. 1504A.—Babu Basanta Behari Mukharji, munsif of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Barisal munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

J. D. V. HODGE,
Registrar.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under Act IX of 1887 that the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Dacca and Munshiganj, will, in the months of March and April 1924, sit in the Courts on the undermentioned dates :—

For March 1924.

For Munshiganj Small Cause Court	...	From 10th to 15th March 1924.
For Dacca Small Cause Court	...	For rest of the working days of the month of March 1924.

For April 1924.

For Munshiganj Small Cause Court	...	From 7th to 12th April 1924.
For Dacca Small Cause Court	...	The rest of the working days of the month of April 1924.

SRIS CHANDRA CHAUDHURI, *Judge.*

DACCA, *the 28th January 1924.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1323R.G.—Maulvi Saiyid Abbas Ali, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector and Second Officer, Chuadanga, in the district of Nadia, is granted leave on average pay under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules for four days from the 2nd to 5th January 1924.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 30th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 525J.—Babu Upendra Nath Ganguli, Sub-Deputy Collector, Mymensingh Sadar, is allowed leave on average pay under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules for thirteen days with effect from the 14th January 1924.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 31st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 535J.—Babu Akhil Chandra Ganguli, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, who has been posted to the Dacca Division, in Government notification No. 2664A., dated the 25th January 1924, is posted to the headquarters station of the Bakarganj district.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 31st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1345R.G.—Maulvi Abdul Hafeez, Sub-Deputy Collector, on probation, is posted to the headquarters station in the 24-Parganas.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 527G.—Babu Kailaspati Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Chittagong, is appointed to be a Chaukidari Circle Officer, with effect from the 7th January 1924.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 31st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 531G.—Babu Satcori Lal De, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Comilla, is appointed temporarily to be a Circle Officer, Comilla, from the 24th January 1924.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 31st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 470J.—Babu Kunja Mohan De, Sub-Deputy Collector, Rajshahi Division, is posted to the headquarters station of the Bogra district.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 557G.—II-4.—Maulvi Bazlul Wali Muhammad Abdur Rahaman, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, transferred to the Chittagong Division in Government notification No. 2670A., dated the 25th January 1924, is posted to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 2nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 548J.—The following Sub-Deputy Collectors and Circle Officers are posted on general duty to the stations noted against their names :—

Names of officers	Stations where posted to.
1. Babu Sushil Chandra Datta, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Sadar (South), district Dacca.	Dacca Sadar.
2. Maulvi Fazlur Rahman (No. II), Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Munshiganj (North), district Dacca.	Munshiganj, district Dacca.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 1st February 1924.*

CORRIGENDUM.

No. 493J.—In this office notification No. 6467J., dated the 22nd December 1923, published at page 29, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd January 1924, appointing certain members of the Bengal Legislative Council as non-official visitors of the district and sub-jails in the district of Bakarganj, *omit* the name of "Maulvi A. K. Fazlal Haque" from the list of visitors of the Barisal District Jail.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 30th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 554J.—The following Sub-Deputy Collectors are posted as Circle Officers under the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, to the circles noted against their names :—

Names of officers.	Circles where posted to.
1. Babu Dhirendra Chandra Nag, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dacca, Sadar	Narainganj (South), district Dacca.
2. Babu Ajit Kumar Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Narainganj (South), district Dacca	Sadar (South), district Dacca.
3. Babu Jatindra Kumar Mazumdar, Sub-Deputy Collector, Madaripur, district Faridpur	Palong, Madaripur, district Faridpur.
4. Babu Khagendra Nath Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Palong, Madaripur, district Faridpur ...	Munshiganj (North), district Dacca.
5. Babu Ananta Kumar Malakar, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Manikganj, district Dacca	Sabhar, Sadar, district Dacca.
6. Babu Tamasa Ranjan Datta, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Sabhar, Sadar, district Dacca	Munshiganj (South), district Dacca.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 1st February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 473J.—It is hereby notified for general information that a general election of the Municipal Commissioners in the under-noted municipalities, in the district of Mymensingh, will be held on the 30th April 1924 :—

Mymensingh.	Kishoreganj.
Muktagacha.	Bajitpur.
Jamalpur.	Tangail.
Sherpur.	Netrokona.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 29th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 321M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on the 19th January 1924, Babu Murolidhar Agarwalla was duly elected a Commissioner for Ward No. III of the Old Malda Municipality, in the district of Malda, *vice* Munshi Abdul Gani Khan, deceased.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 31st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 486J.—It is hereby notified for general information that bye-elections will be held on the 15th March 1924 in Wards Nos. II, III and IV of the Dacca Municipality to elect Commissioners for those wards, *vice* Babu Sitanath De Sarkar, Babu Nabendra Nath Bysak and Maulvi Alla Bux Sarcar, respectively, removed.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 30th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 26M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Friday, the 7th March 1924, has been fixed as the date for holding a bye election in Ward No. II of the Krishnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, to elect a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Sudhir Krishna Banerjee, removed under section 20 (*1*) (*a*) of the Bengal Municipal Act.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., 3, CHARNOCK PLACE, CALCUTTA, *the 2nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 509J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 19 (*1*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), Babu Jatish Chandra Sen has been duly elected to be a member of the Sadar Local Board in the district of Bakarganj for the Jhalakati thana, *vice* Babu Benode Kumar Roy Choudhuri, resigned.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 31st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 543J.—The number of members of the Manikganj Local Board in the district of of Dacca having been raised to 10 by Bengal Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) notification No. 417-L.S.G., dated the 25th January 1924, the following revised list showing the number of members of the local board to be elected by each electoral unit is hereby published for general information under rule 19 of the Election Rules made under clause (*a*), section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885 :—

District.	Name of local board.	Names of police-stations.	Number of members to be elected for the police-station.
Dacca ...	Manikganj ...	Manikganj ...	1
		Saturia ...	1
		Singair ...	1
		Harirampur ...	1
		Gheor ...	1
		Sibalaya ...	1
		Daulatpur ...	1
		Total ...	7

2. This cancels so much of this office notification No. 1870, dated the 9th April 1920, as relates to the fixing of the number of members to be elected by each electoral unit of the Manikganj local board.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 31st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 119L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Khoyrasole police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Parsundi Union Board.

Ward No.	Names of members.
I ...	1. Babu Abinash Chandra Misra.
	2. „ Bonowari Lal Tewari.
	3. „ Narain Chandra Tewari.
	4. „ Joy Krista Tewari.
II ...	5. Babu Asu Tosh Mondal.
	6. „ Ram Ranjan Ghosh.

Barrah Union Board.

Ward No	Names of members
I	1. Babu Radha Sundar Das. 2. „ Mohendra Nath Ghosh. 3. Dr. Herasatulla.
II	4. Babu Mohini Mohan Mitra.
III	5. Babu Nalini Mohan Bhattacharji. 6. „ Radhika Prasad Sarkar.

Babuljore Union Board.

I	1. Babu Kanai Lal Ghosh. 2. „ Santi Ram Mondal.
II	3. Munshi Malek Hossain Khan. 4. „ Barkat Ali Khan.
III	5. Babu Rash Behari Mondal. 6. „ Babu Lal Mondal.

Sagarbhanga Union Board.

I	1. Babu Kanai Lal Mondal. 2. „ Bagal Chandra Garai.
II	3. Mir Rabial Hossain. 4. Babu Dhaja Dhari Mondal.
III	5. Munshi Mahammad Abdul Hakim. 6. „ Mahammad Manzur.

Nakrakonda Union Board.

I	1. Babu Dharani Dhar Mondal. 2. „ Sudarsan Banerji.
II	3. Babu Sashi Prasanna Mukherji. 4. Munshi Sheikh Latiff.
III	5. Babu Shiba Prasanna Mukherji. 6. „ Umesh Chandra Nandi.

Hazratpur Union Board.

I	1. Babu Kishori Mohan Sarkar. 2. „ Nritya Gopal Ghosh.
II	3. Babu Rakhal Chandra Acharji. 4. „ Ashu Tosh Ruj.
III	5. Babu Bhikhya Kar Ghosh. 6. „ Rama Nath Banerji.

Kendgoria Union Board.

I	1. Babu Dhaja Dhari Ghosh. 2. „ Tribhanga Lal Khan. 3. „ Bholanath Khan.
II	4. Munshi Sheikh Abbas. 5. Babu Krishna Chandra Ghosh. 6. „ Phani Bhusan Garai.

Khoyrasole Union Board.

I	1. Babu Ram Ranjan Mondal. 2. „ Radha Govinda Banerji.
II	3. Babu Sudhangshu Shekhar Das Gupta. 4. „ Mihir Lal Gupta. 5. „ Ram Raj Gupta Kaviraj.
III	6. Babu Upendra Narayan Ghosh.

Rupuspur Union Board.

I	1. Babu Radha Gobinda Ghosh. 2. Munshi Dola Khan. 3. „ Sheikh Nashimuddin.
II	4. Babu Bhusan Chandra Shau. 5. „ Gouri Pada Mukherji.
III	6. Babu Panchanan Banerji.

Lokepur Union Board.

Ward No		Names of members
I	..	1. Babu Chittotosh Mukherji. 2. „ Bhola Nath Mahata. 3. Munshi Bauri Khan.
II	...	4. Babu Basuki Nath Nandi. 5. „ Bibhuti Bhusan Chaudhari. 6. Munshi Sheikh Lokauddin.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Birbhum, to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Parsundi	...	1. Babu Promotha Nath Misra. 2. „ Satya Gopal Tewari. 3. Munshi Murshid Ali.
Barrah	...	1. Babu Rakhal Chandra Mitra (Senior). 2. „ Rakhal Chandra Mitra (Junior). 3. Munshi Abdur Rezzak.
Babuijore	...	1. Munshi Mahammad Akkel Ali Khan. 2. Babu Judhisthir Layek. 3. „ Raj Kishore Mondal.
Sagarbhanga	...	1. Babu Radha Nath Das. 2. „ Rakhal Chandra Dhaorey. 3. Munshi Korban Ali Khan.
Nakrakonda	...	1. Munshi Sheikh Ashim. 2. Babu Dhajadhari Mondal. 3. „ Bhola Nath Nandi.
Hazratpur	...	1. Babu Surja Kumar Acharji. 2. „ Guroo Prasanna Mukharji. 3. Syed Majed Ahmad.
Kendgoria	...	1. Babu Girish Chandra Chatterji. 2. „ Satish Chandra Bakshi. 3. „ Bhudhar Chandra Banerji.
Khoyrasole	...	1. Babu Raghu Nath Ghosh. 2. „ Hrishi Kesh Bakshi. 3. „ Narendra Nath Mukherji.
Rupuspur	..	1. Munshi Paltoo Khan. 2. Babu Guroo Das Mukharji. 3. „ Sambhu Nath Mukherji.
Lokepur	...	1. Babu Kali Charan Mondal. 2. „ Kunja Behari Mondal. 3. „ Gobinda Prasad Chaudhuri.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 67 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, read with rule 39 of the rules for the election and appointment of members, etc., of union boards under the said Act, Munshi Akkas Par has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Khulna to be a member of the Magura union board within the jurisdiction of Tala police-station in the Satkhira subdivision of the district of Khulna, in place of Munshi Mozaher Par, deceased.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 31st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 514J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*), section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Act V) of 1919, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in police-station Rajbari, subdivision Goalundo, in the district of Faridpur :—

Maharajpur Union Board.

Police-station.	Ward No.	Names of members elected.
Rajbari ...	I	1. Babu Jnan Chandra Kar
		2. „ Kailash Chandra Sen.
		3. „ Hemanta Kumar Kar.
	II	4. „ Surendra Nath Acharya.
	III	5. „ Mano Mohan Guha.
		6. „ Lalan Chandra Sarkar.

Chhotabhakla Union Board.

Rajbari ...	I	1. Munshi Entajuddin Biswas.
	II	2. Babu Sarada Prosad Choudhury Pattadar.
		3. Munshi Bandeali Mean.
	III	4. Babu Srish Chandra Sarker.
		5. Munshi Entajaddin Pramanik.
	IV	6. „ Esharatali Sardar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Faridpur to be members of the said union boards :—

Maharajpur Union Board.

1. Munshi Fagoo Mridha.
2. „ Baborali Sheik.
3. „ Wasel Mridha.

Chhotabhakla Union Board.

1. Babu Purna Chandra Rakshit.
2. „ Indra Narayan Sarker.
3. „ Mati Lal Barai.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 31st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION

No. 489J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Garpara union board in Manikganj police-station in the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district :—

Ward No. I	...	1. Atwoar Rahaman.
Ward No. II	...	2. Babu Madan Mohan Das.
		3. Munshi Sadar Uddin Ahmed.
		4. Babu Nishi Mohan Ghosh.
		5. Muhammad Joadal Islam.
		6. Babu Jogesh Chandra Ghosh.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Anath Bandhu Das.
2. Munshi Nasir Uddin Ahmed.
3. Babu Jaga Bandhu Saha.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 30th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 65L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 19 (*1*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B. C.) of 1885, as amended, Babu Surendra Nath Sarkar has been duly elected to be a member of the Kushtia Local Board as the representative from thana Daulatpur in the Kushtia subdivision of the Nadia district in place of Babu Dakhina Ranjan Acharjya, removed.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 30th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 66L.S.-G.—It is notified for general information that, in exercise of the power delegated to me by Government notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I do hereby take possession, under section 6 (*b*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, of the private ferry over the river old Gorai at Mongalberia on the Kushtia-Dadupur road with its subsidiary ferry at Harekrishnapur, and declare it to be a public ferry under clause (*a*) of the same section.

2. In exercise of the powers delegated to me by Government notification No. 217L.S.G., dated the 12th January 1905, I also direct, under section 35 of the said Act, that the aforesaid ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Nadia and that all the proceeds of the ferry, the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund of Nadia, with effect from the date of this notification.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 31st January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 482J.—In supersession of the existing by-law No. 30A of the District Board of Faridpur published in this office notification No. 5512J., dated the 19th December 1919, at page 2008 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of December 24, 1919, the following draft of the by-law No. 30A, which has been made by the District Board of Faridpur under section 139 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), and which the Commissioner of the Dacca Division proposes to confirm under the said section 139, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st March 1924 and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate of Faridpur before that date will be considered:—

Draft by-law.

No. 30A. Any person being in actual occupation of any land or water on or in which there exists any water hyacinth shall, if so required by notices in writing signed by the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the District Board, Local Board, or a Union Committee, or by the President or Vice-President of a Union Board, or by the District Engineer, destroy or remove such water-hyacinth within the period mentioned in such notices provided that such notices shall be issued simultaneously for the whole of an area to be defined by the District Board, Local Board, a Union Committee or a Union Board which shall not cover less than one entire village.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 29th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidate on the 29th January 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of rupee one only.

Bye-election.

Mymensingh East Muhammadan Constituency—Moulvi Abdul Hekim, Muktear.

J. R. BLAIR, for *Returning Officer*
(*Additional District Magistrate*).

MYMENSINGH, *the 30th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19 (5) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Maulvi Mahbubul Haq and Nawab Mirza Shujaat Ali Beg Khan Bahadur who were nominated as candidates for election of members for the Bengal Legislative Council from the 24-Parganas Municipal Mahammadan constituency have lodged with me returns of election expenses with declarations on the 28th January 1924 and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 12 noon and 3 P.M. on any day when the office will remain open on payment of the prescribed fees.

J. H. LINDSAY, *District Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

ALIPORE, *the 29th January 1924.*

NOTICES UNDER THE BENGAL ELECTORAL RULES.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under section 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Electoral Case No. 9 of 1924.

PRESENT:

G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S. ... ... *President.*

In the matter of Khan Bahadur Abdus Salam *Petitioner*

versus

Maulvi Rufiuddin Ahmed ... ... *Respondent.*

To all concerned.

Please take notice that the above-mentioned petition will be heard by the Commissioners on the 21st February 1924, at 11-30 o'clock, in the Court room of the District Judge, at Alipore, district 24-Parganas.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the District Judge.

G. N. ROY, *President.*

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE VICTOR ALEXANDER GEORGE ROBERT BULWER-LYTTON, EARL OF LYTTON, P.C., G.C.I.E., GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

In the matter of a petition under section 31, Part VII, Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923,

and

In the matter of Khan Bahadur Abdus Salam ... *Petitioner*

versus

Maulvi Rufiuddin Ahmed of Jessore town ... *Respondent No. 1.*

and

The Returning Officer (District Magistrate), of Jessore *Respondent No. 2.*

The humble petition of Khan Bahadur Abdus Salam, of 27, Elliot Lane, in the town of Calcutta,

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH—

(1) That your petitioner and Maulvi Rafiuddin Ahmed, respondent No. 1 abovenamed, were two candidates for the North Jessore Muhammadan constituency during the last general election for electing members to the Bengal Legislative Council.

(2) That the ballot papers containing the votes of different electors of the abovenamed constituency were counted on the 30th November 1923 at Jessore by the Returning Officer of Jessore in the presence of the petitioner and the other candidate.

(3) That 76 ballot papers in which votes were recorded in favour of the petitioner were improperly rejected or excluded from the count by the Returning Officer, as some presiding or polling officers palpably through mistake had marked them with the official secret seal, said to be indicative of the Legislative Assembly, instead of with the official secret seal indicative of the Bengal Legislative Council. Such rejection or exclusion from count, according to petitioner's belief, is not warranted by a liberal interpretation of the meaning or spirit or Electoral Rule 17, clauses (*a*) to (*c*), nor justified by considerations of justice or equity.

(4) That the petitioner was not a candidate at all for election to the Legislative Assembly, but was a candidate for the Bengal Legislative Council only. The 76 ballot papers issued were for recording votes on the 19th or 22nd November last for election to the Bengal Legislative Council, and the names of the petitioner and respondent No. 1 were printed in the said ballot papers as candidates. Further, according to petitioner's information, the ballot papers issued for the Bengal Legislative Council are different in colour from those issued for the Legislative Assembly.

(5) That according to petitioner's information, no election of Muhammadan candidate for the Legislative Assembly from the North Jessore Muhammadan constituency took place on the dates (19th or 22nd November) in which the aforesaid 76 votes were recorded in petitioner's favour for the Bengal Legislative Council, and further, according to petitioner's information, no polling of votes at all took place on any date in respect of any Muhammadan candidate for the Legislative Assembly from the North Jessore Muhammadan constituency at the last general election, as the successful Muhammadan candidate for the Legislative Assembly from the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions was declared elected without contest at the scrutiny of nomination papers on a prior date.

(6) That according to petitioner's information, the voters who came to the polling stations on the said date (19th or 22nd November) and recorded votes in favour of the petitioner on the 76 ballot papers, were electors for the Bengal Legislative Council, and voted for election to the said Council, as can be ascertained by reference to the said ballot papers, their counterfoils, and electoral rolls kept and numbered by presiding or polling officers under the electoral rules.

(7) That in view of the above circumstances, it would appear obvious that the official secret seal said to be indicative of the Legislative Assembly instead of the secret seal indicative of the Bengal Legislative Council was put on the said 76 ballot papers palpably through mistake or carelessness of some presiding or polling officers.

(8) That under the circumstances the Returning Officer improperly rejected or excluded those 76 ballot papers from count, and counted the remaining votes, and declared the respondent No. 1 duly elected on the basis of the irregular counting as mentioned above.

(9) That in case the said 76 ballot papers were included in the count, the votes recorded in favour of the petitioner, according to petitioner's information, would be more than those recorded in favour of respondent No. 1, Maulvi Rafiuddin Ahmed, and the petitioner would be entitled under section 14 (clause 7) to a declaration that he was duly elected.

(10) That the deposit of Rs. 1,000 is herewith tendered in Government currency note.

(11) That as the case relates to inspection of ballot papers and counterfoils and election rolls kept by polling or presiding officers, which according to petitioner's information are now in the custody of the Secretary, Bengal Legislative Council, and will rest mainly on the report to be taken from the Returning Officer, it would be convenient and less expensive to the petitioner, if the enquiry is held at Alipore, especially as the respondent No. 1 would be in Calcutta shortly to attend the Bengal Legislative Council sessions.

Wherefore petitioner prays–

(1) That all the ballot boxes of the North Jessore Muhammadan constituency for the Bengal Legislative Council should be sent for from the Secretary for the Bengal Legislative Council with their contents, in charge of a responsible officer.

(2) That the report of the Returning Officer, Jessore, in respect of the above 76 ballot papers should be called for, together with any other correspondence that might have passed between him and the Government on the subject.

(3) That the 76 ballot papers improperly rejected or excluded from count by the Returning Officer should be inspected by the Commissioners together with their counterfoils and electoral rolls and be now regarded as good votes recorded in favour of the petitioner, and there should be a recount of votes recorded for both the candidates including the 76 ballot papers improperly rejected or excluded from count, in which event the petitioner would have 38 more votes than the respondent No. 1.

(4) That the election of Maulvi Rafiuddin Ahmed, respondent No. 1, should, under the circumstances, be declared by the Commissioners void and set aside under section 44, clause (*c*) and the petitioner should under section 34 be declared by the Commissioners to be duly elected to the Bengal Legislative Council.

And your petitioner, as in duty bound, shall ever pray.

(Sd.) ABDUS SALAM.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th January 1924.*

ENCLOSURE.—Copy of Return under Regulation XLIX received from Returning Officer, Jessore.

VERIFICATION.

The facts mentioned in paragraphs 1, 2 and 10 of the petition are true to my knowledge, and the facts mentioned in paragraphs 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 11 are true to my information and belief.

(Sd.) ABDUS SALAM.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under section 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Electoral Case No. 10 of 1924.

PRESENT :-

G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S. ... ... *President.*

In the matter of Nawab Mirza Shujaat Ali Beg Khan Bahadur ... ... *Petitioner*

versus

Moulvi Mahboobul Huq ... ... *Respondent.*

To all concerned.

Please take notice that the above-mentioned petition will be heard by the Commissioners on the 27th February 1924 at 11-30 o'clock in the Court room of the District Judge at Alipore, district 24 Parganas.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the District Judge.

G. N. ROY, *President.*

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

In the matter of an election petition under Part VII of the Bengal Electoral Rules

and

In the matter of the election of a member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the 24-Parganas Municipal (Muhammadan) constituency of the said Council

and

In the matter of Nawab Mirza Shujaat Ali Beg Khan Bahadur (of 8-1, Chowringhee Lane, Calcutta) ... *Petitioner*

versus

(1) Moulvi Mahboobul Huq (of Prince Anwar Shah Road, Tollygunj) ... ...
(2) J. H. Lindsay, Esq., I.C.S., District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, Returning Officer of the above constituency ... ... } *Respondents.*

The humble petition of Nawab Mirza Shujaat Ali Beg Khan Bahadur, formerly of 36, Theatre Road, at present of 8-1, Chowringhee Lane, Calcutta,

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH—

1. That your Excellency's petitioner was a candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the 24-Parganas Municipal (Muhammadan) constituency, of which the Magistrate of 24-Parganas, Respondent No. 2 abovenamed, was the Returning Officer and your petitioner claims to have had a right to be returned at the said election.

2. That your Excellency's petitioner was duly nominated as a candidate, and on scrutiny his nomination was found to be in order.

3. That your Excellency's petitioner thereafter contested at the polls on the appointed date, the Respondent No. 1 abovenamed, Moulvi Mahboobul Huq, being the only other candidate.

4. That after the close of the poll the Returning Officer appointed the 1st December 1923, 8 A.M., for the scrutiny and counting of votes at his office in the Magistrate's Chamber in the Alipore Criminal Court, and on receipt of notice to that effect your Excellency's petitioner duly attended the said scrutiny and counting.

5. That your petitioner's said rival, Respondent No. 1 abovenamed, along with a representative of his, also attended the said scrutiny and counting of votes.

6. That at the scrutiny, on an examination of the ballot papers taken out from the ballot boxes opened by the Returning Officer, a number of ballot papers of a non-Muhammadan constituency were discovered, and those were all rejected by the Returning Officer.

7. That thereafter after completing the counting of votes, as he then supposed, the Returning Officer declared the said Respondent No. 1, Maulvi Mahboobul Huq, to be elected as having obtained the largest number of votes.

8. That your Excellency's petitioner then left the place, but after a short interval received a message from the Returning Officer that through mistake one ballot box had been left unopened at the counting and its contents not counted, and your petitioner's presence was therefore again required at once by the Returning Officer at his Chamber to enable him to complete the counting with the ballot papers of the said unopened box.

9. That your petitioner accordingly went back at once to the office of the Returning Officer, and the contents of the said unopened ballot box which was of the Baduria Municipality were counted in his presence as well as in the presence of the said representative of Respondent No. 1.

10. That the result of the said counting showed a majority of votes in favour of your Excellency's petitioner and not of his opponent, as had appeared on the previous count.

11. That the Returning Officer did not, however, thereupon declare your petitioner as duly elected, as your petitioner submits he was bound to do and should have done, the previous declaration in favour of the other candidate which was made on an admittedly incomplete counting not being a valid declaration at all.

12. That your petitioner understands that the Returning Officer reported the whole matter to Government for instructions, without making any formal report as to the result of the election under rule 14 (*g*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

13. That your petitioner submits that your petitioner obtained the largest number of votes and was the person duly elected and should have been declared and returned as such.

14. That your petitioner finds that the name of the Respondent No. 1 has been published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th December 1923, as that of the elected candidate, although your petitioner had obtained the largest number of votes and was hence duly elected by majority of votes.

15. That your petitioner submits that the result of the election has been materially affected by the said action of the Returning Officer and your petitioner has been seriously prejudiced.

16. That your petitioner therefore begs to file this election petition under Part VII of the Bengal Electoral Rules and begs to deposit herewith the sum of Rs. 1,000 as security for costs as required by Rule 35.

Your Excellency's petitioner prays in these circumstances that it be determined that the said Respondent No. 1 Moulvi Mahboobul Huq was not duly elected and his election and return be set aside and it be declared that your petitioner was duly elected and ought to have been returned and he be so returned, and your petitioner further prays for the costs of this application.

And your petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray.

NAWAB MIRZA SHUJAAT ALI BEG KHAN BAHADUR,
Petitioner.

Dated the 3rd January 1924.

VERIFICATION.

I, NAWAB MIRZA SHUJAAT ALI BEG KHAN BAHADUR, the petitioner abovenamed, do hereby declare and verify that the statements contained in the foregoing paragraphs of this petition are true to my knowledge. Signed this verification at No. 8-1, Chowringhee Lane, Calcutta, on 3rd day of January 1924.

NAWAB MIRZA SHUJAAT ALI BEG KHAN BAHADUR.

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1924.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 26th January 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Delhi, the 25th January 1924.

PART B.

APPOINTMENTS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

No. 107.—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted commissions, with effect from the dates specified :—

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

To be Second Lieutenant.

Alan Gilbert Davenport. Dated 15th December 1923.

IV (Cossipore) Brigade, Royal Field and Garrison Artillery.

To be Lieutenant.

James Halkett Hendrie. Dated 17th December 1923.

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RESIGNATIONS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

The Calcutta Scottish.

No. 115.—The undermentioned officer is permitted to resign his commission, with effect from the date specified :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Anderson Kirkwood Tennent, O.B.E. Dated 8th January 1924.

CANTONMENTS.

No. 124.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 30 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exclude from the operation of the whole of the said Act the following portion of Bhagur village in the Deolali Cantonment, namely :—

"That portion of the village of Bhagur which lies to the western side of survey Nos. 8, 7, 4, 76, 93, 92 and 91, thence south across the Darna River joining the sunken Bhagur Road to Cantonment Pillar No. 18, thence west to Pillar No. 19 and thence along the right bank of the Darna River to the west corner of survey No. 115, thence across the Darna River joining the eastern boundary of survey No. 125-B and thence along the eastern boundary of the survey No. northward along the Pumping Station Road up to the G. I. P. Railway line, and thence along the south side of the Railway line to survey No. 8."

E. BURDON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 26th January 1924, is republished for general information :—

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 21st January 1924.

No. F.-4—24.—The following regulations made by the Secretary of State for India in Council for the probation of candidates selected for the Indian Civil Service competitive examination, are published for general information. They supersede the regulations published with the Home Department notification No. F.-494 (Ests.), dated the 16th May 1922.

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

Regulations made under section 97 (1) and (2) of the Government of India Act for the probation in the United Kingdom and the further examination of Selected candidates for the Indian Civil Service recruited by Competitive Examinations held in the United Kingdom or in India.

****The following regulations made by the Secretary of State for India in Council are liable to alteration from year to year.*

(1) Candidates selected at the Open Competition held in London will be required to remain in the United Kingdom on probation for one or two years as may be decided by the Secretary of State for India in Council.

(2) Candidates selected at the Competitive Examination held in India will be required to proceed to the United Kingdom on probation for a period of two years.

ONE-YEAR PROBATIONERS.

(3) One-year probationers will, at the end of the year of probation, undergo an examination called the Final Examination. The compulsory subjects and the marks allotted to them are as follows† :—

	Marks.
1. Indian Penal Code ...	200
2. Code of Criminal Procedure	200
3. The Indian Evidence Act ...	200
4. Indian History ...	400
5. The principal vernacular language of the province to which the candidate is assigned ...	600
6. Riding ...	200

An Indian assigned to Madras whose mother-tongue is one of the two principal vernacular languages of the province must offer the other for examination. An Indian assigned elsewhere whose mother-tongue is the principal vernacular language of the province to which he is assigned must substitute British History in place of the vernacular language ; in such cases 600 marks will be allotted to British History.

(4) One-year probationers may, in addition, offer in the Final Examination one of the following optional subjects :—

	Marks.
Hindu and Muhammadan Law	400
A Classical Language allowed under Regulation 9	400

No candidate who offered Sanskrit or Arabic at the Open Competition may offer the same language at the Final Examination.

TWO-YEAR PROBATIONERS.

(5) Two-year probationers will, during their period of probation, undergo two examinations, the Intermediate Examination at the end of the first year and the Final Examination at the end of the second year.

(6) The subjects of the Intermediate Examination and the marks allotted to them are as follows, all the subjects being compulsory† :—

	Marks.
1. The principal vernacular language of the province to which the candidate is assigned ...	400
2. Phonetics ...	200
3. Jurisprudence ...	200
4. Law of Evidence and Criminal Law ...	200
5. Indian History ...	200
6. Notes of Cases ...	200
7. Economics ...	200

† Instructions, showing the extent of the Examination, will be issued to selected Candidates as soon as possible after the result of the competition is declared.

An Indian assigned to Madras whose mother-tongue is one of the two principal vernacular languages of the province must offer the other for examination. An Indian assigned elsewhere whose mother-tongue is the principal vernacular of the province to which he is assigned must substitute British History in place of the vernacular language and Phonetics (subjects 1 and 2); in such cases 600 marks will be allotted to British History.

(7) The compulsory subjects of the Final Examination and the marks allotted to them are :—

		Marks.			Marks.
1.	The vernacular	... 600	5.	Notes of Cases	... 400
2.	Indian Penal Code	... 200	6.	Indian History	... 400
3.	Code of Criminal Procedure	200	7.	Economics	... 400
4.	Indian Evidence Act	... 200	8.	Riding	... 200

An Indian assigned to Madras whose mother-tongue is one of the two principal vernaculars of the province must offer the other for examination. An Indian assigned elsewhere whose mother-tongue is the principal vernacular language of his province must substitute European History in place of the vernacular language ; in such cases 600 marks will be allotted to European History.

(8) In addition a probationer may offer as an optional subject at the Final Examination either a classical language allowed under rule 9 or Hindu and Mohamedan Law. To the optional subject 400 marks are allotted.

ONE-YEAR AND TWO-YEAR PROBATIONERS.

(9) The principal vernaculars prescribed and the optional classical languages allowed for the various provinces are as follows :—

Province.		Vernacular.		Classical Languages.
Madras	...	Tamil or Telugu	...	Sanskrit.
Bombay	...	Marathi	...	Persian or Sanskrit.
Bengal	...	Bengali	...	Sanskrit.
United Provinces	...	Urdu	...	Arabic or Persian or Sanskrit.
Punjab	...	Urdu	...	Persian.
Burma	...	Burmese	...	Pali.
Bihar and Orissa	...	Hindi	...	Arabic or Persian or Sanskrit.
Central Provinces	...	Hindi	...	Sanskrit.
Assam	...	Bengali	.	Sanskrit.

(10) Candidates who at the Final Examination in riding satisfy the Commissioners that they are sufficiently at home in the saddle for the efficient performance of any duties required of members of the Indian Civil Service will be awarded marks ranging between 101 and 200 according to the degree of proficiency displayed.

Candidates who fall short of this adequate proficiency but show such minimum proficiency as is evidence that with a moderate amount of practice they can attain full proficiency, will receive marks ranging between 1 and 100; they will be allowed to proceed to India and will on their arrival there be subjected to such further tests in riding as may be prescribed by their local Government, and shall receive no increase to their initial salary until they have passed such tests to the satisfaction of that Government.

A candidate who fails at the end of the period of probation to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners that he has reached the minimum standard of proficiency in riding will be liable to have his name removed from the list of selected candidates.

Selected candidates will also be examined in riding at such time or times as the Commissioners may appoint during the course of the probationary period.

(11) Such deductions as the Civil Service Commissioners may consider necessary will be made from the marks assigned to candidates at the Intermediate and Final Examinations in order to secure that no credit is allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

(12) The Civil Service Commissioners will prepare lists of the candidates in order of merit; the order for the one-year probationers being based on the sum of the marks obtained by the candidates at the Open Competitive and Final Examinations, the order for the two-year probationers being based on the sum of the marks obtained by the candidates at the Intermediate and Final Examinations.

(13) The selected candidates whose performance in the compulsory subjects of the prescribed Examinations, namely, the Final Examination for one-year men and the Intermediate and Final Examinations for two-year men, is such as to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners, and who have also satisfied the Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of nationality, age, health, character, and conduct during the period of probation, shall be certified by the Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Indian Civil Service, provided that they shall comply with the regulations in force, at the time, for that service.

(14) If any Candidate is prevented by sickness or any other adequate cause from attending the Final Examination, the Commissioners may, with the concurrence of the Secretary of State for India in Council, allow him to appear at the Final Examination to be held in the following year, or at a special examination. A selected candidate absent for such adequate cause from the Intermediate Examination may, under similar conditions, be allowed to appear at the Intermediate Examination a year later or at a special examination, or may be excused the Intermediate Examination and allowed to appear for the Final Examination in regular course.

The Civil Service Commissioners are authorized by the Secretary of State for India in Council to make the following announcements :—

(i) *Selected candidates will be allotted to the various provinces upon a consideration of all the circumstances, including their own wishes ; but the requirements of the Public Service will rank before every other consideration.*

(ii) *Except in the case of persons continuing to receive Scholarship allowances of equal or greater amounts from the Government of India an allowance of £300 a year, or, in the case of Selected Candidates possessing an Indian domicile, an allowance of £350 a year will be given to any candidate who passes his probation at one of the Universities or other Institutions that have been approved for the purpose by the Secretary of State for India in Council.*

In the case of Selected Candidates on probation for one year the allowance will be payable in four equal instalments on the following dates respectively :—December 24th after his selection, March 25th, June 25th and after signature of Covenant on appointment to the Service.

In the case of Selected Candidates on probation for two years the allowance will be payable in eight equal instalments, the first on the December 24th after selection, the second to the seventh on the six following quarter days and the eighth after signature of Covenant on appointment to the Service.

The payment of the various instalments of the allowance except the final instalment, and, in the case of the two-year probationers, the instalment payable at the end of the first year of probation, will be conditional on the receipt by the Secretary of State through the Civil Service Commissioners of a certificate that the candidate has fulfilled up to date the requirements of the authorities and shown satisfactory conduct at the approved institution.

The whole probation must ordinarily be passed at the same Institution. Migration will not be permitted except for special reasons approved by the Secretary of State.

N.B.—*The Secretary of State for India gives notice that the amount of the allowances will be reconsidered in 1924, with a view to a possible reduction with effect from the instalment payable in December 1925.*

(iii) *A 1st Class passage to India will be engaged for Selected Candidates with a view to their proceeding to India during the November following their Final Examination.*

(iv) *Each candidate will be required before receiving the first instalment of his allowance to execute an agreement binding himself and one surety jointly and severally to refund all monies he may have received from the Secretary of State for India in the event of:—*

(1) *his failure to pass the Final Examination within the time prescribed by the Regulations, and to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners of his fitness for admission to the Indian Civil Service, or*

(2) *his subsequent failure to execute the usual covenant, and to proceed to India, as and when he shall be directed by the Secretary of State for India.*

(v) *All candidates obtaining certificates will be also required to enter into covenants by which, amongst other things, they will bind themselves to make such payments as under the rules and regulations for the time being in force they may be required to make for the pensions of their families. The stamps payable on these covenants amount to £1.*

(vi) *The seniority in the I.C.S. will be determined by the results of the examinations taken and the reports on law cases submitted during the course of probation.*

(vii) *Candidates who fail to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners at the Final Examination held in any year will be definitely rejected, and will not be allowed to present themselves for re-examination, unless it shall appear to the Secretary of State in Council, after reference to the Civil Service Commissioners, that such failure is due to circumstances wholly exceptional and beyond the control of the candidate.*

(viii) "*Overseas pay*" *will not be admissible to Indian members of the Indian Civil Service selected at Open Competitive Examinations held in London in 1925 and subsequent years.*

Civil Service Commission,
September, 1923.

J. CRERAR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 26th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

PUBLIC.

Delhi, the 22nd January 1924.

No. D. 1096-C.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following amendment shall be made in item III of the Schedule of officers entitled to wear civil uniform, published with the Home Department notification No. F. 215—23-Public, dated the 31st May 1923:—

In serial number (5) *for* "Chief Commissioner, Andaman and Nicobar Islands" *read* "Chief Commissioners of Delhi and the Andaman and Nicobar Islands."

J. CRERAR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 26th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 22nd January 1924.

No. 57-G.—With reference to notification No. 82-G., dated the 15th October 1923, and subject to the confirmation of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of Mr. Yoshio Iwate as Consul-General for Japan at Calcutta.

E. B. HOWELL,
Secretary to the Government of India (offg.).

The following resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, dated the 26th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

No. F.-159-22-Judl.

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 24th January 1924.

RESOLUTION.

In the letter of the 25th June 1923, which is annexed to this Resolution, the Government of India consulted local Governments and High Courts upon certain aspects of the administration of civil justice in India and the steps which should be taken to remedy them. The Government of India suggested that a Committee should be appointed to consider the whole question, and the replies received, which are also annexed to this Resolution, indicate a general consensus of opinion in favour of this suggestion.

2. The aspects in question are the delays in the disposal of civil suits, appeals and execution proceedings, and the difficulties experienced by litigants in obtaining adequate satisfaction for the decrees awarded by the Courts in their favour. The Government of India suggested that the course of litigation was still subject to such delays as tend to

cause some lack of confidence in the administration of justice in India, and must inevitably create an obstacle to the commercial and industrial development of India. They consider that this provisional opinion is fully endorsed in the correspondence now published. Certain provisions of the substantive and adjective law of the land which contribute to the existing unsatisfactory position are discussed by the authorities who have given their opinions in the annexed correspondence. The Government of India recognise that the position may be due in part to circumstances prevailing in India which cannot be wholly remedied by modifications of the law. They believe, however, that there can be no doubt of the serious nature of the problem, and that it is incumbent on the executive Government to endeavour to find a remedy for the existing state of affairs.

3. The Governor-General in Council has accordingly decided to appoint a committee :—

> To enquire into the operation and effects of the substantive and adjective law, whether enacted or otherwise, followed by the Courts in India in the disposal of civil suits, appeals, applications for revision and other civil litigation (including the execution of decrees and orders), with a view to ascertaining and reporting whether any and what changes and improvements should be made so as to provide for the more speedy, economical and satisfactory despatch of the business transacted in the Courts and for the more speedy, economical and satisfactory execution of the processes issued by the Courts.

The Committee will not enquire into the strength of the judicial establishments maintained in each province.

4. The Hon'ble Mr. Justice George Claus Rankin, Barrister-at-Law, Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, has consented to serve as Chairman of the Committee.

The following have agreed to serve as members :—

The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Louis Stuart, C.I.E., I.C.S., Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad.

Dr. Francis Xavier DeSouza, I.C.S., Barrister-at-Law, District and Sessions Judge in the Bombay Presidency.

Diwan Bahadur Sir Tirumalai Desika Achariyar Avargal, Kt., Vakil, Trichinopoly.

Mr. C. V. Krishnaswami Ayyar, Subordinate Judge in the Madras Presidency, will be the Secretary of the Committee.

5. The Committee will assemble at Calcutta on the 4th February 1924, and will visit such other places in India as may be arranged by the Chairman. In each province visited the Chairman will have power to co-opt as members of the Committee such practising lawyers as may be prepared to serve on the Committee whilst it is conducting its enquiries in that province, and such other officers as the local Government may depute for the purpose. The Chairman will also have power to co-opt as members of the Committee such practising lawyers or officers, as he may consider desirable, when the Committee is considering its report.

6. The Committee will conduct its enquiries in public but any part of its proceedings may be conducted *in camera* if the Chairman considers such a course desirable in the public interest. Persons who desire to be called as witnesses should apply in writing to the Secretary to the Civil Justice Committee, Camp, giving their full names and addresses together with a brief memorandum of the points in regard to which they desire to give evidence.

7. The Committee will report to the Government of India.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the above Resolution and of its annexures should be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India* and communicated to all local Governments and Administrations and the High Court of Calcutta for information. Also that a copy be forwarded to the Secretary of the Committee for information.

H. TONKINSON,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

No. F.-159-1922-Judl., dated Simla, the 25th-28th June 1923.

From—C. W. GWYNNE, ESQ., O. B. E., Officiating Joint Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department,

To—All Local Governments.

SUBJECT :—*Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.*

I am directed to address you in regard to certain aspects of the administration of Civil Justice which have lately engaged the renewed attention of the Government of

India, namely, the delay in the disposal of suits and appeals and the unsatisfactory results obtained in the process of the execution of decrees. The representations which the Government of India have received on this subject do not suggest that efforts have been lacking to expedite the course of civil justice, nor that, if a comparison were made with the figures of the duration of suits in previous periods, it would necessarily indicate a deterioration of the position. They nevertheless suggest that the course of litigation is still, in spite of all efforts made to expedite it, subject to such delays as tend to cause some lack of confidence in our administration of justice, and must inevitably create an obstacle to the commercial and industrial development of India. This latter consideration indeed is one which adds great importance to the matter.

2. The main figures regarding the duration both of regular suits and appeals in the High Courts and subordinate courts throughout India are given in the attached statement. They are not in all cases complete and do not offer an accurate basis of comparison between the courts of different provinces. Nor indeed has the statement been compiled with the object of instituting any such comparison; for it need hardly be said that the circumstances of provinces differ so widely both as regards the strength of their judicial establishments, the nature of the litigation, and the character of the legal practitioners on whose capacity the despatch of civil litigation must largely depend, that any attempt to institute comparisons would be as infructuous as it is undesirable. But it is not open to questions that the figures demonstrate that in many cases there is very serious delay in the disposal of suits; nor can it be said that such delay is confined to the operation of the courts in their appellate jurisdiction. As regards the execution of decrees it has been found impossible to prepare any statement in a compendious form which will show the results attained. It is clear, however, that there are substantial facts to support the common criticism that litigants are unable to gain adequate satisfaction for the decrees passed in their favour. Thus taking the figures reported by provinces in 1921 (and these again are selected purely for purpose of illustration and not for comparison) it will be found that the Bengal mufassil courts returned execution proceedings as infructuous in no less than 240,344 cases, the percentages of totally infructuous cases in some districts being as high as 71 and 63 per cent. In the same year the mufassil courts of Madras (except village courts) obtained satisfaction in full in only 16·56 per cent. of the application for execution, and satisfaction in part in 7·19 per cent. while the number of wholly infructuous applications was 239,421. The courts subordinate to the Allahabad High Court dealt with 141,639 applications for execution of decrees, and of these 57,711 were totally infructuous; those subordinate to the Lahore High Court dealt with 174,566 applications of which 83,902 were returned as totally infructuous, out of 139,742 applications before the courts in the districts of the Central Provinces and Berar 66,286 were returned as infructuous.

3. It will of course be understood that while referring to representations made on this subject, and in detailing figures which would seem to go far to justify them, the Government of India do not intend thereby to cast any slur, or even suggest any criticism on the judicial officers engaged in the administration of civil justice or on the High Courts under whose control they discharge their duties. Indeed, such provisional conclusions as the Government of India have been able to form on the subject, seem to point to the fact that if the present state of administration, both in regard to the disposal of suits and the execution of decrees, offers held for criticism, the reason is to be found in factors of general application which for the most part are beyond the control of the civil judiciary. It would perhaps serve little purpose to refer in detail here to previous correspondence (which dates from as far back as 1873) between the Government of India and the local Governments on the various aspects of this question. In the course of this correspondence, attention has at different times been directed to general or particular modifications in the Civil Law or the procedure of the Courts calculated to expedite the course of litigation whether in the Indian courts themselves or in the course of appeals to the Privy Council. Substantial improvements have from time to time been effected in both respects, and at the same time local Governments themselves have faced the necessity for making considerable increases in their judicial establishment both in the High and subordinate courts. The Government of India feel therefore that if any improvement is to be now effected, it can only be as the result of a review of the whole question in its widest aspects. They are aware that the peculiar circumstances of India make it exceptionally difficult to secure expedition in many types of civil litigation. In some provinces the disposal of suits relating to land involve a lengthy consideration of the bearing of customary laws which have not up to the present been codified or even crystallised in a definite or unified form. In other provinces the state of the local law, as for instance that relating to impartible estates, is itself responsible for the great delay which characterizes this class of cases. Throughout India the fact that the courts have to depend on the services of an inferior and sometimes unreliable ministerial agency leads to great delays in the service of notice and the execution of decrees. A social system which involves in some cases the necessity of considering the claims of members of joint families and in others those of numerous collaterals and reversioners tends in itself to complicate litigation by introducing as parties to suits a far larger number of litigants than would be usual in other countries. In many of the mufassil courts the capacity and experience of practitioners is not such as to ensure either that precision in the drawing of pleadings or economy in the examination of parties and witnesses which is essential to the despach of business. While, however, these factors must inevitably present

obstacles to the expedition of civil litigation in India, the Government of India believe that a thorough investigation of other factors arising primarily in the procedure dictated by the law or followed by the Courts, would yield important results. It has been for instance suggested that the law of limitation is susceptible of further improvement particularly in respect of the opportunities which it furnishes for prolonging execution proceedings, that the allowing of appeals and revisional applications against interlocutory orders is generally productive only of loss of time, that a definite enactment is required against champerty, that rules are required for the registration of addresses in order to avoid delay in the serving of notices, that the procedure for substitution of heirs of deceased parties requires reconsideration, and that the practice in regard to the issue of orders staying execution, of allowing applications for transfer and of making and subsequently setting aside *ex parte* orders and decrees should be modified with a view to curtailing the facilities available for deliberately delaying the course of justice. Among minor matters again it is suggested that much delay could be avoided by a careful revision of the system of translating and printing the records in appeal cases. At present much unnecessary work is done under both heads.

4. The Government of India recognise that the administration of civil justice is now a Provincial subject, but the question under reference is one of wide and general importance on which uniform action is desirable. The immediate proposal which they have in view is the appointment of a committee to consider the whole question; and they would desire if possible to associate with this enquiry a Judge from England having experience of the steps taken in England in recent years to expedite the course of civil litigation. It is in regard to the advisability of appointing such a committee, and the scope of its enquiry if appointed that I am directed to request an expression of opinion of the Madras etc. Government. The Government of India wish to make it clear that this enquiry would not deal with considerations connected with the strength of the judicial establishment, for they have no desire that measures should be suggested which would involve an increase of expenditure on local Governments. They look primarily to such modifications of the law and procedure as would in themselves lessen the burden now placed on that establishment, while allowing of the greater expedition of civil litigation; and would, without placing fresh charges on the local Governments, afford some remedy for a state of affairs which seems to appear to call for remedy at the hands of Government.

Statement showing the average duration of regular civil appeals in the High Courts and subordinate courts in the different provinces during the year 1921.

Class of Court.	Madras.	Bombay excluding Sind.	Bengal.	United Provinces. Agra.	United Provinces. Oudh (1920).	Punjab.	Burma. Lower.	Burma. Upper.	Bihar and Orissa.	Central Provinces.	Assam.	North-West Frontier Province.	Coorg.
APPEALS FROM ORIGINAL DECREES.													
District Appellate Court other than Chief Courts of Districts.	348	345	351	2	123·6	68	50	73	240·8	...	217	...	90 37
Chief Appellate Courts of Districts.	349		4 7	195	220 7	140	81	144	232·4	122·8	239	28	...
Superior Appellate Courts other than Chief Court of Province.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	106	...
Chief Court of Province													
Appeals from original decrees—													
From decisions in the interior.	499	(a)	568	746	427·89	1,376	407	251	389 1	442·2	579	125	308
From decisions on the original side.	403		2·4										
Appeals from appellate decrees—													
From decisions in the interior.	457	(a)	341	(b) 422	191·34	(c) 341	2·8	250	213 6	358·5	431	105	169
From decisions of a single Judge or Bench on appeal in Chief Court.	181		84								402		

(a) Not shown Figures for 1920 were 440, 314·8. (b) In Letters Patent appeals 220. (c) Letters Patent appeals 71.

Statement showing the average duration of regular civil suits in the High Courts and subordinate courts in the different provinces during the year 1921.

Class of Courts.	Madras.		Bombay excluding Sind.		Bengal.		United Provinces. Agra.		United Provinces. Oudh.		Punjab.		Burma.		Bihar and Orissa.		Central Provinces and Berar.		Assam.		North West Frontier Province.		Coorg.	
	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.	Contested.	Uncontested.
													Lower Burma.	Upper Burma.										
Unpaid tribunals ...	...	...	389	189·7	...	...	77	49	111·6	14·8	91	54	...	...	...	...	275·5	154·8	...	...	47	31	...	...
Subdivisional tribunals	256	70	205·6	131·8	(1) 268 (2) 114	(1) 142 (2) 71	107	53	121·5	54·3	99 / 108	62 / 49	30 / 44	67 / 75	(1) 221·8 (2) 94·2	(1) 129·6 (2) 53·8	146·4	77·5	(1) 233 (2) 95	(1) 113 (2) 62	34	19	199 / 285	142 / 86
Small Cause Courts ...	94	32	124·7	115·9	(3) 116 (4) 226	(3) 73 (4) 151	63	43	47·5	39·8	45	35	29	88	158·5	60	96	73·2	...	...	21	14	61	51
District Courts other than Chief Courts of Districts.	249	57	382·3	164·2	(1) 593 (2) 120	(1) 366 (1) 75	240	135	200·9	90·4	213	128	66	...	(1) 417·5 (2) 87·8	(1) 268·6 (2) 80·02	243·1	120·9	(1) 539 (2) 131	(1) 259 (2) 102	55	41	...	...
Chief Courts of Districts.	479	150		...	367	255	183	177	140·4	73·5	181	146	(7) 39	103	340·2	254·6	401·1	186·8	240	278	49	54	...	...
Presidency Small Cause Court.	77	41	90	50	106	77	...	...	...	...	...	...	52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
The City Civil Court...	262	52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Superior Court ...	420	152	(6)	(6)	(5) 611	(5) 475	59	120	...	...	246	140	83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(1) Under ordinary procedure.
(2) Under Small Cause Court powers.
(3) As Small Cause Court Judges
(4) Under powers of Subordinate Judges.
(5) In testamentary cases 104, 175. In Matrimonial cases 280, 293.
(6) Figures for 1921 are not shown in the Report. Those for 1920 were—279, 305.
(7) Divisional Courts.

No. 2641, dated the 2nd November 1923.

From—M. R. Ry. DIWAN BAHADUR R. RAMACHANDRA RAO AVL., C.S.I., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Law (General) Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

Mr. Gwynne's letter No. F.-159-1922-Judl., dated the 25th June 1923—Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.

In continuation of this Government's telegram dated the 13th September 1923 on the above subject I am directed to forward copies of the opinions of the Honourable the Judges of the High Court of Judicature, Madras. His Excellency the Governor in Council has already expressed himself in favour of the appointment of a Committee. He welcomes the association with it of a really eminent Judge from England who may be an expert well versed in methods adopted in England in recent years to expedite the course of civil litigation.

2. As regards the scope of its enquiry, His Excellency the Governor in Council generally agrees with the lines indicated in paragraph 3 of the letter under reply Though he is unable to agree with every one of the step referred to in the above paragraph as some of the evils indicated there are more rampant in Bengal and the United Provinces than in the Madras Presidency, he accepts as expedient most of the possible improvements contemplated there. One of the most obvious methods of speeding up the administration of justice is by a further increase, though it may be temporary, in the judicial establishment and a speedy recognition of the need for a thorough legal grounding in the case of persons administering justice. But these matters are obviously beyond the scope of enquiry of the proposed Committee. I am directed to suggest that an examination may be made of the laws of procedure and limitation for the purpose firstly, of insistence on the succinct raising of clear-cut issues, secondly of the encouragement of expedients like the administration of interrogatories, the obtaining of admissions of fact and a freer use of the rights of discovery which will tend ultimately to economy in the matter of the examination of witnesses, thirdly of the scrutiny of the whole system of execution of decrees and the rights of appeal and revision in respect of matters arising in execution under provisions similar to section 47 of the Code of Civil Procedure and generally speaking of a review of the position regarding second appeals and petitions by way of revision and the stay of proceedings or execution pending such second appeals or petitions. In particular the Government considers that the scope of the rights of second appeal and revision should be carefully examined with a view to curtailment in comparatively insignificant or interlocutory matters.

3. I am directed to add that inasmuch as the Committee is constituted for all India this Government trusts that no part of the expenses thereof shall be charged to the Government of Madras.

MINUTES.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SPENCER :—The only thing that strikes me is the Government of India's observations about infructuous applications for execution I think I pointed out that many applications for execution are put in merely for the purpose of keeping decrees alive. From the fact that so many applications are infructuous it does not follow that many decree-holders never get any satisfaction for the decrees passed in their favour.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE COUTTS TROTTER :—If anything can be done by all means, but I am not hopeful. Two large causes of delay are the dilatory habits of the litigants themselves, and the inability of the subordinate judiciary to harden their hearts and refuse adjournments. They have been adjured and circularised about it time and again, but the bar is too strong for them. I don't see how a commission can deal with these things. The others are the shortage of Courts and the great latitude of appeal and revision. The local Governments all say that they have no money for the former object; and to cut down appeals, though, I think myself it would be salutory, would evoke an outcry.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PHILLIPS :—I doubt whether a commission will be able to effect any improvement. Many causes of the delay are known to us, but the trouble remains, for those causes connot be removed in a day. If we had complete co-operation between the Court, the Bar and the litigants work would progress speedily, but so long as human nature (more especially human nature in this country) remains the same, progress will be very slow. The Oriental is, by nature, dilatory, and this reacts on judicial work as on everything else.

A great deal might be done by a drastic alteration or curtailment of rights of appeal and revision, and possibly recommendations to that effect from a strong and independent Commission would be accepted more willingly than if the recommendations were made by the judiciary or a hated bureaucracy.

I don't think shortage of Courts is one of the main reasons for delay, for I have always found that the starting of a new Court in a new locality at once increased the number of institutions in that locality.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE KOMARASWAMI SASTRI :—So far as Madras is concerned I think the rules on the Original Side and Small Cause Court make ample provision for quick disposals. The Original Side rules specially provide for commercial suits. I do not think there is any complaint from any of the Chambers of Commerce or the Merchants.

The trouble arises in execution and delays are due mostly to the law governing Hindus and Muhammadans. So long as the law of the Hindu joint family, the law as to benami transactions exist, it is difficult to see how execution of decrees cannot be delayed when the decree-holder wants to proceed against family properties. The very large area unconnected by railways within it, renders service difficult, and the ease with which a person can go from one Presidency to another adds to the difficulties.

I doubt if a Commission will be of any use. Conditions are different in each Presidency. I also doubt if a Judge from England will be of much use, as it is impossible for him to acquire any knowledge of local conditions.

I don't think any very great change in the law which would prevent delays can be effected under existing conditions. We may, in the desire to help the decree-holder, go to the other extreme and affect prejudicially the interests of the other members of his family who have independent rights.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE KRISHNAN :—I agree that some effort must be made to reduce the inordinate delay that now takes place in the disposal of cases. A strong Committee of experienced Judges and others in this country presided over by an English Judge will, I think, be able to do something towards it. I am more hopeful than Coutts Trotter J. in the matter. I am in favour of such a Committee being appointed.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAMESAM :—To a certain extent, I agree with the remarks of Trotter and Phillips JJ. So long as Indian human nature remains what it is, all attempts will be futile. Time only can work the necessary change. The alternative is between delay on the one hand and hard-heartedness (with injustice) on the other. I will tolerate the former and go on.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ODGERS :—I agree with the observations of Coutts Trotter J. I cannot see what good a Commission with an English Judge at the head of it is going to do. The Judge will be quite new to conditions here, and that device whereby a suit can practically be reopened and retried—Execution—with all its manifold delays will be totally unfamiliar to him. There is much in Ramesam J.'s remarks though Subordinate Courts could do a great deal by allowing fewer adjournments.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DEVADOSS :—A strong committee comprised of Members familiar with the conditions in India presided over by an experienced Judge from England is sure to make valuable suggestions for simplifying the procedure in civil cases. A good deal of time is wasted owing to the cumbrous procedure now governing civil actions. One main cause of delay is the habit of procrastination so common in India. The value of time is not appreciated by the common people. Another cause of delay is due to anxiety to show disposals. All easy suits are disposed of, and tough and intricate cases are adjourned from time to time, and the litigants get the idea that their cases won't be heard, and they are reluctant to spend money on processes. If clients are fairly certain that their cases would be heard on the days to which they are posted, they would do their best to be ready. The adjournment sheets of every court show how many time cases were adjourned because the Court had no time. I do not agree with Courts Trotter J. that adjournments should be refused in all cases. Such a procedure would make Judges mere machines and it is best to have tardy justice than speedy injustice. The procedure in execution should be simplified. As observed by the late Sir V. Bashyam Aiyangar a plaintiff's troubles arise only after he obtains a decree in his favour. Courts do not pay sufficient attention to execution proceedings. They are anxious to dispose of cases and they dismiss execution applications for very insufficient reasons. A great deal of saving of time can be effected by simplifying the procedure in execution. Instead of lamenting over the delay and folding one's hands and saying 'it is kismet' it is worth while trying to see whether matters could not be improved. I am in favour of a Commission of experienced persons familiar with the conditions in this country going into this matter fully.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VENKATASUBBA RAO :—The delay in the disposal of suits and appeals is quite often inordinate and does little credit to the administration of justice. The Government of India, however, are very clear on the point that measures should not be suggested which would involve increase of expenditure ; in other words, the Government of India exclude altogether considerations connected with the increase of Courts or judges. In the circumstances I am not very hopeful that useful suggestions will be forthcoming which will lead to the desired result. I am, however, not against the appointment of a Committee. The question of association with the enquiry of a Judge from England is given some prominence, and this, in my opinion, detracts from the value of the proposed Committee. By all means let there be one or more of such Judges on the Committee ; their help and advice may be valuable. But the deliberations must be guided by a Judge of Indian experience, preferably by an Indian Judge who is conversant with the habits of the people, their modes of thought and so forth. In the letter of the Government of India some modifications of law and procedure are indicated ; some, if not, many of the modifications suggested may not commend themselves to all alike. But it would be premature to discuss them now as the Committee

that is proposed will have to consider these and other suggestions and the opinions from the several parts of the country will be invited by it. I, therefore, offer no remarks on any particular modifications indicated in the Government of India's letter.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE WALLACE :—I dare say that a practical Commission which can devote its whole time to investigating causes of delay and remedies will be useful. We are not called upon at present to consider or suggest remedies. Whatever conclusion the Commission comes to at least the administration will be able to say that the matter has not been neglected. I would support its appointment.

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE WALLER :—I agree that one cannot eliminate human nature. But improvements in law and procedure are necessary and feasible and they are not likely to be introduced, unless they are supported by the authority of a strong and representative Commission. I think that such a Commission should be appointed.

THE HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE :—I am strongly in favour of the proposed commission. Delay occurs at different stages owing to different causes. First in the interlocutory stages of a suit and secondly after a case is ready for trial that is waiting for a hearing. This is a most serious matter in the mufassal but not serious in the Original Side in Madras. The reason is mainly to be found in that in Madras Judges sit continuously trying cases and if necessary help is available by putting on another Judge to assist, while in the mufassal there seems to be constant interruptions for sessions work and for appellate work. What is required is continuous sittings and a regular list of cases which will definitely be taken in their order when reached. Thirdly delay in appeal from one inferior court to another caused partly for the same reasons but mainly because the Judges have more to do than they can cope with. I believe some system of relief judges without additional courts or staff would prove an effective and in expressive remedy. Fourthly delays on the appellate side of the High Court partly in printing and translation but mainly because there are not sufficient judges. It may be possible materially to reduce the appellate work by abolishing civil revisions and some criminal revision which are anachronism and by permitting small cases to be heard by one Judge. Lastly in execution—Here the delay is very serious and I doubt if a remedy can be found and the main cause is that practically all executions have to take the form of bringing landed property to sale as it is seldom that available personal property can be found. The inhabitants of India do not possess available assets such as furniture, shares and books debts, and then the land is so much covered by mortgage, is so often joint property, and so often held benami by some one other than the true owners, that delay is certain and seems almost inevitable.

All these are subjects for examination by a strong commission but I venture to doubt whether any English Judge would be a suitable member of the commission. I know of none who would not have to spend some time learning the ways of this country nor can I bring to mind one who meets the other requirements suggested. Perhaps a Master of the Supreme Court could be of assistance either as a witness or as a member of the commission.

No. 4140-B., dated Poona, the 17th September 1923.

From—A. MONTGOMERIE, ESQ., C.I.E., M.L.C., Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Home Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

SUBJECT :—*Delay in disposal of suits and appeals.*

With reference to your letter No. F.-159-1922-Judl., dated the 25th June 1923, on the subject noted above, I am directed to forward herewith copies of minutes recorded by the Honourable the Chief Justice and Judges of the High Court, Bombay, and also of the Court of the Judicial Commissoner of Sind, and to state that the Governor in Council agrees that the enquiry proposed by the Government of India is desirable and indeed necessary. I am to draw attention to the form of reference to the proposed Committee suggested by Fawcett J. and to say that it seems *prima facie* suitable.

Minute recorded by B. C. Kennedy, Esquire, I.C.S., Judicial Commissioner of Sind.

With reference to the questions referred by Government of India, my opinion is as follows :—

I have considerable doubts whether it will be possible to accelerate the course of justice in civil matters in India. The admitted unreasonable delay and expense is due to a variety of causes most of which are not capable of being removed.

One of the principal causes is the character of the people and especially their preference for postponing decisions rather than accelerating them. It is very difficult for the Courts to surmount this tendency. It would be possible for the Courts to do so only if they act in a manner which will be considered by the people to be harsh and to amount to denial of justice. In any case, the spasmodic attempts on the part of the Judges in the

mofussil to compel the litigants to conduct their cases promptly are checked either in revision or appeal by superior Courts and it is not likely that this tendency will diminish in the near future.

Another reason for the delay is our method of procedure and the system of administering justice in India. At present the contest is one between parties only and the tribunal is merely an arbiter in the struggle. As long as this is so and as long as the litigants are inclined to delays, it is not likely that acceleration in the disposal of the work will be obtained. And I presume it is not intended to revolutionize the system of administering justice.

After, however, making allowance for these circumstances, there is certainly a residuum of unnecessary delays due to defects in procedure. It might well be the case if the Commission is appointed, it might find some method to do away with these. In my opinion, it will be of little use to import a jurist whose experience is limited to England, because as I have said, it is extremely necessary that the local circumstances and the character of the people should be taken into consideration if the administration of justice is not to work harshly. Under our system as at present constituted the wealthy and influential man has already considerable advantages over the poor and friendless and any reform of the procedure must not further handicap those who are accustomed to look to Government for protection. It will be well therefore if the presiding member of this Commission was a person who is well versed in Indian *conditions* and in English *procedure* and such a person will probably be more easily found amongst the rank of English Barristers who have practised in the mofussil and in High Courts in India or from Barrister Judges of the High Courts, in either case such Barristers having practised at Home.

It is I take it not proposed to do anything more at this stage than to suggest a few considerations as to points in law the amendment of which might lead to acceleration of disposal. I therefore confine myself merely to such points.

One of the important questions is as regards legal representatives. If it is possible by some way to devise legislation by which onus could be thrown on the legal representative of the deceased party himself to come forward to request the Court to put him on the record, and if it be laid down that if the legal representative were aware of the proceedings and did not so come forward, he would nevertheless be bound by any decree or order in the suit, a very great cause of delays will be eliminated.

The same applies in the case of minors, as also the members of the joint Hindu family and undivided co-shares in a Muhammadan estate. It need hardly be said that a very careful drafting of any legislation on these lines would be necessary to prevent injustice. But there is no doubt, in my mind, that much can be done to accelerate matters by such legislation.

As regards the question of Champerty, I am not convinced that it will be advisable to prevent this altogether because at present it is only by champertous bargains that poor men have any opportunity for getting their rights. It might well however be considered to what extent champertous bargains should be checked.

It might also be considered whether it will not be possible to extend the principle of Order 37, Civil Procedure Code, to cases other than those under the Negotiable Instruments Act.

Although I am reluctant to cut down the right of appeal (for certainly it does exercise a desirable check over the subordinate judiciary) yet it must be remembered that only about 7 per cent. of the appeals filed are successful. It cannot therefore be denied that there is great excess in appealing and it might be worth considering whether this tendency to appeal should not be checked either by requiring a certificate of a Judge before the appeal is allowed to be filed, or by inflicting a penalty in the case of frivolous appeals in the form of penal costs on the unsuccessful party, and by requiring a deposit in full of the decretal amount or equivalent thereof before the appeal was allowed.

It is for consideration whether there might not be compulsory registration of names of partners.

The question of execution is extremely difficult and I am not at present prepared to make any recommendation likely to lead to diminution of time now taken in reaping fruits of decree.

B. C. KENNEDY

31st July 1923.

Minute recorded by E. Raymond, Esq., B.A., LL.B., Additional Judicial Commissioner of Sind.

I agree generally with the views of the Judicial Commissioner and have nothing to add.

E. RAYMOND.

2nd August 1923.

Minute recorded by G. D. Madgavkar, Esq., I.C.S., Additional Judicial Commissioner of Sind.

Government might *before* appointing a committee invite suggestions from selected bodies and individuals such as Chambers of Commerce, Merchants' Associations, Bar

Associations, Traders' Associations, Zamindars' Associations, Raiyats' Associations, if any, so as to define where the delays are at present most felt; and the aggrieved bodies might, as far as possible, suggest remedies. In many matters such as those outlined by the Government of India, *e.g.*, limitation, the right of appeal, etc., the question is one of pure expediency and the legislature has to face a choice of evils, and the interests concerned might first define their position in the matter.

Apart from this, I agree generally with the minute of the Judicial Commissioner.

G. D. MADGAVKAR.

2nd August 1923.

Minute recorded by A. H. S. Aston, Esq., Bar. at-Law, Additional Judicial Commissioner of Sind.

With reference to the letter No. F.-159—1922-Judl. of the Government of India, dated the 25th June 1923, I am of opinion that the appointment of a Committee to consider the question of the delay in the disposal of suits and appeals is desirable.

2. With regard to the scope of its enquiry I would not restrict its enquiry to civil suits and appeals for much delay frequently occurs in the disposal of criminal cases also in this country and the proposed Committee would be able, I think, without additional labour, to make practical suggestions for the removal of the delay in the disposal of criminal cases, as well as of civil suits and appeals.

3. With regard to the personnel, it seems to me essential that there should be on the Committee not only a Judge from England, having experience of the steps taken in England in recent years to expedite the course of Civil litigation, but also Judges, who have had personal experience of the manner in which suits and appeals are disposed of both in England and in this country. I would include on the Committee two business men nominated respectively by the European and Indian Chambers of Commerce and if the terms of reference are to cover an enquiry into the delays in Criminal cases, I would include on the Committee, if possible, a retired Stipendiary Magistrate from London. I would not include Barristers or Pleaders, but rather leave it to the Committee to examine them in the course of the enquiry.

4. With regard to the question of practical suggestions, I think much could be done to reduce the Law's delays in this country.

A great cause of delay in the disposal of civil suits is the difficulty experienced in ascertaining the names of partners in firms carrying on business, the names of members of joint families, and the names and addresses of legal representatives of deceased persons. If this difficulty were obviated by a system of registration a great cause of delay would be overcome. Then I think that in addition to the curtailment of the right of appeal and revision, definite powers should be conferred, enabling Courts to deal with cases, where the parties protract suits in an unreasonable manner. The inherent powers of the Court to check the abuse of its own process are insufficient. Legislation is I think needed in the direction of giving Courts summary powers where suits are unreasonably protected by the parties or at any rate in the direction of allowing the Courts to fix a reasonable time for the conclusion of the examination or cross-examination of a witness.

Provision should be made, in my opinion, for the taxation of costs in criminal cases and I am in favour of amending the Court Fees Act with a view to the introduction of a sliding scale of Court-fees based on the actual time taken by each party in the disposal of suits. This would provide an automatic check rendering it pecuniarily advantageous to a party not to lengthen suits and proceedings unduly.

(Sd.) A. H. S. ASTON.

10th August 1923.

Minute recorded by Rupchand Bilaram, Esq., B.A., LL.B., Additional Judicial Commissioner of Sind.

I agree generally with the views of the Judicial Commissioner, and I may further add as follows:—

Disposal of civil suits can be expedited to some extent by framing rules under section 128, C. P. C., clauses (*a*) and (*f*).

There is often great delay in serving summons outside the jurisdiction of the Court, and simple suits remain undisposed of for a number of months, for want of service on the defendant.

Suits for rent and for ejectment and suits for recovery of debts or liquidated demands arising out of contract could with certain limitations be tried summarily by Subordinate Judges, and by Judges having Small Cause Court jurisdiction.

Steps should be taken to consolidate the Law of Arbitration at an early date.

In 1907 the Select Committee made the following remarks in their statement of objects and reasons on the Bill to amend the Civil Procedure Code :—

> "We have determined therefore to leave the arbitration clauses much as they are in the present code, but we have placed them in a schedule in the hope that at no distant date they may be transposed into a comprehensive Arbitration Act."

This hope has not been realised during the last 16 years.

The provisions of the Indian Arbitration Act (which was rushed through) are in themselves very faulty.

Where the provisions of the Indian Arbitration Act apply it is not open to the parties to file a reference in Court before the award is made, and to benefit by the advantages attendant on the filing of the reference in Court (such as avoiding unnecessary litigation and costs in proving the validity of the reference after the award has been made or being compelled to prove the validity of such a reference in the Court where the award proceedings have been transferred, for enforcing the award). Under the latest ruling of the Privy Council reported in 50 Calcutta p. 1, it is open to a party objecting to an award on the ground of want of jurisdiction, to institute a regular suit to set aside the award. The result of this ruling is increase of litigation and delay in the recovery of the amount awarded. If A at Karachi obtains an award against B at a small village in the Punjab and gets the award proceedings transferred to Lahore for execution, it is open to B to file a suit at such village for setting aside the award alleging that the arbitrator had no jurisdiction to decide the disputes and by the issue of commission to Karachi, cause unnecessary delay and annoyance to A in the recovery of his just claim; and to obtain a trial of the point in issue not where the claimant would wish it, but where the debtor wishes it.

In Indian Law Reporter 45 Bombay, 245, 265 and in several other decisions including the decisions of our Court the desirability of consolidating the provisions of the Civil Procedure Code and the Arbitration Act at an early date has been pointed out.

I agree with the note made by Mr. Madgavkar, Additional Judicial Commissioner, that before a Committee is appointed opinions and suggestions from responsible bodies like the different Chambers of Commerce and Bar Associations should be invited. I think the presiding member of the Commission should be an experienced Judge and preferably a Judge who has practised as a lawyer, in the moffusil and in High Courts in India.

(Sd.) RUPCHAND.

8th August 1923.

Minute recorded by the Honourable Mr. Justice Fawcett on Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.

I think a Committee of the kind suggested might make many useful proposals for amendments in the present law, which favours dilatory tactics and gives an opening for dishonest concealment of property by judgment-debtors.

(Sd.) C. FAWCETT.

31st July 1923.

In amplification of my minute of 31st July last, I have the following remarks to offer.

First as to the utility or otherwise of the proposed Committee. It is said that the causes of delay are beyond the power of any Committee to remedy, and that they are inherent in the human material with which we have to deal. I do not deny that the human element, and other circumstances surrounding litigation in this country, do (as the Government of India remark) "make it exceptionally difficult to secure expedition in many types of litigation," and (I would add) also present serious obstacles to the due execution of decrees, the other matter dealt with in the Government of India letter. But is it true that no improvement can be effected by alterations of the existing procedure regulating civil litigation and the execution of decrees such as are comtemplated by the Government of India ? Surely it is true that (as stated in their letter) "substantial improvements have from time to time been effected" by "modifications in the Civil Law or the procedure of the Courts calculated to expedite the course of litigation." I do not say such improvements have gone very far towards reducing the delay in the disposal of suits and appeals, but they have for instance limited the right of appeal which was previously much more extensive, and so tended to reduce such delay in many cases. But, if they have not gone very far, is that a sufficient ground for saying that it is useless to consider whether any further improvements can be effected ? That is an *ultra* pessimistic view which will not I hope be adopted by the Judges of this

Court. On the contrary I think we should welcome this proposal, which holds out a prospect of due consideration of the difficulties of the situation and of such suggestions as may be offered for their amelioration.

2. As regards the scope of the Committee's enquiry, if appointed, I would suggest that the precedent of the Judicature Commission appointed in England in 1867 might be followed, with, of course, suitable modification. This is the Commission whose report led to the enactment of the Judicature Acts, which did so much to remove the delays and obstructions in the administration of justice owing to the two systems of judicature previously in force: and it is a precedent of good omen to follow. The reference to the proposed Committee will of course have to be in wider terms, but the phraseology there employed can probably be largely followed I have not the full terms of the Reference to that Royal Commission before me, but following the summary given in Vol. 12 of the Encyclopædia of the laws of England, at page 48, I suggest the following reference to the Committee, as a draft to work on :—

To inquire into the operation and effect of the procedure enacted by law or otherwise followed by the Courts in India in the disposal of suits, appeals, applications for revision and other civil litigation (including the execution of decrees and orders), *with a view to ascertaining* and reporting *whether any and what changes and improvements could be made so as to provide for the more speedy, economical, and satisfactory despatch of the judicial business* (including execution proceedings) *transacted in such Courts* and for the more speedy, economical and satisfactory execution of processes issued by such Courts.

N B.—Words *italicised* follow the wording of the Summary I have referred to above.

3. As illustrations I would outline some suggestions which might come within the scope of the proposed inquiry in addition to those mentioned in paragraph 3 of the Government of India letter :—

(1) Provisions aimed at securing a better and more general compliance with the ordinary rule in England that when once a trial has commenced it should continue *de die in diem* until completed ;

(2) simplifying or clarifying the rules as to joinder of parties, *e.g.*, by enacting that the Manager of a joint Hindu family may sufficiently represent the family in regard to monetary transactions of the family, and providing for representation of parties having similar interests by one of such parties, after notice to the others ;

(3) making compulsory the filing of affidavit or documents in all contested suits ;

(4) extending the powers of Court to order security for costs, *e.g.*, in a case where the Court is satisfied that a defendant is vexatiously or un necessarily attempting to prolong the litigation ;

(5) empowering the Court in a similar case or in a case where it is of opinion that the defence is put in for the purpose only of gaining time, to require the defendant to deposit in Court, or give security for, the amount claimed ;

(6) extending the cases and Courts in which the summary procedure of Order 37 Civil Procedure Code, can be employed.

(7) requiring as a condition of the exercise of the right of appeal that the appellant, if a money decree has been passed against him, pays into Court, or furnishes security for, the whole of the amount decreed against him unless the appellate Court otherwise directs.

(Sd.) C. FAWCETT.

5th August 1923.

Minute recorded by the Honourable the Chief Justice on Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.

I am thankful to Fawcett J. for having amplified his minute.

I am in general agreement with him.

I think we should welcome any effort directed to reduce the delay that occurs in civil litigation at present.

While I admit the difficulty of achieving this result I see no good reason to despair ; nor do I think that it is not possible to adapt the procedure more to the genius and condition of the people without impairing the efficiency of the present system.

In addition to the specific suggestions made, we may refer generally to the points—(or to some of them)—mentioned in section 128 of Code of Civil Procedure as tending more or less to reduce the delay. For instance there should be no objection to try the procedure by way of originating summons in the District towns.

I would also suggest the desirability of having a small local committee for this Presidency to go into this question in detail and to prepare the ground for the work of the proposed committee, if the Government of India decide to appoint one.

(Sd.) L. A. SHAH.

13th August 1923.

Minute recorded by the Honourable Mr. Justice Marten on Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.

I agree with Fawcett J. that we should welcome the appointment of a committee, and that the terms of reference should follow those of the English Judicature Commission of 1867 with suitable modifications.

I also agree with the C. J. as to the desirability of a small preliminary local committee.

As regards subjects, delay in execution is most important, and I draw attention to the minute in 1900 of the then C. J. on the greater delay in mofussil executions as compared with the High Court. I should also like to bring forward suggestions to cut down pleadings, and to simplify service of process, etc. Fawcett's J. happy reference to the Judicature Commission reminds one that the Judicature Act abolished the old Chancery Bill of Complaint, and substituted the modern writ and statement of claim. Our present plaint is in effect the obsolete Bill of Complaint. May we not abolish it in our High Court? We could also suggest proper originating summonses (without plaints), and ditto Motions, and also extend the summary suits procedure? I would also suggest service by Solicitors instead of Sheriff; the elimination of admission of plaints; and the shortening of formal Decrees and orders, and the provision of lodgment and payment schedules for dealing with funds to be paid into or out of Court, and also for fewer *ex parte* orders and injunctions.

(Sd.) A. B. MARTEN.

17th August 1923.

Minute recorded by the Honourable Mr. Justice Pratt on Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.

On reconsideration I also think the Committee may do some good. For instance the mofussil law of limitation as to execution of decrees compels the judgment creditor to make frequent application which he has no intention of enforcing.

(Sd.) E. M. PRATT.

20th August 1923.

Minute recorded by the Honourable Mr. Justice Kajiji on Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.

On reconsideration I agree with Fawcett J.

(Sd.) A. M. KAJIJI.

20th August 1923.

Minute recorded by the Honourable Mr. Justice Kemp on Delay in the disposal of suit and appeals.

I agree with Marten J and think the appointment of a Committee would serve a useful purpose.

(Sd.) N. W. KEMP.

27th August 1923.

Minute recorded by the Honourable Mr. Justice Coyajee on Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.

I agree with Fawcett J.

(Sd.) H. C. COYAJEE.

No. 4404-J., dated the 2nd August 1923.

From—H. P. DUVAL, ESQ., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

SUBJECT:—*Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.*

I am directed to refer to Mr. Gwynne's letter No. F.-159-1922 Judicial, dated the 25th June 1923, on the above subject. The Government of India propose to appoint a Committee to consider the question of delay in the disposal of suits and the execution of decrees and ask for the views of this Government as to the advisability of appointing such a Committee and the scope of its enquiry if appointed.

2. In reply, I am to say that the Governor in Council cordially welcomes the proposal of the Government of India and fully agrees in the view that the course of litigation, in spite of every effort to expedite it, is still subject to such serious delays as to cause some lack of confidence in the administration of justice and to create an obstacle to the commercial and industrial development of India. This, however, has rightly been held not to cast any reflection against the judicial officers engaged in the administration of civil justice or the High Courts under whose control they discharge their duties.

The proposals of the Government of India refer only to the administration of civil justice. His Excellency in Council thinks that the question of delays with regard to the administration of criminal justice might also be taken into consideration, and would therefore suggest that the terms of reference of the Committee should be wide enough to enable it to go into the question as to the nature of amendments required in the entire system of administration of justice *civil as well as criminal* with a view to make it more expeditious, less costly and better calculated to command the confidence of the people by making it more suitable to their customs, habits and outlook in life.

No. 1367-J., dated the 31st August 1923.

From—L. S. WHITE, ESQ., I.C.S., M.L.C., Deputy Secretary to the Government of the United Provinces, Judicial (Civil) Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

I am directed to refer to your letter No. F.-159-1922-Judl., dated the 25th-28th June 1923, on the subject of delay in the disposal of suits and appeals and the proposal to appoint a committee to inquire into the question.

2. The High Court and Judicial Commissioner have been consulted and I am directed to enclose for the information of the Government of India copies of the letters which have been received from them. The Governor in Council welcomes the proposal to appoint a committee. The mischief is undoubtedly serious and if in some measure a remedy can be found, the gain is well worth the effort.

3. As regards the scope of the enquiry the Governor in Council agrees with the view expressed by Mr. Justice Daniels that the committee should be given as free a hand as possible in making its recommendations and does not consider it advisable to attempt to limit its terms of reference too closely. The subjects enumerated at the end of paragraph 3 of the Home Department letter should certainly form the subject of enquiry by the committee, but it is suggested that the committee should be empowered to inquire into any other matters which may be suspected of contributing to delay. In this connection I am to draw attention to the views expressed by Mr. Dalal, who thinks that judicial officers themselves are in some measure responsible for delay, mainly on account of the absence of any special training.

No. 2554-180 of 1923, dated the 30th July 1923.

From—The Registrar, High Court of Judicature at Allahabad,

To—The Deputy Secretary to the Government of the United Provinces, Judicial (Civil) Department.

With reference to your letter No. 850-VII—233, dated the 11th July 1923, I am directed to forward the following opinions of the Hon'ble Judges of this Court in the matter of delay in the disposal of suits and appeals :—

DANIELS, J.—I think we should agree as to the advisability of a Committee, and that it should be given as free a hand as possible in making recommendations. Its scope should include the matters mentioned at top of page 3 of the G. G. O. and any others on which it considered that the present practice could be improved.

RYVES, LINDSAY, WALSH, JJ. and the HON'BLE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE agree with the opinion recorded by Daniel, J.

KANHAIYA LAL, J.—The question of the Law's delays as applied to the disposal of Civil and Rent or Revenue suits, appeals, and execution proceedings, is largely connected with the habits of procrastination of the litigating parties, the personnel and constitution of the courts, the strength of the staff, the number of working days available, excluding the vacation and holidays, and at times to the tactics, or want of capacity or inexperience of the legal practitioners engaged. A commission to examine the causes of delay and advise as to the modifications needed in the existing laws and procedure, including any fresh legislation required, and to suggest any modifications in the constitution of the courts, whether created by acts of Parliament, Letters Patent, or otherwise, would therefore be welcome. The disposal of criminal and rent or revenue suits might be included.

Letter No. 1988-XIV—502, dated the 27th July 1923.

From—B. J. DALAL, ESQ., I.C.S., Judicial Commissioner of Oudh,

To—The Deputy Secretary to the Government of the United Provinces, Judicial (Civil) Department.

With reference to your letter No. 850-VII—233, dated the 11th July 1923, I have the honour to say that my opinion is asked :—

(1) as to the advisability of appointing a Committee to suggest means to remedy the delay in the disposal of suits and appeals and the unsatisfactory results obtained in the process of the execution of decrees, and

(2) the scope of the inquiry of such a Committee, if appointed.

In my opinion such an inquiry as is proposed will be very useful. Even if it does nothing more, it will be able to collect information from the different provinces and pick out suitable rules for universal application. India is no doubt vast and the conditions of different provinces are wholly unlike. At the same time, I have always felt that we work too much in separate and independent compartments, and one province, if properly informed, may learn much of use from another province. All through my service I have taken considerable interest in the rules of Court and was specially selected in 1910 to revise the rules of the High Court at Allahabad both those relating to the subordinates Courts and those of the High Court itself. I have, however, no knowledge of difficulties arising in other provinces and the methods by which they may have been met. Such a knowledge may possibly elucidate several difficulties of the legal administration of this province and suggest means which have not struck us of speedy method of procedure.

The letter of the Government of India has explored in considerable detail directions in which inquiry should be led. In my opinion two points have been missed out (1) the mentality of the Indian and (2) the education of the Indian Judicial Officers. Dilatoriness does not strike us as it would others. Recently I spoke on the subject to a learned colleague of mine, an Indian like myself, and his opinion was that there was no dilatoriness and that the work was being killed in Courts by hurry. The writing of long and elaborate judgments viewing a question from every point of view, whether it be necessary in that particular litigation or not and the quoting of authorities for every opinion, however well established, is an old tradition of Indian Law Courts and does not date from the commencement of the British Courts. In a recent case I had before me judgments, delivered by the Nawabi Courts in Oudh prior to the occupation, covered 10 to 15 foolscap printed pages in the printed record. Unless you convince Indian Judicial Officers that their ways and methods are dilatory I do not expect any quickening up of litigation.

I think that inquiry should be made as to the possibility of training Judicial Officers. They get no training of any sort or kind and every one goes his own way. One remembers how as a civilian officer in the first year of service the Collector and District Magistrate used to take the new arrival in hand and point out the way he should work. I have always felt that European officers and Indian officers of my service had a considerable advantage by such training over officers of the provincial service. Nobody takes in hand a Munsif when he first joins service. It must be remembered that when he joins he has had little, if any, practice and that judicial officers are not selected in India as in England out of practitioners who have made their names. At the Bar there is no system of a senior permitting juniors to work with him. The principle of practice adopted at the Bar has been, in my opinion, every one not only for himself but against every one else. This crude and untrained officer has no method of work, and in the nature of things he starts with the handicap of ignorance as compared to his Munsarim and Reader as regards routine of Courts. It is very rarely that he picks up courage to shake himself free and dominate those officials. A Munsif who has previously served in the ministerial department of a Judge's office always shows his superiority in the method of work. It has, however, been ordered now that no one, even though he may possess the necessary qualifications, can be appoined a Munsif from the ministerial staff. In my opinion this order is highly prejudicial to the efficiency of the service. If the Committee take up this matter for consideration, some means may be devised for the training of newly joined officers. I have been a District Judge now for 24 years and there are only three Judges' posts which I have missed out under the Allahabad High Court. My long experience in all these many districts has confirmed me in my opinion that delay in judicial work is mainly due to want of method among the Indian judicial officers. In this connection I append extracts from what I said in the Annual Report of the Allahabad District Court for the year 1920 and in a speech which I delivered at the Provincial Judicial Conference this year.

The Committee will do very useful service if it considered and made recommendations regarding the printing of law reports. I believe that Mr. Justice Coutts Trotter when he first came to the Madras High Court took up the matter and expressed his distress as any same lawyer would at the multiplicity of these reports. The High Courts themselves refer to every report printed without any authority, so the Subordinate Courts cannot be expected to take a different line. The reporting of

every word of a Judge, of wisdom or otherwise, has become a nuisance in my opinion. I quite expect to read soon in one of the reports the expletives of a Judge as he put his foot unsuspectingly in a tub of hot water. This mass of reporting puts a terrible strain on Courts of law. A Judge even of the highest Court is after all human and is not at his best at every moment of his duty. Every Court has to essay the task of reconciling different opinions of different Judges and even in the smallest matter the judgment lengthens out. This vast publicity leads to emulation among Judges to lay down principles of law where no such necessity arises in a particular case. There is Act XVIII of 1875 which definitely lays down in section 3 that no Court shall be bound to hear cited or shall receive or treat as an authority binding on it the report of any case decided by any of the High Courts other than a report published under the authority of any Local Government. As I have noted above High Courts pay no attention to this salutary provision of law and the Committee may be able to recommend the passing of some definite orders to prohibit unauthorised law reporting. The test of my complaint is easily made. One has to compare the judgments of the Honourable Privy Council which takes note only of its own previous judgments and on rare occasion of those reported in Indian Law Reports with those of the Indian High Courts. Such a comparison will reveal how their Lordships of the Privy Council in 2 or 3 pages or even in a few lines bowl over or affirm most lengthy pronouncements of the Indian High Courts.

I hope it is understood that facts are not so bad as one would imagine from the statement appended to the letter of the Government of India. A statement of the average duration of cases is often deceptive. The decision of a few very old cases makes the average duration mount up though the majority of cases may have been decided in reasonable time. It is the case of the "dram of evil which all the noble substance often doubt to his own scandal." For instance if 10 cases have taken 6 months each to decide and one case has taken 5 years the average will be shown as 11 months though 10 out of 11 cases were decided within a reasonable time. There is delay and avoidable delay no doubt but a statement of average duration makes things look darker than they are.

Extract from the Annual Report for the year 1920.

**** The institutions in the Court of Small Causes Allahabad and in the Courts of the two Subordinate Judges have fallen, yet the pending file in both the Courts of the Subordinate Judges is higher. I consider this to be due to an entire want of system in the trial of cases. As a rule I take up a few original suits of the Court of the Subordinate Judge for trial in order to see how work is carried on in that Court. Since I came here I had unfortunately not been able to do so till this month, when I discovered that the procedure prior to actual trial was extremely unsatisfactory. Issues were already framed in the suit which I took up on the date fixed for its hearing, and I discovered that another suit intimately connected with it and relating to the same property and in which also issues had been drawn up was fixed for hearing on another date. On the documents tendered by parties there was no note as to whether they were admitted or not by the opposite party. A suit is not properly gripped before the oral evidence commences. I have often told Subordinate Judges that fifteen minutes spent by them at the time of framing issues would save them five days later on in the proceedings. I have pointed out the defects to the Local Subordinate Judge who is newly appointed and I am in hopes that his outturn of work will be larger this year than that of his predecessors last year.

B. J. DALAL, I.C.S.,
Judicial Commissioner of Oudh.

Extract of speech made by B. J. Dalal, Esq., I.C.S., Judicial Commissioner of Oudh, to the Provincial Judicial Service in April 1923.

****Avoid the fault of dilatoriness otherwise there is a danger of civil justice being brought into ridicule and disrepute. It is not so much the duration of a case that harasses the public as the constant postponements. Within the small sphere of a Judge's jurisdiction I have been able to quicken up work by prevailing on my fellow workers to study their own delay statements. The idea is that these statements are made for superior Courts and some judicial officers leave it to their Munsarims to sign them. As my great exampler Sir George Knox used to say they are really devised to help the Courts to which they relate. Such a statement should be always before a judicial officer to remind him of the cases which have been delayed most and where the witnesses have come oftenest to Court without being heard. By fixing dates of hearing yourself and an intelligent provision in doing so much of the present complaint can be removed**** I do not suggest that we work short hours or are lazy but my belief is that we can do better by system and method. In Oudh, taluqdari cases ruin the business of many Courts but even taking them out, some of the suits are prolonged far longer than they should. Possibly the parties are not blameless and use devices to prolong litigation. In consultation we may be able to discover them and prevent them prevailing as they do at present. Our hard work is

universally recognised. Still I for one am not satisfied that we have done all we can to quicken up proceedings**** I shall repeat a few suggestions based on experience :—

(1) Have the delay statements always with you,
(2) Fix dates of hearing yourself,
(3) Try and fix only as much work as you can do in one day,
(4) Take pleaders into your confidence and consult them freely as to the time required for examination of witnesses of arguments,
(5) Pass interim orders yourself and do not leave them to the Office : the certifying of sufficiency or otherwise of service is frequently left to the Office contrary to statute,
(6) Grip the facts and do not permit any one to travel away from them,
(7) Do not leave details of procedure to the end of the trial such as the admission of documents and so forth.

B. J. DALAL, I.C.S.,
Judicial Commissioner of Oudh.

No. 3795-S. Judl., dated Simla, the 22nd of September 1923.

From—D. J. BOYD, ESQ., I.C.S., Home Secretary to the Government of the Punjab,
To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

SUBJECT—*Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.*

In answer to Mr. Gwynne's letter No. F.-159-1922-Juld., dated the 25th June 1923, on the above subject, I am directed to say that owing to the vacation of the High Court the Governor in Council regrets that it will not be possible to give a considered reply till the beginning of November next. But subject to a possible change of view on receipt of the opinion of the High Court he is provisionally of opinion that a Committee might suitably be appointed as suggested in Mr. Gwynne's letter and that the scope of the enquiry might be as indicated in paragraph 3 of that letter.

No. 28720-Judl., dated Lahore, the 6th of December 1923.

From—D. J. BOYD, ESQ., I.C.S., Home Secretary to the Government of the Punjab,
To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

SUBJECT—*Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.*

In continuation of my letter No. 3795 S. Judl., dated the 22nd September 1923, on the above subject, I am directed to say that the Governor in Council has now received the opinion of the Hon'ble Judges of the High Court of Judicature at Lahore and agrees with them that a Committee might suitably be appointed to consider the whole question. A copy of the letter of the Registrar, High Court, is forwarded for the information of the Government of India.

Letter No. 7228-G., dated the 26th November 1923.

From—The Registrar, High Court of Judicature at Lahore,
To—The Home Secretary to the Government of the Punjab.

In reply to your letter No. 2359-S. Judl., dated 3rd August 1923, asking for the opinion of the Honourable Judges on the proposal in regard to the delay in the disposal of suits and appeals, I am directed to say that the Judges approve of the proposal of the Government of India to appoint a Committee to consider the whole question.

No. 167-W.-23, dated Rangoon, the 17th September 1923.

From—D. D. NANAVATI, ESQ., B.A., I.C.S., Bar-at-Law, Deputy Secretary to the Government of Burma, Judicial Department,
To—The Joint Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

SUBJECT :—*Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.*

I am directed to refer to your letter No. F.-159-1922-Judl., dated the 25th-28th June 1923, inviting the opinion of this Government on the advisability of appointing a Committee to consider the steps to be taken to expedite the cause of civil litigation and the scope of its enquiry if appointed.

2. In reply I am to say that the Governor in Council welcomes the proposed appointment of a Committee with an experienced Judge from England as one of its members to consider the whole question. The Hon'ble Judges of the High Court of Judicature at Rangoon were consulted in the matter and a copy of their reply containing a note by the Hon'ble the Chief Justice is enclosed for the information of the Government of India. I am to say that the Governor in Council agrees generally with the views expressed by the Hon'ble the Chief Justice.

No. 945-20-67, dated Rangoon, the 29th August 1923.

From—RAIBERT M. MACDOUGALL, ESQ., I.C.S., Registrar, High Court of Judicature at Rangoon,

To—The Chief Secretary to the Government of Burma.

SUBJECT :—*Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.*

In reply to Mr. Nanavati's letter No. 167-W.-23, dated the 19th July 1923, I am directed to submit herewith a copy of the Hon'ble the Chief Justice's note, dated the 27th August 1923.

The Hon'ble the Chief Justice's note, dated the 27th August 1923.

As to the wisdom of appointing such a Committee the Hon'ble Judges are nearly equally divided in opinion. While no doubt it may be urged that the causes of delay and the failure to execute decrees are fairly well known and that a Committee would involve very large expenditure the matter does not rest there. Details of procedure might be dealt with by the Local Legislatures and closer supervision may be left to the High Courts concerned. Much can be done to speed up the disposal at all stages of suits. So far this province is concerned the figures given for 1921 show that Burma is considerably in advance of the other Provinces and later figures show a continued improvement in durations. But no one can deny that much still remains to be done. It is not, however, in respect of such matters that the Committee is proposed and the matter to be considered is not one of detail but of substantial changes in the general law applicable to all parts of the Indian Empire. The very grave issues involved need to be tackled in a comprehensive and thorough manner and feeble attempts to improve matters by small changes here and there are to be deprecated. In my opinion if any substantial improvement is to be made and retained it can only be by a complete and searching overhaul of our laws and procedure in the direction of simplifying the trial of suits and in the direction of limiting the time in which the aid of the Courts at all stages may be invoked. To do this means to deal with laws that apply to all parts of the Indian Empire alike and before this can be done the effects must be weighed from the point of view of each and every one of the Provinces. This could not be done effectively by calling for opinions and extracting from them the lines along which advance might be possible. It can only be done with any hope of a thorough and complete examination of the problems involved by a Committee such as is proposed. I do not consider that the expense should be weighed. There is no doubt of the risk to the industrial and commercial development of India and there is the encouragement afforded to a naturally litigious people to their grave detriment. It leads to injustice and places the poor at the mercy of the rich. In my opinion a Committee is clearly called for.

As to the scope of the enquiry it should I think be directed to the simplification of our procedure law for the hearing of suits and the execution of decrees. It may not be possible to do much in respect of the former but the latter matter needs drastic simplification. If suits are filed against persons who have no visible property it is hardly a matter for surprise that a large proportion of decrees obtained are infructuous. In Burma however a large number of judgment-debtors are natives of India who merely disappear into their own country and cannot be traced or made to pay without a greater amount of expense and trouble than the decree-holders are prepared to face. The enquiry might consider what can be done to ensure prompt help from Courts in India in such circumstances.

Our Law is very generous in the matter of appeals and this is perhaps necessary owing to the poor quality of the general run of subordinate Courts, but there are many appeals of various kinds allowed from interlocutory orders and preliminary decrees which result in great delays and which are often filed merely to cause delay and expense.

The question of the period of limitation allowed also needs consideration. There is no necessity for long periods and even if they cannot be reduced the energetic litigant might be rewarded for promptness by charging him a lower Court fee if he takes action without delay.

The question of Codification of Personal Laws is one needing very full consideration. There is no doubt that much time is spent in litigation involving questions of a personal law that would be saved if that law was codified. In most cases the parties are entirely ignorant of the provisions of their personal law and in Burma at any rate that law is in

a large measure judge-made law. The subject is highly controversial and attempts to codify have generally been opposed and have finally been given up. A full consideration of the subject by this Committee would collect all that could be urged on one side or the other and might enable this very beneficial reform to be accomplished.

The question of limiting the number of legal practitioners of the lower grades at any rate might be considered. That they are a source of litigation is undoubted and they do not assist the Courts but are in a large measure responsible for the length of durations.

In my opinion the appointment of such a Committee would have every prospect of obtaining very valuable results.

(Sd.) S. M. ROBINSON,
Chief Justice.

No. $\frac{1749}{J.—34}$ J. T., dated Ranchi, the 12th September 1923.

From—H. LL. L. ALLANSON, ESQ., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bihar and Orissa, Judicial Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

SUBJECT :—*Delay in the disposal of suits and of appeals.*

I am directed to refer to Mr. Gwynne's letter No. F.-159-1922, dated the 25th June 1923, on the above subject, and to say that the Governor in Council has consulted the Hon'ble Judges of the Patna High Court. Four out of the six Judges who have expressed an opinion, as well as the majority of the District Judges, are in favour of the appointment of a committee to consider the whole question, as contemplated in paragraph 4 of the letter referred to above. Copies of the opinions of the Hon'ble Judges are enclosed for the information of the Government of India, and I am to invite special reference to the views expressed by the Hon'ble Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Mullick.

2. The Governor in Council is strongly in favour of the proposed enquiry by a committee, and of associating in it a Judge of English experience who would carry weight. In the opinion of His Excellency in Council it should be an expert enquiry, and it would be fatal to give it a political bias. The scope of the enquiry should be to investigate the causes of delay in the disposal of suits and appeals by the Indian Courts, and to suggest such amendments of the law as may be considered necessary and practicable for the speedier disposal of civil litigation.

3. The notes of the Hon'ble Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Mullick discuss various important aspects of the problem. There is, however, one other point, which in the opinion of the Governor in Council is relevant, viz., the degree of latitude that is too often allowed to the bar in protracting proceedings. In the courts of original jurisdiction the cross examination of witnesses is not infrequently carried to undue length. Some presiding officers, either from an adequate appreciation of the rules of evidence, or from a misplaced desire to give the parties every opportunity to present their case, or sometimes, it may be, from an incapacity to exercise a proper control over the conduct of the proceedings, permit much irrelevant evidence to appear on the record. Not only is the trial of the suit protracted thereby, but the necessity of perusing a mass of evidence with a view to the exclusion of much that is irrelevant leads to a waste of time in the appellate court. The tendency to permit undue length of argument, from which the Governor in Council is constrained to observe even the highest courts in India are not altogether free, may be indicated as another possible cause of the delay in the despatch of civil justice. This question is a somewhat difficult and delicate one, dependent as it is both on the temperament of the presiding officer and on the fact that brevity and conciseness in argument have not been cultivated in the Indian courts to the extent that they have been in the courts of Great Britain. But the Governor in Council cannot but feel that much improvement might be effected in this direction if the High Courts, by precept and example and by upholding officers in subordinate courts who may endeavour to check undue prolixity at the bar, indicated their determination to deal with this aspect of the problem.

OPINION.

The Government of India want our suggestions to "such modifications of the law and procedure as would in themselves lessen the burden now placed on that (existing) establishment, while allowing of the greater expedition of civil litigation; and would, without placing fresh charges on the local Governments, afford some remedy at the hands of Government," for "they have no desire that measures should be suggested which would involve an increase of expenditure on local Governments."

This was exactly the standpoint from which I scrutinized the working of the subordinate Courts in the province during my inspection thereof to

which I brought to bear my personal experience while at the Bar and as a member of the public. In my minutes of inspection I recorded the following :—

> "The duration of cases from the date of institution to the date of disposal has been much reduced from what used to be in the former days and there is a chance of further reduction by improving the system of the trial of suits and execution proceedings, without any increase in the number of officers. It must be noted here that the officers have been devoting their full time and attention to the work,"

and I embodied in the minutes my suggestion for the improvement of the system after having consulted the various Judicial Officers, the Members of the Bar and the litigant public. A consideration of these suggestions was kept pending till the General Rules and Circular Orders of the Patna High Court were published which has since been done but they do not go far enough : *vide* sections 27 to 29 of the Civil Procedure Code and the rules grouped under Order V and Order XXIX, rule 2 and Order XXX, rule 3. For detailed suggestions I would refer to Collection No. XLIX, file No. 13 of 1921. Further experience has confirmed my belief in the suggestions made by me and I would refer to them here briefly.

I have perused the report of the Assistant Registrar of the High Court upon the system of service of processes of the Courts, such as summonses, notices, etc., which accords with my views.

It is now admitted on all hands that the service of processes or notices by means of identifiers supplied by the parties has proved to be most unsatisfactory and has led to serious frauds and forgeries. The cases where processes are received and receipts given are hardly 2 per cent. The system is responsible for this low percentage of *bonâ fide* service, and the Courts have ceased to have any confidence in such service, and they are now resorting to service by post which also is not satisfactory.

The identifiers supplied by the parties are often as much ignorant of the person or property to be served on as the serving peon himself and therefore the parties make terms with the peon. The affidavits filed by the identifiers are often false, and it is notorious that big estates have professional identifiers who never go to the spot but simply swear affidavits. It often transpires that the persons said to have been served were dead at the time of service.

This unsatisfactory method of service gives rise to a number of miscellaneous proceedings and even suits for setting aside decrees, executions, sales, etc., which not only cause harassment to the parties but also immense loss of time of the Courts.

A good and reliable service will give timely information to the parties and to the Courts of the death of a party and then substitution would be readily made.

It is therefore necessary to have local agencies for the service of Court processes. The Dafadars, Chaukidars and Panches or the village administration which is now brought into being (Act III of 1892, sections 5, 6, and 7) may be usefully utilized for this purpose. The Local Government may make necessary rules under section 96 (*2*) (*k*) of the Act. I do not believe in honorary work of this kind. The parties at present spend a good deal on service of processes and they will not grudge paying fees along with the processes filed by them, for remunerating the village Officers for serving processes. They will be paid through the Courts concerned. The scale of fees may be fixed in consultation with the Local Government.

The affidavit of the serving peon will then be accepted as sufficient proof of the service until it is challenged. The General Rules and Circular Orders will have to be amended accordingly. The local Officers will certainly know the person and the property required to be served and there will be no danger of wrong service. They will also report the fact of the death of a party on the back of process and also the name of his heir. The parties concerned will be informed of this fact through their pleaders and they will then take necessary steps for substitution. Very often a party living at a distant place does not know the name of the heir of the deceased and he depends on local agencies for such information which he will now readily get, and he will thus be saved the necessity of applying several times for time to make enquiries.

The serving peon will now necessarily have to go to the village and will have the service verified by the local agency on the process and therefore there will not be any more fraudulent return of service, without going to the locality. There will then also be certainty of service upon minors and pardahnashin ladies.

The village officers are under the control of Government and can be dealt with in cases of misconduct. Therefore there is a good check, whereas the identifiers of the parties are under no such check.

The advantages of the system suggested would be :—

(1) The substitutions in place of deceased parties will readily take place and the abatement of cases for want of substitution will be stopped as well as the subsequent elaborate proceedings to set aside abatements which take up so much time of the original as well as the appellate Courts.

(2) The genuine and prompt service of processes would put a stop to institution of suits and proceedings for setting aside *ex-parte* decrees and execution proceedings.

(3) The notices under Order XXI, rules 22 and 66 having been served properly, there would be no longer proceedings to set aside execution sales.

(4) The judgment-debtors now feeling that they would not be able to falsely dispute the service of processes will see that the sale proclamations are properly served and bidders attend the sales so that their properties might fetch proper value.

(5) The lower percentage of successful execution will then rise and the executions will then be not infructuous as they are now, and the decree-holders will be able to reap the benefit of their decrees except in genuine cases of poverty of the judgment-debtor.

In my minutes of inspection I have shown the enormously large percentage of infructuous execution and, as pointed out in the Government of India's letter under consideration, this naturally causes, lack of confidence in the administration of justice and, as I said in my minutes, "It is incumbent upon a Court to see that its decree is respected and is properly executed"

Another suggestion which will tend to improve the execution of decrees is the strict compliance with rules 2 to 4 of Order XXI, rule 66 of interogating and examining judgment-debtors in order to find out information regarding their properties and means to pay up the decretal amount. This is done very seldom. These rules were newly added in the Code of 1898, but they are very rarely taken advantage of by the parties or the Courts, and recently I tried them and found them to serve the purpose for which they were intended and the executions were expeditious and successful.

In my estimate one-third of the time of the subordinate courts will be saved if the aforesaid suggestions are adopted. There will also be a saving of time of the lower appellate Courts and of the High Court which is now occupied in disposing of appeals and motions arising out of matters referred to above.

The time thus saved can be utilized in the proportionate reduction of duration of litigation in the Courts, as observed by me in my minutes of inspection. Then there will also be much confidence reposed in the administration of justice.

The strict observance of rule 2, Order XII will also save time. This rule is with respect to calling upon the adversary to admit the documents filed by the opposite party, particularly the undisputed documents, and it empowers the Courts to impose cost of proving such documents upon the party which unnecessarily refuges to admit such documents regardless of the result of the suit. The rule is not generally observed, with the result that the opponent generally puts the party seeking to use the documents to unnecessary trouble and expense in proving the documents by witnesses. Apart from the harassment to the party concerned it causes unnecessary waste of time of the court which can be saved for reducing the duration of cases. The same remark applies to the provisions regarding interrogatories.

Another important matter relates to commissions to examine witnesses. The commissioner has no power to disallow questions, and has generally no control over time. This causes enormous waste of time of the Courts in going through the unnecessary and irrelevant evidence when the depositions taken down by the commissioner are put in evidence. Something can be done in this direction also.

In many matters the service of processes may be effected upon pleaders after the appearance of parties, and this will also save time. The service upon pleaders should by rules be made binding upon the parties.

The preparation of cause lists, the mode of fixing dates for hearing and notification of those dates on the Notice Board which have recently been introduced in the subordinate courts, have caused enormous saving of time and has reduced the corruption in the ministerial offices of the Subordinate Courts. The suggestions that I have made will also be wholesome in this direction.

Regard being had to the peculiar customs and the social system of the country and want of trained legal advisers referred to in the Government of India's letter under reply, I could only think of the above suggestions which would reduce the durations of cases and inspire confidence in the administration of justice, without entailing any additional cost, and I do not think there is any room for improving the law of Limitation or for curtailing the right of appeals and revisional applications for reducing the duration of cases.

The above suggestions will obviate the necessity of the registration of addresses suggested in the Government of India's letter for the purpose of service of notices inasmuch as the local agencies for service suggested above will know the addresses; but there is no harm in having this additional precaution.

I do not think any committee is needed for enquiry into the matter. I am therefore not in favour of such committee far less of associating a Judge from England into the enquiry, inasmuch as the conditions of this country are very much dissimilar to those of England.

JWALA PRASAD.

Opinion of the Hon'ble Judges.

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE.—One of the main causes of delay in the disposition of Civil suits is undoubtedly due to the joint family system prevailing amongst Hindus under which every member of the joint family holds an interest in the joint property. The majority of cases which arise in this province, and probably in other parts of India where the Mitakshara Law prevails, involve claims to property of this nature. This necessitates the introduction of a multiplicity of parties to the suit many of whom are minors and must be sued through guardians who have to be appointed for the purpose. Apart altogether from the initial difficulty of effecting service on so many parties, mortality during the pendency of the suit makes necessary the substitution of the legal representatives of deceased parties. It is not uncommon to find over a hundred defendants impleaded in suits of this nature. There are seldom less than a dozen. Further it frequently happens that the plaintiffs suing parties in another village receive no intimation of the death of one or other of the defendants and the suit abates before substitution can be made. In such cases it becomes necessary to apply to set aside the abatement before substitution can be made and generally disputes arise which have to be determined as to whether the circumstances warrant the Court in setting aside the abatement. Notice has to be served upon the surviving parties and time is spent in disposing of such applications before the suit or appeal can proceed. Again in all mortgage suits, which are numerous, in respect to joint family property, as new members are born into the family, it becomes necessary to add them as parties. Their birth is frequently unknown to the opposite side and questions often arise during the appellate stage as to whether decrees obtained in the absence of parties interested in the equity of redemption are not entirely infructuous. An instance of this class of defect arose before me recently in the case of Hari Prashad Singh *v.* Surendra Mohan Singh (I. L. R. 1 Patna 506 at page 519). This is merely an instance of many similar cases. I think these questions required careful consideration. No doubt it is a fundamental rule of all civilized system of jurisprudence that those who are not bound by the decree. At the same time I think the rules of representation might be advantageously modified in this country. I should be inclined to introduce a rule that in all suits relating to claims to joint family property the managing member of the family should, ordinarily, be entitled to sue or be liable to be sued in a representative capacity. It sometimes happens, however, especially in cases where alienations of family property by the managing member are questioned, that other members principally minors, have adverse interests. In such cases some procedure would have to be provided to permit them to apply to the Court to be made parties, but I should not allow more than one such party to represent the interests of a class. I merely suggest this as a possible remedy for an existing evil but I think much of the delay and much of the time occupied by the Court might be avoided by devising rules with proper safeguards along the lines indicated.

Another cause of delay, but one which I am afraid it is difficult to deal with by legislation, arises from the slipshod manner in which the preparation and conduct of the case in its initial stages is carried out by the legal practitioners in the mufassil. It is the exception rather than the rule to find pleadings skilfully drafted. Much irrelevant matter is usually introduced, and not infrequently important averments of pleas are either omitted or introduced in an ambiguous form. What would be the work of a Solicitor in England is here carried out by pleaders whose training and qualifications for this work leaves must to be desired. It often happens that important points of law are not taken until the case comes on appeal to the High Court. If the point requires evidence to support it, it is generally found that the evidence upon the point which had not been emphasised is either lacking or of a very unsatisfactory and chance nature and the case is either decided on the ground of onus of proof or has to be remanded to the lower Court for findings on fresh issues. It is not easy to see how the defects and delays arising from this cause can be effectually dealt with by amending the procedure. The root of the evil is deeper.

Another frequent cause of delay is the fact that the pleader in most cases has the greatest difficulty in obtaining funds from his client to pay the necessary court fees and expenses incidental to a trial or appeal. The court fees payable under the Court Fees Act at the commencement of a trial or appeal are for the most part *ad valorem* fees proportionate to the value of the subject matter of the suit or appeal which must be valued for the purpose of jurisdiction and payment of court fees in the plaint or memorandum of appeal. As it is unusual to file appeals until the last day of the limitation period, and as the fees paid are frequently deficient, applications for extension of time to pay the deficit occupy a disproportionate amount of the Court's time, Even the talbana of a few rupees in most cases payable for issuing notices is almost invariably left unpaid at the appointed time. The case has then to come before the Court for orders and apart altogether from the additional time occupied by the Court in disposing of such applications the case itself is delayed in the hearing. The pleader will not pay such fees and debit his client as a solicitor would in England and the client will not part with his money until it is extracted from him by repeated applications. Although considerable latitude is allowed many cases are struck off for default of prosecution owing to non-payment of fees. Applications are then made for restitution usually on the ground that the client was ill or did not receive his pleader's letter requesting payment of fees or on some other plausible excuse. The Court has power to extend the time for performing

such acts but if the rules were made more stringent in this respect I believe that much time would be saved. It would also be a salutary rule to enforce payment of talbana for service of notice on defendants or respondents at the time when the plaint or memorandum of appeal is filed. The sums necessary for this purpose are in most cases small and no injustice would be done if the deposit of these sums was required when the suit or appeal is instituted.

Another source of delay arises from the system of serving notice of process. All notices which have to be served personally are served by the court peons. In many cases either through inability to find the person to be served, or by reason of the necessary formalities not having been complied with by the peon, the service cannot be made or is defective. The peon as a rule does not personally know the party to be served. An identifier has to be provided by the party serving and must be ready to attend on the peon when he proceeds to effect service. If he does not turn up at the appointed time the notice is returned unserved and the process has to be gone through again and a fresh fee deposited. Such cases are, in my opinion, far too frequent. Personal service is often very difficult to effect in this country and defendants naturally attempt to avoid it. I find that the views of Judges whom I have consulted as to the remedy for this matter are divergent as to the best means of obtaining an effective and speedy service. Many of them consider that if some form of substituted service in lieu of personal service were generally permitted the remedy would be worse than the disease. There are undoubtedly cases where the venality of the peon, a low salaried official, is taken advantage of to make a false return and no service is effected at all. The defendant remains in ignorance and the suit is decreed *ex parte*. Invariably in such cases the suit is reopened either under Order 9, rule 13 or by a fresh suit to set aside the decree. The present rules for effecting service are contained in Order 5 of the Civil Procedure Code. Rules 10 to 20 of that Order require consideration. Under those rules each defendant must be served, and, where it is practicable, service must be made personally on the defendant or his agent empowered to accept service. By rule 15 where a defendant cannot be found service may be made on any adult member of his family residing with him. This is frequently done where the defendant can be found but does not happen to be on the spot. By rule 17 service may be effected by fixing a copy of the summons on the door of the house of the defendant provided the serving officer cannot find him after using due and reasonable diligence for that purpose. Frequently this mode of service is adopted where no diligence is used at all. Rule 20 provides for substituted service by order of the Court where the defendant is purposely avoiding service but this mode of procedure is seldom resorted to. That which is provided under rule 17 is more frequently adopted in such cases. These somewhat elastic rules based largely upon the English procedure give rise to frequent disputes as to the validity of the service. Where service is denied the serving peon is usually called as a witness. If he has acted under rule 17 he frequently fails when called as a witness to establish that he made any real attempt to effect personal service. The decree is set aside and the case begins all over again. On the other hand I am confident that in many cases where the defendant has been effectively served he purposely fails to appear and, after an *ex parte* decree is passed against him, applies to set it aside under Order 9, rule 13 of the Code hoping to be able to prove some defect or irregularity in the service. Even he has no defence he puts off the evil day for a time and hopes to exhaust his opponent's resources. Applications under this rule are much too frequent, in my opinion, and point to a serious defect in the system of procedure. I think it should be possible to devise some means of substituted service which might be permitted in all cases as an alternative to personal service and I think that this might be done in a manner which would practically insure that the person to be served in fact received notice if living in the village where the service was effected. It might possibly be done through the headman of the village in cases arising in the mufassil and by posting a copy of the notice in a conspicuous place, a book being kept for recording such service. Or again it might be effected by service at the residence of the party and by attaching a copy to the door or other conspicuous part of the house but whatever the process adopted I think it should be uniform and rigid allowing the minimum of opportunity for contesting its validity. I am well aware that there may be objections to this form of procedure but if some uniform method of service were adopted which would give the defendant every opportunity of obtaining notice I think it would soon become effective and avoid much controversy and delay.

Another matter which I cannot help thinking in many cases lengthens and adds to the expenses of the trial is the system prevailing of issuing commissions to examine witnesses when they might without much inconvenience attend the trial. Order 16, rule 19 exempts witnesses residing outside the local limits of the trial Court's jurisdiction and 200 miles or more from the court house from personal attendance at Court even where there is railway communication. I consider that the limit might be extended.

Another matter cognate to the question under consideration arises from the procedure adopted in many cases by Munsiffs and Subordinate Judges in the trial of suits. It has been the practice after the pleadings are closed to fix a future day, say, a couple of months hence, for the attendance of the parties with their witnesses for trial, irrespective altogether of the state of the file of the Court and whether there is any chance of the trial coming on on the day fixed. As a rule when the day arrives there is no chance of hearing the case in question and it is adjourned again for another day some weeks or months later. Frequently the parties and their pleaders relying upon the probability of

the case not being taken have not got their witnesses present and adjournments are again granted. It not infrequently happens that one or other of the parties takes advantage of this system, collects his witnesses knowing that the other side will not be ready and oppose any adjournment. Many cases are disposed of in such circumstances in the absence of the witnesses on one side or the other. In the Court over which I preside we have done our best to avoid this defect in the system by issuing instructions to the subordinate Courts not to fix a day for the hearing of the suit without consulting the list of pending cases and endeavouring to fix a day upon which it will not be necessary to adjourn the case to a later date. Considerable improvement has been effected in this manner but I think that the rules in this respect require reconsideration. I have no statistics, but from my experience I believe I should be well within the mark in stating that at least half the cases which come before the High Court on appeal are determined partly or entirely on question of practice and procedure. Such a state of affairs is regrettable and calls for enquiry.

Obtaining satisfaction of decrees by execution no doubt gives rise to considerable difficulty in this country. In the majority of cases in the mufassil the mode of execution is by attachment and sale of immoveable property and this frequently gives rise to conflicting claims between persons interested, or claiming to be interested, in the property attached. Charges of fraud in publishing or conducting the sale and applications to set aside the sale on that ground under Order 21, rule 90 are extremely frequent. I am afraid many frauds are perpetrated but charges of this nature are also constantly made without justification. Legislation can hardly be expected to cure either the fraud or the habit of making false charges. The benami system in vogue in India assists fraudulent debtors in disposing of their property when litigation is pending in order to avoid execution, but protection is already given against fraudulent alienations in order to defect creditors by section 53 of the Transfer of Property Act of 1882 and, where the property is the subject of the suit, by the rule relating to transfer *pendente lite*. Many applications for execution are infructuous because they are merely instituted to save limitation and give a fresh starting point of 3 years under Article 182 of the Limitation Act. This frequently happens where a decreeholder can find no property of the judgment-debtor against which he can enforce execution, but wishes to keep alive his right. There may therefore be several applications within the 12 years allowed by section 48 of the Civil Procedure Code which are never intended to be proceeded with. The returns showing the percentage of infructuous pplications do not therefore accurately represent the percentage of suits in which execution of decrees has entirely failed. There may be several applications for execution of a decree within the limitation period of 12 years some of which give no result and some of which result in part satisfaction although in the end the decree is entirely satisfied. The difficulty of obtaining satisfaction in execution is, I imagine, largely due to the difficulty of finding property against which to execute. The vast majority of the population appear to have a constitutional disinclination to liquidate their debts until compelled by legal process to do so. Their moveable property is as a rule small and in so far as it consists of money is easily concealed. Accordingly it is the immoveable property which is most frequently the subject of execution. I have some doubt whether legislation in the circumstances can do much to avoid the existing defects and delays. Possibly some delay might be avoided by demanding security for the decretal amount from the judgment-debtor in cases where objection to execution or to the sale of property attached in execution is taken. A rigid rule to this effect might work injustice in cases where the judgment-debtor is unable to provide security but in the case of persons of means it might have a salutary effect.

I consider that a Commission if appointed to deliberate and report upon the causes of delay existing might do some good. I should advise that it should contain at least one member who had an intimate knowledge of village life in India and of the work of disposal of cases in the subordinate Courts.

I am convinced that as a general rule the Munsifs and Subordinate Judges as well as the District Judges in this province work at high pressure and that no time is wasted by them in the disposal of cases. The area of this province excluding the Feudatory States and Political States not directly under British rule is 83,181 square miles, slightly less than that of England, Scotland and Wales combined. The population is almost as great and it has a passion for a litigation. The number of judicial officers is considerably less and a large number of the title suits tried are long and intricate. Economic conditions make it impracticable at present to increase the number of Courts and Judges and delay in the disposal of cases in such circumstances is inevitable. Moreover the social conditions existing in India are entirely different from those in England at the present day. In England cases are prepared for trial by skilled lawyers, witnesses are more easily induced to give evidence, means of communications are easier, clients are more readily accessible and money is plentiful. In India mortgages, conveyances and other legal documents prepared in the mufassil are drafted generally by ignorant scribes. The preparation of cases before trial is totally inadequate. All pardanashin ladies and most other persons of any rank or station are usually exempted from personal attendance and are examined out of Court. The country is split up into a number of small holdings which constitute in most cases the only tangible property of the people and money is scarce. The vast majority of the people are illiterate. Expedition and efficiency are to them matters of small moment. Their land

is in many cases to them their only means of livelihood and they take all means in their power to put off the day when they will be obliged to part with it. They are not altogether scrupulous in the methods employed for this purpose and as long as these conditions exist it would be impossible to expect the same expedition as exists in western countries.

13th August 1923.

THE HON'BLE SIR J. A. BUCKNILL:—The proposal seems a good one. The position is bad and complex. India seems a land full of litigation and lawyers. I don't think a Judge from England would help much.

6th August 1923.

THE HON'BLE MR. R. L. ROSS:—I am against the appointment of a Committee. The present state of things is primarily the result of Indian social conditions the, strength, absolute and relative, of bench and bar and the fact that it is a foreign system of law that is being administered.

The letter from the Government does not indicate the nature of the representations which have led to questions of delay in litigation being raised nor whether these related chiefly to commercial causes or indicated a general complaint. More figures may give a wrong impression; while any increase in the stringency of the law might produce a real grievance. If the suggestions contained in the last part of paragraph 3 of the letter indicate the matters which would engage the Committee I can see no material result as probable.

The practical considerations such as improvement in the service of processes which is probably more important than anything else in this connection; strengthening, if necessary, the judicial staff; restraining cross-examinations within the limits of relevancy and arguments within the bounds of common sense and similar points in the conduct of litigation are all within the competence of the local Governments and High Courts and should, in my opinion, be left to them.

9th August 1923.

THE HON'BLE MR. H. FOSTER:—I am of opinion that the proposal is a good one and that the scope of the enquiry of the proposed Committee should be on the broad lines indicated in the letter of the Government of India. I presume that there is no case now to discuss the causes of delay or the appropriate remedies therefor.

7th August 1923.

THE HON'BLE MR. T. S. MACPHERSON:—In my opinion the serious delays in the disposal of suits, appeals and execution proceedings should be enquired into, if only that Government may know what the causes are, and so place the blame if any precisely in the right place, as is at present often not the case.

The appointment to the committee of a Judge from England might or might not be useful, so divergent are the factors which count in England and in India. But the proposed committee should most certainly contain Judges of the High Courts who have long experience of running the English Department of the Court.

Though the investigations by the committee may lead to changes in the adjective law which will prevent individual cases from being prolonged almost interminably, I do not as at present advised look for much improvement in the average duration of cases. One reason for this is that it is not intended to look for any solution which may involve the expense of increasing the number of judicial officers. As Registrar of the Court I came to the conclusion that a considerable if not a great decrease in the average duration of cases would have been possible if the cadre were larger especially at certain seasons of the year. It is another matter, however, whether this greater expedition would be worth the extra cost. It may be taken as established that more work cannot be extracted from the present staff who are already overworked.

As to executions I have come to the conclusion after consideration of the matter for several years that there is no real cause for alarm at the number shown as disposed of in any one year as infructuous. (It is true that some cases are struck off with undue strictness by overworked and harassed Munsifs but they form a very small proportion). The real criterion would be the proportion of the decrees put in execution which eventually prove infructuous as compared with the total number put in execution. There are no definite materials on which to form an opinion; but my impression is that the proportion is small so that eventually the successful litigant does get his money; and I certainly do not think that except perhaps in rent decrees there is any good reason in this country for decreasing the period of limitation for application for execution.

If an investigation is to be made, the Committee should not sit as a body until a single officer preferably a High Court Judge has for some months been on special duty to secure statistics on many points not dealt with in the ordinary statistics submitted to and by the High Court and otherwise to prepare the way. It will also require some time for the Subordinate Courts to prepare and furnish those statistics.

It should also be remembered that in some parts of the country, for instance, in backward tracts like Chota Nagpur and Sambalpur expedition in the disposal of cases is more essential than in the more settled areas. In the latter more small money suits are now disposed of by the Small Cause procedure which is rapid enough, and for certain months in the year the Munsifs devote their time largely to rent suits which are practically all filed on or about a single date and in many cases are uncontested. This absorption in rent suits no doubt increased the duration of title suits but that is unavoidable unless expense which is not contemplated, is to be incurred.

It must also be remembered that ordinarily the Bar is by no means desirous of expedition either in the preparation or in the hearing of a big suit.

But as several District Judges remark the delays are mainly due to the system itself in relation to the conditions of India and its peoples. At first sight therefore it does not appear feasible (further expenditure being ruled out) to expedite matters appreciably except in minor details without also incurring the result " The more hurry the less speed." Still as investigation *provided always it is a close one conducted by real experts* should in the first place result in removing causes of delay in such minor matters and indicating how, when financial conditions improve, judicial work may be accelerated by increase of staff, and in the second place be beneficial to the State in various other ways.

The 8th August 1923.

THE HON'BLE SIR B. K. MULLICK.—I think it is impossible to deal with this matter exhaustively at the stage, but the following observations may perhaps assist the Government of India in deciding whether a committee such as is proposed should be appointed.

2. The following table gives the figures for the last five years of the duration of trials in the Courts of Subordinate Judges and Munsifs in Bihar and Orissa.

Statement showing the average duration of suits in Bihar and Orissa during the years 1918 to 1922.

Year.	Contested.		Uncontested.		
	Sessions Judge's days.	Munsifs' days	District Judges' days.	Sessions Judges' days.	Munsifs' days.
1918	424	232	215	310	139
1919	444	222	207	295	121
1920	391	214	206	258	124
1921	417	222	254	268	129
1922	385	207	189	263	111

3. It will be seen that although there has been gradual improvement the duration of cases is still high. One obvious remedy is to increase the number of judicial officers very largely at once, but so far as the causes of delay are peculiar to Indian conditions it will be as well to remember that time alone will effect any real improvement. Legislation and the provision of more adequate ministerial staff may do something, but it is idle to expect that the standard of modern England can ever be attained here till material and economic conditions improve. The principal causes which operate to maintain the difference between the two countries may be summarised as follows :—

(*a*) The habits of procrastination inherent in the people.
(*b*) The joint family system and the resultant joint tenancies.
(*c*) The great distances to be travelled by litigrants.
(*d*) Insufficient communications.
(*e*) The incompetence of the bar, the absence of solicitors and of skilled draftsmen.
(*f*) The necessity of examining on commission pardanashin women, important landowners and witnesses residing beyond a certain distance from the Court.
(*g*) The incompetence and frequent dishonesty of the ministerial staff.
(*h*) The fact that this province is a country of peasant proprietors with small holdings who are compelled by necessity to fight for every inch of their land which is their only means of subsistence.

To this cuase is to be added the general observation that the laws of procedure and evidence are foreign to the people and lend themselves to chicanery and subtleties which were never anticipated by their framers and that litigation is sometimes a gamble, sometimes a safety valve, and sometimes an engine for oppressing a weaker opponent. But the present system of judicial procedure was introduced after mature consideration and is too late in the day now to think of anything more in conformity with the habits of the people ; and if the experience of the States under the rule of Indian Chiefs is any guide then things are far worse there in British India. In every such State there is I believe a steady movement towards the introduction of the elaborate procedure of the Indian Courts.

4. But although the field for reform is limited I think that the Committee may be usefully employed in inquiring into the actual work of the various Courts with the object of making suggestions for the quicker disposal of business and I propose to deal shortly with the state of business in each of these Courts.

In this province, the lowest in rank is the Court of the Munsif which is solely a Court of original jurisdiction. Some Munsifs are vested with S. C. C. powers and it may be safely said that they discharge these powers satisfactorily and without much delay. In the ordinary course cases under Rs. 100 in value are decided within three months. Title suits and money suits, if contested, generally take about six months, and some reform in respect of these is indicated. Rent suits where they are tried by Revenue Officers are decided with much greater expedition than in the Civil Courts.

Munsifs who have special jurisdiction, that is to say, for the trial of suits between Rs. 1,000 and Rs. 4,000 are naturally slower, but it does appear to be a fact that they dispose of these cases quicker than a Subordinate Judge.

It is often said that the difficulty of serving processes is the cause of the delay in the trial of contested money and title suits, but in my opinion, this evil is much exaggerated, and the process serving department on the whole works well having regard to the material with which that department is staffed. The salaries of the process servers are small and the temptations great, and it is surprising that the results are not worse than they really are.

5. In these circumstances, the following remedies for expediting trials in the Courts of the Munsifs appear to me to be worthy of consideration :—

(*i*) The transfer of rent suits to the Revenue Courts and of the process department to a Revenue Officer. The Revenue Officer being a touring officer will be in position to supervise the service of processes more efficiently.

(*ii*) The substitution of a summary procedure for the trial of title suits under Rs. 1,000 in value. In a country where the sanctity of oaths and affirmations is by no means so highly rated as in England oral evidence loses much of its force ; and although the number of witnesses called is always excessive and the right of cross-examination is always abused the average Munsif decides a case not so much upon oral as upon the documentary evidence adduced. The substitution of the summary procedure for suits under Rs. 1,000 in value would not be a serious hardship.

(*iii*) Greater attention to the rules for discovery and inspection of documents. These rules are very little understood by mufassal practitioners and contact with men trained to the practice of the original side of High Courts alone can help to spread the necessary knowledge to mufassal Courts.

6. The next class of Courts which require consideration are the Courts of the Subordinate Judges. In these Courts the average contested suit is not disposed of under one year. In my opinion the delay cannot be remedied without a substantial increase in the staff, for the Subordinate Judge in this province is habitually overworked and rarely lives to enjoy his pension for any substantial period of time after retirement. But as in the case of Munsifs the introduction of a summary procedure for the trial of some of the suits would give some relief. The Committee might perhaps consider whether suits up to the value of Rs. 5,000 cannot be summarily tried.

7. But both in the Courts of the Munsifs and the Subordinate Judges there is one general consideration which has always to be kept in mind. A large number of orders appear on the order sheets of the Courts which bewilder and amaze one who is strange to the procedure, and they are apt to leave the impression that the Court is lenient to the point of weakness and that adjournments are to be had for the mere asking. That is really not the case. The fact is that the Courts are overworked and adjournments are given not because it is necessary to the parties to get them but because the Court cannot take up the case and because any excuse is good enough for the order sheet. As soon as it is known that the Court will take up the case all frivolous objections are dropped and an old case is quickly got ready for trial. This is noticed time after time when an additional officer is posted to clear off arrears and there is then very little difficulty in making cases ready for hearing.

I would suggest that the services of a stenographer or clerk who could relieve the Judge of the duty of recording evidence should be entertained in all suits above the value of Rs. 1,000. This will probably add considerably to the cost of judicial administration but there can be no doubt that it will result in avoiding adjournments for want of time and will enable the Court to give greater attention to what the witness is saying.

8. In courts of appeal subordinate to the High Court there is little delay but there will clearly be greater expedition if the introduction of summary procedure in the Courts of the Munsifs and Subordinate Judges is accomplished by a corresponding curtailment of the right of appeal. I would allow no appeal in cases to which that procedure applies without the sanction of the trial Court.

9. As to the High Court the principal reason for waste of time is that owing to the incompetence of the mufassal practitioners the cases are never properly presented till they come to that tribunal. The practice of taking advice on evidence is unknown and a question is never pushed home in cross-examination with the express purpose of leaving it open to Counsel in the High Court to resort to inconclusive and inconsistent theories. The practice of what is called building up a case in the trial Court for winning it not in the trial court but in the appeal court is also widely prevalent, and for this it is difficult to suggest a remedy. The remedy if there be any lies with the trial Court and something might also be possibly done towards costs depend on the length of the trial. While costs and fees in the High Court are certainly not low, I think litigation is disproportionately cheap in mufassal Courts. It is no uncommon thing now-a-days to see a Subordinate or District Judge continuously occupied with one civil suit for more than six months at a stretch.

10. In this High Court there are no original commercial cases but it is possible that in High Courts which have an original side some reform may be needed. Whether the establishment of a City Civil Court is indicated in a place like Calcutta for instance is a matter which the Committee would be well fitted to investigate.

11. As regards business in the High Court one other remedy suggests itself to me, namely, the curtailment of the right of appeal against the decision of a single Judge of the Court in cases under Rs. 1,000. This is a reform which is long over-due and at the present time the state of work in the High Court is such that it is not fair to allow litigants whose suits are of small value to monopolise a disproportionate share of the time of the Court. In a suit under Rs. 1,000 in value three appeals seem to be wholly unnecessary.

12. As an illustration of the average progress of a suit from its institution till its disposal by the High Court I give the instance of a suit for the recovery of Rs. 600 odd for goods bought by a commission agent on behalf of the defendant. The suit was instituted in the Court of the Munsif of Patna on the 13th of September 1918. As the defendant resided in Sylhet his appearance could not be procured till the 12th of February 1919. He took two unnecessary adjournments to file his written statement which he finally filed on the 14th March 1919. Issues were framed on the 28th of March. After no less than ten adjournments the trial began on the 1st of August 1919, and was concluded on the 4th of August 1919, judgment being delivered on the 14th of August. The order sheet of this case of which a copy is appended exhibits a typical instance of the manner in which adjournments are really given because the Court has not time to take up the case. From the Munsif there was an appeal to the District Judge who registered the appeal on the 19th of September 1919 but he could not take it up till the 20th April 1920 on account of other work. He heard arguments that day and delivered judgment on the 28th April 1920. Next a second appeal was preferred in the High Court on the 14th August 1920, but owing to pressure of other work the appeal could not be disposed of till 3rd July 1922. As the case was heard by a Judge sitting alone a Letters Patent Appeal was next preferred on the 28th July 1922 and was disposed of on the 10th of August 1923 by a Division Bench. The litigation therefore for this small sum of money took from 13th of September 1918 till the 10th of August 1923. In my opinion the curtailment of the right of appeal in this class of case is urgently indicated.

13. Execution cases. The delay in this branch of work is at first sight the great blot in our mufassal administration of civil justice, but in a country where the number of money suits is comparatively small and where land is the principal subject for litigation it is really not of much consequence. The large number of infructuous applications indicates that decree-holders do not prosecute their cases vigorously and as has been already observed no amount of legislation will overcome their habits of indolence and procrastination. In every execution case at least four sets of notices have to be served and it is impossible to bring a holding or an estate to sale under four months. Owing also to the illiteracy and the meagre pay of our process serving establishment the process server carries no weight. Every service of process is attacked and almost every sale is impeached on the ground of irregularity. Where there is a local newspaper a publication of sale notices in it often has a very salutary effect, but in the mufassal these are few in number and their circulation is poor.

In my opinion the only effective remedy against the prolongation of execution proceedings is the shortening of the period of limitation. Twelve years is far too long for the life of a decree and I would limit the period of limitation for the execution of decrees for moveable property to six years and for immoveable property to three years.

14. It appears, therefore, to me that upon the information at present available a committee such as that proposed by the Government of India might be of considerable assistance in investigating the causes of delay in the various provinces and in suggesting legislation for the reduction of the duration of trials. Whether materials should first be collected before the Committee is appointed is a question of detail as also is the question whether it would be better to send a Judge from India to England to study the judicial system there rather than bring a Judge out from England to this country. That

experience of a different system will be valuable cannot be denied; and if it is found more convenient to bring out a Judge from England I have no doubt with the assistance of one or more qualified and experienced Judicial Officers and legal practitioners from this country he will be able to make effective suggestions for speeding up the judicial machinery.

12th August 1923.

No. $\frac{961}{760-V}$, dated Nagpur, the 5th September 1923.

From—D. J. N. LEE, ESQ., I.C.S., Under-Secretary to Government, Central Provinces, Judicial Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, Simla.

SUBJECT :—*Appointment of a Committee to consider the question of expediting disposal of suits and appeals in civil cases.*

With reference to Mr. Gwynne's letter No. F.-159-1922, dated the $\frac{25th}{28th}$ June 1923, asking for the views of this Government on the above subject, I am directed to say that the Governor in Council is of opinion that the question of shortening the duration of civil litigation in India is so important and at the same time so complicated that the appointment of the proposed Committee for its consideration is highly desirable. He is entirely in favour of the proposal of the Government of India.

Letter No. J.-727-5433-G. J., dated Shillong, the 23rd October 1923.

From—A. W. BOTHAM, ESQ., C.I.E., I.C.S., Chief Secretary to the Government of Assam, General and Judicial Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

SUBJECT :—*Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.*

I am directed to refer to Mr. Gwynne's letter No F. 159-1922-Judicial, dated the 25th June 1923, and to say that His Excellency the Governor in Council agrees with the unanimous opinion of those whom he has consulted that the appointment of the proposed Committee to enquire into the delay in the disposal of suits and appeals and the unsatisfactory results obtained in the process of the execution of decrees would be valuable.

2. As to the scope of the enquiry, His Excellency the Governor in Council agrees that the enquiry should be concerned both with the delay in disposal of suits and the unsatisfactory results of execution proceedings; and considers that the Committee should deal rather with the possibility of enabling the existing staff to deal more expeditiously with the work than with the question of strengthening the present staff.

No. 873-G., dated Calcutta, the 19th January 1924.

From—J. D. V. HODGE, ESQ., I.C.S., Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Appellate Side,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

SUBJECT :—*Delay in the disposal of suits and appeals.*

I am directed to refer to Mr. Tonkinson's letter No. F.-152-22-Judl., dated the 17th November 1923, and, in reply, to communicate, for the information of the Government of India, the following observations of the Court on the above subject.

2. The Government of India's Circular letter of the 25th June 1923, addressed to Local Governments, reached the Court in the latter part of November. This letter, after referring to statistics illustrating Judicial delays and after making some observations of a more or less general character, concludes with a suggestion that a Committee should be appointed to consider the whole subject and asks for the opinion of the Court "in regard to the advisability of appointing such a Committee and the scope of its inquiry if appointed" The limitation is added that the Government do not contemplate any increase of the Judicial establishments or any additional expenditure. They look primarily to modifications of law and procedure designed to secure greater expedition in civil litigation.

3. As matters now stand, it is understood that a Committee has in fact been appointed, or is in course of formation, and that only the question of the scope of its inquiry remains. As to this, the limitation imposed by the Government of India will apparently

preclude the Committee from considering whether some increase of initial expenditure might not in the long run result in expedition and also in economy. But if such a limitation be necessary, the Hon'ble Chief Justice and Judges consider that for the rest the instructions to be given to the Committee should be of the widest possible character and that it would be unprofitable to attempt to mark out in advance the particular lines of inquiry which they should pursue. As the Government say in one part of their letter, in view of the peculiar circumstances of India, "if any improvement is to be now effected it can only be as the result of a review of the whole question in its widest aspects." The Hon'ble the Chief Justice and Judges think that to suggest a line of inquiry is provisionally to recommend a remedy and the suggestion itself may arouse opposition or discussion before the materials for a decision have been collected. It seems to Their Lordships desirable that the Committee should start with open minds and make their own proposals after they have investigated the causes of delay in the light of the evidence which they receive.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 2nd February 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 26th January 1924.

No. F.-776—23.—His Majesty the King-Emperor has been pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Arthur Page, K.C., Barrister-at-Law, to be a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, with effect from the 18th January 1924, *vice* Sir Asutosh Mookerjee, KT., C.S.I., resigned.

The 29th January 1924.

No. F.-767-I—23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. L. Buckland, Barrister-at-Law, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted, with effect from the 7th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, furlough up to the 28th August 1924, inclusive, viz., leave on full allowance for two months and four days, and leave on half allowance for the remainder of the period.

No. F.-767-II—23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice E. B. H. Panton, I.C.S., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted, with effect from the 12th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, furlough up to the 28th August 1924, inclusive, viz., leave on full allowance for five months and leave on half allowance for the remainder of the period.

No. F.-767-III—23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice A. H. Cuming, I.C.S., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted, with effect from the 13th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, furlough up to the 28th August 1924, inclusive, viz., leave on full allowance for five months, and leave on half allowance for the remainder of the period.

No. F.-767-IV—23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. L. Buckland, Barrister-at-Law, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, having been granted furlough with effect from the 7th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, up to the 28th August 1924, inclusive, the Governor General in Council is pleased under the provisions of sub-section (*2*) of section 105 of the Government of India Act, to appoint Dr. Thomas Thornhill, Barrister-at-Law, to act as a Judge of the High Court during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Buckland, or until further orders.

No. F. 767-V—23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice E. B. H. Panton, I.C.S., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, having been granted furlough with effect from the 12th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, up to the 28th August 1924, inclusive, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of sub-section (*2*) of section 105 of the Government of India Act, to appoint Mr. H. P. Duval, C.I.E., I.C.S., to act as a Judge of the High Court during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Panton, or until further orders.

No. F.-767-VI—23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice A. H. Cuming, I.C.S., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, having been granted furlough with effect from the 13th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, up to the 28th August 1924, inclusive, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of sub-section (*2*) of section 105 of the Government of India Act, to appoint Mr. J. F. Graham, I.C.S., to act as a Judge of the High Court during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Cuming, or until further orders.

H. TONKINSON,
Joint-Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

RESULT OF THE GOVERNMENT COMMERCIAL COURSE FINAL EXAMINATION, 1923.

(Supplementary.)

THE following candidates who have been unsuccessful at the Final Examination but have passed in the subjects mentioned against their names have deposited Rs. 5 for each subject passed in. Under the rules, special certificates will be issued to them in those subjects :—

(*In alphabetical order.*)

Banerjee, Dhirendranath	Book-keeping (junior).
Bhattacharjee, Bhabodeb	Book-keeping (junior).
,, Tulsicharan	Book-keeping (junior).
Das Gupta, Niharchandra	Book-keeping (junior).
Ganguly, Sukumar	Book-keeping (junior).
Ghose, Harendranath	Book-keeping (junior).
Mittra, Sudhirkumar	Shorthand (80 words). Typewriting (40 words).
Mukherjee, Bijoykrishna	Book-keeping (junior).
,, Durgaprosad	Book keeping (junior) Typewriting (35 words).
,, Kanonkumar	Book-keeping (junior). Shorthand (80 words).
,, Rabindranath	Shorthand (80 words).
Roy, Saurendranath	Book-keeping (junior). Shorthand (80 words). Typewriting (35 words).
Saha, Harekrishna	Book-keeping (junior).
Sircar, Gopendranath	Shorthand (80 words). Book-keeping (junior).

G. K. SEN,
Secretary, Government Commercial Institute Board (offg.).

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd January 1924*

Bengal Veterinary College.

CANDIDATES for admission into the Bengal Veterinary College should be present at the College at Belgachia, Calcutta, with necessary certificates, in original as required in the rules, at 9 A.M. on 22nd April 1924. Rules will be supplied free on application.

A. D. MACGREGOR, I.V.S.
Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Graduate Scholarships for the year 1923 are awarded to the following students on the combined results of the last B.A. and B.Sc. Degree Examinations of the Calcutta University :—

(The scholarships take effect from the 1st June 1923.)

Serial No.	Name of scholar	College from which graduated.	Where tenable.
	Three scholarships of Rs. 30 a month each tenable for two years.		
1	Durga Das Mallik	... Hooghly College	... Presidency College.
2	Narendra Nath Chaudhuri	... Rajshahi College	... Calcutta University.
3	Mahabir Prosad Roy	... Krishnagar College	... Presidency College.
	One scholarship of Rs. 30 a month tenable for two years open to students who have graduated from the Sanskrit College.		
1	Harendra Kumar Chakravarti	... Sanskrit College	... Calcutta University.
	Two scholarships for Muhammadans of Rs. 25 a month each tenable for two years (I. A or I. Sc. from the Presidency College).		
1	Mohammad Abdur Rouf	... Presidency College	... Calcutta University
2	A. K. Bazlul Karim	... Ditto	... Presidency College.
	One Mohsin scholarship of Rs. 25 a month tenable for two years.		
1	Syed Mahboob Ali	... Presidency College	... Calcutta University.
	Six scholarships attached to the Presidency College tenable for two years.		
	One Burdwan scholarship of Rs. 50 a month.		
1	Sudhindra Kumar Sanyal	... Presidency College	... Presidency College.
	One Bird scholarship of Rs. 40 a month.		
2	Dhirendra Krishna De	.. Presidency College	... Presidency College.
	One Hindu College Foundation scholarship of Rs. 40 a month.		
3	Satyendra Nath Roy	... Presidency College	... Presidency College.
	One Gopi Mohan Tagore scholarship of Rs. 30 a month.		
4	Saroj Nath Ghatak	... Presidency College	... Presidency College.
	Two Hindu College Foundation scholarships of Rs. 25 a month each.		
5	Hari Charan Ghosh	... Presidency College	... Presidency College.
6	Birendra Nath Gangopadhyaya	... Ditto	... Ditto.
	One Durga Charan Laha scholarship of Rs. 25 a month tenable for two years attached to the Hooghly College.		
1	Pares Nath Bandyopadhyya	... Hooghly College	... Calcutta University.
	One Hara Kumar Tagore Sanskrit scholarship of Rs. 20 a month tenable for two years.		
1	Dhirendra Nath Bhattacharyya	... Sanskrit College	... Calcutta University
	One Durga Charan Laha Sanskrit Scholarship of Rs. 25 a month tenable for one year.		
1	Kunja Lal Datta	... Murarichand College, Sylhet	Calcutta University
	One scholarship of Rs. 30 a month for boys of the depressed classes tenable for two years at the Calcutta University.		
1	Gaur Chandra Biswas	... Hindu Academy, Daulatpur	University Law College, Calcutta.
	Two scholarships of Rs. 25 a month each tenable for two years for poor deserving Muhammadan students.		
1	Mahammad Obaidul Kader	... Presidency College	... Presidency College.
2	Mohammad Shamsul Huda	.. Ditto	... Calcutta University.

E. F. OATEN,
Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 31st January 1924.*

Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca.

NOTIFICATION.

EXAMINATIONS, 1924.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the ensuing examinations to be conducted by the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca, will be held on Wednesday and Monday, the 5th and the 17th March 1924, respectively, and the following days, in the order given below :—

Date.	Day.	Subject.	Time.
High School Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th ,,	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Alternative English paper	
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
8th ,,	Saturday	Mathematics (Compulsory)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Hygiene	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
		Drawing and Practical Geometry	
10th ,,	Monday	Mathematics (Additional)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mechanics	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th ,,	Tuesday	History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
12th ,,	Wednesday	General Science	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Supplementary Matriculation Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th ,,	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian (Compulsory)	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
8th ,,	Saturday	Mathematics (Compulsory)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian (Additional)	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
10th ,,	Monday	Mathematics (Additional)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mechanics	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th ,,	Tuesday	History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Intermediate Examination in Group "A" (Arts).			
7th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th ,,	Tuesday	English Literature, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English Literature, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th ,,	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th ,,	Thursday	History, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		History, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd ,,	Saturday	Economics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Economics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th ,,	Tuesday	Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
26th ,,	Wednesday	Logic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Logic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Intermediate Examination in Group "B" (Science).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th ,,	Tuesday	Botany, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Botany, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th ,,	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th ,,	Thursday	Physics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Physics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd ,,	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th ,,	Monday	Geography, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Intermediate Examination in Group "C" (Islamic studies).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th ,,	Wednesday	Islamic History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
20th ,,	Thursday	Fiqh and Usul	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Hadis and Tafsir	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd ,,	Saturday	Koran and Kalam	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic Logic	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th ,,	Monday	Arabic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th ,,	Tuesday	Arabic, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Date.	Day.	Subject.	Time.
Intermediate Examination in Group "D" (Dyeing).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	Principles of Dyeing (Theoretical)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	Physics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Physics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Dyeing (Practical)	From 10 A.M.
25th "	Tuesday		
Intermediate Examination in Group "E" (Commerce).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	Commercial Correspondence, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Commercial Correspondence, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	History, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		History, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Economics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Economics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Geography, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th "	Tuesday	Shorthand (1 hour)	From 10 A.M.
		Book-keeping	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Supplementary Intermediate Examination in Arts.			
17th March	Monday	English, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	History, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		History, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Geography, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th "	Tuesday	Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
26th "	Wednesday	Logic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Logic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Supplementary Intermediate Examination in Science.			
17th March	Monday	English, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	Physics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Physics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
High Madrasah Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th "	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Logic	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
8th "	Saturday	Mathematics	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Kalam	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
10th "	Monday	Arabic (Compulsory)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic (Additional)	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th "	Tuesday	Islamic History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Fiqh	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

Date.	Day.	Subject.	Time.
Supplementary Special Islamic Matriculation Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th "	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu (1 hour paper).	10 A.M. to 11 A.M.
		Logic (2 hours paper)	2 P.M. to 4 P.M.
8th "	Saturday	Mathematics	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Kalam (2 hours paper)	2 P.M. to 4 P.M.
10th "	Monday	Arabic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th "	Tuesday	Islamic History (2 hours paper)	10 A.M. to 12 noon.
		Fiqh (2 hours paper)	2 P.M. to 4 P.M.
Supplementary Islamic Intermediate Examination.			
17th March	Monday	English, 3rd paper (2 hours paper)	10 A.M. to 12 noon.
18th "	Tuesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Islamic History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	Fiqh and Usul	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Hadis and Tafsir	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Koran and Kalam	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Arabic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th "	Tuesday	Arabic, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

No examination will be held on Fridays, the 7th and 21st and Sundays, the 9th and 23rd March 1924.

The centres for the High Madrasah and Supplementary Special Islamic Matriculation Examinations are Dacca, Chittagong, Chinsura and Serajganj. All other examinations will be held only at Dacca.

The dates for the Oral Test in English for the Intermediate Examinations will be notified later.

K. AHMED, *Secretary* (*offg.*).

DACCA, *the 12th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN accordance with the orders contained in Bengal Government letter No. 354Edn., dated the 20th February 1922, exhibitions are hereby awarded to the undermentioned boys on the results of the Higher Grade Schools Final Examination held in November 1923. The value of the exhibitions is noted against the names of the boys.

			Rs.
1.	Burtenshaw, L. Henry ...	St. Thomas' Boys' School, Calcutta ...	150
2.	Culpepper, D. Edmund ...	Ditto ...	100

W. F. PAPWORTH, *Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 25th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN accordance with the orders contained in Bengal Government letter No. 354Edn., dated the 20th February 1922, exhibitions are hereby awarded to the undermentioned girls on the results of the Higher Grade Schools Final Examination held in November 1923. The value of the exhibitions is noted against the names of the girls.

			Rs.
1.	Stray, Freda ...	B. N. Railway European School, Khargpur ...	150
2.	Bird, Clara ...	Ditto ...	100

W. F. PAPWORTH, *Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 25th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN continuation of the results of the Higher Grade Schools' Final Examination of European Schools in Bengal, November 1923, published on page 57, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, of the 23rd January 1924, it is hereby announced that Sukumar Banerjea of the St. Gregory's School, Dacca, has passed the examination.

W. F. PAPWORTH, *Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd February 1924.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Award of Endowed Prizes for Muhammadans, 1923.

Serial No.	Name.	School.	Prize.	Value.
				Rs.
1	Sayeedul Hasan Siddique ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Prince Jehan Kader Mirza Bahadur's Ripon Prize ...	20
2	Gholam Sarwar ...	Ditto ...	Nawab Zainul Abedin Khan Bahadur's Ripon Prize ...	20
3	Neyaz Ahmed Khan ...	Ditto ...	Muhammadan Literary Society's Ripon Prize ...	20
	Qasim Ali Arif ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	20
4	Budruddin Ahmed ...	Ditto ...	Sahibzada Muhammad Rahimuddin's Ripon Prize	20
	Majibur Rahman ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	20
5	A. B. Z. Hasan ...	Ditto ...	Maulvi Kasim Ariff's Ripon Prize	20
6	Alimuddin Ahmed ...	Ditto ...	Maulvi Syed Aley Ahmed's Ripon Prize ...	20
7	Syed Sajid Ali ...	Ditto ...	Sahibzada Muhammad Nasiruddin Hyder's Ripon Prize	12
8	Md. Anisuddin ...	Ditto ...	Mirza Abdul Karim Shirazee' Ripon Prize ...	12
9	Dewan Naimul Huq ...	Malda Zilla School ...	Muhammadan Defence Association's Shamsul Alam Memorial Prize ...	10

T. O. D. DUNN, *Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (offg.).*

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd February 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
									Revenue—
1196	Pargana Kadarkundu, mahal Gogram.	794 12 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5	...	7 3 5
							June and September 1923.		Cess—
									32 3 7

K. M SEN, *for* Collector.

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923.

Advertisement of sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up to sale at 1 o'clock on the 5th March 1924, corresponding with the 22nd Falgoon 1330 B. S., Wednesday, at Natore Subdivisional office.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
						Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals		
1	Rajshahi	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Chakdwarki and Iswardi.	5	North-west.	32·843	...	...	Chainage 22,400 to Chainage 26,400.	*North*—By the portion of village Chakdwarki (relinquished land). *East*—By the lands of Samir Mandal, Ajer Mandal, Ratan Sarkar, Dullab Mandal, Hafez Sarkar, Nafar Mandal, Dullab Mandal, Samir Mandal, Dullab Mandal of Chakdwarki and by the lands of Kafi Mallik, Ismail Pramanik, Sagar Pramanik, Sagar Pramanik all of Iswardi and by the railway B class land (khas). *South*—By the district of Pabna. *West*—By the lands of Samir Mandal, Kasir Mandal, Samir Molla, Nafar Mandal, Kasir Mandal, Mukunda Kaiya, Nafar Mandal, Umesh Sarkar, Ram Chandra Sarkar, Mukunda Kaiya, and Ram Chandra Sarkar, all of Chakdwarki, and by the lands of Sairat Gharami Abed Pramanik, Sairat Karikar, Phulan Pramanik, Ram Chandra Pal, and others, all of Iswardi.
2	Do. ...	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Chakdwarki, Sadipur and Angaripara	6	Do. ...	25·318	...	...	Chainage 30,400 to Chainage 31,680.	*North*—By the portion of village Angaripara (relinquished land). *East*—By the land of Manu Mandal, of Angaripara, by the lands of Sriram Mandal, Barat Mandal, Nabin Mandal, Siraj Pramanik, Sriram Mandal, Nabin Mandal, Sriram Mandal, Kedar Nath Chakrabarti, and Rati Kanta Rajak, all of Sadipur, by railway B class land in possession of Ochi Mridha, by the lands of Taser Pramanik, Nazir Molla, and Satish Chandra Pramanik of Sadipur and by the lands of Samir Molla, Tamer Nail, Ram Chandra Sarkar, Samir Molla, of Chakdwarki. *South*—By the portion of village Chakdwarki (relinquished railway land). *West*—By the lands of Naimuddin Mandal, Ajab Sarkar, Kunjalal Shaha Refat Pramanik, Syed Pramanik, Seraj Pramanik, Ratan Sarkar, Kanu Monna, Ratan Sarkar, Kedar Nath Chakrabarti of Sadipur and Krishna Chandra Haldar *hat* at Sadipur. By the lands (B class land) in possession of Mahim Chandra Mandal, by the land of Ochhi Mridha, by railway B class land in possession of Darshi Pramanik at Sadipur, by the lands of Umesh Sarkar, Rameswar Haldar, Umesh Sarkar, Samir Molla at Chakdwarki.
3	Do. ...	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Angaripara.	7	Do. ...	8·275	...	...	Chainage 31,680 to terminus of relinquished land.	*North*—By the railway land. *North-east*—By the existing railway line. *East*—By the land of Imarat Mandal, Adas Pramanik and Gopal Joardar, at Angaripara. *South*—By the portion of Angaripara (relinquished railway land.) *West*—By the lands of Nafar Sarkar, Jud Sardar, Gopal Joardar, Jabir Mandal Gopal Joardar and Ajob Sarkar at Angaripara.

Rajshahi Collectorate, the 9th January 1924.

F. B. BRADLEY-BIRT, Collector

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua ...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situated in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, Krishnagar, on 18th day of February 1924, corresponding with 6th Phalgun of 1330 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force : and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
3533	Kalupole thana land, pargana Mahammad Shahi	85	3 0 0	In thana Chuadanga.

Nadia, the 21st December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

(See rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situated in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the Midnapore Collectorate on 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 B.S. The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchasers of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement procedures and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Acres.	Rs. A.	
3149	Khedgree post office compound and buildings, pargana Kasba Hijli.	8·99	21 7	The area occupied by the post office compound and buildings according to the settlement record (plots 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945 and 2309) is 9·09 acres. Out of this an area of 65 × 65 containing the flagstaff ramp and G. T. S. bench mark will be retained by Public Works Department. The remaining area of 8·99 acres will be sold subject to the condition of having the right of way over the land to the flagstaff ramp and G. T. S. bench mark.

G. H. W. DAVIES, Collector.

Collector's Office, Midnapore, the 19th January 1924.

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 25th January 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	14,74,50,000	0	0
Other Deposits	71,20,91,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	8,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	62,65,000	0	0
	1,04,65,56,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,46,92,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,29,82,000	0	0
Loans	18,67,04,000	0	0
Cash credits	39,44,81,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	14,48,19,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	31,61,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,47,49,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries	33,42,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	1,01,28,000	0	0
	88,50,08,000	0	0
Cash	16 15,48,000	0	0
	1,04,65,56,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London	£1,026,100
Advances in London	£ 471 500
Cash and balances at other Banks in London	£ 675,600

Percentage 17·08.
Bank Rate 8 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M. MURRAY (offg.)
Managing Governors.

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The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order *ex* the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 118 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and if not cleared on or before the 16th March 1924 on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "Mulbera."		
28th Dec. 1923 ...	O H M S Gillanders Arbuthnot & Co ...	1	Case copper sheets.
28th „ „ ...	K P	1	Package tobacco
28th „ „ ...	N Bros	29	Cases biscuits and cakes.
31st „ „ ...	S M T in a triangle	1	Roll wire netting.
31st „ „ ...	P Chatterjee & Co	1	Case pottery.
2nd Jan. 1924 ...	Paul Bros	2	Cases toilet soap.
5th „ „ ...	R T N	1	Case shoes.
31st Dec. 1923 ...	S L B J J L & Co Katamundu	12	Cases merchandise.
28th „ „ ...	Suffry Sibsagar	3	Packages merchandise
31st „ „ ...	110 in a diamond, T D on top, & Co below.	3	Casks merchandise.
29th „ „ ...	$\frac{A}{I}$ Staty Dept.	1	Case merchandise
28th „ „ ...	B W M in a diamond	2	Bales cotton goods.
29th „ „ ...	$\frac{A}{I}$ Medical Dept	2	Drums merchandise.
	SHED No. 9.		
	SS. "Bovenkirk."		
3rd Jan. 1924 ...	685 in a heart, B B on top ...	3	Pieces joists.
2nd „ „ ...	150 in a diamond, K C on top ...	1	Case merchandise
3rd „ „ ..	M J	3	Cases motor cycles.
3rd „ „ ...	P & C	1	Case merchandise
3rd „ „	S B & C	2	Cases merchandise.
4th „ „ ...	$\frac{V L}{Co}$ in a block	1	Case copper tubes.
4th „ „ ...	W M C in a diamond, M H on top ...	2	Cases merchandise.
3rd „ „ ...	B N M in a diamond, L S on top, 9975...	18	Bales paper.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "Diplomat."		
8th Oct. 1923 ...	Behar in a diamond	10	Casks empty (H. G.).
	SHED No. 4.		
	SS. "City of Dunkirk."		
7th Jan. 1924 ...	$\frac{939}{987}$ in a block, Belgica on top, × ...	1	Case cotton.
11th „ „ ...	D C A in a diamond, 263	1	Case merchandise.
9th „ „ ...	5342 in a diamond, 261-62	2	Cases merchandise.
29th Dec. 1923 ...	G C D, 1-14	14	Bags merchandise.
11th Jan 1924 ..	G in a diamond, L L below, × ...	1	Case personal effects.
28th Dec. 1923 ...	S K & Co in a diamond, 1-5 ...	5	Cases oilman stores.
3rd Jan. 1924 ...	$\frac{S\ S\ F}{M\ W}$, 37	1	Case machinery
28th Dec. 1923 ...	Kirpal Singh in a diamond, P on top, H S on sides, 31-32.	2	Weighing machinery.
	SHED No. 5.		
	SS. "Dramatist."		
14th Jan 1924 ...	$\frac{M\ G\ S}{H}$ in a diamond ...	1	Case merchandise.
8th „ „ ...	0087 in a diamond, A T on top, C L below, 4101-3, 4067 70.	7	Bales cotton piece-goods.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Drachenfels."		
29th Dec. 1923 ...	$\frac{101}{C\ P\ H}$ in a triangle, 250 ...	1	Case merchandise.
31st „ „ ...	J D S N	7	Pieces joists.
31st „ „ ...	Martin	3	Pieces plates.
	SS. "Caboto."		
15th Jan. 1924 ...	C in a diamond, 34 36 on top, 1-2, × ...	3	Casks portland cement.
14th „ „ ...	$\frac{L\ \&\ C}{286}$, 1-2	2	Cases.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description
	SHED No. 6—*concld.*		
	SS. "Caboto"—*concld.*		
14th Jan. 1924 ...	S H & Co., 259	1	Case glass coral beads.
	SS. "Chanda."		
12th Jan. 1924 ...	G in a diamond	390	Bags black pepper.
12th „ „ ...	1927 in a diamond	1	Case gold thread and silk.
10th „ „ ...	2-5 in a triangle, K on top, W C on sides	6	Bales piece-goods.
9th „ „ ...	L 6817	1	Case merchandise.
10th „ „ ...	Miss Ahandy	4	Cases merchandise.
	SHED No. 2.		
	SS. "Marloka Maru."		
5th Jan. 1924 ...	243 in a diamond, A M on top, M Rangoon below, 408.	1	Case merchandise.
4th „ „ ...	M L in a diamond, A 0002 below, 1-2 ...	2	Cases bracket lamp-holders.
	SS. "City of Sparta."		
8th Jan. 1924 ...	1951 in a diamond, B M T on top, A Ltd M below.	1	Case machinery.
8th „ „ ...	J G D Cruickshank Esq, Marghta Hope Tea Co., D and H Railway, Bengal.	1	Case oatmeal.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 6th February 1924.

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager.
(231—1)

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be sold pursuant to an order made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction and dated the 24th day of March 1923, in execution of the decrees in suit No. 586 of 1921, Original Side, and Appeal No 41 of 1921 of the said Court and dated the 18th day of April 1921 and the 21st day of December 1921, respectively (wherein Gopi Mohun Saha was the plaintiff and appellant and Sreemutty Sasi Bhusan Dassee and others were the defendants and respondents), by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room on the ground floor of the Court-house by public auction, on Friday, the 7th day of March 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned properties :—

Lot No. I.—All that partly two-storied and partly one-storied brick-built house and premises No. 43, Telipara Lane, in Sutanuti, in the town of Calcutta, together with the land containing 2 cottahs and 10 square feet, a little more or less, whereon the same is erected and built and bounded on the north by Telipara Lane, on the south by the premises Nos 42 and 44, Telipara Lane, on the east by Telipara Lane and on the west by the premises No. 42, Telipara Lane.

Lot No. II.—All that partly two-storied and partly one-storied brick-built house and premises No. 44, Telipara Lane, in Sutanuti, in the town of Calcutta, together with the land containing 13 chittaks and 20 square feet, a little more or less, whereon the same is erected and built, and bounded on the north by the premises No. 43, Telipara Lane, on the south by the premises No. 65, Shampukur Street, on the east by Telipara Lane, and on the west by the premises No 43, Telipara Lane.

It appears from a search made in the office of the Registrar of Assurances of Calcutta from 1865 up to 8th June 1923, that an undivided one-fourth share of the said premises No. 43, Telipara Lane, was on the 23rd September 1922 mortgaged by Atul Chandra Dey (one of the judgment debtors) to one Chandi Charan Das Rs. 1,500, repayable on the 23rd September 1923, with interest at 8 per cent. per annum with quarterly rests.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 1,920-5-9 together with interest thereon at 6 per cent. per annum from the 17th day of August 1922, until realization, besides the costs of the execution proceedings herein and the Sheriff's fees, poundages and charges.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on any day before the sale and will be produced at the time of sale.

W. L. CAREY, Sheriff.

Jogendra Krishna Dutt, Plaintiff's Attorney, High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, 22nd day of January 1924. (179—1)

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction bearing date the 24th day of July 1923 made in suit No. 3533 of 1921, wherein Trevor John Phelps is the plaintiff and Kumar Sourendra Krishna Deb is the defendant, by the Sheriff of Calcutta, in his sale-room in the Court-house by public auction on Friday, the 7th day of March 1924, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, all the right, title and interest of the defendant abovenamed in the undermentioned properties :—

Lot A.—Divided portion of premises No. 40, Bentinck Street, measuring by estimation 4 cottahs, 14 Shittaks and 14 square feet in the South Division of the town of Calcutta in block No. 20, holding No. 102, bounded on the north by premises No. 39, Bentinck Street, on the west by the land allotted to Sreemutty Mohalakshi Dasi, on the south by portion allotted to Jitendra Krishna Deb and on the east by Bentinck Street

Lot B.—Undivided one-third share of the premises No. 40, Bentinck Street, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta, block No. 20, holding No. 102, measuring 2 bighas 4 cottahs and 15 square feet, bounded on the north partly by premises No. 17, 13 and 14, Crooked Lane, and 39 Bentinck Street, on the east by portion of the said premises No. 40, Bentinck Street, on the south by a common passage and on the west by premises Nos. 7, 8, 9 and 10, Crooked Lane. Total revenue payable in respect of holding No. 102 is Rs. 17 6.

Lot C.—One third share of land and premises No 5, Raja Kali Kissen Lane, in Sootanooty, in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, measuring 15 cottahs, bounded on the north by premises No. 28, Raja Naba Kissen Street, on the east partly by Raja Naba Kissen Lane and partly by the land belonging to Joy Kumar De, on the south by the land belonging to Joy Kumar De, and on the west by premises No. 14, Raja Naba Kissen Street.

Lot D.—Undivided one-third share of premises No. 22, Raja Naba Kissen Street, in Sootanooty, in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, measuring, 7 cottahs, more or less, bounded on the north by Raja Naba Kissen Street, on the east by premises No. 30, Raja Naba Kissen Street, on the south by premises No. 24, Raja Naba Kissen Street, and on the west by premises No. 20, Raja Naba Kissen Street.

Lot E.—Premises No. 28, Raja Naba Kissen Street, measuring about 2 cottahs and 13 chittaks of land more or less, bounded on the north by premises No. 26, Raja Naba Kissen Street, on the east by premises No. 30, Raja Naba Kissen Street, on the south by premises No. 5, Raja Kali Kissen Lane, and on the west by premises No 14, Raja Naba Kissen Street.

It appears from a search made in the Calcutta Registry Office from the year 1865 to 1923 that the above lots are subject to the following encumbrances, viz. :—

(1) Mortgage dated 20th April 1916, for Rs 5,000,
(2) Further charge, dated 31st March 1917, for Rs. 6,000,
(3) Further charge, dated 1st October 1917, for Rs. 4,500,
(4) Further charge, dated 14th November 1917, for Rs. 4,500,
(5) Further charge, dated 22nd December 1917, for Rs 8,500,
(6) Further charge, dated 10th April 1918, for Rs. 6,000,
all executed by the defendant abovenamed in favour of Sourendra Mohan Mondal,
(7) Mortgage, dated 19th October 1917, for Rs. 6,000 executed by the defendant abovenamed in favour of Amar Chandra Bose,
(8) Mortgage, dated 29th August 1917, for Rs. 6,500, and
(9) Further charge, dated 9th April 1919, for Rs. 4,000, executed by the defendant in favour of Biseswar Ghosh,
(10) Mortgage, dated 11th May 1918, for Rs. 6,000,
(11) Further charge, dated 7th August 1918, for Rs. 18,000,
(12) Further charge, dated 1st October 1918, for Rs 13,000.
(13) Further charge, dated 27th September 1919, for Rs. 20,000,
all executed by the defendant in favour of Radha Raman Pal, and
(14) Mortgage, dated 12th April 1920, for Rs. 7,500 executed by the defendant in favour of Lalit Mohan Dutt.

The amount for the recovery of which the sale is ordered is Rs. 8,823-10 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from 23rd January 1922 and Rs. 243-9-9 being the costs of this suit up to the said decree and the costs of execution.

The conditions of sale can be seen at the office of the said Sheriff at any time before the sale and will be read at the time of the sale.

W. L. CAREY, Sheriff.

Syama Charan Basak, Plaintiff's Attorney, 9, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, the 22nd January 1924.

(180—1)

Sheriff's Proclamation of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room on Friday, the 14th day of March 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to an order made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in Execution Case No. 68 of 1922 (wherein C. V. C. T K. R. Chetty is the decree holder and Esoff Mahammed Parekh and others are the judgment-debtors) and dated the 1st day of February 1923, the right, title and interest of Mahommed Ismail Mohammed, one of the judgment-debtors aforesaid, in the following property :—

All that the partly three and partly two storied tenanted or dwelling house, together with the land thereunto belonging, whereon or on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation 10 cottahs 2 chittaks 10 square feet, be the same a little more or less, situate and lying at and being premises No. 19, Amratolla Street, being holding No. 86 in Block No. XI in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, an annual Government revenue of Rs. 1-14-5 being payable to the Calcutta Collectorate in respect of the said holding and butted and bounded in the manner following, namely :—

On the north by the house now or lately belonging to Heeralal Mullick, on the east by Amratolla Street, on the south by the house and land belonging to the Armenian Church and on the west by the house of Kasturamull.

So far as the decree-holders have been able to ascertain the said judgment-debtor Mahommed Ismail Mohammed is entitled to an undivided 4/4th share of the said premises No. 19, Amratolla Street. By a search in the records of the Registrar of Assurances at Calcutta from 1865 to March 1923 it appears that the said premises No. 19, Amratolla Street, are subject to the following encumbrances in respect whereof no release has been found to have been executed :—

(1) Deed of equitable mortgage executed by Howa Bibi and others in favour of Ramprotap Chamaria and another, dated 9th March 1917, for Rs. 1,00,000 bearing interest at 8 per cent per annum, payable monthly with quarterly rests, and registered in Book 1, Vol. 41, pages 168-177, being No. 990 for 1917.

(2) Transfer of the above equitable mortgage executed by the above mortgagees in favour of Hossain Ebrahim Saleji and dated 20th January 1920 for Rs. 1,26,221-5 and registered in Book 1, Vol. 36, pages 44-55, being No. 357 for 1920.

The amount for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 15,707-2 together with the cost of execution less Rs. 3,272-5-1 paid on the 12th June 1922.

The conditions of sale can be seen at the office of the Sheriff on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. L. CAREY, Sheriff.

Suresh C. Mookerjee & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Sheriff's Office, the 29th January 1924. (181—1)

SUIT No. 1205 OF 1918.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Ramprosad Chimonlal,

versus

Gouridutt Baijnath.

TO be peremptorily sold by the undersigned at his office in the High Court of Calcutta on the 1st day of March 1924 at the hour of 12 o'clock in the forenoon pursuant to an order made in the above suit dated the 25th day of January 1923 :—

1. One two-storied building with land, measuring about 22 cottahs more or less, situate and lying at Durgapur, registry Raniganj, thana Faridpur, district Burdwan, and bounded by public roads on all four sides.

2. A three-storied building with land, measuring about 30 cottahs situate and lying at Khusuli and Raniganj, registry Raniganj, thana Raniganj, district Burdwan, bounded on the north by a broken house of the defendant firm, east by a public road, south by a house of Chottoo Lal Marwari and on the west by a municipal tank.

For conditions of sale apply to Babu Charu Chandra Bosu, Attorney for the plaintiff firm at No. 9, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta.

K. S. BONNERJEE, Official Receiver.

Calcutta, the 28th January 1924. (185—1—183)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 25 OF 1924.

Re Amar Chandra Ghosh, residing at No. 8, Ultadanga Junction Road, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as a dealer in timber at No. 65, Darmahatta New Road, in Calcutta aforesaid under the name, style and firm of A. Ghosh & Co., at present of no occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

B. N. Basu & Co., debtor's Solicitors.

ON the 24th day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me

Dated this 28th day of January 1924.

G. M. FAIKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 14 OF 1924.

Re Tejpal Jhoon-Jhoonwalla, residing and carrying on business as a dealer in shares at No. 94-7, Lower Chitpur Road, in the town of Calcutta.

Ex parte the creditors.

ON the 21st day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 28th day of January 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 26 OF 1924.

Re Jotindra Mohan Dutt, otherwise wrongly called Jogendra Nath Dutt, residing at No. 13, Gulu Ostagar's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as an under-broker in shares in Royal Exchange Place in Calcutta aforesaid but at present without any employment, *ex parte* the debtor.

H. P. Dutt, debtor's Solicitor.

ON the 25th day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Dated this 28th day of January 1924.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 29 OF 1924.

Re Akbar Ally residing at No 10, Sukea Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and formerly carrying on business at No. 34G, Strand Road in Calcutta aforesaid as a dealer in hardware under the name and style of D. S Muradwallah and Company, at present without occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

N. L. Mullick, debtor's Solicitor.

ON the 28th day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 29th day of January 1924.

G M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 7 OF 1924.

Re (1) Surendra Nath Naik, (2) Basanta Kumar Naik, and (3) Nagendra Nath Naik, lately carrying on business in co-partnership as grain and pulse dealers and order suppliers at No. 206-2, Darmahatta Street in the town of Calcutta and at several other places under various names and styles including Mohendra Nath Sahui, Nirmal Chandra Naik, the first and third of whom are lately and at present residing at No 8-1, Pathuriaghata Bye-lane in the town of Calcutta and the second of whom had lately been residing at the said premises No. 8-1, Pathuriaghata Bye-lane, Calcutta, and is at present residing at No 125, Cornwallis Street in Calcutta aforesaid.

Ex-parte the creditor.

ON the 21st day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as insolvents.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 30th day of January 1924.

G. M FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 27 OF 1924.

Re Messrs. K. D. Brothers, a firm carrying on business in cinema films and as exhibitors of cinema shows at No. 150, Lower Chitpur Road, in the town of Calcutta, and at the Govardhone Building Charni Road, in the town of Bombay, and at Sule Pagoda Road in the town of Rangoon.

Ex parte the creditor.

ON the 28th day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed firm as insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 30th day of January 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

(225—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1 OF 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that one Hrishikesh Gangopadhya, son of late Sarada Kanta Gangopadhya, of Kalashkati, police-station Bakarganj, has applied to this Court to be adjudicated an insolvent and that the 13th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing the case and for examination of the petitioner.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Barisal, the 25th January 1924. (195—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1922.

Surjja Narain Mandal of Sainthia, chowki Suri, district Birbhum, applicant.

TAKE notice that the above-named insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 29th day of February 1924, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 30th day of January 1924.

K. C. NAG, District Judge.

(216—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 52 OF 1923.

[*Notice under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition, filed by the judgment-debtor Jyotish Chandra Rajak, son of late Sarbeswar Rajak, of Narugram, thana Rayna, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that 16th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

A. M AHMAD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 25th January 1924. (217—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 10 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Girish Chandra Nag, son of Nanda Kishore Nag, of Khutoongonge, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 15th January 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 22nd day of February 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

D. MUKHARJI, Sub-Judge, 2nd Court,
for District Judge.

Chittagong, the 29th January 1924. (218—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Iswar Chandra Das, son of Nityananda Das, of Papadia, police-station Boalkhali, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 16th January 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 22nd day of February 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

D. Mukharji, Sub-Judge, 2nd Court,
for District Judge.

Chittagong, the 29th January 1924. (219—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1924.

DWARIKA KANU, son of Sukan Kanu, deceased, resident of Nitpur, police-station Porsha, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent. The 21st day of February 1924 is fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

B. SEN, *for* District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 28th January 1924. (191—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1924.

DHANMAHAMMAD MANDAL, son of Fakir Sai Mandal, deceased, resident of Rupgram, police-station Patnitala, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent The 23rd day of February 1924 is fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

B. SEN, *for* District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 28th January 1924. (192—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 49 AND 50 OF 1923.

(1) PACH SARKAR, (2) Kalua Burman, sons, of Lakhia Burman, deceased, residents, of Laskarpur, police-station Birganj, district Dinajpur, adjudicated insolvents. They must apply for discharge within six months.

B. SEN, Additional District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 24th January 1924. (194—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Abinash Chandra Samui, son of late Brojonath Samui, of Changail, thana Uluberia, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 106 of 1923, and that the 18th February 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G B. MUMFORD, Additional District Judge.

Howrah, the 22nd January 1924. (220—1—181)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1 OF 1924.

THAMAKSING DAS, son of Takaram Das, deceased, resident of Amborifalakata, police-station Rajgunj, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent. The 15th day of February 1924 is fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

B. SEN, *for* District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 28th January 1924. (193—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1924.

BHATMAL BRAHMAN, son of Arjundas Brahman deceased, resident of Gairkata, police station Dhupguri, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent. The 15th day of February 1924 is fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

BANAMALI SEN, *for* District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 28th January 1924.

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1924.

HRIDYA NATH DAS, son of Balu Das, deceased, resident of Amborifalakata police-station Rajgunj, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent. The 15th day of February 1924 is fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

B. SEN, *for* District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 28th January 1924. (190—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 29 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 26th October 1922, filed by Bilatali Joarder son of late Haru Joarder, of Amberia, police-station Kumarkhali, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. He is directed to apply for discharge in one year.

Dated this 26th day of February 1923.

B. G. CHATTARJI, District Judge.
(198—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 31 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 26th October 1922, filed by Rahim Joarder, son of late Haru Joarder, of Amberia police-station Kumarkhali, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. He is directed to apply for discharge in one year.

Dated this 26th day of February 1923.

B. G. CHATTARJI, District Judge.
(199—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS 1 TO 3 OF 1924.

Petitioners Rati Kanta Pandit, Tarini Mohan Pandit and Rameswar Pandit, sons of late Taran Chandra Pandit, of Juniadaha, police-station Bheramara, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioners have filed insolvency petitions and that 1st March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTARJI, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 29th January 1924. (200—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherji, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Manaruddin Shaikh, son of late Bhengura Shaikh, of Pathardubir Chhit Maidam, police-station Bhurungamari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th day of February 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. K. MUKHERJI, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 26th January 1924 (196—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1924

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherji, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Rup Chand Barman, son of late Udoi Barman, of Fahyar Bhita, police-station Gaibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th day of February 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. K. MUKHERJI, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 26th January 1924. (197—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Additional District Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 14 OF 1922.

Suroj Kumar Dutta, of Moyerpore Road, Chetla, police-station Alipore district 24-Parganas, applicant.

TAKE notice that the above-named insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 21st day of February 1924, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 23rd day of January 1924.

D. C. PATTERSON, 1st Additional District Judge.

(155—1—182)

NOTICE

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 40 OF 1923

Bejoy Kartic Madak, son of Hari Pada Madak, of Nekaripara, thana Maniktala, applicant.

To Moni Mohan Bose and sons, and others, creditors.

ON the 22nd day of December 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. J. CHOTZNER, District Judge.

Alipore, the 4th January 1924. (57—1—184)

PRABHAS CHANDRA MALLIK, B L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (49—4—74)

WANTED a Supervisor on Rs. 160 a month under the District Board of Jalpaiguri temporarily at present for three months with prospect of being made permanent. None but a B. E. need apply. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 15th February 1924.

K. BANERJI, Chairman, District Board.

Jalpaiguri, the 31st January 1924. (230—2)

Wanted

A SECOND CLERK who has passed the Public Works Department Accountantship Examination on Rs. 75—5—100 for the District Board Office, Purnea. Preference will be given to one who has got office experience and is domiciled in the province of Behar and Orissa. Applications will be received by the Chairman, Purnea District Board, by the 25th February 1924. (234—3)

Bengal Public Health Department.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS in duplicate in sealed covers are invited for the weekly supply of cattle food including straw and chaff during the ten months from the 1st March to 31st December 1924. They will be received by the Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Health, Bengal at his office in Writers' Buildings up to the 16th February 1924. Prior to delivering their tenders intending contractors must deposit with the Superintendent of the Bengal Vaccine Depôt at Intally two sealed samples of the articles proposed to be supplied under the contract.

2. Forms and conditions of tender are obtainable free on application to the undersigned. Tenderers must abide by the prescribed conditions.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, M.D., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H.,
Director of Public Health, Bengal.

Imperial Bank of India.

NOTICE.

THE Members of the Local Board have made the following change in the Bank's Establishment :—

Mr. F. A. H. Wright to officiate as Chief Cashier, Head Office, as from the 2nd February 1924, *vice* Mr. W. A. R. Miller, granted leave.

By order,

D. S. MCCLURE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 31st January 1924. (235—1)

Road cess notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B C.) of 1885, the District Board of Noakhali have, at their special meeting of the 4th January 1924, determined to levy the Road Cess in the district during the year 1924-25 at the maximum rate, *i.e.*, 6 pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands.

ABDUL GOFRAN, Chairman.

Noakhali, District Board's Office, the 25th January 1924. (178—2)

Road cess notification.

THE District Board of Midnapore at their special meeting held on 26th January 1924 resolved to levy road cess in the Midnapore district during the year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of all lands, etc.

B. N. SASMAL, M.L.C., Chairman.

Midnapore, the 28th January 1924. (204—1)

Road Cess notification.

THE District Board of Tippera at their special meeting held on the 14th January 1924 resolved to levy road cess at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc., in the district of Tippera during the financial year 1924 25.

ABDUL KARIM, Chairman.

Comilla, the 26th January 1924. (221—2)

Road Cess notification.

THE District Board of Faridpur, at their special meeting held to day, the 26th January 1924, resolved to levy road cess in the district at the maximum rate of 6 pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc.

ALIMUZZAMAN CHOWDHURY, Chairman.

Faridpur, the 26th January 1924. (222—1)

Road cess notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Nadia have at their special meeting held on the 26th January 1924, determined to levy the road cess in the district of Nadia during the ensuing year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc., as prescribed by law.

J. N. SARKAR, *for* Chairman,
District Board, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 31st January 1924. (220—1)

Notice.

THE Suri Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition will be held in the Suri Barobagan from the 15th February 1924 to 21st February next (both days inclusive). It is hoped to make this year's exhibition a record one.

Firms, shop-keepers, manufacturers and traders of all descriptions from all parts of the country are requested to send in suitable exhibits in large numbers in due time. Arrangements will be made to guard the stalls and accommodation will be provided for the exhibitors. Stalls and lodging will not be charged for. All exhibits should reach the Secretary before the 14th February next.

K. C. Mitra, Hony. Secretary.

J. R. BLACKWOOD, Collector and President.

Suri, the 16th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924.

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

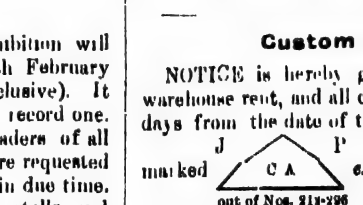
NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that records of cases disposed of in the year 1921, in the Courts of the Presidency Magistrates, Calcutta, will be destroyed under the Circular Orders of the High Court. The undersigned will not be responsible for any exhibit filed in connection with cases disposed of in the Courts of the Presidency Magistrates, Calcutta, in the year 1921, if not taken back by the parties who filed them, within a month from this date.

T. ROXBURGH, Chief Presidency Magistrate.

Calcutta, the 22nd January 1924.

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within 10 days from the date of this notice on 48 cases of brandy marked 

ex SS. "Author", from Charentee *vid* Liverpool, bonded by Messrs. Framjee & Co. in their private bonded godown at No. 11, Bentinck Street, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act

S. N. GUPTA, *for* Collector of Customs (offg.).

Custom House, the 22nd January 1924. (163—2)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION No. 48.

IN supersession of notification No. 39, dated the 2nd May 1922, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 24th May 1922, Part II, page 670, it is hereby notified for general information under the provisions of section 107 of the Calcutta Port Act and with the sanction of Government that with effect from the 1st February 1924, the following charges will have effect :—

On all sugar delivery of which is not taken within five clear working days from the date of landing rent will be charged from the fourth day after the vessel began to discharge at the rate of Re. 1 per ton per month or part of a month for the first month ; at the rate of Re. 1-8 per ton per month or part of a month for the second month and thereafter at the rate of Rs 2 per ton per month or part of a month. Parts of a ton will be reckoned as a ton.

By order of the Commissioners,

C. W. T. HOOK, Secretary (offg.).

The 29th January 1924. (232—1)

Income Tax Department.

APPLICATIONS are invited for filling six posts in the Income Tax Department.

Applicants must be graduates of less than 25 years of age on the 1st March 1924, of sound physique, good health, active habits and good character, and must not be already in Government service.

The selected candidates will draw an initial pay of Rs. 300 per mensem and will be required to serve a period of probation which will ordinarily extend to two years before they are confirmed. During this period they will be required to pass the departmental examinations in Commercial Book-keeping and Accountancy, Income-tax Law and Practice, two Vernaculars and such other subjects as may be prescribed. An officer failing to pass these examinations by the end of his second year of probation will not be confirmed.

Applications accompanied by copies of (1) the evidence relied on as proof of age, (2) University certificates, (3) testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than noon on Saturday, 23rd February 1924. Applications received later will not be entertained.

From the applicants a number of candidates will be selected for personal interview with the Commissioner, and they will be required to produce at the time of the interview their original University certificates together with evidence of age and the usual medical certificate (Government of Bengal notification No. 19423F., dated 23rd December 1921, at page 1 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of that date) The interviews will be granted between the 10th and 15th March on dates of which the selected candidates will be informed by letter, and failure to produce the required certificates at the interview will entail the rejection of the candidate.

The candidate finally selected to be probationers in the department will be required to join their appointments not later than the forenoon of 1st April 1924.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, Commissioner of Income-tax, Bengal.

6, Esplanade East, Calcutta, the 4th February 1924.

Lost.

THE upper half of the Government Promissory Note No. 305701 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 10,000, originally standing in the name of Syed Mobarak Ali, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the proprietor—Syed Mobarak Ali.

Residence—Guzri, Patna City.

(16—3—119)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 21630, dated 31st October 1917, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
274435	3½ per cent. of 1865.	500	Sm. Brojo Coomari Dassee.

Name of the proprietress—Sm. Brojo Coomari Dassee.

Residence—No. 69-1, Beadon Street, Calcutta.

(201—1—187)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 32208, dated 26th November 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
010352 & 53	4 per cent. 1916-17.	100 each.	Basanta Kumar Gupta.

Name of the Proprietor—Basanta Kumar Gupta.

Residence—8, Narendra Sen Square, P. O., Amherst Street, Calcutta. (229—1—185)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 17985, dated 19th July 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Govern- Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's Name.
		Rs.	
082569	3 per cent. 1896-97	500	Tara Prosad Ghose.
182230	3½ „ 1900-1	500	
178162	3½ „ 1842-43	100	

Name of the proprietor—Tara Prosad Ghose.

Residence—117, Bagmari Road, Calcutta.

(135—1—137)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1923, and

In the matter of K. M. Banerjee Bros., Ltd. (In liquidation).

PLEASE take notice that on Saturday, the 15th day of March 1924, at 2-30 P.M., a meeting of the creditors, shareholders and contributories of the above Company will be held at the office of the undersigned at No. 8, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, to consider as to what steps, if any, should be taken for the realisation of the money due from the different contributories and to finally dissolve the above Company.

Dated the 30th day of January 1924.

S. N. GHOSAL, Attorney-at-Law,
Attorney for the Liquidator.

(202—1—186)

LOST.

Shares in the New Motors, Limited (in liquidation).

THE following shares in the above Company are missing and the public are hereby warned not to deal with them. Notice of loss has been given to the liquidators of the Company, and the undersigned is applying for the issue of duplicate certificates :—

Scrip Nos.		Shares Nos.	
255	...	1001-1100	Standing in the name of Messrs. Pilcher & Co., Ld.
31-32	...	3901-4100	
49	...	5701-5800	
63-4	...	7101-7300	
69	...	7701 7800	
145	...	15251-15350	
152	...	15951-16050	
156-7	...	16351-16550	
159-61	...	16651-16800	
163	...	17001-17100	
172-3	...	17901-18100	
221	...	22901-23000	
225-6, 245 and 228		23251-23600	
251-252	...	24101-24300	
375	...	36201-36300	

S. N. SEN, Official Liquidator,
Messrs. Pilcher & Co., Ld. (in liquidation)

Calcutta, the 28th January 1924. (184—1—180)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of Dhakuria Rice Mills, Limited, in liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above Company by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal was, on the 31st day of January 1924, presented to His Lordship the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghose by Sukhlal Chandanmull of No. 3, Synagogue Street, Calcutta, a creditor of the Company, and that the said petition is directed to be heard before His Lordship the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghose on the 25th day of February 1924 and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for winding up of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or by his counsel for that purpose. A copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charges for the same.

Dated this 31st day of January 1924.

K. K. DUTT & Co., Attorneys for the petitioners,
10, Hastings Street, Calcutta.
(228—1—189)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Jessore Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd. (in liquidation).

THE members of the "Jessore Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited," unanimously passed an extraordinary resolution on 22nd January 1924 winding up the Company voluntarily and appointing Babu Sisir Kumar Ray, B.A., liquidator of the Company. Creditors of the said Company are hereby requested to attend the meeting of creditors to be held at 3 P.M., on 21st February 1924, in the factory premises of the Company.

S. K. RAY, Liquidator.

Jessore, the 25th January 1924. (174—1—188)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Behar Oil Mills, Ltd. (in voluntary liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 217 (*1*) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a general meeting of the abovenamed Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. H. V. Low & Co., Ltd., 12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Friday, the 7th day of March 1924, at 3 P.M. o'clock, for the purpose of having laid before it an account shewing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation which may be given by the liquidator; and also of determining, by extraordinary resolution, the manner in which the books and papers of the Company and of the liquidator shall be disposed of.

R. SAMSON, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 28th January 1924. (182—1—178)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Singrah Coal Co., Ltd. (in voluntary liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 217 (*1*) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a general meeting of the abovenamed Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. H. V. Low & Co., Ltd., 12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Friday, the 7th day of March 1924, at 3-15 P.M. o'clock, for the purpose of having laid before it an account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation which may be given by the liquidator; and also of determining, by extraordinary resolution, the manner in which the books and papers of the Company and of the liquidator shall be disposed of.

R. SAMSON, Liquidator.

(183—1—179)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of G. W. Rylands, Mather & Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the expiration of three months from date, the name of G. W. Rylands, Mather & Co., Ld., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,
Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 29th January 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of James Hinks & Son (India), Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the expiration of three months from date, the name of James Hinks & Son (India), Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W STATHER HALE,
Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 29th January 1924.

Descriptive Catalogue of Sanskrit Manuscripts.

PARTS I, II, and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College, are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

NOTICE.

The 10th June 1922.—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject, the following revised rates have been fixed for the *Calcutta Gazette* and its parts, with effect from the date of this notice. This will not, however, affect the subscriptions already paid at previous rates until they have expired :—

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CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :–

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

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For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb
For 6 lbs and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

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For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs 25

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For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

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For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

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For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*," which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

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In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post.

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs. Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Rs. 2.

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THE following Notices are republished for general information.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

A. MARR,
Secretary to Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The 26th January 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

Rangoon River Entrance, Eastern Sands-Buoys laid for surveying purposes.

No. 27 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 2M. of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 101M. of 1923. (*This office No. 20 of 1924.*)

Position.—South-eastward of Eastern Sands.

Lat. 16° 23′ N., long. 96° 25′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—Additional buoys for the use of surveying marks and secondary Triangulation Stations will be laid to seaward of the Eastern Sands as required during the months of December 1923, January and February 1924.

These buoys will be without letters and numbers and may or may not be surmounted by flags as required.

Remarks.—Mariners are informed not to make use of these buoys as navigating marks.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 833, Rangoon River and Approaches.

„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator of the Port, Pilot Marine Circular No. 39, dated 18th December 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST

Janjira Harbour—Wreck reported north-westward of.

No. 28 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 4M. of 1924), are republished :—

Date sighted.—On 3rd January 1924.

Position.—At a distance of about 11 miles north-westward of Rajpuri Point Light-House.

Lat. 18° 25′ 10″ N.

Long. 72° 48′ 40″ E.

Details.—The Master of SS. "Oporto" reports having sighted a mast about 5 feet above water, which is supposed to be attached to a sunker wreck of a country craft.

Caution.—Mariners are warned of its danger as this wreck lies in the track of shipping.

Charts affected.—No. 738, Kundari Island to Boria Pagoda

„ 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug.

„ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 14th January 1924.

NEW GUINEA, EAST COAST.

Huon Gulf—Shoal reported.

No. 29 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2025 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 4 miles north-westward of Fliegen (Fly) Islands.

Lat. 7° 17′ 20″ S., long. 147° 20′ 40″ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—5 fathoms (9^{m}1).

Remarks.—The 100 fathom (182^{m}9) depth, no bottom, close north-eastward of this position on the charts, is to be expunged.,

Charts affected.—No. 2766, North-east coast of New Guinea.

„ 2759*a*, Australia—northern portion.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, page 259.

Authority.—New Guinea Gazette, dated 15th September 1923. (*H. 8352-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—MOZAMBIQUE HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Ilha de Goa (St. George Island)—Temporary alteration in character of light.

No. 30 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2027 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Near the south-eastern side of the Island.

Lat. 15° 03′ S., long. 40° 47′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The fixed light, with white and red sectors, has been temporarily replaced by a light having the following characteristics :—

Character.—*Fixed white.*

Elevation.—49 feet (14^{m}9).

Visibility.—12 miles ; from 208° through west, to 023°.

Remarks.—A temporary *fixed red* light has been established on the western side of the light-house. This *fixed red* light in line 125° with the *flashing white* light on the north-western side of Ilha de Goa, now forms the leading line through the channel north-eastward of Ilha de Mozambique.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 652, Mozambique Harbour.

„ 653, Ports of Conducia, Mozambique, and Mokambo.

„ 1803, Mozambique Harbour to Ras Pekawi.

„ 1810, River Zambezi to Mozambique Harbour.

„ 2762, Comoro Islands.

„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.

„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 85.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 278; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 51 of 1923. (*H. 8225-23.*)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Fremantle Harbour Entrance—Alterations in Lights on Light-Dolphins; Light-Buoy replaced by Light-Dolphin.

No. 31 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2028 of 1923), are republished:—

(1) Alterations in lights on light-dolphins:

(*a*) *Position.*—On northern side of channel, at a distance of about 2 cables eastward of the light near outer end of North mole.

Lat. 32 03′ S., long. 115° 44′ E. (*approx.*).

Alteration.—The fixed red light has been replaced by a *flashing red* light *every five seconds*, thus:—Flash 1 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

(*b*) *Position.*—On northern side of channel, at a distance of about 2¼ cables eastward of (*a*).

Alteration.—The fixed red light has been replaced by a *flashing red* light, as described in (*a*).

(*c*) *Position.*—On southern side of channel, at a distance of about 1½ cables eastward of the light near outer end of South mole.

Alteration.—The fixed green light has been replaced by a *flashing green* light *every five seconds*, thus:—

Flash 1 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

(*d*) *Position.*—On southern side of channel, at a distance of about 1¼ cables eastward of (*c*).

Alteration.—The fixed green light has been replaced by a *flashing green* light, as described in (*c*).

(2) Light-buoy replaced by light-dolphin:

Position.—On northern side of channel, close to slipway, at a distance of about one cable north-westward of (1) (*d*).

Details.—The light-buoy with fixed red light has been replaced by a light-dolphin exhibiting a *fixed red* light.

Chart affected.—No. 1700, Fremantle harbour and Gage roads.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2275.

Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1923, page 356.

Authority.—Fremantle Notice, dated 18th October 1923. (*H. 8277-23.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUBANG ISLAND.

Look Bay—Information re Shoal and Depths.

No. 32 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2037 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Non-existence of shoal :

Position.—At a distance of 5 cables 198° from Point Tumbaga.
Lat. 13° 43′ N., long. 120° 17′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The shoal, of about one cable in extent, the centre of which is situated in the above position, is to be expunged from the plan. The two 6 fathom (11m0) depths, situated respectively close southward and north-westward of this shoal on the plan, are also to be expunged.

(*b*) Depths to be inserted on plan ;

(i) *Position.*—At a distance of 5·7 cables 196° from Point Tumbaga.

Depth.—19 fathoms (34m7).

(ii) *Position.*—At a distance of 4·3 cables 201° from Point Tumbaga.

Depth.—22 fathoms (40m2).

Chart affected.—No. 972, Plan of Look bay.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 34.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 7365-23*)

CHINA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Kwang Chau Wan—Information re Buoys.

No. 33 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2038 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Buoy withdrawn :

Position.—Formerly marking the 2½ fathom (4m6) rock, situated at a distance of about 1¼ miles eastward of the south-eastern end of Lin Fathan island.
Lat. 21° 06′ N., long. 110° 26′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A red conical buoy, with topmark.

Remarks.—This buoy is to be expunged from the charts.

(*b*) Buoy established :

Position.—At a distance of about 4½ cables southward of (*a*), and 2·7 miles 118° from Lin Fathan island No. 4 Pyramid (high) light.

Description.—A red conical buoy, with conical topmark.

Remarks.—This buoy marks the 2¾ fathom (5m0) shoal, on the eastern side of leading line.

Charts affected.—No. 3486, Kwang chau wan to River Matshé.
„ 3349, Approach to Kwang chau wan.

Publications.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 365.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III (*in press*).

Authority.—French Government Chart. (*H. 8295-22.*)

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

River Tamar—General Information to be inserted on Charts.

No. 34 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2039 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Low head lighthouse, lat. 41° 03′ S., long. 146° 49′ E. (*approx.*).

(1) Caution re Telegraph cables :

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles northward of Low head light-house.

Details.—From the bell-buoy, situated in this position, pecked lines are to be drawn on the charts in a 053° and 144° direction for a distance of 1·8 miles and 2·4 miles, respectively, and the words "(*See Cautionary Note*)" are to be inserted against them.

The following Caution is to be inserted below the title on chart No. 3649 and on the lower right-hand side of the title of chart No. 1080 :—

CAUTION.

"*Vessels are warned not to anchor North-west, West and South-west of the pecked lines in the vicinity of the Bell-buoy North of Low Head, owing to the existence of Telegraph cables.*"

(2) Alteration in light on light-buoy :

Position.—Marking the north-western side of Bombay rock, westward of Georgetown.

Alteration.—The occulting white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light.

(3) Porpoise rock removed and buoys withdrawn :

Position.—Southward of Garden island, Georgetown.

Details.—A depth of 5 fathoms (9m1) is to be substituted for the rocks and encircling danger line, shown on the charts in this position. The black buoy and the red buoy formerly marking this rock are to be expunged.

(4) Light discontinued :

Position.—On the outer end of Beauty point jetty, Ilfracombe.

Details.—The fixed light, with white and red sectors, is to be expunged from the charts.

(5) Alteration in light on "Wolverine" light-beacon :

Position.—On the north-western side of Wolverine shoals, northward of Middle point.

Details.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light.

(6) Light established :

Position.—On the south-eastern side of Point Rapid, at a distance of 9·7 cables 032° from Ragged islet, Moriarty reach.

Abridged description.—Lt. F. *W. R.*

Character.—A *fixed* light, with *white* and *red* sectors.

Remarks.—The limits of the sectors are not stated.

(7) Light established :

Position.—On the southern side of channel, eastward of Supply bay, at a distance of about 3·5 cables 334° from Swan point ▲.

Abridged description.—Lt. F.

Character.—*Fixed white.*

Note.—The notation "(*P.A.*)" is to be inserted against this light on the inset quoted.

Remarks.—The pile beacon, shown on the charts about 1¼ cables westward of this position, is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 3649, Entrance to River Tamar (Tasmania). (1), (2), (3).

„ 1080, River Tamar (Tasmania), Low head to Launceston, with plan and inset.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 2819, 2820.

Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, pages 250, 255, 259, 260, 261, 265.

Authority.—Marine Board of Launceston, Tasmania. (*H. 7628-23.*)

The 19th January 1924.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—GULF OF ST. VINCENT, PORT ADELAIDE.

Wonga Shoal Light (U)—Intended alteration in period.

No. 18 (second publication).—

Subject.—The period of the Flashing White Light (U) on Wonga Shoal will be altered on or about 1st March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 34° 50′ S., long. 138° 27′ E. on Chart No. 2389.

Details.—The period of the *Flashing White* Light will be altered from three to *seven and a half seconds*, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse
1 sec.	6½ secs.

Note.—In other respects the light will remain unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923. No. 2355.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 32 of 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Bankot—Buoys relaid in positions.

No. 19 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 100M. of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 56-M. of 1923. (*This office No. 228 of 1923.*)

Position.—Lat. 17° 58′ N. } approx.
Long. 73° 02′ E. }

Details.—The Bankot buoys, which were withdrawn during the south-west Monsoon, were relaid in their positions on the 22nd November 1923.

Authority.—The Commissioner of Customs, Salt and Excise, Bombay, dated 19th December 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

Rangoon River entrance, Eastern Channel—Buoys laid for surveying purposes.

No. 20 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 101M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—In the Eastern Channel.
Lat. 16° 25′ N. } approx.
Long. 96° 26′ E. }

Details.—Three black can and three red conical buoys have been temporarily laid in the above channel for surveying and other purposes only.

Caution.—These buoys are not to be made use of by the Mariners when navigating the entrance to the Rangoon river, until the completion of survey.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 833, Rangoon River and Approaches.
„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator of the Port, Pilot Marine Circular No 38, dated 10th December 1923.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SULU SEA.

Tub Bataha Reefs—Non-existence of breakers reported south-eastward of.

No. 21 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1974 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 34 miles south-eastward of South islet light-house.
Lat. 8° 28′ N., long. 120° 20′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The breakers, reported in the year 1907 in the above position, are non-existent and are to be expunged from the charts accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 967, Paláwan island.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 73.
Authority.—U. S. Government Charts. (*H. 8096-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—LOURENCO MARQUES APPROACH.

Cockburn light—Alteration in characteristics.

No. 22 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1984 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 25° 53′ S., long. 32° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *W. R. ev. 3 sec. 52 ft. vis. 12 m.* (U).

Details.—The fixed light with white and red sectors has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—*Flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every three seconds*, thus :—Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 2·7 sec.

Elevation.—52 feet (15^{m}8).

Visibility.—12 miles.

Sectors.—*White* from 021° through east to 273°; *Red* thence to 282°; *White* thence to 318°; *Red* thence to 021°.

Structure.—Small tower on iron pile structure.

Note.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 644, Delagoa bay.
„ 2089, Tugela river to Delagoa bay.
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 58.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 190, 195, 196.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 50 of 1923. (*H. 8135-23.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—KAGAYANES.

Sultana Bank—Information re Rock and Shoals.

No. 23 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1986 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of 15·5 miles 011° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Lat. 9° 53′ N., long. 121° 24′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—5½ fathoms (10^{m}1).

Remarks.—The 24 fathom (43^{m}9) depth close northward of this position on chart No. 2578 is to be expunged.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of 19·1 miles 018° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Depth.—7 fathoms (12^{m}8), coral.

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of 18·9 miles 005½° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Details.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^{m}8) is to be substituted for the 2½ fathom (4^{m}6) depth shown on chart No. 2578 in this position.

(*d*) *Position.*—At a distance of 22·2 miles 005° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Details.—A depth of 1½ fathoms (2^{m}7) is to be substituted for the 3 fathom (5^{m}5) depth shown on chart No. 2578 in this position.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea (*b*).
„ 781, Pacific ocean—north-west sheet. (*c*).

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 71.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 8329-23.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—TIMOR ISLAND, NORTH COAST.

Dilhi Harbour entrance—Buoys replaced by Light-Buoys.

No. 24 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2010 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—On the northern side of entrance, at a distance of about $2\frac{35}{2}$ cables north-eastward of Laguebada (Stanley) point lighthouse.

Lat. 8° 32′ S., long., 125° 35′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The black buoy has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

(*b*) *Position.*—On the southern side of entrance, at a distance of about one cable south-westward of (*a*).

Details.—The red buoy has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted red, exhibiting a *red* light.

Chart affected.—No. 1460, Plan of Dilhi harbour.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 326.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 48 of 1923. (*H. 8228-23.*)

NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH ISLAND—QUEEN CHARLOTTE SOUND.

Cape Koamoru—Rock northwestward of.

No. 25 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2011 of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 666 of 1923. (This office No. 181 of 1923.)

Position.—At a distance of 3·45 miles 290° from Brothers lighthouse.

Lat. 41° 05′ S., long. 174° 23′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—6 fathoms (11^{m}0), rock.

Remarks.—The note "Shoal water repd (1923)" shown on the charts in the passage between Cape Koamoru and White rocks, is to be deleted; this passage, however, should not be used without local knowledge,

Charts affected.—No. 2685, Cook strait anchorages—sheet 2.
„ 695, Cook strait.
„ 2054, Cook strait and the coast of Cape Egmont.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1919, pages 310, 311, 312.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 67 of 1923. (*H. 8341-23.*)

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Otago Mole light—Alteration in colour.

No. 26 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2012 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 4 cables north-westward of Taiaroa head lighthouse.

Lat. 45° 47′ S., long. 170° 45′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *Gn. ev. 3 sec., 23 ft., vis. 2 m.* (U).

Alteration.—The colour of the *flashing* light has been altered from white to *green.*

Remarks.—The visibility of the light is now 2 miles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 2411, Otago harbour, with plan.
„ 2533, Otago to Mataura river.
„ 2532, Banks peninsula to Otago.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 3044.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 62 of 1923. (*H. 8281-23.*)

The 12th January 1924.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Beit Harbour Approaches—Correction to Notice to Mariners No. 82M. of 1923.
(Calcutta Notice No. 398 of 1923.)

No. 12 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 98M. of 1923), are republished :—

Correction.—*For* Latitude 22° 25′ 30″ N. *read* Latitude 22° 35′ 30″ N.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding R. I. M. S. "Palinurus," Karachi, dated 7th December 1923.

PERSIAN GULF—KAIS ISLAND LIGHT-VESSEL.

Further details of relief trawler.

No. 13 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 99M. of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 95M. of 1923. (*This Office No. 436 of 1923.*)

Details.—The Trawler painted red with KAIS in white letters on each bow will temporarily relieve the Kais Island Light-Vessel on 4th January 1924.

At night she will exhibit two white lights in a horizontal position 16 feet apart, from the fore yard about 36 feet above the water line, visible all round the horizon about 8 miles.

She will also exhibit a blue flare every half hour.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, eastern sheet.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 300.
Indian List of Lights, 1923, in press.

Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, dated 17th December 1923.

TASMANIA—NORTH-WEST COAST, HUNTER ISLAND.

Cutter Point—Intended new light (U).

No. 14 (third publication).—

Subject.—A Group Flashing White Light (U) will be established at Cutter Point on or about 16th April 1924.

Position.—On the summit of Cutter Point (202′).
Lat. 40° 29½′ S., long. 144° 43½′ E., on Chart No. 3687.

Details.—

Character.—*Group Flashing White* Light showing *two* flashes in quick succession every ten seconds, thus—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	8 secs.

Elevation.—220 feet.

Visibility.—20 miles.

Power.—5000 candles.

Structure.—White square wooden house with white lantern, 22 ft. in height

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Rocky Head.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695b, Bass Strait, sheet No. 2.
„ 2759b, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 294.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 28 of 1923.

TASMANIA—NORTH COAST—THREE HUMMOCK ISLAND.

Cape Rochon—Intended new light (U).

No. 15 (third publication).—

Subject.—A Flashing White Light (U) will be established on Cape Rochon on or about 1st June 1924.

Position.—On slope, 3½ cables distant bearing 182° from the northerly extreme of Cape Rochon.
Lat. 40° 24′ S., long. 144° 57′ E. on Chart No. 3687.

Details.—

Character.—*Flashing white* light every *five* seconds, thus—

Flash	Eclipse
½ sec	4½ secs.

Elevation.—150 feet.

Visibility.—18 miles.

Power.—5000 candles.

Structure.—White square wooden house, with white lantern 22 feet in height.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Rocky Head.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695*b*, Bass Strait, sheet No. 2.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, page 293.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 29 of 1923.

TASMANIA—WEST POINT.

West Point Light (U)—Intended alteration in character.

No. 16 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing White Light on West Point will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light (U) on or about 1st May 1924.

Position.—About one cable from the south-western extreme of the Point.
Lat. 40° 57½′ S., long. 144° 38½′ E. on Chart No. 1695b.

Alteration.—The character of the light will be altered from Flashing White to *Group Flashing White* showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *fifteen* seconds, thus—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	11½ secs.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—The other details of the light will remain unchanged.

Charts affected.—No. 1695*b*, Bass Strait, western sheet.

„ 1079, Tasmania.

„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.

„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publication.—List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923, No. 2849.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 30 of 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Depths of water.

No. 17-I (third publication).—

Subject.—Depths of 4 to 5¼ fathoms have been reported between the following approximate positions.

Positions.—Lat. 21° 15′ N, Long. 91° 16′ E., and Lat. 21° 32′ N., Long. 91° 30′ E. (Approx.) on chart No. 859.

Caution.—Mariners are hereby warned.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river

„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.

Authority.—Master of the SS. "Chenab" dated 11th January 1924.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

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Medical.

CALCUTTA, THE 25TH JANUARY 1924.

RESOLUTION—No. 325Medl.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

READ—

The Triennial Report on the Working of the Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Bengal Presidency for the years 1920, 1921 and 1922.

1. The most outstanding feature of the triennium, which radically affected the administration of the Medical Department, was the introduction of the Reforms Scheme under which this department was placed under the

control of the Minister in charge of Local Self-Government responsible to the Legislative Council for its administration. A standing committee of the Legislative Council, consisting of the Surgeon-General and four non-official members of the Council as members, was also constituted to advise the Minister on matters of policy concerning the department. The opinion of the standing committee was freely sought and was of great value in arriving at decisions in matters concerning policy and involving large expenditure.

2. The triennium opened under distinctly adverse conditions arising out of the effects of the Great War, high cost of living, thinned ranks of medical officers owing to the absence of a large number of them on military duty, prevalence of epidemics of more than normal severity throughout the province, and severe financial difficulties. Towards the latter part of the triennium, however, the conditions improved considerably owing to the gradual fall of the high level in prices and the return of epidemics to their normal severity, while the reversion of nearly all the medical officers from military to civil duties relieved the severe strain under which the work had to be carried on for a number of years.

3. Financial stringency, however, continued to be acutely felt throughout the triennium, and the rigid economy and retrenchment which had in consequence to be enforced necessitated the postponement of many carefully matured schemes of development and expansion. In spite of these difficulties, however, the triennium was marked by solid progress alike in the field of medical education and medical relief as well as in the provision of facilities for medical research, while very substantial improvements were effected in the emoluments of all ranks of the medical services.

Medical Research.—In the sphere of medical education and research the most gratifying achievement was the opening of the Calcutta School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene with the Carmichael Hospital attached to it, containing accommodation for 116 patients. Arrangements were made to provide systematic courses of post-graduate instruction in this institution both in tropical medicine and hygiene, and for the grant of diploma in tropical medicine. The instructional classes attained great popularity and were largely attended. Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) share the satisfaction of the Surgeon-General in the interest which the post-graduate classes in tropical medicine evoked from private practitioners who were quick to recognise and avail themselves of the advantages afforded by the system of instruction given in them, no less than 34 general practitioners having taken advantage of these courses of instruction during the years 1921 and 1922.

In the sphere of research notable advance was made during the period under review by the opening of a Research Department with laboratories in connection with the School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene for research in Leprosy, Kala-azar, Hookworm, Diabetes, Bowel diseases, Filariasis, Beri-beri and the Pharmacology of indigenous drugs. These departments have produced remarkable work, particularly in connection with Leprosy and Kala-azar.

Another gratifying feature in connection with the Research Laboratories of the School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene is the generosity and practical interest evinced by many private benefactors and industrial concerns, and special mention should be made of the two research scholarships attached to this institution endowed by the Hon'ble Maharaja of Darbhanga and Mrs. Mitra for research into the Filarial diseases and Diabetes, of the financial assistance rendered by Messrs. Smith Stanistreet & Co. towards maintaining a research worker for enquiring into the causation and treatment of leprosy, of an endowment made by a Bombay gentleman for work on Beri-beri, and of the generosity of the European Jute, Tea and Mining Associations in financing three whole-time research workers with their staffs to investigate into the Hookworm disease, Kala-azar and Bowel diseases with special reference to their influence on the efficiency of the labour force in India.

Medical Education.—In order partially to meet the demand for more qualified practitioners of the Sub-Assistant Surgeon class throughout the Presidency of Bengal, more particularly in mufassil areas, the sanctioned strength of students in the Campbell and Dacca Medical Schools was raised by 100 and 50, respectively. A third medical school, viz., the "Ronaldshay Medical School." with accommodation for 200 students, was established at Burdwan and formally opened in July 1921. In pursuance of a resolution which was accepted by the Bengal Legislative Council, a committee was appointed in April 1921 to advise Government as to the steps to be taken for the establishment of more medical schools for the training of medical practitioners to practise in rural areas. The committee recommended a cheaper type of medical schools at various district headquarter stations where there are large hospitals suitable for clinical teaching. After consideration of the recommendations of the committee a programme for the establishment of new medical schools at such places as Mymensingh, Chittagong, Berhampore, Jalpaiguri. etc., was drawn up. As for obvious reasons, however, all the schemes could not be taken up at once, it was decided to proceed gradually by completing one project at a time. The scheme for a medical school at Mymensingh, which had been already matured, was given the first place in order of urgency. The land required for this school was acquired and a start made with the construction of buildings for this school, which it is hoped to open in July 1924. It was decided to take up the schemes for medical schools at Chittagong and Berhampore as soon as funds were available. In the meantime the respective Divisional Commissioners were asked to constitute local committees for the purposes of drawing up detailed schemes and taking steps to raise funds locally towards the capital expenditure involved. Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) trust that the steps taken during the triennium constitute an important advance towards the solution of the problem of more adequate medical assistance in the mufassil.

Medical Relief.—The total number of hospitals and dispensaries in the mufassil increased from 765 to 859, an increase of 94 over the number existing at the end of the previous triennium. This figure does not take into account several dispensaries opened in the district of Howrah by the District and Union Boards, accurate figures regarding which were not available to the Surgeon-General at the time of writing his report. Taking, therefore, the latter dispensaries into consideration, the total increase exceeds 100. Thirty-two of these new dispensaries fall under the head of private aided and non-aided institutions, whereas more than 70 come under the head of local fund institutions. The Surgeon-General is of opinion that if the progress in the addition of dispensaries continues at this rate, adequate medical relief will be made available to the rural population of Bengal in the course of seven years more. Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) trust, however, that the progress will be even further accelerated, and the great practical interest which has been taken by the local bodies in the matter certainly warrants this hope. Perhaps the most encouraging and interesting feature in connection with the increase in the number of dispensaries is the part played by the union boards in the opening of new dispensaries. Several dispensaries in the Burdwan Division have been opened by these bodies. Government are convinced that the union boards are destined in the near future to play a most important part in the solution of the problem of adequate medical relief in rural areas, and they trust that District Boards and local officers will accord to these bodies every facility, encouragement and advice in opening rural dispensaries under their control. Government are framing a set of simplified rules so as to leave these bodies as much independence and discretion as possible in the management of these institutions opened by them.

A great impetus was given during the period towards the expansion of medical relief in the mufassil areas. In 1922 Government drew up a scheme for the establishment of new dispensaries at each thana headquarters and in

villages where the need for such institutions was acutely felt, and a promise was held out to make an annual grant of Rs. 1,50,000 for a period of three years towards the cost of the maintenance of 100 thana dispensaries and 400 village dispensaries, provided that the District Boards were prepared to undertake to bear the capital cost as well as the balance of the maintenance charges. Unfortunately, however, owing to the financial stringency a sum of Rs. 15,000 only, which was actually available, was distributed to the District Boards which agreed to establish new dispensaries on the terms issued by Government. It is satisfactory to note that several District Boards adopted a forward policy in this important matter and opened new rural dispensaries irrespective of Government assistance.

The Calcutta hospitals were brought to a more up-to-date footing. Special mention may be made in this connection of the extension of the Elliot Ward of the Campbell Hospital and the construction of the Nurses' Home at an aggregate cost of Rs. 6½ lakhs, as well as of the additional Surgical Pavilion erected in this hospital and the bringing up of its Maternity Branch to a more efficient state. The staff of nurses attached to the Calcutta hospitals was increased from 346 to 422.

The enterprise shown by the Berhampore, Mymensingh, Chittagong and Darjeeling Victoria Hospitals in providing adequate nursing facilities for their patients is specially commendable.

Hospital accommodation and attendance in the triennium under review as compared with those in the previous triennium will appear from the following statement :—

A—INDOOR.

	Triennium. 1917-19.	Triennium. 1920-22.
Calcutta Hospitals (number of beds) ...	2,385	2,857
Ditto (number of patients) ...	107,632	123,059
Mufassil Hospitals (number of beds) ...	4,454	4,926
Ditto (number of patients) ...	208,860	204,408

B—OUTDOOR.

Calcutta Hospitals and Dispensaries (number of patients) ...	1,230,994	1,243,038
Mufassil Hospitals and Dispensaries (number of patients) ...	19,414,211	21,641,384

In the case of the Calcutta hospitals the increase was mainly contributed by the opening of the Carmichael Hospital, and the opening of the Surgical Ward in the Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia, with 120 beds in 1922. The substantial increase in the number of beds was shared by both the Calcutta as well as mufassil hospitals. There was also a considerable increase in the number of indoor patients in the case of the Calcutta hospitals. In the case of the mufassil hospitals, however, there was an actual decrease in the number of indoor patients. This was probably in part attributable to the fact that owing to financial stringency many of these hospitals were unable to receive the full number of patients for which accommodation was available.

With regard to the attendance in the outdoor wards of both the Calcutta and mufassil hospitals, the fact that in spite of the period under review being considerably healthier than the previous triennium there was a large increase in the number testifies to the increasing popularity of these institutions.

The total receipts of the Calcutta hospitals and dispensaries increased from Rs. 70,57,000 to Rs. 87,72,000, and Government contribution increased

from Rs 50,71,000 to Rs. 61,40,000. Local bodies contributed nearly Rs. 11 lakhs, Rs. 6,63,000 was received from fees from paying patients, while Rs. 5,15,000 were collected from donations.

The total expenditure on the mufassil dispensaries amounted to Rs. 51,38,000, of which 14 per cent. was contributed by Government and 60 per cent. by District Boards and Municipalities, the remainder being met from subscriptions and other sources.

The system of subsidising private medical officers was attended with satisfactory results in the districts of Hooghly and Tippera, and Government commend it to the consideration of other District Boards.

Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) take this opportunity of congratulating the local bodies on the enterprise shown by them in the sphere of medical relief during the triennium under review. A large amount of medical relief was also afforded by medical missionaries and mission hospitals, and it is a matter for regret that accurate information is not available regarding the good work done by them in this respect.

Revision of pay and prospects of the Medical and Ministerial Services.—Very substantial increases were effected in the pay of all ranks of officers in the Medical and Ministerial Services attached to the hospitals and dispensaries in the province, and this much-needed revision will assuredly make for greater efficiency by securing greater contentment among all ranks of officers who had been severely feeling the pressure of the constantly increasing cost of living for several years past.

Training of Nurses.—A scheme was drawn up and approved for the training, examination and registration of nurses and midwives, and the State Medical Faculty was authorised to maintain separate rolls for qualified nurses and midwives in the province so that their practice may be regulated and supervised. This scheme has since been given effect to, and nurses and midwives are being trained for the various hospitals in the city and examinations held and qualifying certificates given. To meet the demand for trained Indian nurses, centres for their training were established at the Dacca and Mymensingh hospitals. In order to make the profession of nursing more attractive to Indian women the pay and prospects of the nursing establishment were thoroughly revised. Steps were also taken to train Hindu ladies to adopt nursing as a profession, but unfortunately with no success, as none of the pupil girls were willing to take up nursing as a profession. It is to be hoped that the prejudice now prevailing among the Hindu community in this connection will before long disappear, and that Hindu ladies will come forward for training in the noble profession of nursing. Government trust that the arrangements now made for the training of Indian nurses will go a long way to remove the acute want of nursing facilities which is now felt in almost all the mufassil dispensaries.

Recognition of indigenous systems of medicine.—An important departure involving principle was made by revising the dispensary rules so as to make it possible for the District Boards to establish, maintain and make grants-in-aid to dispensaries which follow systems of medicine other than allopathic. The Ayurvedic dispensaries which were accordingly established in Khulna and Tippera and the Homœopathic dispensaries established at Faridpur are reported to have treated a large number of cases.

In pursuance of resolutions moved in the Legislative Council two committees were appointed to enquire and report on the question of restoring or developing the Ayurvedic and the Tibbi or Unani systems of medicine. The reports of these committees are being awaited with interest.

Increased association of the Independent Medical profession with Government Hospitals.—The practice of associating selected private medical practitioners with the staff of the Calcutta hospitals as making for efficiency and economy was further extended during the triennium by the appointment of an honorary physician and an honorary surgeon in the out-patients' department of the Campbell Hospital. These officers also held charge of the special departments of Ear, Nose and Throat and Skin diseases of this institution, and this resulted in a marked increase of popularity of these sections of the hospital.

Financial assistance from the public.—A specially encouraging feature of the triennium was the generous assistance received from the public in the sphere of medical relief. The important part played by private donors and industrial associations in connection with the Research branch of the Calcutta School of Tropical Medicine has been already mentioned. Mention may also be made of the donation of Rs. 30,000 received through Sir Kailash Chandra Basu, C.I.E., O.B.E., for the construction of a Children's Ward in the Campbell Hospitals and of the munificent donation of rupees one lakh by Raja Rao Jogendra Narayan Roy Bahadur of Lalgola for general improvement of the Berhampore Sadar Hospital. Government take this opportunity of expressing their appreciation of the generosity of these gentlemen and associations as well as of others mentioned in the report, and trust that their example will stimulate others to co-operate with financial assistance in the important work of medical relief in the province.

Treatment of the Principle Diseases.—(*a*) **Malaria.**—Malaria continued to be the most widely prevalent disease in the province, and nearly one-third of the total number of patients in all the district hospitals were treated for this ailment. Treatment by injections of quinine bi-hydrochlor was largely resorted to in many places with satisfactory results. During the last three years 5,860 lbs. of quinine was purchased by the mufassal hospitals and dispensaries from the Juvenile Jail at a total cost of Rs. 2,15,881, while an additional quantity of quinine, worth Rs. 11,10,248, was sold by the Juvenile Jail to the public through post offices. It is thus evident that the general public have taken advantage of Government quinine in a very large measure. The high price of quinine and the inadequacy of the funds of the hospitals and dispensaries on the one hand and the poverty of the masses of the people on the other, however, constitute a serious hindrance to an adequate supply of quinine being utilised by the general body of the sufferers, and so long as India cannot be independent of world prices and of outside sources in the matter of quinine supply this will continue to constitute the most serious handicap to the utility of the hospitals and dispensaries in a highly malarious province like Bengal.

(*b*) **Kala-azar.**—There was a wide prevalence of kala-azar in the province during the triennium. The total number of kala-azar patients treated in the Calcutta hospitals was 7,028 as against 3,400 in the previous triennium, the figure for 1922 (2,940) alone being higher than the total for the triennium 1914-16. No less than 15,566 persons were treated for this disease in the year 1922 alone in the mufassal dispensaries as against 5,561 in 1920 and 3,198 in the concluding year of the previous triennium. The increase in the number of kala-azar cases treated at the hospitals is no doubt attributable to a better knowledge and correct diagnosis of the disease as also to the better method of treatment now afforded, which encourages patients to resort to the hospitals in large numbers. Intravenous injection of antimony has been found to result in an effective cure for this disease, and no less than 93·38 per cent. of the patients were cured by this treatment in the Calcutta hospitals. The District Boards of Tippera and Dinajpur showed notable activity in the opening of treatment centres for kala-azar cases. and special credit is due to the authorities of the Dinajpur Sadar Hospital which opened a kala-azar training class under the supervision of the Civil Surgeon and Assistant Surgeon and arranged for bi-weekly lectures to be given to the District Board medical officers who attended these classes.

In view of the menace which kala-azar presents in many parts of the province, the district and rural hospitals have before them a fruitful field of activity in the systematic treatment of this disease under the active supervision of the medical officers ; and Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) trust that local bodies will take steps to establish centres of kala-azar treatment in their hospitals and dispensaries with a view to stamp out this scourge from the country within a reasonably short time. In this connection the attention of local bodies is invited to the general lines of an anti-kala-azar campaign indicated in the resolution recently issued on the subject.

(*c*) **Leprosy.**—The work in connection with the research into Leprosy will be greatly facilitated by the King Edward Memorial Leprosy Research Institute which is expected to be shortly opened in connection with the Calcutta School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene out of the sum of Rs. 2,50,000 contributed by the King Edward Memorial Fund.

The Mission to Lepers maintained two asylums at Bankura and Raniganj, and Government maintained a Lunatic Asylum at Gobra near Calcutta. The arrangements at present prevailing at these asylums are, however, not based on modern lines and the accommodation provided is entirely inadequate for the number of lepers in the province ; nor are they sufficiently attractive to induce lepers to settle down in contentment and to prevent them from running away. The best method of dealing with lepers in an advanced stage in accordance with modern ideas on the subject is to segregate them in leper colonies or settlements on the lines of those recently started in other countries. It has accordingly been decided to establish a leper colony in Bengal. A suitable site for the purpose has already been acquired in Midnapore at a cost of Rs. 52,000 generously contributed by the Mission to Lepers, but for want of necessary funds it has not been found possible to undertake the construction of the buildings.

In view, however, of the vast number of lepers in the province, the provision of a large leper settlement with an administrative and medical staff, although very necessary as far as it goes, can, in the opinion of such a high authority as Sir Leonard Rogers, only be regarded as touching the fringe of the problem and can consequently produce but a slow decrease of the disease in the province. The splendid work which is now being done by Dr. Muir at the Calcutta School of Tropical Medicine has demonstrated the possibility of a most important extension of the campaign against this disease through the multiplication in every infected town in India of out-patient clinics at the principal hospitals for the treatment of the early cases of leprosy who are infecting a new generation by contaminating those living in the same houses with them, although they are not an appreciable source of danger to any one they may come into casual contact with in the streets while attending such clinics. Government accept the opinion of Sir Leonard Rogers in this matter and hope that such a clinic will, in the near future, be a part of every important hospital in the province, where a convenient separate out-patients' room will be set apart for the treatment of lepers, the injection being given by medical men who have received previous practical training in the Central Leprosy Institute. In this way alone will the early cases be rendered ineffective and the continued spread of the disease cut short at its source. Such Leprosy clinics, far from being a danger to the town adopting the plan, will secure the greatest possible protection against the continued prevalence of the disease. Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are confident that by these means in addition to adequate leper colonies it should be possible in a very few decades to bring about a material reduction in the number of patients suffering from this loathsome disease which is such a serious menace to the present and future generations ; and they invite local bodies, industrial associations and private donors to co-operate with adequate financial assistance in providing the requisite organisation needed to bring about this result.

Concluding remarks.—In summing up the working of the Medical Department and of the hospitals and dispensaries during the period under review it may be claimed that the progress achieved in the face of the

manifold difficulties which presented themselves during the period has be solid and substantial. Although many urgent developments were held for want of funds, important principles have been adopted which will ha far-reaching consequences on the future administration of the departmer a substantial expansion has been effected of the field of medical relief a additional facilities have been provided for medical education and medi research which will not only materially increase the general efficiency of existing hospitals and dispensaries but will bring about a substantial incre in the resources at the disposal of the community for the prevention and c of disease and the relief of suffering. Further progress is dependent upo fulfilment of the three conditions necessary for expansion, viz., an impro ment in provincial finance, a quickening of the activities of local bodies a more generous financial assistance from the public. An additional fac which began to operate during the triennium under review and which destined to play a most important part in the solution of the problem medical relief in the mufassil areas was the introduction of the co-operati principle in the establishment and management of rural dispensaries. T full significance of this movement started by the Central Co-operative An Malarial Society under the initiative of Rai Bahadur G. C. Chattarji, M. is expected to be realised in the course of the current triennium.

The thanks of Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are d to Major-General B. H. Deare, C.I.E., I.M.S., and other officers who held cha of the responsible office of Surgeon-General with the Government of Beng during the period under review for their efficient administration of t department and to the medical officers and staffs of the several institutic for their good work.

By order of the Government of Bengal
(Ministry of Local Self-Government),
G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 30th January 1924.

Summary.—Excepting some scattered showers in parts of North Bengal and Mymensingh there was no rainfall throughout the Presidency. Harvesting of mustard, potatoes and pulses and pressing of sugarcane continue favourable. The prospects of standing crops are generally fair. The average price of the common rice for the province has fallen by about 0·47 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	Nil	6½	6½	Effects of weather on crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy is nearly completed. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8 1/8	8¼	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	Nil	7⅛	7¼	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8	8	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and sugarcane continues. Cultivation of *bhadoi* paddy has been started at places. Rain is badly needed. Cattle-disease is reported from Kushtia and Chuadanga. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7¼	7½	
	Chuadanga ..	Nil	8	8	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	8	7½	Weather occasionally cloudy. Rain is needed for *rabi* crops Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Cultivation of *boro* paddy continues. Fodder is sufficient. No large import or export.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	
4	Jessore	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient. Scarcity of water is being felt in places. No large import or export.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	9	
	Magura ...	Nil	8¾	8¾	
	Narail ...	Nil	9¾	9¾	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7	7½	Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE		Character of the weather, condition of crops etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable and its effects on crops are beneficial. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Threshing of *aman* paddy and pressing of sugarcane are going on. Stock of rice is sufficient. Export and import as usual. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7½	6	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kalna ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Condition of *rabi* crops is not good for want of rain. Threshing of paddy is going on. Fodder is sufficient but water is insufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	Nil	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Export of rice and paddy continues.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	8½	8½	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	8⅝	8⅝	Pressing of sugarcane transplantation of *boro* paddy and threshing of winter paddy are progressing. Fodder and water and stock of rice are sufficient.
	Contai ...	Nil	8½	8	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8	7⅞	
	Jhargram ...	Nil	8	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Cattle-disease is reported from Haripal thana. Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8½	8½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Harvesting of winter paddy is finished and threshing is continuing. *Rabi* crops are thriving.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Drought is apprehended in Nator subdivision. Fodder is sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	0·27	8½	8½	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7⅝	7	Harvesting of winter paddy is finished and that of mustard is begun. Cattle-disease is reported from Kaharul police-station. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8	8	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	7	
15	DARJEELING ...	0·01	5	5	Potatoes are being shown. Harvesting of mustard and sugarcane has commenced. Wheat is progressing. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is prevalent.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong ...	Nil	5½	5½	

(*n*) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	6½	6½	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of mustard and potatoes is going on vigorously. Lands are under preparation for jute and *aus* paddy. Cattle-disease is reported from Palashbari, Gaibandha, and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	7	7½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	6½	6½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6	6	
17	BOGRA ...	0·02	7½	7½	Prospects of *rabi* crops are bad. Preparation of lands for jute and *aus* paddy has commenced.
18	PABNA ...	0·02	6½	6½	Rain is wanted. Fodder and water are adequate.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	7½	7	Weather occasionally cloudy. Rain is necessary Fodder and water are sufficient.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for *bitri* paddy and harvesting of winter paddy and mustard continue Standing crops are doing well. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	7	7	Weather cool. Sowing of *boro* paddy is going on. Harvesting of *kalai* is in progress. Rain is needed for the growth of *rabi* crops. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8	8	
	Narayanganj ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	(*n*)	7½	7½	
22	MYMENSINGH ...	0·15	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Preparation of land for the sowing of *aus* paddy and jute is going on. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. Outbreak of rinderpest is slight at Kishorganj.
	Jamalpur ...	0·08	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6½	6⅝	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	0·24	7	7½	

(a) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kaparia thana are reported here

(n) Not reported

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Cultivation of lands for jute and *aus* paddy is going on at places. Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	Nil	7½	7½	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	9½	(*n*)	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	Nil	9½	9½	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	7½† / 8½	6½† / 8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is nearly finished. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7† / 8	7† / 7½	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7† / 8	7† / 7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	6½† / 8	6½† / 8	
25	CHITTAGONG ...	Nil	7 / 6½*	7 / 6½*	Cultivation of the *rabi* crops is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Water and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Satkania. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	7½	7½	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	8	8	Weather fair at Brahmanbaria but good elsewhere. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Brahmanbaria and good elsewhere. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	7 3/11	7 3/11	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are not bad. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	8	8	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	7½	8½	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease prevails near Rangamati.
29	TRIPURA STATE	Nil	6	7½	Weather seasonable. *Boro* paddy is being transplanted. Clearing of *jhooms* has begun. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are fair. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 25 to Rs. 55 and jute at Rs. 7 to Rs. 9 per maund.

* Burma rice. (*n*) Not reported. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Hari Gaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 1st February 1924.*

Vital Statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 12th January 1924.

District.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births Registered.		Deaths Registered.																							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding week of the previous year. Male.	Female.	Total.
Calcutta ...	1	Calcutta ...	617,596	290,261	907,851	376	8	16	—	1	14	3	1	—	12	31	38	6	2	54	44	82	13	—	227	332	322	544	318	225	543
Burdwan ...	2	Asansol Mining Settlement.	176,814	152,539	329,353	231	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	4	—	4	6	—	—	15	1	14	4	2	71	73	50	123	9	5	14
Howrah ...	3	Howrah ...	128,472	66,329	195,801	100	3	9	1	—	9	3	—	2	—	22	8	3	—	9	1	23	3	—	39	78	54	132	61	39	100
Dacca ...	4	Dacca ...	67,333	52,117	119,450	112	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	1	33	7	1	—	7	2	2	1	—	21	42	35	77	27	34	61
24-Parganas	5	Maniktala ...	40,996	26,376	67,372	20	1	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	6	—	—	5	7	8	15	12	24	36
	6	Bhatpara ...	45,723	19,886	65,609	17	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	6	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	3	10	4	14	8	8	16
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur.	36,289	20,185	56,474	12	—	4	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	3	1	1	—	2	—	2	—	—	7	11	11	22	15	10	25
	8	Titagarh ...	36,533	15,918	52,451	15	—	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	3	19	14	3	17

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 31st January 1924.*

Vital Statistics for the month of October 1923 of the

Division.	No.	Districts.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-Azar.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan	689,282	673,993	1,363,275	3,830	64	18	...	...	2,301	...	...	...	2
	2	Birbhum	422,986	424,884	847,870	2,546	102	11	2	...	895	...	...	...	...
	3	Bankura	480,935	483,552	964,487	2,147	1	34	...	...	165	7	2	10	17
	4	Midnapur	1,518,373	1,308,552	2,826,925	6,669	268	27	1	...	2,432	74	10	21	13
	5	Hooghly	468,451	462,093	930,544	2,830	4	14	...	...	1,670	1	...	...	16
	6	Howrah	391,415	387,473	778,893	2,755	38	22	...	...	367	1	...	2	27
Presidency	7	24-Parganas	1,062,266	989,125	2,051,391	4,566	121	45	7	...	1,348	10	...	13	33
	8	Nadia	731,335	693,552	1,424,887	5,325	133	18	...	...	2,353	2	5	3	18
	9	Murshidabad	591,676	599,742	1,191,418	5,471	279	14	3	...	1,900	...	...	...	...
	10	Jessore	857,182	854,898	1,712,080	5,344	298	14	...	...	2,775	...	...	...	8
	11	Khulna	741,741	684,945	1,426,686	4,822	382	23	...	...	2,160	...	...	2	1
Rajshahi	12	Rajshahi	753,539	711,538	1,465,077	5,087	413	4	...	...	4,806	...	...	...	1
	13	Dinajpur	885,427	801,901	1,687,328	5,206	275	36	...	...	4,388	...	...	...	2
	14	Jalpaiguri	494,432	427,317	921,749	3,643	289	43	1	...	2,124	...	...	...	...
	15	Darjeeling	136,317	124,273	260,590	896	44	...	...	...	396	1	...	3	2
	16	Rangpur	1,304,781	1,183,997	2,488,778	8,002	692	59	...	...	6,092	...	...	...	...
	17	Bogra	531,470	504,814	1,036,284	1,749	184	11	...	...	1,655	...	...	...	17
	18	Pabna	682,894	662,039	1,344,633	3,821	304	16	...	...	2,455	...	1	...	...
	19	Malda	478,872	480,103	958,975	4,079	135	102	...	...	2,624	...	2	...	...
Dacca	20	Dacca	1,485,445	1,490,470	2,975,915	9,799	589	308	25	...	1,390	13	1	4	2
	21	Mymensingh	2,447,451	2,278,695	4,726,126	13,338	822	491	14	...	2,480	20	5	15	44
	22	Faridpur	1,124,661	1,085,397	2,210,058	8,964	343	15	...	...	3,368	3	4	19	...
	23	Bakarganj	1,318,064	1,265,107	2,583,171	8,754	...	2	...	...	669	...	4	8	15
Chittagong	24	Chittagong	783,765	821,627	1,575,392	4,577	359	1	19	...	468	99	4	98	1
	25	Noakhali	738,722	734,064	1,472,786	4,208	346	52	5	...	798	...	...	66	137
	26	Tippera	1,367,598	1,311,029	2,678,627	8,724	307	47	...	...	811	1	...	5	77
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...										Not under
Total of month for Bengal			22,288,560	21,414,985	43,703,545	133,649	6,642	1,486	77	...	52,500	232	88	259	428
Total of corresponding month of previous year.			...	...	...	133,833	5,616	1,507	169	...	59,222	192	67	615	132
Increase + or decrease -			...	...	...	-1,184	+1,026	-21	-92	...	-6,722	+40	-29	-356	+296

REMARKS.—1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana officers and submitted to the Director of Public Health by the Civil Surgeons.
2. The vital statistics of municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been included in this statement with those of the respective
3. Divisional totals and the birth and death ratios per mille per annum have been omitted from the statement according to the Government of

CALCUTTA, *the 26th January 1924.*

Districts excluding Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal.

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Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Districts.
										Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
453	17	19	2	17	9	13	79	3	621	1,728	1,826	3,554	1,900	1,824	3,724	1	Burdwan.
678	1	3	...	5	1	3	34	4	337	1,027	947	1,974	1,107	1,157	2,264	2	Birbhum.
1,177	16	38	2	33	8	19	31	3	407	1,062	907	1,969	1,318	1,195	2,513	3	Bankura.
2,171	53	58	17	81	21	14	151	3	1,008	3,128	3,037	6,165	3,373	3,270	6,643	4	Midnapur.
309	38	71	1	60	13	3	57	...	533	1,337	1,299	2,636	1,573	1,457	3,030	5	Hooghly.
590	62	151	...	19	29	12	55	...	486	929	864	1,793	1,088	1,030	2,118	6	Howrah.
2,060	24	27	...	30	15	38	129	..	567	2,256	2,085	4,341	2,401	2,152	4,553	7	24-Parganas.
895	9	2	8	9	7	4	73	...	755	2,127	2,058	4,185	2,320	2,178	4,498	8	Nadia.
519	8	2	...	2	2	5	55	2	657	1,634	1,595	3,229	2,073	1,823	3,896	9	Murshidabad.
361	4	3	17	11	13	...	86	...	367	1,899	1,760	3,659	2,542	2,334	4,876	10	Jessore.
375	14	1	...	5	2	6	80	20	826	1,738	1,676	3,414	2,086	1,937	4,023	11	Khulna.
32	3	...	1	2	...	3	82	6	578	2,584	2,634	5,218	3,089	3,167	6,256	12	Rajshahi.
2,702	...	3	...	4	1	2	39	...	184	3,747	3,645	7,392	3,925	3,542	8,467	13	Dinajpur.
163	65	45	12	43	17	6	24	...	201	1,399	1,345	2,744	1,429	1,388	2,817	14	Jalpaiguri.
290	29	8	8	10	13	4	6	...	115	482	409	891	493	495	988	15	Darjeeling.
1,748	10	3	...	...	2	6	52	35	115	4,166	3,966	8,132	4,703	4,401	9,104	16	Rangpur.
543	14	3	10	10	3	7	57	2	148	1,264	1,196	2,460	1,457	1,446	2,883	17	Bogra.
506	1	3	...	...	4	1	35	1	159	1,648	1,534	3,182	1,853	1,598	3,451	18	Pabna.
258	2	1	...	1	...	...	30	...	311	1,733	1,598	3,331	1,413	1,214	2,626	19	Malda.
3,381	144	12	...	2	12	20	67	14	1,045	5,279	2,961	6,240	3,062	2,660	5,722	20	Dacca.
5,870	113	32	...	15	25	26	132	16	1,541	5,787	5,052	10,839	6,494	5,848	12,342	21	Mymensingh.
569	40	12	1	9	3	40	81	1	614	2,512	2,267	4,779	3,010	2,604	5,614	22	Faridpur.
3,841	42	9	...	17	5	6	124	4	1,507	3,366	2,887	6,253	4,272	4,068	8,340	23	Bakarganj.
2,303	1	1	...	...	2	...	98	...	101	1,899	1,489	3,088	1,986	1,865	3,851	24	Chittagong.
1,392	9	2	3	...	...	4	90	6	342	1,536	1,280	2,806	1,655	1,573	3,128	25	Noakhali.
1,258	36	7	82	58	4	60	52	..	398	1,590	1,306	2,896	1,648	1,425	3,073	26	Tippera.
registration.																27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
53,953	755	516	104	443	211	302	1,778	120	13,918	55,567	51,613	107,180	...	...	...		
55,920	1,134	444	65	424	196	353	2,001	106	15,371	61,249	56,671	117,920	...	...	...		
-1,967	-379	+72	+99	+19	+15	-51	-223	+14	-1,453	-5,682	-5,058	-10,740	...	..	...		

Taken as a whole, the statement possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate to the actual.
districts as ordered in Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, letter No. 1188an., dated the 8th February 1918.
ndia, Education Department, letter No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918.

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Vital Statistics for the month of October 1923 of the

Districts.	No.	Towns.	Population under Registration according to Census of 1921.			Births Registered.		Deaths							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan ...	19,883	15,033	34,916	14	1	3	...	...	21	...	...	...	3
	2	Raniganj ...	8,040	6,496	14,536	22	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Asansol ...	15,464	11,035	26,499	27	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Bankura	4	Bankura ...	13,523	11,889	25,412	52	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...
	5	Vishnupur ...	9 736	9,662	19,398	40	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Sonamukhi ...	5,140	5,504	10,644	43	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	1
Midnapur	7	Midnapur ...	15,724	13,241	28,965	53	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
	8	Ghatal ..	5,655	5,115	10,770	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Hooghly	9	Hooghly Chinsura	16,723	13,215	29,938	93	1	...	...	...	21	...	...	...	...
	10	Serampur ..	20,210	12,987	33,197	74	...	1	...	...	7	3	...	...	...
	11	Rishra-Konnagar	15,080	8,229	23,309	35	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...
	12	Baidyabati ..	9,174	7,297	16,471	52	...	1	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
	13	Bhadreswar ...	14,487	7,594	22,081	19	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	14	Champdani ...	17,193	7,459	24,653	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Howrah	15	Howrah ...	138,473	66,829	205,301	478	49	2	...	...	32	18	...	2	4
	16	Bally ...	15,764	7,945	23,709	44	..	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	17	Cossipur Chitpur	30,289	20,185	56,474	64	4	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	3
	18	Manicktala ...	40,998	26,376	67,372	71	11	5	...	...	16	...	...	...	1
	19	South Suburban ...	19,083	14,262	33,345	95	5	6	...	...	15	...	...	...	...
	20	Jallygunj ..	13,326	8,311	21,637	37	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	21	Garden Reach ...	29,373	16,194	45,567	68	1	1	...	...	6	2	...	1	...
	22	Budg -Budge ...	17,883	7,840	25,723	20	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	23	Baranagar ...	19,589	12,095	32,684	65	4	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
	24	Kamarhati ...	14,965	8,053	23,018	20	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
	25	Tajpur ..	5,760	5,652	11 412	30	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1
	26	South Dum-Dum	8,786	5,294	14,080	36	2	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...
	27	Barrackpur ...	14,877	7,583	22,460	16	2	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
	28	Panihati ...	6,148	4,013	10,161	25	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
	29	North Barrackpur	9,452	5,981	15,433	42	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
	30	Titagarh ...	36,543	18,918	55,461	58	3	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
	31	Garulia ...	9,077	4 019	13,096	30	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
	32	Naihati ...	15,464	7,822	23,286	70	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
	33	Kanchrapara ...	7,182	3,150	10,332	28	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...
	34	Bhatpara ...	45,723	19,886	65,609	141	3	2	...	...	5	1	...	...	...
	35	Badrilat ...	10,162	9,105	19,267	38	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	7
	36	Baduria ...	7,484	6,623	14,057	30	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	37	Calcutta ...	617,590	290,261	907,851	1,606	153	22	...	...	102	45	1	...	36
Nadia	38	Krishnagar ...	11,377	10,932	22,309	42	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...
	39	Nadia or Nabadwip	7,291	8,293	15,584	24	1	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...
	40	Santipur ...	11,342	13,450	24,792	65	...	...	...	...	5	...	..	...	...

Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal.

REGISTERED.

Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Towns
										Male.	Female	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
...	4	5	1	2	...	1	2	...	11	34	18	52	28	26	54	1	Burdwan.
8	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	10	16	11	27	12	8	20	2	Raniganj.
13	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	5	13	12	25	13	7	20	3	Asansol.
6	...	2	...	2	2	1	...	...	8	12	11	23	8	5	13	4	Bankura.
6	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	9	5	14	13	25	38	5	Vishnupur.
6	2	2	..	3	1	3	...	...	6	16	13	29	11	11	22	6	Sonamukhi.
10	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	... 0	1	6	11	17	13	10	23	7	Midnapur
9	1	4	...	3	1	...	...	...	1	11	8	19	13	11	24	8	Ghatal.
...	5	1	...	2	...	10	2	...	17	27	31	58	25	25	50	9	Hooghly-Chinsura.
6	7	9	...	4	1	1	2	...	13	24	30	54	22	30	52	10	Serampur.
9	3	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	10	12	19	31	13	12	25	11	Rishra Konnagar.
...	1	6	...	...	1	..	2	...	9	14	14	28	16	14	30	12	Baidyabati.
3	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	7	8	6	14	7	13	20	13	Bhadreswar.
10	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	8	11	19	17	11	28	14	Champdani.
88	32	44	...	31	8	52	8	8	154	250	233	483	216	188	404	15	Howrah.
16	2	3	...	5	1	1	1	...	10	23	18	40	14	11	25	16	Sally.
19	2	4	...	9	1	4	2	1	32	46	35	81	44	33	77	17	Cossipur-Chitpur.
11	13	8	1	11	14	30	2	...	65	76	101	177	79	68	147	18	Manicktala.
...	...	3	...	6	...	...	1	...	14	25	25	50	33	24	57	19	South Suburban.
7	1	...	...	2	..	1	1	...	1	7	7	14	12	18	30	20	Tollygunj.
37	5	4	...	5	...	2	1	...	39	53	40	93	33	19	52	21	Garden Reach.
8	1	4	...	...	..	4	2	...	2	12	10	22	21	12	33	22	Budge-Budge.
11	3	4	...	1	2	5	...	...	28	38	29	67	36	21	57	23	Baranagar.
...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	8	12	7	19	18	20	38	24	Kamarhati.
3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5	7	12	16	14	30	25	Rajpur.
1	1	2	...	4	...	5	1	1	7	16	13	29	11	15	26	26	South Dum-Dum.
4	3	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	10	8	18	6	7	13	27	Barrakpur.
...	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	6	7	13	...	...	...	28	Panihati.
5	1	1	...	3	...	1	...	...	5	14	6	20	8	5	13	29	North Barrakpur.
55	...	2	...	1	1	1	1	...	11	47	31	78	40	25	65	30	Titagarh.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	5	7	1	...	1	31	Garulia.
11	...	1	...	3	...	...	1	...	6	17	8	25	9	8	17	32	Naihati.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4	11	5	1	6	33	Kanchrapara.
11	1	2	2	3	1	1	2	2	14	27	21	48	20	20	40	34	Bhatpara.
10	2	2	...	6	1	1	2	...	9	26	16	42	27	13	40	35	Basirhat.
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	2	...	...	11	7	18	7	13	20	36	Baduria.
174	157	92	18	235	168	251	51	11	824	1,254	928	2,182	1,220	881	2,101	37	Calcutta
15	3	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	5	16	15	31	5	8	13	38	Krishnagar.
...	6	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	10	13	12	25	11	18	29	39	Nadia or Fabadwip.
21	...	2	...	...	1	2	3	...	9	22	21	43	21	32	53	40	Santipur.

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Districts	No	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths							
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	41	Berhampur ...	14,719	11,951	26,670	43	1	...	...	...	15	2	...	...	1
	42	Murshidabad ...	5,401	5,268	10,669	23	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad.	43	Azimganj ...	5,876	5,355	11,231	31	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	...
	44	Kandi	5,903	5,884	11,787	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	45	Jangipur	5,167	5,573	10,739	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jessore ...	46	Jessore	6,410	3,729	10,139	6	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
	47	Khulna	10,235	5,814	16,049	17	...	1	...	...	8	...	...	...	1
Khulna ...	48	Satkhira	5,548	4,751	10,299	16	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi ...	49	Rajshahi ...	13,881	10,767	24,598	66	...	...	...	...	10	1	...	...	2
Dinajpur ...	50	Dinajpur	10,975	7,051	18,025	16	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	1
Jalpaiguri ...	51	Jalpaiguri ...	8,965	5,555	14,520	13	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling ...	52	Darjeeling ...	13,677	9,381	23,058	39	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur ...	53	Rangpur	12,059	7,017	19,076	20	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Bogra ...	54	Bogra	7,257	5,065	12,322	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
	55	Pabna	10 352	8,991	19,343	15	...	4	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
Pabna ...	56	Sirajganj	13,756	11,762	25,518	60	...	...	...	...	35	...	...	...	...
	57	English Bazar ...	7,869	6,188	14,057	23	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
Malda ...	58	Nawabganj ...	6,081	6,552	12,633	18	1	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
	59	Dacca	67,333	52,117	119,450	379	39	35	...	...	...	2	...	...	9
Dacca ...	60	Narayanganj ...	10,442	11,160	20,602	107	1	17	...	...	2	1	...	...	...
	61	Mymensingh ...	16,597	8,690	25,287	51	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	62	Jamalpur	12,566	10,547	23,113	28	4	1	...	...	15	4	...	...	10
	63	Sherpur	9,768	8,045	17,813	40	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mymensingh	64	Kishorganj ...	10,600	8,918	19,518	23	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	65	Bajitpur	5,946	5,422	11,368	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	66	Tangail	7,543	6,763	14,305	19	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	1
	67	Faridpur	8,773	5,731	14,503	41	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
Faridpur ...	68	Madaripur ...	14,309	10,988	25,297	56	...	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	...
	69	Barisal	17,584	9,160	26,744	15	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Backergunge ...	70	Pirojpur	7,515	6,326	13,841	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong ...	71	Chittagong ...	24,117	11,913	36,030	86	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	72	Comilla	15,533	10,381	25,914	20	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Tippera ...	73	Brahmanbaria ...	13,367	11,047	23,414	60	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	74	Chandpur	10,636	4,482	15,118	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total of month ...	1,769,376	1,049,372	2,818,748	5,284	300	118	6	...	495	93	2	4	86
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	...	...	...	5,702	307	49	3	...	636	78	5	5	61
		Increase + or decrease —.	...	...	...	-418	-7	+69	+3	...	-141	+14	-3	-1	+25

REMARKS.—1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the municipalities and submitted to the Director of Public Health by the Civil Surgeons, and in a few instances are obviously incomplete.

2 The vital statistics of municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been excluded from this statement and incorporated

3. The birth and death ratios per mille per annum have been omitted from this statement according to the Government of India,

CALCUTTA, *the 26th January 1924.*

Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal,

REGISTERED.

Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries, including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Towns.
										Male.	Female.	Total.	Male	Female.	Total.		
8	4	...	...	10	1	...	2	...	16	31	28	59	30	34	64	41	Berhampur.
15	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	9	17	18	28	46	42	Murshidabad.
...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	11	7	18	9	17	26	43	Azimganj.
7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	10	4	14	17	13	30	44	Kandi.
10	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	7	6	13	7	10	17	45	Jangipur.
...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	10	4	14	16	6	22	46	Jessore.
1	2	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	10	6	16	15	4	19	47	Khulna.
...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7	5	12	7	5	12	48	Satkhira.
...	3	...	...	1	1	3	2	3	3	17	16	33	30	16	46	49	Rajshahi
8	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	5	10	11	21	6	9	15	50	Dinajpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	6	7	13	9	7	16	51	Jalpaiguri.
1	1	...	...	7	2	1	...	...	14	12	14	26	20	17	37	52	Darjeeling.
...	2	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	7	11	9	20	7	11	18	53	Rangpur.
19	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	8	15	16	31	12	23	35	54	Bogra.
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	8	7	15	11	25	36	55	Pabna.
...	5	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	17	35	28	63	20	13	33	56	Sirajganj.
11	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	10	11	21	8	12	20	57	English Bazar.
...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	7	5	12	7	3	10	58	Nawabganj.
142	38	6	..	16	4	7	5	4	106	196	178	374	147	176	323	59	Dacca.
19	2	2	...	2	...	2	1	...	18	35	31	66	40	40	80	60	Narayanganj.
21	2	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	7	22	15	37	13	12	25	61	Mymensingh.
1	3	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	11	22	27	49	42	27	69	62	Jamalpur.
18	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	18	12	30	15	4	19	63	Sherpur.
6	5	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	6	10	8	18	10	9	19	64	Kishorganj.
4	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	8	4	12	5	5	10	65	Bajitpur.
2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	5	9	7	13	20	66	Tangail.
7	1	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	10	11	15	26	6	6	12	67	Faridpur.
5	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	12	11	20	31	14	19	33	68	Madaripur.
10	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	19	7	26	18	8	26	69	Barisal.
2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	4	2	6	4	4	8	70	Pirojpur.
13	3	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	23	17	25	42	31	31	62	71	Chittagong.
3	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	8	5	13	17	8	25	72	Comilla.
33	2	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	11	28	25	48	35	27	62	73	Brahmanbaria.
7	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	7	4	11	4	3	7	74	Chandpur.
965	356	249	24	396	217	415	112	33	1,714	2,884	2,390	5,274	...	...	...		
810	320	172	93	347	217	432	94	11	1,756	2,781	2,317	5,098	..	...	...		
+145	+37	+77	-69	+49	equal	-17	+18	+22	-42	+103	+73	+176	...	...	...		

Taken as a whole, the statement possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of case

In the returns for districts as ordered in Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, letter No. 118 San., dated the 6th February 1918.
Education Department, letter No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Vital statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 19th January 1924.

District.	No.	Towns	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths registered.																								
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total	Total of corresponding week of the previous year. Male.	Female.	Total
Calcutta	1	Calcutta	617,599	290,261	907,851	295	22	23	—	—	21	4	—	—	11	34	46	3	7	74	24	75	16	1	191	331	199	530	297	216	513
Burdwan	2	Asansol Mining Settlement	176,814	152,539	329 553	131	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	3	1	—	—	4	—	6	1	—	29	24	22	46	50	33	83
Howrah	3	Howrah	138,472	66,829	195,301	93	4	3	—	—	6	3	—	—	—	17	4	5	—	14	1	11	3	1	29	60	40	100	74	59	133
Dacca	4	Dacca	67,333	52,117	119,450	76	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	3	—	—	4	3	1	—	1	20	26	24	50	29	22	51
24-Parganas	5	Maniktala	40,996	26,376	67,372	22	—	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	2	1	2	—	1	4	10	—	—	16	20	25	45	28	22	50
	6	Bhatpara	45,723	19,586	65,609	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	5	6	4	10	4	7	11
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur	36,289	20,185	56,474	15	1	3	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	7	1	2	—	—	—	6	—	—	18	24	15	39	10	4	14
	8	Titagarh	36,533	15,918	52,451	17	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	7	24	10	5	15

CALCUTTA, *the 31st January 1924.*

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 26th January 1924.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
20th January ...	7 A.M.	6·9	6·9	7·4	Zero is placed at mean sea level.
21st ,, ...	7 ,,	6·9	6·9	7·4	
22nd ,, ...	7 ,,	7·1	7·1	7·3	The bench mark for this gauge is marked on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
23rd ,, ...	7 ,,	7·1	7·1	7·3	
24th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·0	7·0	7·2	
25th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·0	7·0	7·0	
26th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·2	7·2	6·8	Its reduced level is 26·84.

Highest water level of the year	...	...	24·1.
Lowest water level of the year	...	...	5·7
Highest recorded flood	...	...	24·1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood	...	...	25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Lowest recorded water-level	...	...	5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923
Previous recorded low water-level	...	...	1·0 on the 8th February 1914.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

B. B. MUKHERJEE, *Subdivisional Officer,*

RAJBARI, *the 26th January 1924.* *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 26th January 1924.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
20th January ...	7 A.M.	39·45	39·45	37·60	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet above Kidderpore old dock sill.
21st ,, ...	7 ,,	39·45	39·45	37·55	
22nd ,, ...	7 ,,	39·40	39·40	37·45	B. M. on Rajshahi College step 64·93.
23rd ,, ...	7 ,,	39·35	39·35	37·40	
24th ,, ...	7 ,,	39·30	39·30	37·40	Value of zero = 0·00 P. W. D.
25th ,, ...	7 ,,	39·25	39·25	37·35	
26th ,, ...	7 ,,	39·20	39·20	37·35	

			Old value		According to P W D. datum.
The previous year's	Highest water-level	...	on 27th August 1923	...	61·06
Do.	Lowest ,,	...	on 4th May 1923	...	35·80
Record	Highest ,,	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879	...	64·44
Do.	Do. ,,	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885	...	64·27
Do.	Do. ,,	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906	...	63·47
Do	Do. ,,	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890	...	63·40
Do	Lowest ,,	...	37·68 on 25th April 1884	...	32·87
Do.	Do ,,	...	38·18 on 14th and 15th April 1888	...	33·32
Do.	Do. ,,	...	39·02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	...	34·21
Do.	Do. ,,	...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	...	34·47
Do.	Do. ,,	...	on 9th May 1922	...	34·70

N.B. —The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

S. M. HOSSAIN, for *Subdivisional Officer,*

RAMPUR-BOALIA, *the 26th January 1924.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 19th January 1924.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1924.							
13th Jan.	52·53	15-45	53·75	9-55	52·2	53·45	H. T. at 18-55. F. T. at 10-8.
14th ,, ...	52·5	16-30	53·65	10-35	52·15	13 3	H. T. at 16-35. F. T. at 10-50.
15th ,, ...	52·5	Dark		11-20	52·0	52 6	F. T. at 11-30.
16th ,, ...	52·7	6-30	52·95	12-15	51·85	52·0	H. T. at 6-38. F. T. at 12-40.
17th ,, ...	52·4	7 25	52·53	13-25	51·45	51·8	H. T. at 7-30. F. T. at 13-30.
18th ,, ...	52·0	8-35	52·6	14-35	51·6	51·9	H. T. at 8-38. F. T. at 14-45.
19th ,, ...	51·83	9-43	52·9	15-50	51·7	51·85	H. T. at 9-30. F. T. at 16.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

High.				Low.			
27th August	1906	...	70·5	23rd February	1907	...	51·06
5th September	1909	...	67·86	18th ,,	1908	...	51·06
10th August	1910	...	69·86	12th March	1912	...	51·06
1st ,,	1911	...	68 46	6th ,,	1914	...	50 60
18th ,,	1912	...	67·16	22nd February	1915	...	50·30
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7	15th ,,	1916	...	50·60
18th ,,	1916	...	68·1	3rd March	1917	...	51·0
12th ,,	1917	...	67·1	21st February	1918	...	51·40
31st ,,	1918	...	69·12	26th ,,	1919	...	50·4
2nd ,,	1919	...	66·8	18th ,,	1920	...	50·9
8th September	1920	...	66·9	19th ,,	1921	...	50·9
28th July	1921	...	68·4	8th March	1922	...	51·06
10th August	1922	...	68·00				

Taken at high tide.

Taken at low tide

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48·51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

S. C. MAZUMDAR, *Executive Engineer,*
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 28th January 1924.*

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTIFICATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 7(*4*) of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 that the Corporation of Calcutta have re-elected Raja Reshee Case Law, C.I.E., M.L.C., as a member of the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta, under section 7 (*1*) (*a*) of the said Act.

T. EMERSON, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 30th January 1924.*

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

IN compliance with the provisions of section 55 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, read with section 53 (*4*), it is hereby notified for general information that at a by-election held on Saturday, the 2nd February 1924, Dr. Harendra Nath Dass, M.D., has been duly returned as a Commissioner of the Corporation to represent Ward No. 9, in place of Dr. Haridhan Dutt, Rai Bahadur, appointed as Chairman of the Corporation.

HARIDHAN DUTT, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 4th February 1924.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

during February 1924.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
February.	HOURS.		
9th, Saturday to 13th, Wednesday.	...	Halt at Dacca.	
14th, Thursday ...	8-0	Leave Dacca ...	By special steamer.
	19-0	Arrive Goalundo.	

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
February.	HOURS.		
14th, Thursday ...	20-50	Leave Goalundo ...	By special train.
15th, Friday ...	7-16	Arrive Sealdah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Countess of Lytton.*
Lady Hermione Bulwer-Lytton.*
Lady Davina Bulwer-Lytton.*
Lieut.-Col. J. Mackenzie, C.I.E., Military Secretary.*
Mr. H R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Private Secretary.
Major E. H. V. Hodge, I.M S., Surgeon.*
Major H. G. Benton, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain S. B. Horn, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.*
Captain G. B. Fyldes, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.*
Captain D. W. M. Prinsep, Aide-de-Camp.*
Captain H. Bruce Johnstone, Aide-de-Camp.*

(2) Letters and telegrams for the party should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

(3) All arrivals and departures will be private.

* Will not go to Mymensingh.

J. MACKENZIE, LIEUT.-COL.,
Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 30th January 1924.*

Dacca.

No. 881A.R.—The 5th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to appoint the following three persons as Commissioners for the enquiry into the petition presented by Babu Shyam Chand Basak against the election of Rai Pyari Lal Das Bahadur, M.B.E, for the Dacca City non-Muhammadan constituency, namely :—

Mr. J. F. Graham, I.C.S., District Judge, Dacca, *President.*
Mr. Satindra Nath Guha, Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca.
Rai Kamala Nath Das Bahadur, retired Small Cause Court Judge.

His Excellency the Governor is further pleased under rule 38 of the said rules to appoint Dacca as the place where the enquiry shall be held.

Dinajpur.

No. 914A.R.—The 8th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) and (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, the Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. E. Milsom, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur, as the President of the Commissioners to enquire into the petition presented by Maulvi Yaquinuddin Ahmed against the election of Maulvi Kader Bux to the Bengal Legislative Council for the Dinajpur Muhammadan constituency.

The Governor is further pleased, under rule 38 of the said rules, to appoint Dinajpur as the place where the enquiry shall be held.

No. 917A.R.—The 8th February 1924.—Under the provisions of section 93 of the Government of India Act, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mr. Nalini Bhushan Gupta, C.I.E., of his office of member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 920A.R.—The 8th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 26 (*2*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Herbert Philip Duval, C I.E., I.C.S., an official, to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 3146A.—The 8th February 1924.—His Excellency the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to appoint Captain G. B. Fyldes, M.C., 3rd-11th Sikhs, Extra Aide-de-Camp, to be an Aide-de-Camp on His Excellency's personal staff, with effect from the 5th December 1923.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3078A.—The 7th February 1924.—Mr. A. N. Moberly, I.C.S., is appointed substantively to be a Commissioner of a Division, with effect from the 30th December 1923.

C. W. GURNER,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 3231A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2961A.—The 5th February 1924.*—Mr. Nalini Kanta Basu, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Asansol, Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to act as District and Sessions Judge of the Hooghly district.

Burdwan. Hooghly.

No. 2964A.—The 5th February 1924.—Babu Jitendra Nath Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is appointed to have charge of the Kalna subdivision of the Burdwan district.

24-Parganas. Burdwan.

No. 2967A.—The 5th February 1924.—Babu Lalit Kumar Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kalna, Burdwan, is transferred to the headquarters station of that district.

Burdwan.

No. 2976A.—The 5th February 1924.—Babu Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Presidency Division.

Presy. Divn.

No. 2986A.—The 5th February 1924.—The services of Mr. H. P. Duval, C.I.E., I.C.S., Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, and Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department.

No. 2989A.—The 5th February 1924.—The services of Mr. J. F. Graham, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department.

Dacca.

No. 3028A.—The 6th February 1924.—Mr. R. Douglas, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Malda.

Malda.

No. 3049A.—The 6th February 1924.—Mr. R. H. Hutchings, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Political and Appointment Departments.

No. 3064A.—The 6th February 1924.—Mr. Phanindra Mohan Chatarji, officiating Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Third Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas.

Dacca. 24-Parganas.

No. 3067A.—The 6th February 1924.—Mr. Baman Das Mukharji, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Rangpur, is appointed temporarily to act as District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad.

Rangpur. Murshidabad.

No. 3070A.—The 6th February 1924.—Mr. Satindra Nath Guha, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, on leave, is appointed temporarily to act as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 3080A.—The 7th February 1924.—Babu Bimal Chandra Sinha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Jessore district.

Jessore.

No. 3084A.—The 7th February 1924.—Mr. Probodh Chandra De, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly.

Murshidabad. 24-Parganas and Hooghly.

No. 3089A.—The 7th February 1924.—Mr. A. W. Cook, C.I.E., I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Commissioner of the Chittagong Division.

Chittagong Divn.

No. 3092A.—The 7th February 1924.—Mr. L. B. Burrows, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district on being relieved of his present appointment as officiating Magistrate and Collector of that district.

Chittagong.

No. 3164A.—The 8th February 1924.—Khan Bahadur Abu Ali Muhammad Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Madaripur, Faridpur, is appointed to be Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Department of Agriculture and Industries.

Faridpur.

No. 3167A.—The 8th February 1924.—Khan Bahadur Asad-uz-Zaman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Madaripur subdivision of the Faridpur district, on being relieved of his duties as Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Department of Agriculture and Industries.

Faridpur.

POLICE.—*No. 3185A.—The 11th February 1924.*—Mr. Sukumar Gupta, probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, is posted to the headquarters station of the Bankura district on the termination of his training in the Police Training College, Sardah.

Bankura.

No. 3186A.—The 11th February 1924.—Mr. T. J. Clark, probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is transferred to Kharagpur, Midnapore, and is appointed to have charge of the police work of the "B" circle of the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Dacca.
Midnapore.

No. 3187A.—The 11th February 1924.—Mr. V. W. F. Hicks, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Kharagpur, Midnapore, is transferred to the Narayanganj subdivision of the Dacca district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

Midnapore.
Dacca.

CONFIRMATION.

POLICE.—*No. 3129A.—The 7th February 1924.*—Babu Upendra Kumar Basu is confirmed as a Deputy Superintendent of Police with effect from the 15th November 1923.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2949A.—The 4th February 1924.*—Babu Satis Chandra Guha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for twenty-eight months, viz., leave on average pay for two months and one day, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 8th March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Midnapore.

No. 3025A.—The 6th February 1924.—Mr. A. L. Blank, I.C.S., officiating Magistrate and Collector, Malda, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months (of which one month and four days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Malda.

No. 3046A.—The 6th February 1924.—Mr. J. Peddie, I.C.S., Under Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Political and Appointment Departments, is allowed leave on average pay, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 16th February 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it to the 1st October 1924, inclusive.

No. 3074A.—The 7th February 1924.—In line 2 of the Appointment Department notification No. 2655A., dated the 25th January 1924, published at page 171, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 30th January 1924, *for* "24-Parganas" *read* "Meherpur, Nadia."

No. 3126A.—The 7th February 1924.—Maulvi Ahmad Hussain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on probation, Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for four days, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Dacca.

No. 3156A.—The 8th February 1924.—In modification of the orders contained in notification No. 13645A., dated the 8th December 1923, Babu Gyanendra Nath Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jamalpur, Mymensingh, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months and sixteen days (including privilege leave for four months and sixteen days at his credit), under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Mymensingh.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2979A.—The 5th February 1924.*—Reverend J. W. Ingram is allowed leave for one year, viz., leave on average pay for eight months, including privilege leave for four months, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st April 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

No. 3002A.—The 6th February 1924.—The Ven'ble John Godber, Archdeacon of Calcutta, is allowed leave for ten months, viz, leave on average pay for eight months, including privilege leave for one month and four days, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 15th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Calcutta.

RETIREMENT.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2982A.—The 5th February 1924.*—The Reverend C. G. Stokoe, a senior Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, has been permitted to retire from the service with effect from the 1st January 1924.

Calcutta.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3135A.—The 7th February 1924.—Babu Achyuta Nath Adhikari, head master, High School, Darjeeling, having passed an examination in the Lepcha language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, is authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 1,000.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 509Pl.—The 7th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Baidyabazar police-station, in the district of Dacca, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the villages specified in the following schedule which have hitherto been included in that police-station shall be included in the police-station Rupganj, in the same district :—

Dacca.

Schedule.

Names of villages.	Jurisdiction list number of thana Narayanganj.		Names of villages.	Jurisdiction list number of thana Narayanganj.	
Char Gandharbapur	...	1	Maukuli	...	11
Gandharbapur	...	2	Khadan	...	12
Naogaon	...	3	Uttar Rupsi	...	13
Deboi	...	4	Dakshin Rupsi	...	14
Karnagop	...	5	Noapara	...	15
Tetlaba	...	6	Dighi Baraba	...	16
Masaba	...	7	Taraba	...	17
Ariaba	...	8	Jatramura	...	18
Barpa	...	9	Tatki	...	19
Sutalara	...	10	Airaba	...	39

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Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3232A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2970A.—The 5th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Bazlur Rahman, No. I, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate in the district of Rajshahi, to be a Special Magistrate for the districts of Pabna, Rajshahi and Mymensingh for a term not exceeding six months, and confers upon him the powers of a Magistrate of the first class in respect of offences under Chapter XVII of the Indian Penal Code within the said districts.

Rajshahi. Pabna. Mymensingh.

POWERS.

No. 2974A.—The 6th February 1924.—Babu Sudhansu Bimal Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, on probation, Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

Chittagong.

No. 2997A.—The 5th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Kiran Kumar Ghosh, a Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Dacca, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the inquiry or trial.

Dacca.

No. 2999A.—The 5th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Ali Sulaimanjah, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Dacca, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the inquiry or trial.

Dacca.

No. 3052A.—The 6th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Manomohan Mukharji, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate, and also a Magistrate of the second class at Kalna, in the district of Burdwan, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the inquiry or trial.

Burdwan.

No. 3122A.—The 7th February 1924.—Babu Akhil Chandra Gangali, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

Bakarganj.

No. 3140A.—The 7th February 1924.—The Deputy Magistrates, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class :—

Burdwan.

Babu Subodh Kumar Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate, Burdwan.

„ Hirendra Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate, on probation, Burdwan.

No. 3153A.—The 8th February 1924.—Babu Jamini Mohan Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate, Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Mymensingh.

No. 3159A.—The 8th February 1924.—Babu Akhil Chandra Das, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Dacca, is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

Dacca.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1377J.—The 5th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 628 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to appoint Khan Sahib Maulvi Abul Hasnat Muhammad Abdul Hye, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, to act as Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, during the absence on leave of Khan Bahadur Abu Nasr Muhammad Ali, or until further orders,

Murshidabad. Calcutta.

(*b*) to prescribe the Town Hall, Calcutta, as the place, and 11 A.M. to 2 P.M. on Saturdays and 11 A.M. to 5 P.M. on the other days of the week (except Sundays) as the times, respectively, at which the said Magistrate shall sit for the despatch of business.

No. 1402J.—The 6th February 1924.—Babu Mahendra Nath Mukhati, munsif of Pirojpur, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Noakhali.

Bakarganj. Noakhali.

No. 1405J.—The 6th February 1924.—Babu Amulya Kumar Bhattacharji, M.Sc., B L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a munsif in the district of Bakarganj, to be ordinarily stationed at Pirojpur.

Bakarganj.

No. 1412J.—The 7th February 1924.—Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, munsif of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to be a munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Howrah.

Bakarganj. Hooghly.

No. 1415J.—The 7th February 1924.—Babu Basanta Bihari Mukharji, munsif of Howrah, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed to be a munsif in the district of Bakarganj, to be ordinarily stationed at Barisal.

Hooghly. Bakarganj.

No. 1418J.—The 11th February 1924.—Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, munsif of Serajganj, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, now acting as Subordinate Judge of Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Hooghly.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 1468J.—The 11th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Jonab Ali Ahmed the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Rajshahi, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

Rajshahi.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Rajshahi Sadar bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1470J.—The 8th February 1924.—Mr. P C. D', I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed to perform the functions of a principal Civil Court of Original Jurisdiction under section 3, clause (*d*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, within the limits of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 1475J.—The 11th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Surendra Kumar Ray the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Pabna, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Serajganj subdivision of the said district,

Pabna.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Serajganj bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1487J.—The 11th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Saiyid Ahsan Meerza, an Honorary Magistrate of the Lalbagh bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Murshidabad, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Lalbagh subdivision of the said district, and

Murshidabad.

(*b*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1489J.—The 11th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Kshitish Chandra Tagore, an Honorary Magistrate of the Lalbagh bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Murshidabad, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Lalbagh subdivision of the said district, and

Murshidabad.

(*b*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1491J.—The 11th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Kumar Nripendra Narayan Sinha, an Honorary Magistrate of the Lalbagh bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Murshidabad, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Lalbagh subdivision of the said district, and

Murshidabad.

(*b*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1575J.—The 12th February 1924.—The services of Dr. T. Thornhill, LL.D., Bar.-at-Law, Chief Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, in the Home Department, with effect from the forenoon of the 12th February 1924.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

No. 1428J.—The 26th January 1924.—Babu Surendra Nath Roy, munsif of Narail, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave on average pay, on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on article 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for three months, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Jessore.

RESIGNATION.

No. 1473J.—The 7th February 1924.—The Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Maulvi Abdus Sobhan of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Naogaon bench, in the district of Rajshahi.

Rajshahi.

H. P. DUVAL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1480J.—The 8th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union board mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be a union bench within the jurisdiction of the union board of which they are members, for the purposes of that section :—

Dacca.

District Dacca.

Name of the subdivision.	Name of union board.	Names of members.
Munshiganj ...	Kukutia ...	1. Babu Ramakanta Chakravarty. 2. „ Sashikanta Sarkar. 3. Munshi Garib Hussain Khan.

No. 1481J.—The 8th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union board mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be a union court within the jurisdiction of the union board of which they are members, for the purposes of that section : —

Dacca.

District Dacca.

Name of the subdivision.	Name of union board.	Names of members.
Munshiganj ...	Kukutia ...	1. Babu Ramakanta Chakravarty. 2. „ Sashikanta Sarkar. 3. Munshi Garib Hussain Khan.

No. 1512J.—The 11th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members, of the union board mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be a union bench within the jurisdiction of the union board of which they are members, for the purposes of that section.

2. This notification will take effect from the date of the first meeting of the reconstituted union board at which a quorum is present:—

District Dacca.

Name of the subdivision.	Name of union board.	Name of members.
Narayanganj ...	Dulalpur ...	(1) Munshi Mahomad Ebadulla. (2) Babu Jadu Nath Das. (3) Munshi Mahomad Maqubali Mridha.

No. 1513J.—The 11th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union board mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be a union court within the jurisdiction of the union board of which they are members for the purposes of that section.

2. This notification will take effect from the date of the first meeting of the reconstituted union board at which a quorum is present :—

District Dacca.

Name of the subdivision.	Name of union board.	Names of members.
Narayanganj ...	Dulalpur ...	(1) Munshi Mahomad Ebadulla. (2) Babu Jadu Nath Das. (3) Munshi Mahomad Maqubali Mridha.

H. P. DUVAL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 535M.—The 6th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of section 86 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in accordance with the recommendations of the Commissioners of the Gaibandha Municipality, in the district of Rangpur, made at a meeting, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to sanction the levy, by the Commissioners of said municipality,—

Rangpur.

(*i*) of a tax, under section 131 of the Act, on carriages, horses and other animals ; and

(*ii*) of a fee, under section 142 of the Act, on the registration of carts,

with effect from the 1st April 1924.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 538M.—The 6th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Gaibandha Municipality, in the district of Rangpur, made in pursuance of a resolutio passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend all the provisions of Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act to the said municipality.

Rangpur.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 546M.—The 6th February 1924.—In pursuance of section 63, sub-section (7) of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), as amended by the Calcutta Improvement (Amendment) Act, 1915 (Bengal Act III of 1915), it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (6) of that section, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to sanction the plan of proposed public street No. 1 (Cossipore-Chitpur) within the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality as notified by the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta in their notice, dated the 16th February 1923, published at page 417 of the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th March 1923, and republished at page 419 of the said Gazette of the 14th March 1923, subject to the modification that the alignment has been shifted so that its eastern boundary should run from the south-eastern corner of Anath Deb Lane, so as to meet the Cossipore-Chitpur open space at the same point as the eastern boundary as shown on the plan.

2. The proposed public street so modified will pass through the following municipal holdings:—

Name of streets.		Number of municipal holdings.
Anath Nath Deb Lane	...	1-1, 2-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 3-7, 3-8, 3-9, 3-12, 3-15, 3-16, 4A and 4-1.
Belgachia Road	...	30, 31, 31-2, 31-3 and 32.
South Paikpara Road	...	14.

3. The plan as now sanctioned may be inspected at the office of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Mymensingh.

No. 548M.—The 7th February 1924.—The Commissioners of the Muktagacha Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, having recommended at a meeting held on the 14th July 1923, that a local area, viz., portion of the mauza Payarkandi, which is contiguous to the municipality and the boundaries of which are hereinafter described, should be included within its boundaries, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*c*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), to declare its intention to give effect to the said recomendation. The area is bounded on the—

North—The Aiman river and the mauza Paratangi R. S. No. 133.

East—Mauza Paikasimail R. S. No. 148.

South—Settlement plots Nos. 165, 163, 162, 161, 156, 154, 153, 152, 150 and 133 of mauza Payarkandi R. S. No. 130.

West—Plots Nos. 278, 281, 342, 343, 353, 354, 747, 748 of mauza Paratangi R. S. No. 133 and plots Nos. 77, 78, 79, 80 of mauza Iswargram R. S. No. 129.

2. The boundaries of the Muktagacha municipality after the inclusion of the said area will be as follows:—

North—The north bank of the Aiman river.

East—The south-eastern limits of Iswargram R. S. No. 129 and southern limit of a kutcha road, settlement plot No. 132 of mauza Payarkandi R. S. No. 130 and the western limit of Paikasimail R. S. No. 148 and the east bank of the Aiman river.

South—The southern limits of Nandibari R. S. No. 128 and of Iswargram R. S. No. 129.

West—Western limits of Lakhikhola R. S. No. 134 and of Nandibari R. S. No. 128.

3. Any rate-payer of the said municipality or any inhabitant of the said local area who objects to the inclusion of the said local area within the said municipality should submit his objection in writing through the District Magistrate to the undersigned before the 16th March 1924.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 551M.—The 7th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 (*2*) (*c*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Mr. Saiyid Erfan Ali, who is a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, to be a member of the General Committee of the Corporation, *vice* Prince Afsar-ul-Mulk Mirza Muhammad Akram Hussain Bahadur, resigned.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 557M.—The 13th February 1924.—In accordance with the proviso to sub-section (*3*) of section 1 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, as amended by the Calcutta Municipal (No. II) Act, 1923, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to call upon the constituencies named below to elect Councillors to the Corporation of Calcutta before the 31st March 1924 :—

Name of constituency.	Extent of constituency.	Number of Councillors to be elected.
A.—Non-Muhammadan Constituencies.		
	Ward No.	
Shampukur	1	One.
Kumartuli	2	One.
Bartola	3	One.
Sukeas Street	4	One.
Jorabagan	5	One.
Jorasanko	6	One.
Bara Bazar	7	Three.
Colootola	8	Two.
Muchipara	9	Two.
Bowbazar	10	One.
Puddapukur	11	One.
Waterloo Street	12	One.
Fenwick Bazar	13	One.
Taltola	14	One.
Kalinga	15	One.
Park Street	16	One.
Bamun Bustee	17	One.
Tangra	18	One.
Entally	19	One.
Beniapukur	20	One.
Ballyganj	21	One.
Bhowanipur	22	Three.
Alipore	23	One.
Ekbalpur	24	One.
Watganj and Hastings	25	One.
Garden Reach	26	Two.
Tollyganj	27	One.
Baliaghata	28	Two.
Maniktala	29	One.
Belgachia	30	Two.
Satpukur	31	One
Cossipur	32	Two.
B.—Muhammadan Constituencies.		
Muhammadan constituency No. I—		
Shampukur	1	One.
Kumartuli	2	One.
Bartola	3	One.
Sukeas Street	4	One.
Jorabagan	5	One.
Jorasanko	6	One.
Bara Bazar	7	One.
Muhammadan constituency No. II—		
	Ward No.	
Colootola	8	Four.
Muchipara	9	Four.
Bowbazar	10	Four.
Puddapukur	11	Four.
Waterloo Street	12	Four.
Muhammadan constituency No. III—		
Fenwick Bazar	13	Two.
Taltola	14	Two.
Kalinga	15	Two.
Park Street	16	Two.
Bamun Bustee	17	Two.
Tangra	18	Two.
Entally	19	Two.
Beniapukur	20	Two.
Muhammadan constituency No. IV—		
Ballyganj	21	Three.
Bhowanipur	22	Three.
Alipore	23	Three.
Ekbalpur	24	Three.
Watganj and Hastings	25	Three.
Tollyganj	27	Three.
Muhammadan constituency No. V—		
Beliaghata	28	Two.
Maniktala	29	Two.
Muhammadan constituency No. VI—		
Belgachia	30	One.
Satpukur	31	One.
Cossipur	32	One.
Muhammadan constituency No. VII—		
Garden Reach	26	Two.
C.—Special Constituencies.		
Bengal Chamber of Commerce	Non-territorial.	Six.
Calcutta Trades Association.	Do	Four.
Calcutta Port Commissioners.	Do.	Two.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 558M.—The 13th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*c*) of order No. 3 of the orders issued by the Government of Bengal under section 44 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923 (Bengal Act III of 1923), for the holding of the first elections under the said Act, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to fix the 17th March 1924, as the date for the recording of votes in all the constituencies of the Corporation of Calcutta.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 559M.—The 13th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of order No. 3 of the orders issued by the Government of Bengal under section 44 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923 (Bengal Act III of 1923), for the holding of the first elections under the said Act, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to fix the 21st February 1924 as the date by which candidates should be nominated for all constituencies of the Corporation of Calcutta and by which nomination papers should be delivered to the Returning Officers, and the 25th and the 26th February 1924 as the dates on which the scrutiny of nominations shall be held.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MEDICAL.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 446Medl.—The 7th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Rash Behari Bakshi, officiating Civil Surgeon, is transferred from Tippera to Khulna, *vice* Dr. Kali Mohan Sen, granted leave.

Tippera. Khulna.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 448Medl.—The 7th February 1924.—Dr. Kali Mohan Sen, Civil Surgeon, Khulna, is allowed leave on average pay for six weeks (on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 13th February 1924 or from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

Khulna.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

PUBLIC HEALTH.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 241P.H.—The 8th February 1924.—Babu Kali Prasanna Ray, M.A., is appointed substantively as the Publicity Officer for Public Health work in Bengal, with effect from the 1st October 1923.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 2251, dated Calcutta, the 4th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Mohan Mukharji is appointed to be additional Assistant Surgeon, Sambhu Nath Pandit Hospital, Bhowanipur, with effect from the 15th January 1924, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Pramathes Kumar Bhattacherji.

No. 2274, dated Calcutta, the 4th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Khagendra Narayan Ghosh is appointed as Emergency Officer, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, with effect from the 8th January 1924, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Narayan Chandra Mitra.

No. 2276, dated Calcutta, the 4th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Narayan Chandra Mitra, Additional Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, held charge of the duties of the Emergency Officer of the Medical College Hospitals, in addition to his own, from the 4th to the 7th January 1924, both days inclusive.

No. 2593, dated Calcutta, the 8th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Hemendra Nath Chatterji is granted leave on average pay for six weeks (on medical certificate), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the four months' leave on average pay already granted to him in this department notification No. 12643, dated the 28th August 1923.

B. H. DEARE,

Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 449Edn.—The 3rd February 1924.—Mr. Matloob Ahmad Khan Chaudhuri, Second Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, is allowed leave on average pay (entirely on account of privilege leave at his credit) up to the 28th February 1924, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave already granted to him.

Dacca Divn.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 465Edn.—The 8th February 1924.—Dr. Aditya Nath Mukharji, Professor in the Presidency College, is appointed to be Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta, *vice* Pandit Ashutosh Shastri, about to retire.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 467Edn.—The 4th February 1924.—Miss Hiranmoyee Sen, head mistress Bethune Collegiate School, in the Bengal Educational Service (Women's branch), is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate for three months, with effect from the 19th November 1923, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 468Edn.—The 4th February 1924.—Miss Daisy Bose, assistant head mistress, Bethune Collegiate School, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service (Women's branch) as head mistress of the same school, *vice* Miss Hiranmoyee Sen, on leave, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 471Edn.—The 3rd February 1924.—Maulvi Abdul Latif, Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Burdwan Division (Chinsura), was allowed leave on average pay for twenty-seven days, with effect from the 2nd November 1923, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Burdwan Divn.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 473Edn.—The 7th February 1924.—Maulvi Daliluddin Ahmed (II), Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Pabna Sadar, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as District Inspector of Schools, Malda, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Halim, transferred, or until further orders.

Pabna.
Malda.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 488Edn.—The 5th February 1924.—The Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint the following members to constitute the Governing Body of the Hooghly Madrasah for the year 1924 :—

1.	The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division	... President (*ex officio*).
2.	The Principal, Hooghly College	... (*Ex officio*).
3.	Maulvi A. M. Muhammad Asad, M.A.	... Representative of the staff.
4.	Maulvi Muhammad Irfan, M.A.	... Professor, Hooghly College.
5.	Khan Bahadur Mazharul Anwar Chaudhuri, B.L.	
6.	Maulvi Syed Altaf Hosain	... Mutwally, Hooghly Imambara.
7.	Maulvi Abu Muhammad Hossainuddin Haider...	Deputy Magistrate, Hooghly.
8.	The Superintendent, Hooghly Madrasah	... Secretary (*ex officio*).

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 503Edn.—The 11th February 1924.—Babu Birendra Nath Sen, head master, Dinajpur Zilla School, is appointed to be head master, Rajshahi Collegiate School, with effect from the 12th February 1924 or any subsequent date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Chinta Haran Chakravarti (I) under order of retirement.

Dinajpur.
Rajshahi.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 504Edn.—The 11th February 1924.—Babu Kumud Chandra Sen, officiating head master, Krishnagar Collegiate School, is appointed substantively to the Bengal Educational Service as head master, Dinajpur Zilla School, *vice* Babu Birendra Nath Sen, transferred.

Nadia.
Dinajpur.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 505Edn.—The 11th February 1924.—Babu Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta, assistant head master, Hare School, Calcutta, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as head master, Krishnagar Collegiate School, with effect from the 12th February 1924 or any subsequent date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Maulvi Fakhruddin Ahmad, on deputation, or until further orders.

Calcutta. Nadia.

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 81.—The 5th February 1924.—Babu Tara Kumar Ray, retired Sub-Registrar of Chitosi, in the district of Tippera, was on leave on average pay for nine days from the 23rd to 31st December 1923 (both days inclusive), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Tippera.

No. 82.—The 6th February 1924.—Maulvi Abdul Latif Khan, Sub-Registrar of Sitakund, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for twenty-five days (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 5th March 1924 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Chittagong.

No. 83.—The 6th February 1924.—Babu Bimal Chandra Nag, Sub-Registrar attached to Mymensingh, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Durgapur, in that district, with effect from the 18th January 1924.

Mymensingh.

No. 84.—The 6th February 1924.—Babu Girindra Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar of Potashpur, in the district of Midnapore, officiating at Haripal, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave on average pay for three months and one day, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 468, dated the 12th October 1923.

Midnapore. Hooghly.

No. 85.—The 6th February 1924.—Babu Kalipada Basu Ray, Sub-Registrar attached to Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for fifteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 21, dated the 19th January 1924.

Dacca.

No. 86.—The 6th February 1924.—Babu Banka Chandra Ray, Sub-Registrar of Kendua, in the district of Mymensingh, was on leave on average pay from the 4th October 1923 to the 4th November 1923 (both days inclusive), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

This cancels this department notification No. 469, dated the 12th October 1923, on the subject.

Mymensingh.

No. 87.—The 6th February 1924.—Babu Sasanka Sekhar Batabyal, Sub-Registrar attached to Burdwan, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Gopiballavpur, in the district of Midnapore, *vice* Maulvi Abul Faiz, on leave.

Burdwan. Midnapore.

No. 88.—The 7th February 1924.—Babu Sharat Chandra Banarji, Sub-Registrar of Meherpur, in the district of Nadia, is allowed leave on average pay for twenty days (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 17th January 1924.

Nadia.

No. 89.—The 7th February 1924.—Maulvi Gholam Hussain, Sub-Registrar attached to Murshidabad, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Meherpur, in the district of Nadia, with effect from the 28th January 1924, *vice* Babu Sharat Chandra Banarji, on leave.

Murshidabad. Nadia.

J. N. RAY,

Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal (offg.).

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

[Second publication.]

No. 81.—The 28th January 1924.—The following draft of revised rules and rates of tolls for the Calcutta and Eastern Canals, Tolly's Nala and Sundarbans Steamer Route, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Revised Rules and Rates of Tolls.

The rules shall apply to the following navigable channels which are included under the designation "Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala" and the "Sundarbans Steamer Route."

I. The Circular Canal comprising the still-water canals between the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks and the New Cut Canal from Ultadingi to Dhapa Lock, together with its junction with the river Hooghly and Orange Soorah at Dhapa.

II. The Central Lake Channel from its junction with the Circular canal at the Dhapa Lock to its junction with the Bidyadhari at Bamunghatta.

III. The Nowbhanga khal extending northwards for a mile from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock.

IV. The Soorah from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock and extending to the fish market situated adjacent to, and to the west of, the Dhapa Inspector's residence.

V. Tolly's Nala extending from a line drawn across the Nala 25 feet west of the Hastings Bridge at Kidderpore to the Bidyadhari river at Samukpota.

VI. The Kristopore Canal extending from a point in the New Cut Canal, 1 mile 4,700 feet from the Chitpore Lock to a point where it joins the Bhangore khal at Kantatala.

VII. The outfall channel of the Thakurdhari sluice, 4,180 feet in length, extending from a point in village Thakurdhari near the 5th mile-post of the Kristopore Canal to the Thakurdhari sluice on the Paran Chaprasi's khal.

VIII. The Sundarbans Steamer Route as defined in notification No. 71 of the 22nd July 1922.

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1. Every vessel on entering the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala shall be liable to measurement for the purpose of ascertaining the tolls payable ; in case of any reasonable doubt arising, the persons appointed by the Governor in Council to collect tolls and officers to whom such persons are subordinate shall have authority to enter upon and again measure a vessel notwithstanding that it was measured on entering the canals.

2. Vessels for the purposes of the determination of tonnage shall be divided into two classes as below :—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build, including *saltees* and *hapars* (fish cages).

Class II.—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and other square built vessels.

The net tonnage of every vessel, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of Act V (B.C.) of 1864 and of these rules, be determined by the following measurements :—

Class I.—

A.—The product of one quarter the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches : the measurement of breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting any remainder of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which the amount of toll is calculated shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 12½ maunds, any remainder of less than 12½ maunds being rejected. In the case of vessels exceeding 500 maunds by measurement, the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 50 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 50 maunds.

D.—**Saltees.**—The product of one quarter of the inside length of the vessel measured along the centre line from stem to stern, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the greatest depth measured from the top to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which tolls shall be levied.

Class II.—

For vessels of class II the number of maunds obtained by the system of measurement prescribed for vessels of class I, shall be increased by one-half. For vessels of this class above 5,000 maunds measurement the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 500 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 500 maunds. In the case of steamers, the maundage determined as above shall be reduced by one-third as an allowance for engine space.

For vessels of class II which are furnished with reliable way-bills, the gross maundage of cargo shown by the way-bills, or in the case of steamers, the maundage obtained from multiplying the registered tonnage of the steamer by 27, may, at the option of the employer of the vessel or the steamer (as the case may be), be taken as the maundage on which toll will be charged :

Provided that firms or individuals, who wish to make use of this rule, must be approved by the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle, and that such approval may be withdrawn for any just cause.

3. Every vessel entering the canals shall be furnished with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the cargo it contains, the amount of toll charged, and the number of days for which the ticket remains current, shall be entered.

4. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed : Provided that the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle may at his direction permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognised standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

5. The ticket must be kept on board the vessel and must be produced for inspection when demanded by any person authorised to collect tolls, or by any officer to whom such person is subordinate. If on demand the ticket is not produced, such person or officer shall assess the tollage as provided in rule 2 and shall require payment of toll, and unless and until the toll is paid, or the original ticket or a duplicate is produced as evidence that toll has already been paid, the vessel shall be liable to seizure and detention under the provisions of section IX of the Act.

6. Duplicates of lost tickets, of which the numbers and dates can be satisfactorily established, will be granted by the collector of tolls on payment of a sum of one rupee and annas eight. Provided that for tickets on which the total tollage is less than six rupees the fee to be charged for a duplicate shall be one quarter of the total tollage. The minimum fee will be eight annas per ticket.

7. A vessel which has been detained under these rules or under section IX of the Act may not be removed from the canals without the order of the collector of tolls until the toll due has been paid and a ticket obtained for presentation at the exit station. During such detention the manjee, owner or agent must make arrangements for the safety of the vessel and cargo.

8. All vessels, whether the property of Government or of private owners, are liable for toll except those specially exempted under any Government orders in force for the time being.

9. Vessels may be hauled up for repairs on the banks of the canals with the previous written permission of the supervisor appointed by the Governor in Council under section XIII. A rent calculated at one-sixth the rate of ordinary demurrage will be charged for the time the vessel occupies the bank. No vessel may be launched in the canal without the previous written permission of the supervisor.

10. At places where mooring posts have been provided by the supervisor, vessels desiring to moor shall be made fast in single line along the banks to such posts in such manner as the supervisor may direct and shall not be moored in any other manner.

11. The Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle, may fix the limit within which vessels are permitted to remain free of toll, and may also define the limits within which no loading or unloading shall be permitted.

12. No vessel whose extreme breadth including overhanging cargo exceeds 35 feet will be permitted to enter the locks at Chitpore or Dhapa : in the case of the Kulti and Bamunghatta Locks the maximum width allowable is 29 feet.

13. The supervisor may, by written notices to be posted at the toll offices, prohibit the dropping of anchors or the putting up of bamboos or *luggees* in any specified part of the canals or on the banks.

14. Vessels shall be allowed to make fast in single line along the canal banks in such manner as may be directed by the supervisor, and no vessel shall be made fast or be placed outside of vessels so secured. No vessel or raft shall be placed in such a position as to endanger the safety, or obstruct the passage, of other vessels. Every vessel shall at all times have some responsible person on board when the vessel is within the locked canals between toll stations or on Tolly's Nala.

15. Vessels passing through the canals shall keep in separate lines, in accordance with the rules in force as laid down by the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle from time to time.

16. No person shall deposit goods of any description on the berms of the canals between the frontage roads or towpaths and the canals, except during the actual process of loading or unloading vessels, without the previous permission of the supervisor.

17. Iron built cargo boats, with outside angle irons projecting beyond the wooden fenders, will not be allowed to enter the locks unless permanent fenders are fixed over the edges of the angle irons so as to prevent them from causing damage to the lock.

18. No fire or open or unprotected light of any description shall be used on vessels containing petroleum, jute, hay or straw while in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala ; and no fire or open or unprotected light (except in the case of steamers, the galley and engine-room fires and the electric light) shall be used on any vessel while in a lock basin.

19. No person shall wilfully or negligently allow a vessel to sink in the canals. No vessel which is obviously overloaded or unseaworthy will be permitted to proceed along any part of the canals until made safe to the satisfaction of the supervisor or his staff.

20. In every case of a sunken vessel, whether due to negligence or otherwise, the supervisor and his subordinates shall offer every assistance in removing the same.

If three days after the occurrence of a wreck, it is seen that prompt measures are not being taken by the owner to remove the sunken vessel from the line of navigation, the supervisor and his subordinates shall make their own arrangements for the removal of the same at the expense of the owner, provided that when the wreck obstructs the fairway they shall take immediate steps to remove the same.

21. When a sunken vessel has been recovered, the supervisor shall cause notices to be posted at the locks, toll-offices, or other prominent places, calling on those concerned to pay to the collector of tolls all toll or demurrage which may be due, as well as the expenses incurred in the recovery of the vessel and cargo ; should the sum due be not paid within fifteen days of the date of notice, the boat and its furniture, or so much of it as may be necessary for the recovery of the dues, will be sold under the procedure directed in section IX of the Act.

22. The purchaser of a vessel sold under the provisions of section IX of the Act shall have the right to take it out of the canals on the day of purchase, or within such time as may be allowed by the collector of tolls, without payment of tolls.

23. When any laden vessel which has sunk has been recovered or when, any laden vessel has been seized under the provisions of the Act, or of these rules, the supervisor shall give immediate notice of the recovery or seizure to the owner of the cargo or his agent, requiring the removal of the cargo without delay, and informing him that he will be required to pay all expenses necessary for the proper custody and storage of the cargo until removed.

24. If the supervisor be unable to ascertain the name and place of business or the abode of the owner of the cargo of such vessel, the notice prescribed in rule 23 shall be effected by a notice exhibited in his office, and by advertisement in at least one English and one vernacular Calcutta newspaper.

25. Steamers are not allowed to tow flats or cargo boats in the Circular Canal, but may tow one flat or barge at a time astern in the New Cut Canal or Kristopore Canal within toll limits.

26. **Lights and signals.**—All vessels, whether travelling or moored in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala, must, between sunset and sunrise, carry a white light properly protected from the weather on the forepart of the vessel where it can be distinctly seen from all sides. All steam vessels in motion shall carry the lights prescribed by the Board of Trade Regulations. Barges or boats attached to a steam vessel, whether in motion or moored, shall carry the light prescribed above.

27. **Speed of vessels.**—Every vessel proceeding through the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala must, between sunset and sunrise, limit her speed to three miles per hour.

28. For any contravention of rules 7, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 25, 26 and 27 the person in charge of the vessel or other person in fault shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 or Rs. 5 a day for any continuing infringement.

29. No boats will be allowed to remain in the entrance channels to the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks.

30. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given ; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained.

SCHEDULE OF TOLLS.

Tolly's Nala.

No.	Description of vessels.	Entering at Kidderpore.		Entering at Russa.	
		Not proceeding beyond Russa and returning *via* Kidderpore.	Proceeding beyond Russa.	Not proceeding beyond Kidderpore and returning *via* Russa.	Proceeding beyond Kidderpore.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
2	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber.	0 4 0	0 6 0	0 4 0	0 6 0
3	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
4	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred.	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
5	On *saltees* under 25 maunds, each *saltee* ...	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0
6	On *saltees* of 25 maunds and less than 50 maunds, each *saltee*.	0 12 0	1 0 0	0 12 0	1 0 0
7	On *saltees* of 50 maunds and less than 75 maunds, each *saltee*.	1 2 0	1 8 0	1 2 0	1 8 0
8	On *saltees* of 75 maunds and not exceeding 100 maunds, each *saltee*.	1 8 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	2 0 0
9	Minimum toll on all vessels	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0

NOTE 1.—Loaded vessels entering the Nala and again leaving by the station of entry will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement and when leaving will again pay tolls in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty they will be passed out free of any further charge. A boat returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the Nala.

NOTE 2.—Empty vessels entering "to load" and again leaving by the station of entry will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion, and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 3.—Through vessels entering at Kidderpore and leaving at Russa or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 4.—The tollage rates for items 2, 3 and 4 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 5.—The tollage charged for items 5, 6, 7 and 8 includes the return journey *saltees* over 100 maunds will pay the tolls prescribed under item 1.

Calcutta Canals.

No.	Description of vessels.	Entering at Chitpore.		Entering from the east at Kristopore or Dhapa and leaving at either Chitpore, Dhapa or Kristopore.
		Not proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.	Proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels except those loaded with fire-wood per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 12 0	2 12 0
2	On all boats, steamers or other vessels laden with fire-wood per hundred maunds	1 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0
3	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber ...	0 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
4	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber ...	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
5	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
6	Minimum toll on all vessels	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0

NOTE 6.—Loaded vessels entering the canal at Chitpore and again leaving *via* Chitpore will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement, and when leaving will again pay toll in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty, they will be passed out free of any further charge. A vessel returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the canal.

NOTE 7.—Empty vessels entering at Chitpore "to load" and again leaving *via* Chitpore will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 8.—Through vessels entering at Chitpore and leaving at Dhapa or Kristopore or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving, according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry: if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 9.—The tollage rates for items 3, 4 and 5 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 10.—Vessels entering at Dhapa and Kristopore will be passed out free at the station of entry, provided the maundage does not exceed that when entering; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 11.—(1) Monthly tickets are, at the option of the payers, issued to boats carrying passengers, grass or perishable articles going to the Orphangunj Bazar or proceeding outside the Dhapa Lock. The cost of these tickets is at six times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the supervisor's office, and at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the toll stations at Dhapa or Kidderpore.

(2) Monthly tickets at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated under item 1 of the Schedule for entering the canals from the eastward will be issued to boats carrying passengers, vegetables and perishable goods for plying within the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals. These tickets will not entitle the boats to pass through the Dhapa or Chitpore Lock, but they will be allowed to pass the Kristopore toll-station.

NOTE 12.—*Demurrage.*—Every vessel, raft or float, which has paid toll, shall be allowed three days for passing through the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals and two days for Tolly's Nala between Russa and Kidderpore, and three days for the reach outside Dhapa Lock, the days of entering and leaving being both included. In addition to these periods, they may, without further payment, remain in the canals for the additional undermentioned periods, that is to say—

Vessels—Two days for the first hundred maunds and one day for every hundred maunds above the first hundred maunds.

Floats.—Two days for any number of timbers not exceeding fifty, and one day for every additional fifty.

Rafts.—Two days for any number of bamboos not exceeding five hundred and one day for every additional five hundred.

Every vessel, raft or float remaining in any part of the aforesaid canals longer than the period allowed under the foregoing rules shall, for each day in excess of such period, be charged demurrage equal to one-half of the toll payable under the schedules above, provided that the demurrage charged shall in no case exceed Rs. 7-8 per diem.

(Open *dinghies* accompanying large boats are entitled to the same demurrage allowance of time as the parent boats.)

NOTE 13.—Steamers or flats passing through the Lower Sundarbans channels must pay tolls at the rate of Rs. 20 each per single trip.

NOTE 14.—*Additional toll.*—All boats, steamers and flats, after passing out of the Dhapa Lock must proceed outside the toll limit at Bamunghatta within 48 hours; otherwise a fresh toll will be levied in accordance with the rules in force.

NOTE 15.—(1) During the period of closure of Tolly's Nala at Samukpotta, vessels laden with firewood will be permitted to proceed from the Bidyadhari or Bhangore khal to Tolly's Nala and back through the Circular, New Cut and Kiderpore Canals *viâ* Kidderpore on payment of three rupees per hundred maunds by canal measurement. Vessels plying under this concession will not be permitted to unload their cargo except in Tolly's Nala and must return empty. Infringement of this rule will render such vessels liable to the ordinary tollage in force.

(2) Vessels laden with cargo other than firewood will be allowed a similar concession for journeys mentioned in the foregoing rule on payment of Rs. 2-12 per hundred maunds. On the return voyage only they may load in the Hooghly or any of the canals including Tolly's Nala and will pay in accordance with the following schedule :—

(*a*) If vessels accomplish the return trip empty, no further toll will be levied.

(*b*) If vessels leave Tolly's Nala with a load not exceeding that on entry and proceed out at Dhapa or Kristopore without taking in extra cargo on the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals, no further toll will be levied.

(*c*) Vessels leaving Tolly's Nala with a load exceeding that on entry will be charged for the additional cargo at Rs. 4 per hundred maunds.

(*d*) Vessels picking up cargo in the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals will pay the ordinary schedule tolls on all cargo thus loaded.

NOTE 16.—Tolls will be levied at the toll offices at Russa and Kidderpore on Tolly's Nala and at Chitpore, Kristopore, Dhapa and Bantolla on the Circular Canals.

[Fourth publication.]

No. 7 I.—The 21st January 1924.—The following draft of amendments, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 78 and 99 of the Bengal Irrigation Act, 1876 (Bengal Act III of 1876), the Governor in Council intends to make in rules 6, 21 and 22 of the rules and rates for the supply of water from the Eden Canal (published in Bengal Government notification No. 178, dated the 22nd August 1898, at pages 909-911, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, as modified in Bengal Government notification No. 66, dated the 15th November 1904, published at page 1703, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, and Bengal Government notification No. 7, dated the 21st June 1909, published at page 883, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem), is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft amendments.

1. *For* rule 6 of the said rules and rates, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"6. The rates to be charged will be as follows :—

	Per bigha. Rs.	A.
I.—Long leases, per season	0	12
II.—Season leases, *kharif*, per season	1	2
III.—Single waterings outside the area commanded, each watering	0	6
IV.—Season leases, *rabi*, sugarcane, potato, and other crops irrigated by flow, per season	1	8
Season leases, *rabi*, sugarcane, potato, and other crops irrigated by lift, per season	0	12
Boro rice, onions, brinjals and other country vegetables irrigated by flow, per season	0	12
Boro rice, onions, brinjals and other country vegetables irrigated by lift, per season	0	6
V.—Unauthorised irrigation—		
Kharif season	3	0*
Rabi season	3	0*

* Or such lower rate as may be fixed by the Canal Officer.

2. *For* rules 21 and 22 of the said rules, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"21. When tanks which are used both for irrigation and domestic purposes are filled with canal water, a charge at the rate of annas 12 will be made for each 10,000 cubic feet or part of 10,000 cubic feet."

"22. The Divisional Canal Officer may supply water for manufacturing or other purposes and charge for the same at the rate of one rupee and eight annas for each 10,000 cubic feet or part of 10,000 cubic feet supplied. The same charge will be made if water is taken into a tank without authority or used in an unauthorised manner."

[Second publication.]

No. 91.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix for the inner main channel, branch channels and outlets, viz., the Gouri khal, Kedar khal, and Matler khal and for the outfall channel on the river side of the Sarenga sluice of the Burrojolla drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessel along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying toll.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls —

(*a*) For the inner channel—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

		A.	P.
Per trip either way ..	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage ...	12	0
	For each 12½ maunds ...	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

		A.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage ...	4	0
	For each 12½ maunds ...	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Sarenga near the sluice.
(2) Ghoraghata at the junction of an old side khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(3) Dhulagori at the junction of Matler khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(4) Kushadanga at the junction of Gouri khal outlet with the branch channels leading to the bridge at Joyrampur.

[Second publication.]

No. 101.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix, for the inner channels, as well as the outfall channel on the river side of the Nazirganj sluice, in the Howrah drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessels along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying tolls.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls—

(*a*) For the inner channels—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

		As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage	12	0
	For each 12½ maunds	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

		As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage	4	0
	For each 12½ maunds	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Panchpara (Nazirganj).
(2) Chamrali.
(3) Tentulkuli.
(4) Unshani.

No. 111.—The 8th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 13 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Commissioners of the Port of Calcutta to be supervisors of the lines of navigation in respect of the whole of the river Hooghly from Budge-Budge to the sea, and of the river Rupnarain in the Midnapore district, and of the Damodar river in the district of Howrah at their junctions with the river Hooghly, to which the provisions of the said Act were applied under section 2 of the Act by Bengal Government notification No. 2*I.*, dated the 5th January 1924 (published at page 59, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem).

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 5.—The 5th February 1924.—Mr. G. T. Huntingford, officiating Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government in the Irrigation Department, is granted leave for twenty-eight months, viz., leave on average pay for eight months (including two days on account of privilege leave at his credit) and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under articles 81 (*b*) (*i*) and 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st March 1924, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

T. C. BHATTACHARYYA,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 6.—The 6th February 1924.—Babu Satish Chandra Sen, Upper Subordinate, is granted leave for three months and eight days, viz., leave on average pay for two months under the note to rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules, in extension of the leave previously granted.

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Chief Engineer (offg.).

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES.

AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 532.—The 6th February 1924.—Mr. M. Carbery, Agricultural Chemist to the Government of Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for six months (of which one month and four days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), with effect from the 11th March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 533.—The 6th February 1924.—Babu Gosto Behari Pal, Assistant Agricultural Chemist, is appointed to act as Agricultural Chemist to the Government of Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. M. Carbery, or until further orders.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

CO-OPERATIVE

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 547Co-op.—The 7th February 1924.—Mr. M. Thorp, I.C.S., is appointed to act as Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal, with effect from the afternoon of the 10th January 1924, *vice* Rai Jamini Mohan Mitra Bahadur, on deputation in England, or until further orders.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 557Co-op.—The 8th February 1924.—Khan Bahadur Quamaruddin Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Dacca Division, with effect from the 22nd January 1924.

Dacca

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 558Co-op.—The 8th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912 (II of 1912), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Agriculture and Public Works), are pleased to confer on Khan Bahadur Quamaruddin Ahmad, Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Dacca Division, all the powers of a Registrar under the said Act.

Dacca.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

No. 58Exc.—The 2nd February 1924.—Babu Hira Lal Biswas, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is allowed twenty-eight days' extension of leave on average pay in continuation of the leave already granted to him in this office notification No. 57Exc., dated the 15th January 1924.

No. 59Exc.—The 7th February 1924.—Maulvi Amir Hossain, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Mymensingh, is granted four months' leave on average pay, with effect from the date on which he is relieved.

G. P. HOGG,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND ACQUISITION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1259L.A.—The 5th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*i*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·0433 of an acre, covered by Blocks Nos. I and II, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under declaration No. 4319L.A., dated 12th April 1922, published at page 766, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, of the 19th idem, and required by the Dacca Municipality for a surface drain at Nasaruddin Sardar's Lane, in the town of Dacca, in mahalla Rai Saheb Bazar, pargana Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 1298L.A.—The 6th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a brickfield for the Kalighat-Falta Railway near Thakurpukur station, in the village of Barisa

24-Parganas.

Dak Thakurpukur, pargana Khaspur, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8·0229 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the Daspara road and Diamond Harbour Road land,
East—By the lands of Mahendra Chandra Das and Bhim Chandra Das and by the Kalighat-Falta Railway land and the Daspara road,
South—By the Kalighat-Falta Railway land and by the lands of Babu Jay Narain Chandra, Mahendra Chandra Das and Bhim Chandra Das.
West—By the lands of Mahendra Chandra Das and Bhim Chandra Das and of Babu Jay Narain Chandra, and by the Diamond Harbour Road land,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Barisa *Dak* Thakurpukur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector.

No. 1335L. A.—The 7th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs 5 chitaks and 25 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to ·0883 of an acre, being a portion of premises No. 47-20, Gariahat Road, and bounded as described below, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under declaration No. 9827L.A., dated the 16th November 1920, published at pages 2104-06, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, as subsequently amended by the notifications and the errata noted in the margin, and required for section B of Scheme No. XV of the Calcutta Improvement Trust (new main sewer road from Chetla to Ballygunge station) in Ward No. XXI of the Calcutta Municipality :—

(1) Notification No. 10127L.A., dated the 22nd November 1921.
(2) ,, No. 2986L.A., dated the 17th March 1922.
(3) Erratum No. 9171L.A., dated the 19th October 1921.
(4) ,, No. 9588L.A., dated the 6th November 1922.
(5) Notification No. 3896L.A., dated the 21st April 1923.
(6) ,, No. 5003L.A., dated the 5th July 1923.
(7) ,, No. 7406L.A., dated the 22nd September 1923.
(8) ,, No. 7409L.A., dated the 22nd September 1923.
(9) ,, No. 7370L.A., dated the 21st September 1923.
(10) ,, No. 7373L.A., dated the 21st September 1923.
(11) ,, No. 7361L.A., dated the 21st September 1923.
(12) ,, No. 7413L.A., dated the 22nd September 1923.
(13) ,, No. 7348L.A., dated the 21st September 1923.
(14) ,, No. 7351L.A., dated the 21st September 1923.

BOUNDARIES.

North—By that portion of the premises which falls outside the declaration No. 9827L.A., dated the 16th November 1920.
East—By premises No. 47-2, Gariahat Road.
South—By premises No. 47-19, Gariahat Road.
West—By premises No. 47-20-1, Gariahat Road.

No. 1342L.A.—The 7th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Kanchrapara Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for sweepers' quarters in the village of Bahirbag (jurisdiction list No. 4 of thana Naihati), pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·4815 of an acre, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the Bhagar road,
East—By Bhagar road and by the land of Tekaraddi Mondal,
South—By the lands of Tekaraddi Mondal and Shaikh Jamatulla,
West—By the land of Shaikh Jamatulla,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Bahirbag.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector, 24-Parganas.

No. 1345L.A.—The 7th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Improvement Trust for a public purpose, viz., for Alignment No. XII (Ballygunge main road) in ward No. XXI of the Calcutta Municipality, a plan of which has been sanctioned by the Governor in

Calcutta.

Council under section 63 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land being premises No. 92, Karaya road, measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 9 cottahs 5 chittaks and 15 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to ·4847 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By premises No. 91, Karaya road,

East—By premises Nos 44 and 43, Jhowtala road and premises No. 93, Karaya road,

South and west—By Karaya road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid ward No. XXI, in the town of Calcutta.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the First Land Acquisition Collector, Calcutta, at No. 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

Tippera.

No. 1355L.A.—The 8th February 1924.—Mr. Praphulla Shankar Sen, Deputy Collector of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, 1 of 1894, in that district.

This cancels notification No 690L.A., dated the 18th January 1924, published at page 154, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem.

24-Parganas.

No. 1392L.A.—The 11th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of the 24-Parganas for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of Kalinga road at Kalinga, in the village of Kalinga, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·1591 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Haran Sardar, Rahaman Baddi and others, Keramath Mondal and others, Rahatulla Sardar, Upendra Nath Chatterjee, Rai Charan Parui and by the village road and graveyard,

East—By the lands of Asiruddi Mondal, Rahaman Baddi and others, Keramath Mondal and others, Rahatulla Sardar, Rai Charan Parui, Upendra Nath Chatterjee and by the village road,

South—By the lands of Asiruddi Mondal, Haran Mondal, Rahaman Baddi and others, Keramath Mondal and others, Rahatulla Sardar, Rai Charan Parui and by the village road,

West—By the lands of Haran Sardar, Rahaman Baddi and others, Keramath Mondal and others, Rahatulla Sardar, Upendra Nath Chatterjee and by the village road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Kalinga.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may within thirty days of the publication of this notification file an objection in writing before the Collector of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 1401L.A.—The 11th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Garden Reach Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for improving corner No. I at Mudially, in the village of Rameswarpur, jurisdiction list No. 99 of thana Behala, pargana Magura, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·0014 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By partly Mudially 1st Lane and partly by Rameswarpur Lane,

East—By Rameswarpur Lane,

South—By the land of Shaik Moyboo,

West—By the land of Shaik Moyboo and Mudially 1st Lane,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Rameswarpur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector.

Burdwan.

No. 1414L.A.—The 11th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for the new Down goods yard at Asansol Station in the villages of Bodha and Rohinadi in Shitala, pargana Shergarh, district (zilla) Burdwan, it is hereby notified that for the purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 20·42 acres bounded on the—

PLOT A :

North—By the lands of Tarini Roy, Ram Ranjan Daw, Ram Sharan Mistry, Debi Lall Mistry, Gurie Lall Mistry, Moti Laha, Atul Daw, Rakha Hari Daw and Maharaja of Cossimbazar,

East—By the lands of Atul Daw, Tarini Roy, Sasi Bhusan Daw, Maharaja of Cossimbazar, Ram Ranjan Daw and Rakha Hari Daw and by the Noonia River,

South—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company, the Noonia River and Plot C,

West—By the lands of Ram Saran Mistry, Tarini Roy, Atul Daw, Rakha Hari Daw, Maharaja of Cossimbazar, Ram Ranjan Daw and Sasi Bhusan Daw and by the Noonia River,

PLOT B :

North—By the lands of Atul Daw, Rakha Hari Daw, Sasi Bhusan Daw, Ram Ranjan Daw, Gobinda Daw and Tarini Roy,

East—By the lands of Ram Ranjan Daw, Tarini Roy, Rakha Hari Daw, Atul Daw, Sasi Bhusan Daw and Maharaja of Cossimbazar and by the Noonia River,

South—By the lands of Atul Daw, Ram Ranjan Daw, Rakha Hari Daw, Sasi Bhusan Daw, Tarini Roy and Maharaja of Cossimbazar and by the Noonia River and Plot C,

West—By the lands of Atul Daw, Tarini Roy and Ram Ranjan Daw and by the Noonia River and a *Nullah*,

PLOT C :

North—By plot B and by the Noonia River,

East—By the land of a graveyard and of the East Indian Railway Company,

South—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,

West—By the land of the Leper Asylum,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Bodha and Rohinadi in Shitala.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JAILS.

No. 1313Jails.—The 6th February 1924.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. C. Thompson, O.B.E., I.M.S., is allowed leave for one year, nine months and twenty-four days, viz., leave on average pay for eight months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 7th February 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

2. This cancels notification No. 1016R.J., dated the 28th January 1924, published at page 190, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th idem.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

No. 3 For.—The 31st January 1924.—On return from leave granted to him in Government of Bengal, Revenue Department (Forests), notifications Nos. 1578 For., dated the 25th June 1923, and 10831 For., dated the 26th November 1923, Babu Sachindra Nath Mitra, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, was attached to the Haldibari Range with headquarters at Kumargram-Duar, from the 26th to the afternoon of 30th October 1923 He took charge of that Range with effect from the forenoon of the 31st October 1923.

Buxa.

R. C. MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

No. 803, dated Calcutta, the 17th January 1924.—Dr. Biswesswar Chakravarti made over charge of the Rangpur Jail to Dr. Hari Pada Mukharji on the forenoon of the 30th December 1923.

F. S. C. THOMPSON, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

Orders by the Accountant-General, Bengal.

IT is notified for the information of Treasury Officer that the numbers of refund vouchers in the book used in the office of the Income-Tax Officer, Central Salaries Circle, are from 101 to 200.

K. C. BISWAS, *Deputy Accountant-General, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 31st January 1924.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED Deputy Collector Babu Nalini Ranjan Raha has been placed in charge of the Murshidabad Treasury with effect from the forenoon of the 7th February 1924 and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

H. K. MALLIK, *Deputy Collector in charge,*
for *Collector on tour.*

MURSHIDABAD COLLECTORATE, *the 7th February 1924.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—CIVIL.

The 6th February 1924.

No. 1844-G.—The following addendum to the Rules of the High Court, Appellate Side, 1922, is published for general information :—

Insert the following as Note (3) to rule 6, Chapter IX, at page 76 :—

NOTE 3.—If the document to be translated is in any language other than the vernacular of the Province, a special rate may be fixed by the Registrar

By order of the High Court,

J. D. V. HODGE,
Registrar.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 334J.-G.—Babu Manindra Nath Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, Serampore, Hooghly, is transferred to the Jhargram subdivision of the Midnapore district.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 30th January 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 653G.—Maulvi Quazi Safiuddin Ahmad, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Feni, Noakhali, is transferred to Noakhali Sadar as Circle Officer.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 7th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1381R.G.—Maulvi Abul Khair Serajul Islam Zahid, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted as Second Officer to Kandi, Murshidabad.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 8th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1386R.G.—Maulvi Abdul Karim (No. I), probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Kandi, Murshidabad, is appointed Circle Officer and transferred to Meherpur, Nadia, *vice* Babu Phani Lal Mukharji, granted leave.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 8th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 60J. G.—The following gentlemen are appointed non-official visitors of the Chuadanga and Kushtea Sub-Jails in the district of Nadia for a period of two years :—

Chuadanga Sub-Jail.	Kushtea Sub-Jail.
1. Rai Sahib Jogendra Nath Sinha.	1. W. B. Renwick, Esq.
2. Munshi Abdur Rahim Mallik.	2. Babu Hrishi Kesh Mojumdar.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 511J.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Sub-Jail at Naogaon in the district of Rajshahi :—

1. Babu Dwijendra Nath Mazumdar.
2. „ Satish Chandra Basak.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 4th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 526J.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Jalpaiguri Jail for the period of their memberships of the Bengal Legislative Council :—

1. Mr. W. L. Travers, O.B.E., M.L.C.
2. Khan Bahadur Maulvi Musharaff Hossain, M.L.C.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 4th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 607J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 63 (*2*) of the Bengal Jail Code, 1919, Babu Benoy Bhusan Gupta is re-appointed to be a non-official visitor of the District Jail at Barisal for a period of two years with effect from the date of this notification.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 4th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION

No. 516J.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the District and Sub-Jails noted against their names for the period of their memberships of the Bengal Legislative Council :—

1. Babu Jogindra Chandra Chakravarty, M.L.C.	...	...	Dinajpur Jail.
2. Maulvi Kader Baksh, M.L.C.	...	...	
Maulvi Kader Baksh, M.L.C.	...	...	Thakurgaon Sub-Jail.
Babu Jogindra Chandra Chakravarty, M.L.C.		...	Balurghat ,,

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 4th February 1924.*

ERRATUM.

No. 622J.—In this office notification No. 6301J, dated the 15th December 1923, published at page 1944, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 19th idem, appointing certain members of the Bengal Legislative Council as non-official visitors of the Central and Subsidiary Jails in the district of Dacca, *read* "Munshiganj and Manikganj sub-jails" *for* "Munshiganj and Narayanganj sub-jails" against No. 4 Babu Kiran Sankar Roy Chaudhury.

J. C. CHAUDHURI, *Personal Assistant, for Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 5th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 27M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on the 12th January 1924, in ward No. II of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, Babu Hari Narayan De has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Himansu Bhusan Mazumdar, deceased.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 208 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, Birbhum, of Babu Bijoy Chandra Sarkar as their Chairman is approved under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 4th February 1924,*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 147L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Shahpur police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Names of union boards.	Ward No	Names of members.
Parulia ...	I ...	1. Babu Durga Gati Mukhopadhyaya.
		2. „ Jaladhar Chatterji.
	II ...	3. Babu Tinkari Mondal.
		4. Munshi Aminul Hoque.
	III ...	5. Babu Kishori Mohan Roy.
		6. Munshi Mahammad Isahaque Molla.
Bhurkuna ...	I ...	1. Babu Gour Kishore Sarkar.
	II ...	2. Babu Hari Das Sarkar.
		3. „ Golokeswar Sarkar.
	III	4. Babu Chandi Charan Sutradhar.
		5. „ Haripada De.
		6. „ Shyama Pada Roy.
Chhinpai ...	I ...	1. Babu Gopeswar Mitra.
		2. „ Surendra Nath Chakravarty.
		3. „ Kali Pada Chatterji.
	II ...	4. Munshi Sheikh Moharuddin.
		5. Babu Sital Chandra Mitra.
	III ...	6. Babu Baidya Nath Mukharji.
Shahpur ...	I ...	1. Munshi Sheikh Arsad Mondal.
	II ...	2. Syed Hafez Ali.
	III ...	3. Babu Bagal Chandra Pal.
		4. Quazi Mahammad Elahadad.
		5. Babu Protap Chandra Pal.
		6. Munshi Mansur Mondal.
Jashpur ...	I ...	1. Babu Kangal Chandra Garai.
		2. „ Bhola Nath Das.
		3. „ Mritunjoy Chakravarty.
	II ...	4. Syed Sajed Ali.
	III ...	5. Munshi Kaem Ali Molla
		6 „ Amin Mondal.
Jatra ...	I ...	1. Munshi Sheikh Aulad.
	II ...	2. Babu Devendra Nath Mondal.
		3. Munshi Sheikh Sahed Ali.
		4. „ Sheikh Ramjan.
	III ...	5. Munshi Sheikh Abdul Mondal.
		6. „ Sheikh Mansoor Mondal.
Paduma ...	I ...	1. Babu Uma Charan Ghosal.
		2. Munshi Sheikh Alla Rakhu.
	II ...	3. Babu Rama Nath Roy.
		4. „ Benode Behari Roy.
	III ...	5. Munshi Sheikh Sajed Ali Mandal.
		6. Babu Abinash Chandra Garai.
Bansanka ...	I ...	1. Babu Upendra Nath Roy.
		2. „ Ishan Chandra Karmakar.
	II ...	3. Munshi Sheikh Abdul Aziz.
		4 „ Sheikh Ahad Box.
	III ...	5. Quazi Mahammad Mokbul.
		6. Chaudhuri Mahammad Khodadad.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards	Names of members
Parulia ...	1. Babu Damodar Kinkar Roy.
	2. Munshi Sajed Ali Mondal.
	3. Babu Upendra Nath Mukherjee.
Bhurkuna ...	1. Munshi Sheikh Kinoo Shah.
	2. Babu Kali Pada Banerji.
	3. „ Hrishikesh Sahana.

ngs of union boards		Names of members
Chhinpai	...	1. Munshi Tafel Mirza. 2. Babu Radha Raman Misra. 3. „ Bhupendra Nath Mitra.
Shahpur	...	1. Babu Kashi Nath Mondal. 2. „ Ram Kalpa Kaviraj. 3. „ Baidya Nath Pal.
Jashpur	...	1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Ash. 2. Munshi Sariat Mirdha. 3. „ Khursed Ali.
Jatra	...	1. Munshi Sheikh Entaj Ali. 2. Babu Radha Raman Ghosh. 3. „ Bishnu Chandra De.
Paduma	...	1. Babu Ram Kumar Mondal. 2. „ Bhuban Chandra Mondal. 3. „ Satish Chandra Nayak.
Bansanka	...	1. Quazi Gaznafar Ali. 2 Babu Ram Jiban Pain. 3. „ Ram Kalyan Roy.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 26th January 1924.*

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 139L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Dubrajpur police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Name of union board	Ward No		Names of members
Lakhinarayanpur ...	I	...	1. Munshi Muhammad Makaram Ali *alias* Bechanali Khan. 2. „ Samsher Ali Khan.
	II	...	3. Babu Ganga Ram Sinha. 4. „ Pijoy Ram Chatterjee.
	III	...	5. Munshi Monai Mondal.
	IV	...	6. „ Sheikh Ebrahim Moudal.
Gohalara ...	I	...	1. Babu Ashu Tosh Adhikari. 2. „ Mohini Mohan Sinha.
	II	...	3. „ Tinkari Mondal. 4. „ Santusta Mondal.
	III	...	5. „ Panchanan Ghosh. 6. „ Bishnu Chandra Mondal.
Dubrajpur ...	I		1. Babu Bistu Chandra Garai.
	II	...	2. „ Rajani Kanta Banerji. 3. „ Kasi Nath Kaviraj. 4. „ Jagadish Chandra Mahata.
	III	...	5. „ Kali Prosanna Chakravarty. 6. Munshi Sheikh Abdu.
Balijuri ...	I	...	1. Babu Khudiram Banerji.
	II	...	2. „ Pashu Pati Daon. 3. „ Prahlad Chandra Ruj.
	III	...	4. „ Bibhuti Bhusan Chakravarty. 5. „ Munshi Mostaf Hossain Khan.
	IV	...	6. Babu Gosta Behari Roy.
Panchra ...	I	...	1. Babu Rakha Hari Mukherji. 2. „ Kamada Kumar Chatterji. 3. „ Karuna Kinkar Chatterji. 4. „ Indu Bhusan Chatterji.
	II	...	5. „ Bhabesh Chandra Chatterji. 6. „ Jogeswar Chatterji.

Names of union board.	Ward No.	Names of members.
Paigora	I	1. Babu Rajani Kanta Mukherji. 2. „ Ram Nath Pal. 3. „ Manindra Chandra Pal.
	II	4. „ Nalinak ha Batabyal. 5. „ Kedar Nath Batabyal. 6. „ Gurudayal Pan.
Hetampur	I	1. Babu Brahma Niranjan Chakravarty. 2. „ Dhaja Dhari Banerji. 3. „ Purna Chandra Chakravarty. 4. „ Chandra Bhusan Sen.
	II	5. Munshi Sheikh Osman Ali. 6. Babu Ganga Narayan Ghosh.
Loba	I	1. Babu Bagal Chandra Mondal. 2. „ Hit Lal Ranoo.
	II	3. Munshi Abdur Rahaman. 4. „ Syed Kharshed Ali.
	III	5. Babu Rabi Lal Roy. 6. „ Minindra Chandra Ray.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Birbhum, to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Name of union board.	Names of members.
Lakhinarayanpur	1. Babu Upendra Narayan Roy. 2. „ Girish Chandra Mondal. 3. „ Sreepati Nath Mondal.
Gohaliara	1. Babu Girish Chandra Sarkar. 2 „ Manindra Lal Acharji. 3. „ Bhola Nath Mukherji.
Dubrajpur	1. Babu Bhupendra Nath Dey. 2. Munshi Sheikh Khelafatuddin. 3. Babu Gour Chandra Kaviraj.
Balijuri	1. Babu Mukunda Lal Mondal. 2. Munshi Sheikh Shaminuddin. 3. Babu Sashi Bhusan Chatterjee.
Panchra	1. Babu Tarak Nath Chatterjee. 2. „ Charu Chandra Chatterjee. 3. „ Gobardhan Biswas.
Paigora	1. Babu Sashi Bhusan Mondal. 2. Munshi Sheikh Golam Kubria. 3. Babu Ananda Chandra Mondal.
Hetampur	1. Munshi Mahammad Daud. 2. „ „ Osman Kaviraj. 3. Babu Joy Krishna Banerji.
Loba	1. Babu Ram Rup Das. 2. „ Biraj Krishna Mitra. 3. „ Gobinda Chandra Sirkar.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th January 1924.*

NOTICE.

LIST of candidates for members for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Jessore South Non-Muhammadan Constituency bye-election :—

1. Babu Debendra Nath Biswas.
2. „ Jogendra Nath Mitra.

C. C. V. R. SELLS, *District Magistrate.*

JESSORE MAGISTRACY, *the 2nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 68L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Allen Charitable Dispensary at Joynagore in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

1. Babu Dhirendra Nath Dutt.
2. „ Atulananda Dutt.
3. „ Mohini Mohan Bhattacherjee.
4. „ Phanindra Nath Mitra.
5. „ Hari Bhusan Chatterjee, M.A.
6. „ Kshetra Nath Mitra.
7. „ Phoni Bhusan Bosu, M.A., B.L.
8. „ Narayan Das Chatterjee.
9. „ Ram Hari Chatterjee.
10. „ Makhan Lal Chakerbutty, L.M.S.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 2nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 599J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of charitable hospitals and dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the charitable dispensary at Nalchiti in the district of Bakarganj :—

1. The Sub-Registrar, Nalchiti ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The Tehsildar, Court of Wards ... }
3. Maulvi Imtazuddin Kazi.
4. Munshi Abdul Wahed Khan.
5. Babu Mati Lal Mukhuti.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 4th February 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidate on the 1st February 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M., on payment of a fee of rupee one only.

By-election.

Mymensingh East Muhammadan Constituency—Dr. A. Suhrawardy.

J. R. BLAIR, for *Returning Officer*
(*Additional District Magistrate*).

MYMENSINGH, *the 1st February 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Mr. C. R. DAS, a duly elected member from the South Midnapore Non-Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged with me on the 28th January 1924, a return of election expense in the prescribed form duly signed by him and accompanied by his declaration as laid down in rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Any person desiring to inspect each of these returns may do so on payment of a fee of Re. 1 only between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M., in the Midnapore Collectorate.

S. A. SALIK, for *District Magistrate, Midnapore,*
and Returning Officer.

MIDNAPORE, *the 7th February 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Ahmed Mahomed Paruk, a duly nominated candidate of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta North Mahomedan constituency, lodged his return of election expenses and declaration on the 25th day of January 1924.

They may be inspected in the chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street on payment of proper fees, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate,*
and Returning Officer.

CALCUTTA, *the 25th January 1924.*

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

PRESENT.

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S. ... ... *President.*

Mr. Banamali Sen ... ... } *Commissioners.*
Rai Jadab Chandra Bhattacharjee ... }

In the matter of Babu Kishori Mohun Chaudhuri ... ... *Petitioner*

versus

Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti ... ... *Respondent.*

To Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti, Vakil, District Judge's Court, Rajshahi.

Please take notice that above-mentioned petition will be tried by the Commissioners on the 27th day of February 1924, at 11 o'clock, in the District Judge's court room at Dinajpur.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur this 26th day of January 1924.

E. MILSOM, *President.*

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

In the matter of an election petition under Part VII of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations

and

In the matter of an election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Rajshahi Non-Muhammadan Rural Constituency

and

In the matter of Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri ... *Petitioner*

versus

Sudarsan Chakravarti, Vakil, District Judge's Court, Rajshahi ... ... *Respondent.*

The humble petition of Kisori Mohan Chaudhuri, petitioner above-named, of Rajshahi,

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH—

(1) That your petitioner was a candidate at the last general election for the Bengal Legislative Council from the Rajshahi Non-Muhammadan Rural Constituency aforesaid, the Respondent abovenamed, Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti, being the only other candidate.

(2) That polling for the above constituency took place on the 21st and 22nd November 1923, at 32 polling stations on the first day and at 9 polling stations on the second.

(3) That the counting of votes by the Returning Officer took place on two days, namely, the 3rd and 4th December 1923, and on the last mentioned date the Respondent candidate, the said Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti, was declared elected, and his name has since been published as such in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th December 1923.

(4) That your petitioner is informed and believes that the said Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti by himself and his agent or agents and by other persons acting on his behalf was guilty of various corrupt practices at the said election, such as treating and illegal payments with a view to the improper influencing of votes, and the publication of false statements with the object of prejudicing your petitioner's prospects of election, and your petitioner charges that the said election was not a free or proper election and the result of the election was materially affected by reason of the commission of the said corrupt practices.

(5) That as required by rules 35 (*2*) your petitioner begs to annex to this petition a list of the said corrupt practices with particulars, and craves a reference thereto as part of this petition.

(6) That your petitioner begs to deposit herewith security of the required amount for costs in one Government Currency Note of Rs. 1,000.

(7) That the Respondent candidate has not yet submitted his return of election expenses, but as an early enquiry is necessary in the interests of purity of election and general administration, your petitioner is filing this election petition without waiting for the submission of the said return of expenses, and your petitioner reserves the right of adding to or altering this petition, if necessary, after the said return is filed.

Under the circumstances your petitioner prays that it may be determined that the said Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti was not duly elected or returned and that the said election may be declared null and void, and your petitioner further prays for the costs of this petition.

And your petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray.

(Sd.). KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI.

VERIFICATION.

Verified that the statements in the foregoing paragraphs are true to my knowledge except those in paragraph 4 which are made on information received and believed to be true. This verification is signed by me at 36, Lansdowne Road, Calcutta, on the 31st December 1923.

(Sd.). KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI.

LIST OF CORRUPT PRACTICES REFERRED TO IN THE ANNEXED PETITION.

I. Treating.—Sumptuous refreshments (such as *loochis*, *dahi*, *chira*, rice, fish, etc., *pan*, *cheroot*, and in one case, viz., at Tanor pachai drink) were provided for voters with a view to influencing their votes at various polling stations on the respective dates of polling, *e.g.*, at—

Nator, Takiarhat, Madhnagar, Lalore, Kalam, Walia and Lalpur in the Nator subdivision,

Naogaon, Mohadebpur, Panchupur and Badalgachi in the Naogaon subdivision and

Nohata, Durgapur, Bagmara, Tanor, Godagari, Jhalmalia, Charghat and Sardah in the Sadar subdivision.

The arrangements for these entertainments were supervised by the following persons amongst others :—

Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti's brother Babu Anukul Chandra Chakravarti at Madnagar,

Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti's nephew and election agent Babu Akhil Chandra Chakravarti at Kalam,

Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti's son Babu Suprakash Chakravarti at Tanor,

Babus Bhupendra Nath Khan, Jitendra Nath Khan, Jogesh Chandra Ray (Mukhtear) and Indu Sidhanta (Pleader) at Nator,

Babus Jnanendra Mohan Sanyal and Probodh Chakravarti (Pleader) at Lalore,

Babu Biswesswar Roy (Pleader) at Naogaon,

Babu Mahim Chandra Ghosh at Mahadebpur,

Babu Tarini Mandal at Naohata,

Babu Lalit Mohon Chatterjee at Godagari,

Babus Surendra Nath Maitra and Sarat Chandra Maitra at Jhalmalia,

Babu Surendra Nath Maitra's son at Charghat and Sardah, and by other relations and agents of Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti at other places.

II. Illegal payments.—Cash payments were made to several poor voters (names not all known) for getting their votes, and many voters were employed for pecuniary reward ostensibly as canvassers thus—

(1) Rupees 5 was paid to Girish Chandra Sarkar and Jay Chandra Shaha, two voters of Jugishon, and Rs. 6 was paid to Sriram Pramanik and another voter of Jaikristapur at Durgapur polling station on the polling date, by the agent of Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti.

(2) Money was also paid (amount not known) to Kailas Chandra Sarkar, Bisswesswar Sarkar, Rasik Chandra Acharyya and other voters at Takiarhat polling station on the date of polling, by the agent of Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti.

(3) Rupee 1 per head was also paid to Chandra Kanta Saha, of Kassimpur, Durlav Pal of Basudebpur, Ramnarain Sarkar, of Hat Gobindpur, Iswar Chandra Ghosh, of Karimpore, and other voters of Godagari police-station before the date of election, by Babu Lalit Mohan Chatterjee on behalf of Babu Sudarsan Chakravarti.

(4) Payments were also made at Godagari and Naohata polling station on the polling date to several voters on account of their conveyance.

III. Publication of false statements.—Leaflets were circulated with misleading suggestions and false statements with the knowledge and connivance of the respondent candidate which were calculated to and did influence a large number of voters all over the district against the petitioner.

This was done only a few days before the polling, when there was little time left to the petitioner to contradict, or to warn the voters fully.

It was alleged in these leaflets among other things that the petitioner had voted against the transferability of jote land, and cutting of trees on jote lands and stoppage of excessive enhancement of rent and otherwise acted against the interest of raiyats, which allegations were all false and false to the knowledge of the respondent candidate and his agents and other persons who circulated the same. The circulation of these false allegations was persisted in even after the issue of a contradiction by the petitioner.

Mahadebpur voters were induced to believe that the Mahadebpur registration office would be soon removed to Kirtipore in consequence of the establishment of a registration office at Madaripore, and Godagari voters were falsely induced to believe that the Godagari registration office had been unjustly removed to Madaripore through the machination of the petitioner.

Malicious insinuations were circulated against the petitionar regarding his work during the last flood and bridging the breaches in the Natore road.

Copies of the leaflets containing the false statements are attached herewith along with the contradiction issued by the petitioner.

Apart from the leaflets, other false allegations were also spread against the petitioner by Babu Probodh Chandra Chakravarti, pleader, an agent of the respondent candidate, amongst others, to the effect that the petitioner was responsible for increasing the rates of postage and the enhancement of the salt duty.

VERIFICATION.

Verified that the foregoing statements are made on information received and believed to be true. This verification is signed by me at No. 36, Lansdowne Road, Calcutta, on the 31st December 1923.

(Sd.) KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI.

Annextures :—

1. One G. C. Note No. P D-52 29633 for Rs. 1,000.
2. Five leaflets marked A, B, C, D and E.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 2nd February 1924, are republished for general information :—

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 29th January 1924.

No. 35.—In pursuance of the provisions of sub-rule (*4*) of rule 36 of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules and in modification of Legislative Department notification No. 262, dated the 11th December 1923, the Governor General is pleased to appoint Mr. G. N. Roy, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, and Mr. G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly, as Commissioners for the trial of the petition presented by Rai Bahadur Biswesswarlal Halwasya against the election of Babu Rung Lall Jajodia as a Member of the Legislative Assembly by the Bengal Marwari Association Constituency, *vice* Mr. A. J. Chotzner and Mr. D. C. Patterson, and further to appoint the said Mr. G. N. Roy to be President of the Commission, *vice* Mr. A. J. Chotzner.

The 31st January 1924.

No. 41.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 14 (*9*) of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules, the name of the following candidate, who has been declared to be elected as a Member of the said Assembly, *vice* Mr. George Morgan, by the constituency mentioned opposite his name, is hereby published :—

Name.	Constituency.
Mr. G. Pilcher	... Bengal (European).

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 2nd February 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 29th January 1924.

No. F.-767-II—23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice E. B. H. Panton, I.C.S., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted, with effect from the 12th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, furlough up to the 28th August 1924, inclusive, viz., leave on full allowance for five months and leave on half allowance for the remainder of the period.

No. F.-767-III—23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice A. H. Cuming, I.C.S., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted, with effect from the 13th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, furlough up to the 28th August 1924, inclusive, viz., leave on full allowance for five months, and leave on half allowance for the remainder of the period.

No. F. 767-V—23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice E. B. H. Panton, I.C.S., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, having been granted furlough with effect from the 12th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, up to the 28th August 1924, inclusive, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of sub-section (*2*) of section 105 of the Government of India Act, to appoint Mr. H. P. Duval, C.I.E., I.C.S., to act as a Judge of the High Court during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Panton, or until further orders.

No. F.-767-VI—23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice A. H. Cuming, I.C.S., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, having been granted furlough with effect from the 13th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, up to the 28th August 1924, inclusive, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of sub-section (*2*) of section 105 of the Government of India Act, to appoint Mr. J. F. raham, I.C.S., to act as a Judge of the High Court during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Cuming, or until further orders.

H. TONKINSON,
Joint-Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 2nd February 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

Delhi, the 2nd February 1924.

No. 239.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt spraying machines used for agricultural purposes, and component parts thereof which can readily be fitted into their proper places in the machines and cannot ordinarily be used for purposes unconnected with agriculture, from the import duty leviable thereon under Schedule II to the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894).

A. C. MCWATTERS,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Labour, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th January 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 15th January 1924.

No. A.-470.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Indian Boilers Act, 1923 (V of 1923), as in force in British India and as locally applied, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the provisions of the said Act shall not apply in the case of boilers and steam pipes (not being boilers or steam pipes in collieries) which belong to or are under the control of any of the railways specified in the annexed Schedule.

Schedule.

The Bengal Nagpur Railway.
The East Indian Railway.
The Ahmedpur Katwa Railway.
The Arrah Sasaram Railway.
The Bankura Damoodar River Railway.
The Bukhtiarpur Bihar Light Railway.
The Burdwan Katwa Railway.
The Futwa Islampur Railway.
The Howrah Amta Railway.
The Howrah Sheakhala Light Railway.
The Assam Bengal Railway.
The Eastern Bengal Railway.
The Bengal Dooars Railway and Extension.
The Baraset Basirhat Railway.
The Calcutta Port Commissioners' Railway.
The Darjeeling Himalayan Railway and Extension.
The Dibru Sadiya Railway.
The Jessore Jhenidah Railway.
The Kalighat Falta Railway.
The Ledo and Tikak Margherita Colliery Railway.
The Burma Railways.
The Bengal and North Western Railway.
The Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.
The Rohilkhand and Kumaon Railway.
The North Western Railway.
The Shahdara (Delhi) Saharanpur Light Railway.
The Imperial Delhi Railway.
The Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway.
The Jodhpur Bikaner Railway and the Jodhpur Railway.
The Hyderabad Extension Railway.
The Great Indian Peninsula Railway.
The Nizam's Guaranteed State Railway.
The Bombay Port Trust Railway.
The Barsi Light Railway.
The Dholpur Bari Railway including Mohari branch.
The Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway.
The South Indian Railway.
The Madras Port Trust Railway.

A. H. LEY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

Orders by the Governing Body of the State Medical Faculty of Bengal.

I. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Preliminary Scientific Examination for the Membership of the Faculty :—

(In alphabetical order.)

Bandyopadhyay, Amarendranath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
Basu, Amarendramohan	...	Ditto

II. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Intermediate Examination for the Membership of the Faculty :—

(In alphabetical order.)

Bandyopadhyay, Manindranath	...	Carmichael Medical College.
Chandra, Jugalkisor	...	Ditto
De, Jagadischandra	...	Ditto.
Ghosh, Khagendranath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
Maung Ba Lat	...	Ditto
Misra, Haradhan	...	Ditto
Ray, Hridindranath	...	Ditto
Sinha, Vidyanand	...	Ditto.

III. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final Examination for the Membership of the Faculty :—

(In alphabetical order.)

A. K. M. Abdul Wahed	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
Datta, Saileschandra	...	Ditto.
Ghosh, Badalchandra	...	Ditto.
Guhathakurta, Praphullanath	...	Ditto.
Maung Thein Maung	...	Ditto.

IV. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final Examination for the Membership of the Faculty in Part I :—

(In alphabetical order.)

Baidya, Indramau	..	Medical College, Calcutta.
Laharry, Nalin	...	Ditto

V. The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the Final Membership Examination in Part II :—

Lahiri, Harendranath	...	Medical College, Calcutta.

G. C. MOOKERJEE, *Secretary, State Medical Faculty of Bengal.*

GROSVENOR HOUSE, *the 4th February 1924.*

THE following have passed the Bengal Local Bodies Accountants' Examination held by the Principal, Bengal Engineering College, in January 1924, under the sanction of letter No. 749T.-L.S.-G., dated the 18th October 1921, from the Government of Bengal, Local Self-Government Department :—

Order of merit.	Name.	Address.
1	Manoranjan Bhattacharyya	... C-o Babu Mohini Mohon Bhattacharyya, East Indian Railway School, P. O. Jamalpur, Monghyr.
2	Jitendra Chandra Sen	... 4-A Water Tower, Patna (East Indian Railway).

T. H. RICHARDSON, *Principal.*

BENGAL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, *the 4th February 1924.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION No. C.-2257.

THE following orders of the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are published for general information :—

Under section 21, sub-section (*3*) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), as amended by the Calcutta University Act, 1921 (VII of 1921), the Government of Bengal in the Ministry of Education are pleased to order that with effect from the commencement of the session 1924-25, St. Edmund's College, Shillong, shall be affiliated to the Calcutta University in English, Advanced English, Latin, History, Mathematics, and Geography to the I. A. Standard and in English, Advanced English, Mathematics, Geography, and Chemistry to the I. Sc. Standard.

J. C. GHOSH, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 5th February 1924.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

ERRATUM.

IN the list of successful candidates at the First M. B. Examination held in November 1923, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 23rd January 1924, on page 56—

for

"Gupta, Kshetramohan ... Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia"

please *read*

"Gupta, Kshetramohan ... Medical College, Calcutta."

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 4th February 1924.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE undermentioned candidate has obtained Honours in Midwifery at the Final M. B. Honours Examination, 1923 :—

"Sarkar, Manindranath ... Medical College, Calcutta."

By order of the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate,

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 8th February 1924.*

Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca.

NOTIFICATION.

EXAMINATIONS, 1924.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the ensuing examinations to be conducted by the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca, will be held on Wednesday and Monday, the 5th and the 17th March 1924, respectively, and the following days, in the order given below :—

Date.	Day.	Subject.	Time.
High School Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th "	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu / Alternative English paper / Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
			2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
8th "	Saturday	Mathematics (Compulsory)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Hygiene / Drawing and Practical Geometry	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
10th "	Monday	Mathematics (Additional)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mechanics	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th "	Tuesday	History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
12th "	Wednesday	General Science	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Supplementary Matriculation Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th "	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian (Compulsory)	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
8th "	Saturday	Mathematics (Compulsory)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian (Additional)	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
10th "	Monday	Mathematics (Additional)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mechanics	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th "	Tuesday	History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Intermediate Examination in Group "A" (Arts).			
7th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	English Literature, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English Literature, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	History, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		History, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Economics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Economics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th "	Tuesday	Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
26th "	Wednesday	Logic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Logic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Intermediate Examination in Group "B" (Science).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th "	Tuesday	Botany, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Botany, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	Physics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Physics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Geography, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Intermediate Examination in Group "C" (Islamic studies).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th "	Wednesday	Islamic History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
20th "	Thursday	Fiqh and Usul	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Hadis and Tafsir	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd "	Saturday	Koran and Kalam	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic Logic	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th "	Monday	Arabic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th "	Tuesday	Arabic, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Date.	Day.	Subject.	Time.
Intermediate Examination in Group "D" (Dyeing).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th ,,	Tuesday	Principles of Dyeing (Theoretical)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
19th ,,	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th ,,	Thursday	Physics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Physics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd ,,	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th ,,	Monday	Dyeing (Practical)	From 10 A.M.
25th ,,	Tuesday		
Intermediate Examination in Group "E" (Commerce).			
17th March	Monday	English	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th ,,	Tuesday	Commercial Correspondence, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Commercial Correspondence, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th ,,	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th ,,	Thursday	History, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		History, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd ,,	Saturday	Economics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Economics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th ,,	Monday	Geography, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th ,,	Tuesday	Shorthand (1 hour)	From 10 A.M.
		Book-keeping	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Supplementary Intermediate Examination in Arts.			
17th March	Monday	English, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th ,,	Tuesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th ,,	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th ,,	Thursday	History, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		History, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd ,,	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
24th ,,	Monday	Geography, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Geography, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th ,,	Tuesday	Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
26th ,,	Wednesday	Logic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Logic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
Supplementary Intermediate Examination in Science.			
17th March	Monday	English, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Vernacular—Bengali	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th ,,	Tuesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th ,,	Wednesday	Mathematics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Mathematics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
20th ,,	Thursday	Physics, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Physics, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
22nd ,,	Saturday	Chemistry, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Chemistry, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
High Madrasah Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th ,,	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Logic	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
8th ,,	Saturday	Mathematics	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Kalam	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
10th ,,	Monday	Arabic (Compulsory)	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic (Additional)	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th ,,	Tuesday	Islamic History	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Figh	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

Date.	Day.	Subject.	Time.
Supplementary Special Islamic Matriculation Examination.			
5th March	Wednesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
6th „	Thursday	Vernacular—Bengali, Urdu (½ hour paper).	10 A.M to 11 A.M.
		Logic (2 hours paper)	2 P.M to 4 P.M.
8th „	Saturday	Mathematics	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Kalam (2 hours paper)	2 P.M. to 4 P.M.
10th „	Monday	Arabic, 1st paper	10 A M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
11th „	Tuesday	Islamic History (2 hours paper)	10 A.M. to 12 noon.
		Fiqh (2 hours paper)	2 P M. to 4 P.M.
Supplementary Islamic Intermediate Examination.			
17th March	Monday	English, 3rd paper (2 hours paper)	10 A.M. to 12 noon.
18th „	Tuesday	English, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		English, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th „	Wednesday	Islamic History	10 A M. to 1 P.M.
20th „	Thursday	Fiqh and Usul	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Hadis and Tafsir	2 P M. to 5 P.M.
22nd „	Saturday	Koran and Kalam	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
24th „	Monday	Arabic, 1st paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
		Arabic, 2nd paper	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
25th „	Tuesday	Arabic, 3rd paper	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

No examination will be held on Fridays, the 7th and 21st and Sundays, the 9th and 23rd March 1924.

The centres for the High Madrasah and Supplementary Special Islamic Matriculation Examinations are Dacca, Chittagong, Chinsura and Serajganj. All other examinations will be held only at Dacca.

The dates for the Oral Test in English for the Intermediate Examinations will be notified later.

K. AHMED, *Secretary* (*offg.*)

DACCA, *the 12th January 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz, the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
									Revenue—
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	724 12 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5	...	7 3 5
							June and September 1923.		Cess—
									32 3 7

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector.

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue (for the kist ending 12th January 1924).

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abul Fazel.	643 3 7	Whole ...	.....	Fazar Ali Sowdagar ...	...	291 7 10	...
746	Thana Jararganja, C. S. Miroswari, taraf Chin Daulat.	2,906 7 5	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdurani, manager for (a) Saistha Khan.	...	1,316 15 5	...
1213	Thana Satkania, C. S. Banskhali, Patya, C. S. Anwara, taraf Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Do. ...	.....	Wahed Ali ...	...	315 13 7	...
1285	Thana Miroswari, taraf Jarip Mahamad.	783 12 6	Do. ...	.....	Bidhu Bhusan Ray Chowdhuri, Jogendra Nath Ray, and others.	...	131 13 6	...
1407	Thana Town Fatickchari, Patiya, Satkania, Rousan and Hathasari, taraf Jiban Khan.	1,654 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdhurani, manager for (a) Aboo Bashar, and others.	...	456 9 10	...
1885	Thana Hathasari and Rousan, taraf Mahamad Rafee Khansama.	924 9 6	Do. ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Abdul Khalek, and others	...	292 3 8	...
2099	Thana Sitakunda, Hathasari, Banskhali, Satkania, town Patiya, Miroswari and Anwara, kismat Murari Dhar Kanu and Nil Kamal Sen Babaita, taraf Gouri Shankar Kanungoe.	1,330 3 1	Share ...	Residue	Bidhu Bhusan Ray and Srimati Sashi Kumari Ray.	976 2 6	...	442 0 10
3034	Thanas Rousan, Hathazari Town and Fatikchari, taraf Shib Durga Charan Chaudhuri.	2,942 2 0	Do. ...	Share No. 3	Srimati Lakshmi Kumari Sen.	514 3 4	...	233 0 0
93916	Thana Ramoo, mahal Rajakul, taluk Obedullah Sheik, Badeozama, father of Makbul Ali, Dewan Bibi and Asalat Khan.	963 11 3	Do. ...	Residue	Prasanna Kumar Ray, Binode Lal Ray and others.	662 9 2	...	289 14 11

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924.

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
34611 3	Mauza Dhopachari, thana Patiya.	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	...
1-8749 392	Nezbad taluk Keramatali Kamalafrue.	844 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sarfauddin Sikdar, son of Mosharaf Ali Sikdar, of Fakua, thana Chakaria.	...	211 0 0	...
		Cess— 177 8 0					Cess— 44 6 0	

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924.

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
1 159/3	Mauza Teknaf, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Fatey Choudhuri.	1,374 1 2 83 15 9	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Chewa Choudhurain, daughter of Alathoni Choudhuri, Keokhain and Kojapia Choudhuri, sons of Challafru Chandhuri of Teknaf.	.....	428 11 0 33 8 0	.....
3 509/5	Mauza Lengurbil, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Thow Choudhuria.	798 0 0 44 4 6	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	200 0 0 16 2 4	.....
4 460/878 560	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Ishan Chandra Choudhuri.	2,321 6 0 195 18 3	Do. ...	.....	Mongjai Choudhuri and Kenjai Choudhuri, sons of Repoy Choudhuri of South Nilla.	.....	763 13 0 66 14 0	.....
5-1035	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluk Srimati Khoamay.	1,621 8 0 138 8 9	Do. ...	.....	Fateh Choudhuri, Angia Choudhuri, sons of Koheong Choudhuri, and others of South Nilla.	.....	546 4 0 64 10 0	.....
303 294/307	Mauza Harbung, thana Chakaria, mahal Noabad, taluk Moharakali.	929 14 0 85 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Sherali Khan, son of Ajamullah Khan, of Harbung.	.....	232 8 0 31 0 0	.....

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924 L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
3/403	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Pulchari, mahal Noabad, taluk Moberak Ali Bakshally.	3,125 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Makbul Ali Chowdhury, son of Md. Sharif Miaji, of Chota Sauna. Besharatali Chowdhury, son of Jafarali Chowdhury, of Pulchari.	.....	Road— 162 12 0 Cess— 24 1 3	...
4051/35000	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Bursama Chara, mahal Noabad, hal taluk Ramdi e Hazari.	1,942 5 6	Do. ...	.....	Sm. Mathuria Debya and on behalf of her minor son Hajnarayan Hazari, of Anderkilla.	.....	Cess— 83 5 9	...
5674/5069	Thana Satkania, mauza Paharchunda, mahal Noabad, taluk Nilmani.	651 10 0	Do. ...	.....	Md. Aktar Kamal Chowdhury, son of Maulvi Nesamuddin, of Jouriamalu.	.....	Road— 169 14 6 Cess— 27 4 3	...
6289/5617	Thana Satkania, mauza Charamba, mahal Noabad, taluk Kalikinkar.	1,965 13 0	Do. ...	.....	Pran Hari Chowdhury, son of Haradas Chowdhury, of Charamba and others.	.....	Road— 178 4 6 Cess— 36 14 6	...

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924. L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Advertisement of sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up to sale at 1 o'clock on the 5th March 1924, corresponding with the 22nd Falgoon 1330 B. S., Wednesday, at Natore Subdivisional office.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
						Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	Rajshahi	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Chakdwarki and Iswardi.	5	North-west.	32·843	...	...	Chainage 22,400 to Chainage 26,400.	*North*—By the portion of village Chakdwarki (relinquished land). *East*—By the lands of Samir Mandal, Ajer Mandal, Ratan Sarkar, Dullab Mandal, Hafez Sarkar, Nafar Mandal, Dullab Mandal, Samir Mandal, Dullab Mandal of Chakdwarki and by the lands of Kafi Mallik, Ismail Pramanik, Sagar Pramanik, Sagar Pramanik all of Iswardi and by the railway B class land (khas). *South*—By the district of Pabna. *West*—By the lands of Samir Mandal, Kasir Mandal, Samir Molla, Nafar Mandal, Kasir Mandal, Mukunda Kaiya, Nafar Mandal, Umesh Sarkar, Ram Chandra Sarkar, Mukunda Kaiya, and Ram Chandra Sarkar, all of Chakdwarki, and by the lands of Sat at Gharami, Abed Pramanik, Sairat Karikar, Phiku Pramanik, Ram Chandra Pal, and others, all of Iswardi.
2	Do. ...	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Chakdwarki, Sadipur and Angaripara.	6	Do. ...	25·318	...	...	Chainage 30,400 to Chainage 31,680.	*North*—By the portion of village Angaripara (relinquished land). *East*—By the land of Manu Mandal, of Angaripara, by the lands of Sriram Mandal, Rayat Mandal, Nabin Mandal, Siraj Pramanik, Sriram Mandal, Nabin Mandal, Sriram Mandal, Kedar Nath Chakrabarti, and Rafi Kanta Rajak, all of Sadipur, by railway B class land in possession of Ochi Mridha, by the lands of Taser Pramanik, Nasir Molla, and Satish Chandra Pramanik of Sadipur and by the lands of Samir Molla, Tamez Nali, Ram Chandra Sarkar, Samir Molla, of Chakdwarki. *South*—By the portion of village Chakdwarki (relinquished railway land). *West*—By the lands of Naimuddin Mandal, Ajab Sarkar, Kunjalal Shaha, Rafat Pramanik, Syed Pramanik, Seraj Pramanik, Ratan Sarkar, Kanu Monna, Ratan Sarkar, Kedar Nath Chakrabarti of Sadipur and Krishna Chandra Ray's *hat* at Sadipur. By the lands (B class land) in possession of Mahim Chandra Mandal, by the land of Ochhi Mridha, by railway B class land in possession of Darshi Pramanik at Sadipur, by the lands of Umesh Sarkar, Rameswar Haldar, Umesh Sarkar, Samir Molla at Chakdwarki.
3	Do. ...	Pargana Dakhinjoar, mauza Angaripara.	7	Do. ...	8·275	...	...	Chainage 31,680 to terminus of relinquished land.	*North*—By the railway land. *North-east*—By the existing railway line. *East*—By the land of Imarat Mandal, Adan Pramanik and Gopal Joardar, at Angaripara. *South*—By the portion of Angaripara (relinquished railway land.) *West*—By the lands of Nafar Sarkar, Jadu Sardar, Gopal Joardar, Jahir Mandal, Gopal Joardar and Ajob Sarkar at Angaripara.

Rajshahi Collectorate, the 9th January 1924.

F. B. BRADLEY-BIRT, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua ...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situated in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, Krishnagar, on 18th day of February 1924, corresponding with 6th Phalgun of 1330 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force : and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
3533	Kalupole thana land, pargana Mahammad Shahi	85	3 0 0	In thana Chuadanga.

Nadia, the 21st December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

(See rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situated in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the Midnapore Collectorate on 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 B.S. The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchasers of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement procedures and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Acres.	Rs. A.	
3149	Khedgree post office compound and buildings, pargana Kasba Hijli.	8·99	21 7	The area occupied by the post office compound and buildings according to the settlement record (plots 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945 and 2309) is 9·09 acres. Out of this an area of 65 × 65 containing the flagstaff ramp and G. T. S. bench mark will be retained by Public Works Department. The remaining area of 8·99 acres will be sold subject to the condition of having the right of way over the land to the flagstaff ramp and G. T. S. bench mark.

G. H. W. DAVIES, Collector.

Collector's Office, Midnapore, the 19th January 1924.

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 1st February 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	15,65,89,000	0	0
Other Deposits	72,87,72,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act, against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	8,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	66,70,000	0	0
	1,07,27,81,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,46,89,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,29,82,000	0	0
Loans	20,60,86,000	0	0
Cash credits	41,62,81,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	13,90,45,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	85,00,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,47,86,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries	45,61,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	1,02,48,000	0	0
	92,19,28,000	0	0
Cash	15,08,53,000	0	0
	1,07,27,81,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London ... ... £ 1,046,800

Advances in London ... ... £ 448,700

Cash and balances at other Banks in London ... £ 682,900

Percentage 16·51.

Bank Rate 8 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M. MURRAY (offg.),
Managing Governors.

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Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Imperial Bank of India on the 31st January 1924.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS					4 PER CENT.		INDIAN WAR LOAN,		
		of 1948-49	of 1854-55	of 1865.	of 1879	of 1900-01	Terminable Loan of 1916-18.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-47	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1930.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1932.
Balance of 15th January 1924	21,83,400	59,97,700	2,94,81,200	1,27,15,500	36,40,900	20,34 350	23,900	2,40,27,400	29,43,050	100	500
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. ...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 15th January 1924	.....	500	1,000	11,100	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st January 1924	.....	36,000	44,500	63,800	.....	52,500	.....	.....	1,800	.....	.....
Total ...	21,83,400	60,34,200	2,95,26,700	1,27,90,600	36,40,900	20,86,850	23,900	2,40,27,400	29,44,850	100	500
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	16,900	1,00,000	3,67,600	4,10,000	1,00,000	3,25,000	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 31st January 1924 ...	21,67,500	59,34,200	2,91,59,100	1,23,80,600	35,40,900	17,61,850	23,900	2,40,27,400	29,44,850	100	500

Particulars.	SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN.			3 per cent. Loan, 1945-55	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1930.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1926.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1931.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1927.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1933.	Ten year 5 per cent. Bonds, 1933.	Total.
	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1928.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1929.	5½ per cent War Bonds 1928.								
Balance of 15th January 1924 ...	4,100	47,600	2,26,075	4,81,900	22,82,500	51,28,000	66,23,400	25,70,600	45,29,600	100	10,49,43,875
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 15th January 1924	.....	.....	.....	.....	60 000	.....	.....	5,400	.....	.....	48,900
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st January 1924	.....	2,000	2,000	3,500	12,500	1,000	10,900	.....	8,500	.....	2,39,000
Total ...	4,100	49,600	2,30,075	4,85,400	23,35,000	51,29,000	66,34 300	25,76 000	45,38,100	100	10,52 31,075
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,500	.....	19,700	.....	.....	13,57,700
Balance on 31st January 1924 ..	4,100	49,600	2,30,075	4,85,400	23,35,000	51,08 500	66,34,300	25,57,300	45,38 100	100	10,38,73,375

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 30th November 1923—Enfaced from India 13,180 lacs re-transferred from London 13,461 lacs.
" 1st December 1923 to 15th December 1923 " " " " 1 lac " " " 16 lacs.
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " ... " " " 2 "
" 1st January 1924 to 15th January 1924 " " " " 1 lac " " " 9 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " 3 lacs " " " 14 "

13,185 lacs. 13,502 lacs.

F. E. DALTON,
Superintendent (offg.).

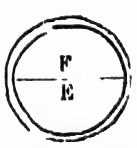
D. S. MCCLURE,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA,
Calcutta, the 5th February 1924.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order ex the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 113 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and if not cleared on or before the 29th March 1924 on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "Lahore."		
11th Jan. 1924 ...	968 in a diamond, A. T below ...	2	Cases cigarettes.
11th „ „ ...	L J 51	1	Case merchandise.
12th „ „ ...	N C S & Co	2	Casks brandy.
11th „ „ ...	N A & Co	1	Case essential oil.
	SHED No. 8.		
	SS. "Macharda."		
10th Jan. 1924 ...	B & C in a diamond	3	Cases merchandise.
16th „ „ ...	C S Co in a diamond	1	Case merchandise.
10th „ „ ...		3	Casks merchandise.
	SHED No. 9.		
	SS. "Mandasor."		
8th Jan. 1924 ...	Bhola in a diamond, N A on top, B & Co below.	3	Cases biscuits.
8th „ „ ...	B & Co. 1423 in a diamond, A H on top ...	4	Cases medicine.
14th „ „ ...	III White M L	95	Pieces joists.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "Mulbera."		
5th Jan. 1924 ...	No mark	7	Casks empty.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 5.		
	SS. "Imani."		
16th Jan. 1924 ...	3258 in a diamond, B B & Co below, 1-13.	13	Cases medicine.
18th „ „ ...	Higgins Epiphany School, Cawnpore ...	1	Package merchandise.
18th „ „ ...	L B L & Co in a block, 1	1	Case essence.
18th „ „ ...	Rev R C Biswas, No. 33, Ahmerst St., 4993.	1	Case optical goods.
18th „ „ ...	30 in a diamond, A K F & Co below, 7-10.	4	Cases medicine
	SS. "Mahsud."		
24th Jan. 1924 ...	C C C C in a diamond, 552-54 ...	3	Cases merchandise.
24th „ „ ...	D 47 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below, 1.	1	Cask merchandise.
24th „ „ ...	D 52 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	50	Cases common soap.
25th „ „ ...	5341 in a diamond, Lucknow below, 419-21.	3	Cases cycles.
24th „ „ ...	G H in a diamond, 12, 30, 90, 93, 97 ...	5	Drums paint
25th „ „ ...	G & B R in a diamond, W C on top, C O below, 1-2.	2	Bales cotton wool.
24th „ „ ...	J A & C Calcutta A L Cr 63	1	Barrel wine.
24th „ „ ...	$\frac{M Y}{S M I}$, 1-12	12	Cases toilet requisites.
24th „ „ ...	M B in a diamond, 28	1	Case merchandise.
24th „ „ ...	S E & C in a diamond, W S on top, C O below, 1 5.	5	Bales merchandise.
24th „ „ ...	F D & Co in a diamond, G on top ...	7	Kegs borax.
24th „ „ ...	W F C T in a block, 1-3	3	Cases wood separators.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 5—*concld.*		
	SS. "Mahsud"—*concld.*		
25th Jan 1924 ...	6131 in a triangle, A T on sides, G below, 1-4.	4	Kegs nail.
28th „ „ ...	$\frac{A\ Y}{L}$ in a diamond, Lucknow below, 1 ...	1	Case earthenware.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Clan Macnab."		
19th Jan. 1924 ...	$\frac{G\ C\ D}{C}$ in a diamond, 1-3 ...	3	Cases stationery.
23rd „ „ ...	Nil	1	Piece flat bar iron
	SHED No. 2.		
	SS. "Ceylon Maru."		
14th Jan. 1924 ...	$\frac{A\ D\ A}{1367}$ in a block, 484-86, 489-91 ...	6	Cases cotton hosiery.
14th „ „ ...	$\frac{7}{1128}$ in a block, 10-15	6	Ditto.
14th „ „ ...	$\frac{A\ D\ A}{972}$ in a block, 487-8	2	Ditto.
14th „ „ ...	$\frac{=Do.=}{134}$, 492-3	2	Ditto.
14th „ „ ...	27 in a triangle, K C on sides, T below, 1-18.	18	Cases glass beads.
15th „ „ ...	K. S. Mohomedali Allibhoy, Karachi ...	1	Case porcelain.
14th „ „ ...	Onada	1	Bag merchandise.
14th „ „ ...	Y M B in a diamond, 17	1	Case rubber ware.
	SHED No. 4.		
	SS. "Colaba."		
22nd Jan. 1924 ...	D & Co	5	Cases cigarettes.
21st „ „ ...	G & S	1	Case merchandise.
21st „ „ ...	J W	3	Cases liquor.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 13th February 1924.

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager.
(2604-1)

In the Court of the First Munsiff at Goalundo.

TITLE SUIT No. 33 OF 1924.

(1) Prasanna Kumar Mandal, son of late Pitambar Mandal, (2) Behari Mandal, (3) Pyari Mandal, (4) Basanta Mandal, (5) Srimanta Mandal, sons of late Kailash Mandal, of Baharpur, police-station Goalundo, district Faridpur,

versus

Sivanath Bala and others, defendants.

WHEREAS the plaintiffs in the above suit have instituted a suit for declaration of their title as owner of land, covered by that portion of cadastral survey plot No. 54 of Bara Barigram mauza, in thana Goalundo, which lies between plots 59 and 61 of that mauza, and for a further declaration that no public path or right of way existed or exists over the same, and whereas the same plaintiffs have asked for the permission of this Court, under order I, rule 8 of the Civil Procedure Code, to continue the suit as a "representative suit", notice is hereby given that any one interested in the subject matter of this suit may apply to this Court to be made a party defendant, as otherwise the public will be bound by the result of the above suit.

R. M. GOSWAMI, Munsif.

Rajbari, the 30th January 1924. (186—1)

In the Court of the district Judge at Alipore, district 24-Parganas.

MISCELLANEOUS JUDICIAL CASE No. 105 OF 1923 (WAKF)

TAKE notice that S. K. Bela *alias* Bela Babu, Sm. Matijan Bibi, Sm. Morium Bibi and minor Bibi Khatun, represented by guardian mother Morium Bibi, of No. 42, Monsatollah Lane, Kidderpore, thana Watgunge, Mutwallies to the Wakf created by late Golam Hossain, have applied for permission to sell 5 cottahs of land, situate in premises No. 41, Monsatollah Lane, Kidderpore, thana Watgunge, for Rs. 5,000. Anybody having any objection do so before 11 A.M. of the 15th February 1924.

A. J. CHOTZNER, District Judge.

Alipore, the 18th January 1924. (164—1—191)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 23 OF 1924.

Re Shew Putter Saha, residing and lately carrying on business in *Dal* at No. 164, Musjidbari Street, in the town of Calcutta, at present doing nothing, *ex parte* the debtor (in person).

ON the 23rd day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 2nd day of February 1924.

G. M FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 30 OF 1924.

Re Nil Kamal Ghose, residing at No. 86, Cornwallis Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business at the aforesaid place in co-partnership with Nirmal Chunder Mitter and Kartick Chunder Banerjee as dealer in motor accessories under the name and style of the Calcutta Petrol and Vulcanizing Company and as owner of two taxi cabs Nos. T447 and T1084, at present out of employment, *ex parte* the debtor (in person).

ON the 20th day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 2nd day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 31 OF 1924.

Re Narendra Nath Bose, residing at No. 9, Fakir Chand Mitter Street, in the town of Calcutta, a clerk in the office of Messrs. Mackinnon Mackenzie & Co., at No. 16, Strand Road, in Calcutta, aforesaid, *ex parte* the debtor.

P. N. Banerjee, debtor's Solicitor.

ON the 31st day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 2nd day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 33 OF 1924.

Re Netai Chand Addy, lately residing at No. 51-1, Sree Gopal Mullick Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on business as motor repairer under the name and style of Auto Trading Company, at No. 48-1, Machuabazar Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid, and as dealer in motor car and accessories at No. 166, Lower Chitpur Road, in Calcutta, aforesaid, under the name of Calcutta Motor Works and also as order-supplier at No. 97, Clive Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid, under the name of Equitable Trading Co., and at present a prisoner in the Civil side of the Presidency Jail in Calcutta aforesaid, *ex parte* the debtor.

S. C. Palit, debtor's Solicitor.

ON the 31st day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 2nd day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 32 of 1924.

Re Gousion Hiraga, residing at No. 131, Collin Street, in the town of Calcutta, and employed as hair-cutter and dresser in the Crown Hair Dressing Saloon of No. 11, Park Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid, *ex parte* the debtor.

M. H. Huq, debtor's Solicitor.

ON the 31st day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 2nd day of February 1924.

G. M FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 34 of 1924.

Re Simon Bromley residing at No. 5-A, Chowringhee Road, in the town of Calcutta and lately carrying on business as a hair-dresser at No. 17, Chowringhee Road, in Calcutta aforesaid under the name and style of Bromley & Co, at present without any occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

D. N Gupta, debtor's Solicitor.

ON the 5th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Dated this 6th day of February 1924.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 19 of 1924.

Re Brijlal Chowdhury, lately carrying on business as Banker, Merchant and Commission Agent and at present residing at No. 1, Narayan Prosad Babu Lane, in the town of Calcutta.

Ex parte the creditor.

ON the 31st day of January 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 7th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 32 of 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 20th September 1923 filed by Mokhoioch Rohoman, son of late Barkat Ali, of Silkop, police-station Bunskhali, debtor, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the application and hearing the pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The debtor is directed to apply for discharge within six months. Mr. Perceival is appointed receiver.

Dated this 1st day of February 1924.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

(239—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 55 of 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 26th November 1923, filed by Abdul Jobber, son of Asorof Ali, of Char Pathorghata, police-station Patiya, debtor, and on the application of the debtor and on reading the application and hearing the pleader for the debtor, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The debtor is directed to apply for discharge within six months. No receiver is appointed.

Dated this 31st day of January 1924.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

(240—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 59 of 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 13th December 1923, filed by Abdul Barak, son of Golam Rosul, of Andarkilla, district Chittagong, debtor, and on the application of the debtor and on reading the application and hearing the pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The debtor is directed to apply for discharge within six months. No receiver is appointed.

Dated this 1st day of February 1924.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

(241—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 4, 5 AND 6 of 1924.

TAKE notice that creditor Sadhu Charan Saha Poddar, son of late Linamoni Saha Poddar, of Nayakandi Ganganagar, police-station Palong, has prayed for getting (1) Hem Chandra Saha, (2) Ananta Kumar Saha, sons of late Hari Mohon Saha, (3) Ananda Chandra Saha, son of late Kalachand Saha, of Nayakandi Ganganagar, police-station Palong, adjudicated insolvents, and 19th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

Dated the 5th day of February 1924.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

(251—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 12 of 1924.

RAJESWAR DAS, son of Bhatairam Das (deceased), resident of Darikamari, police-station Pachagar, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent The 16th day of February 1924 has been fixed for the examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

E MILSOM, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th day of February 1924. (255—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1924.

MATHURA NATH DAS, son of Monoram Das (deceased), resident of Titupara, police-station Boda, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent. The 16th day of February 1924 has been fixed for the examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

E MILSOM, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th day of February 1924. (256—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1924.

Petitioner Bhushan Ghose, son of late Baidya Nath Ghose, of Jamdardanga, police-station Chapra, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the abovenamed petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 1st March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJI, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 6th February 1924. (250—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Hunuman Baksha Agarwala, son of Salgram Agarwala of Talora, police-station Dupchachia, district Bogra, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 29th January 1924, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to his creditors that the Court has fixed the 22nd February 1924 for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 4th February 1924. (243—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 17 OF 1923.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq, District Judge.

BAHADDI NASYA, son of late Kaltu Nasya, of Hatiya Bhabeah, police station Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 26th day of January 1924, adjudged an insolvent by this Court. He must apply for his final discharge within six months.

P. K MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 2nd February 1924 (223—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 26 OF 1923.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge

BADARUDDIN AHMED, son of Shamulla Pramanik, of Saidpur, police-station Saidpur, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 28th day of January 1924, adjudged an insolvent by this Court. He must apply for his final discharge within six months.

P. K MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 2nd February 1924 (224—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Joyer Mamud, son of late Rou Mamud, of Majbari, police-station Pirgachha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 25th day of February 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 2nd February 1924. (225—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1924

Ram Adhin Show, son of late Budhui Show, of No. 18, Muraripukur Road, thana Maniktala, applicant

To Ram Chandra Surajmal and others, creditors.

ON the 9th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. J CHOTZNER, District Judge.

Alipore, the 18th January 1924. (149—1—190)

Notice.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Nazir District Judge's Court, Dacca, on pay of Rs. 175—5—225 a month.

None need apply who has had no experience of Nazarat work. The usual security will be required.

Applications should reach the undersigned on or before the 15th February 1924.

J. F GRAHAM, District and Sessions Judge.

Dacca, the 1st February 1924 (242—1)

WANTED a Supervisor on Rs. 160 a month under the District Board of Jalpaiguri temporarily at present for three months with prospect of being made permanent. None but a B. E. need apply. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 15th February 1924

K. BANERJI, Chairman, District Board.

Jalpaiguri, the 31st January 1924. (230—2)

Wanted

A SECOND CLERK who has passed the Public Works Department Accountantship Examination on Rs. 75—5—100 for the District Board Office, Purnea. Preference will be given to one who has got office experience and is domiciled in the province of Behar and Orissa. Applications will be received by the Chairman, Purnea District Board, by the 25th February 1924.

(234—3)

NOTICE.

Imperial Bank of India.

THE Members of the Local Board have made the following changes in the Bank's Establishment :—

Mr L H Brown to be Officer-in-charge, Nowshera Branch, as from 22nd January 1924, *vice* Mr. H. R. Cox, transferred.

Mr. W A. Smurthwaite to be Officer-in-charge, Bareilly Branch, as from 26th January 1924, *vice* Mr. C. N. Nixon, proceeding on furlough.

By order,

D. S McCLURE,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, 1st February 1924. (236—1)

Bengal Public Health Department.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS in duplicate in sealed covers are invited for the weekly supply of cattle food including straw and chaff during the ten months from the 1st March to 31st December 1924. They will be received by the Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Health, Bengal at his office in Writers' Buildings up to the 16th February 1924. Prior to delivering their tenders intending contractors must deposit with the Superintendent of the Bengal Vaccine Depôt at Intally two sealed samples of the articles proposed to be supplied under the contract.

2. Forms and conditions of tender are obtainable free on application to the undersigned Tenderers must abide by the prescribed conditions.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, M.B., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H.,
Director of Public Health, Bengal

Howrah Municipality.

DECLARATION.

I AM of opinion that the storing of molasses (*chita gur*) in any premises is dangerous to health and is likely to create a nuisance for the reason that a large number of flies which are the carriers of infectious diseases are attached to places where molasses (*chita gur*) are stored and that an offensive and unwholesome smell is given out during the fermentation of molasses (*chita gur*) As such no person should be allowed to use or permit to be used any premises within the limits of the Howrah Municipality for the purpose of storing molasses (*chita gur*) without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted under section 436 of the Calcutta Municipal Act as extended to Howrah.

CHARU CHANDRA SINHA, Chairman.

The 8th November 1922. (267—2)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is notified for general information that the District Board of Dacca at its special meeting held on the 22nd January 1924 resolved to levy the road cess in the Dacca district during the financial year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of one-half anna in the rupee of the annual value of land.

K. C. GUHA, Vice-Chairman in charge.

District Board Office, Dacca, the 8th February 1924.

(268—1)

Road Cess notification.

THE District Board of Tippera at their special meeting held on the 14th January 1924 resolved to levy road cess at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc., in the district of Tippera during the financial year 1924-25.

ABDUL KARIM, Chairman.

Comilla, the 26th January 1924. (221—2)

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924.

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that records of cases disposed of in the year 1921, in the Courts of the Presidency Magistrates, Calcutta, will be destroyed under the Circular Orders of the High Court. The undersigned will not be responsible for any exhibit filed in connection with cases disposed of in the Courts of the Presidency Magistrates, Calcutta, in the year 1921, if not taken back by the parties who filed them, within a month from this date.

T. ROXBURGH, Chief Presidency Magistrate.

Calcutta, the 22nd January 1924.

Income Tax Department.

APPLICATIONS are invited for filling six posts in the Income Tax Department.

Applicants must be graduates of less than 25 years of age on the 1st March 1924, of sound physique, good health, active habits and good character, and must not be already in Government service.

The selected candidates will draw an initial pay of Rs. 300 per mensem and will be required to serve a period of probation which will ordinarily extend to two years before they are confirmed. During this period they will be required to pass the departmental examinations in Commercial Book-keeping and Accountancy, Income-tax Law and Practice, two Vernaculars and such other subjects as may be prescribed. An officer failing to pass these examinations by the end of his second year of probation will not be confirmed.

Applications accompanied by copies of (1) the evidence relied on as proof of age, (2) University certificates, (3) testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than noon on Saturday, 23rd February 1924. Applications received later will not be entertained.

From the applicants a number of candidates will be selected for personal interview with the Commissioner, and they will be required to produce at the time of the interview their original University certificates together with evidence of age and the usual medical certificate (Government of Bengal notification No. 19425F., dated 23rd December 1921, at page 1 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of that date). The interviews will be granted between the 10th and 15th March on dates of which the selected candidates will be informed by letter, and failure to produce the required certificates at the interview will entail the rejection of the candidate.

The candidate finally selected to be probationers in the department will be required to join their appointments not later than the forenoon of 1st April 1924.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, Commissioner of Income-tax, Bengal.

6, Esplanade East, Calcutta, the 4th February 1924.

Lost.

THE upper half of the Government Promissory Note No. 305701 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 10,000, originally standing in the name of Syed Mobarak Ali, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the proprietor—Syed Mobarak Ali.

Residence—Guzri, Patna City.

(16—3—119)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 7724, dated 14th December 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
296928	3½ per cent. of 1865.	1,000	Hem Nalini Basu.

Name of Proprietor—Hem Nalini Basu.

Residence—56-2, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta.

(235—1—193)

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 279217 and 279206 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-1 for Rs. 900 and Rs. 600, respectively, originally standing in the name of the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs, and last endorsed to Manilal Kaviraj, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of the Advertiser—Manilal Kaviraj.

Residence—1, Baniapuker Lane, Entally, Calcutta.

(257—3—194)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the East Jherria Coal Co., Ld. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders of this Company will be held on Saturday, the 15th day of March 1924, at No. 4, Bankshall Street, Calcutta, at 11 A.M., for the purpose of considering, and if deemed desirable, of passing the following extraordinary resolutions with or without modifications :—

(1) "That the accounts submitted to the meeting showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of be received and adopted."

(2) "That the books, accounts and documents of the Company and of the liquidation thereof be retained by the liquidators for a period of three months from the date of this meeting and thereafter be destroyed by them."

G. C. WEBSTER,
W. MORGAN, } Liquidators.

Calcutta, the 6th February 1924. (237—1—192)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Anchor Brooklebank, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Anchor Brooklebank, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,
Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 2nd February 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Eastern Australian Merchants Co-operative League (India), Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Eastern Australian Merchants Co-operative League (India), Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,
Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 2nd February 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Van Arsdale Transport, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Van Arsdale Transport, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies,
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 8th February 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Automobile Transport, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Automobile Transport, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies,
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 8th February 1924.

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :–

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs. 25

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*" which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post.

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs. Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Rs. 2.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

Government reserve the right to alter the price without notice.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Saturday.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1924.

APPENDIX.

Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The 2nd February 1924.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, EAST COAST.

Homalig Island—Amendments to Chart re Shoals and Depths.

No. 35 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2051 of 1923), are republished :—

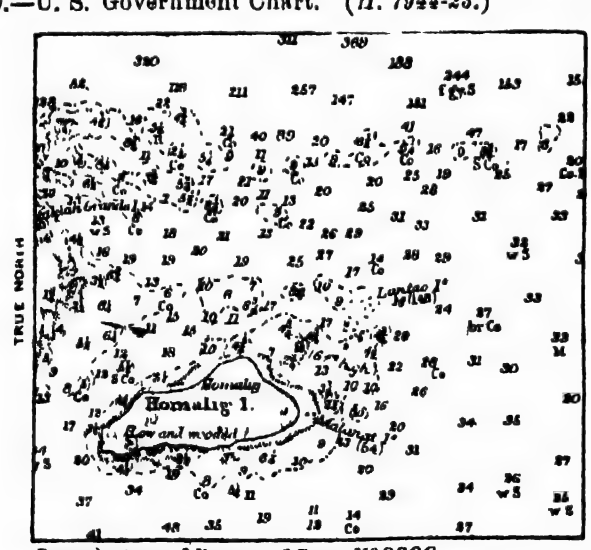
Position.—Malanat islet, lat. 14° 42′ N., long. 122° 26′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No 3806 shows the necessary amendments with regard to shoals and depths northward, eastward and south-eastward of Homalig island. It will be observed from the reproduction that the name "Homalig" has been substituted for "Jomalig" on the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 3806, Cabra island to San Fernando point, and Dilasak bay to San Miguel bay.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 542.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 7944-23.*)



Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 3806

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JAVA, NORTH-EAST COAST—SURABAYA STRAIT.

Tanjongan—Shoal south-eastward of.

No. 36 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2057 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2½ miles south-eastward of Tanjongan.
Lat. 7° 11′ 35″ S., long. 112° 42′ 41″ E., on the plan quoted.

Depth.—1½ fathoms (2m7).

Chart affected.—No. 934, Plan of Surabaya strait.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 128.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 3079 of 1923. (*H. 8518-23.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip Entrance Fairway—Information re Leading Lines and Depths.

No. 37 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2075 of 1923), are republished :—

(1) Leading line to be inserted on charts :

Position.—Shortland bluff high lighthouse.
Lat. 38° 16′ S., long. 144 40′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—A leading line is to be drawn in a 038° direction on the charts, to the Obelisk (situated close eastward of low light) in line with Shortland bluff high light. This leading line is to be drawn as a single line for a distance of one mile south-westward of low light, thence as a double line for a distance of 3·2 miles. The leading line is to be marked at its outer end :—

"*Obelisk in line with High Lt. 38° (N. 30° E. Mag.).*"

The word "Fairway" shown against the leading line "Two lights in line 42° (*N. 34° E. Mag.*)," on chart No. 2747, is to be erased and re-inserted midway between the outer ends of the two leading lines.

(2) Depth in dredged channel to be inserted on chart No. 2747 :

Position.—At a distance of about 9½ cables south-eastward of Point Lonsdale lighthouse.

Details.—The following note is to be inserted between the two leading lines, on the chart quoted :—

"*Channel dredged to 43 ft. (1923).*"

The depths below 43 feet (13m1), six in number, on or between the above leading lines, south-eastward of Point Lonsdale, are to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Pilot. Vol. II, 1918, page 88.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 9 of 1923. (*H. 8308-23.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA, PORT PHILLIP ENTRANCE.

South Channel—Alterations in positions of light-buoys and buoy.

No. 38 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2076 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *New position.*—At a distance of about 1½ cables westward of charted position and 5·33 cables 300° from "Pile" lighthouse.
Lat. 38° 20′ S., long. 144° 50′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—No. 10 light-buoy exhibiting a *group flashing red* light.

(*b*) *New position.*—At a distance of about half a cable south-eastward of charted position and 3·83 cables 073° from "Pile" lighthouse.

Description.—No. 11 buoy, painted black.

(*c*) *New position.*—At a distance of about half a cable westward of charted position and 2·33 cables 077° from "Pile" lighthouse.

Description.—No. 12 light-buoy, exhibiting a *flashing green* light.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 107.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 8 of 1923. (*H. 8819-23.*)

The 26th January 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

Rangoon River Entrance, Eastern Sands-Buoys laid for surveying purposes.

No. 27 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 2M. of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 101M. of 1923. (*This office No. 20 of 1924.*)

Position.—South-eastward of Eastern Sands.

Lat. 16° 23′ N., long. 96° 25′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—Additional buoys for the use of surveying marks and secondary Triangulation Stations will be laid to seaward of the Eastern Sands as required during the months of December 1923, January and February 1924.

These buoys will be without letters and numbers and may or may not be surmounted by flags as required.

Remarks.—Mariners are informed not to make use of these buoys as navigating marks.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 833, Rangoon River and Approaches.
„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator of the Port, Pilot Marine Circular No. 39, dated 18th December 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Janjira Harbour—Wreck reported north-westward of.

No. 28 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 4M. of 1924), are republished :—

Date sighted.—On 3rd January 1924.

Position.—At a distance of about 11 miles north-westward of Rujpuri Point Light-House.

Lat. 18° 25′ 10″ N.

Long. 72° 48′ 40″ E.

Details.—The Master of SS. "Oporto" reports having sighted a mast about 5 feet above water, which is supposed to be attached to a sunker wreck of a country craft.

Caution.—Mariners are warned of its danger as this wreck lies in the track of shipping.

Charts affected.—No. 738, Kundari Island to Boria Pagoda.

„ 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug.

„ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 14th January 1924.

NEW GUINEA, EAST COAST.

Huon Gulf—Shoal reported.

No. 29 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2025 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 4 miles north-westward of Fliegen (Fly) Islands.

Lat. 7° 17′ 20″ S., long. 147° 20′ 40″ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—5 fathoms (9^{m}1).

Remarks.—The 100 fathom (182^{m}9) depth, no bottom, close north-eastward of this position on the charts, is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 2766, North-east coast of New Guinea.

„ 2759*a*, Australia—northern portion.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, page 259.

Authority.—New Guinea Gazette, dated 15th September 1923. (*H. 8352-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—MOZAMBIQUE HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Ilha de Goa (St. George Island)—Temporary alteration in character of light.

No. 30 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2027 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Near the south-eastern side of the Island.

Lat. 15° 03′ S., long. 40° 47′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The fixed light, with white and red sectors, has been temporarily replaced by a light having the following characteristics :—

Character.—*Fixed white.*

Elevation.—49 feet (14^{m}9).

Visibility.—12 miles ; from 208° through west, to 023°.

Remarks.—A temporary *fixed red* light has been established on the western side of the light-house. This *fixed red* light in line 125° with the *flashing white* light on the north-western side of Ilha de Goa, now forms the leading line through the channel north-eastward of Ilha de Mozambique.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 652, Mozambique Harbour.

„ 653, Ports of Conducia, Mozambique, and Mokambo.

„ 1809, Mozambique Harbour to Ras Pekawi.

„ 1810, River Zambezi to Mozambique Harbour.

„ 2762, Comoro Islands.

„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.

„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 85.
Africa Pilot, Part III 1915, page 278; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 51 of 1923. (*H. 8225-23.*)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Fremantle Harbour Entrance—Alterations in Lights on Light-Dolphins; Light-Buoy replaced by Light-Dolphin.

No. 31 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2028 of 1923), are republished:—

(1) Alterations in lights on light-dolphins:

(*a*) *Position.*—On northern side of channel, at a distance of about 2 cables eastward of the light near outer end of North mole.

Lat. 32° 03′ S., long. 115° 44′ E. (*approx.*).

Alteration.—The fixed red light has been replaced by a *flashing red* light *every five seconds*, thus:—Flash 1 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

(*b*) *Position.*—On northern side of channel, at a distance of about 2½ cables eastward of (*a*).

Alteration.—The fixed red light has been replaced by a *flashing red* light, as described in (*a*).

(*c*) *Position.*—On southern side of channel, at a distance of about 1½ cables eastward of the light near outer end of South mole.

Alteration.—The fixed green light has been replaced by a *flashing green* light *every five seconds*, thus:—

Flash 1 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

(*d*) *Position.*—On southern side of channel, at a distance of about 1¼ cables eastward of (*c*).

Alteration.—The fixed green light has been replaced by a *flashing green* light, as described in (*c*).

(2) Light-buoy replaced by light-dolphin:

Position.—On northern side of channel, close to slipway, at a distance of about one cable north-westward of (1) (*d*).

Details.—The light-buoy with fixed red light has been replaced by a light-dolphin exhibiting a *fixed red* light.

Chart affected.—No. 1700, Fremantle harbour and Gage roads.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2275.

Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1923, page 356.

Authority.—Fremantle Notice, dated 18th October 1923. (*H. 8277-23.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUBANG ISLAND.

Look Bay—Information re Shoal and Depths.

No. 32 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2037 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Non-existence of shoal :

Position.—At a distance of 5 cables 198° from Point Tumbaga.
Lat. 13° 43′ N., long. 120° 17′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The shoal, of about one cable in extent, the centre of which is situated in the above position, is to be expunged from the plan. The two 6 fathom (11^{m}0) depths, situated respectively close southward and north-westward of this shoal on the plan, are also to be expunged.

(*b*) Depths to be inserted on plan :

(i) *Position.*—At a distance of 5·7 cables 196° from Point Tumbaga.

Depth.—19 fathoms (34^{m}7).

(ii) *Position.*—At a distance of 4·3 cables 201° from Point Tumbaga.

Depth.—22 fathoms (40^{m}2).

Chart affected.—No. 972, Plan of Look bay.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 34.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 7365-23*)

CHINA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Kwang Chau Wan—Information re Buoys.

No. 33 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2038 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Buoy withdrawn :

Position.—Formerly marking the 2½ fathom (4^{m}6) rock, situated at a distance of about 1¼ miles eastward of the south-eastern end of Lin Fathan island.
Lat. 21° 06′ N., long. 110° 26′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A red conical buoy, with topmark.

Remarks.—This buoy is to be expunged from the charts.

(*b*) Buoy established :

Position.—At a distance of about 4½ cables southward of (*a*), and 2·7 miles 118° from Lin Fathan island No. 4 Pyramid (high) light.

Description.—A red conical buoy, with conical topmark.

Remarks.—This buoy marks the 2¾ fathom (5^{m}0) shoal, on the eastern side of leading line.

Charts affected.—No. 3486, Kwang chau wan to River Matshé.
„ 3349, Approach to Kwang chau wan.

Publications.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 365.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III (*in press*).

Authority.—French Government Chart. (*H. 8295-22.*)

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

River Tamar—General Information to be inserted on Charts.

No. 34 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2039 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Low head lighthouse, lat. 41° 03′ S., long. 146° 49′ E. (*approx.*).

(1) Caution re Telegraph cables :

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles northward of Low head lighthouse.

Details.—From the bell-buoy, situated in this position, pecked lines are to be drawn on the charts in a 053° and 144° direction for a distance of 1·8 miles and 2·4 miles, respectively, and the words "(*See Cautionary Note*)" are to be inserted against them.

The following Caution is to be inserted below the title on chart No. 3649 and on the lower right-hand side of the title of chart No. 1080 :—

CAUTION.

"*Vessels are warned not to anchor North-west, West and South-west of the pecked lines in the vicinity of the Bell-buoy North of Low Head, owing to the existence of Telegraph cables.*"

(2) Alteration in light on light-buoy :

Position.—Marking the north-western side of Bombay rock, westward of Georgetown.

Alteration.—The occulting white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light.

(3) Porpoise rock removed and buoys withdrawn :

Position.—Southward of Garden island, Georgetown.

Details.—A depth of 5 fathoms (9m1) is to be substituted for the rocks and encircling danger line, shown on the charts in this position. The black buoy and the red buoy formerly marking this rock are to be expunged.

(4) Light discontinued :

Position.—On the outer end of Beauty point jetty, Ilfracombe.

Details.—The fixed light, with white and red sectors, is to be expunged from the charts.

(5) Alteration in light on "Wolverine" light-beacon :

Position.—On the north-western side of Wolverine shoals, northward of Middle point.

Details.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light.

(6) Light established :

Position.—On the south-eastern side of Point Rapid, at a distance of 9·7 cables 032° from Ragged islet, Moriarty reach.

Abridged description.—Lt. F. *W. R.*

Character.—A *fixed* light, with *white* and *red* sectors.

Remarks.—The limits of the sectors are not stated.

(7) Light established :

Position.—On the southern side of channel, eastward of Supply bay, at a distance of about 3·5 cables 334° from Swan point ▲.

Abridged description.—Lt. F.

Character.—*Fixed white.*

Note.—The notation "(*P.A.*)" is to be inserted against this light on the inset quoted.

Remarks.—The pile beacon, shown on the charts about 1¼ cables westward of this position, is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 3649, Entrance to River Tamar (Tasmania). (1), (2), (3).

„ 1080, River Tamar (Tasmania), Low head to Launceston, with plan and inset.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 2819, 2820.

Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, pages 250, 255, 259, 260, 261, 265.

Authority.—Marine Board of Launceston, Tasmania. (*H. 7628-23.*)

The 19th January 1924.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—GULF OF ST. VINCENT, PORT ADELAIDE.

Wonga Shoal Light (U)—Intended alteration in period.

No. 18 (third publication).—

Subject.—The period of the Flashing White Light (U) on Wonga Shoal will be altered on or about 1st March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 34° 50′ S., long. 138° 27′ E. on Chart No. 2389.

Details.—The period of the *Flashing White* Light will be altered from three to *seven and a half seconds*, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse
1 sec.	6½ secs.

Note.—In other respects the light will remain unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights and Visual Time Signals, Part VI, 1923. No. 2355.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 32 of 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Bankot—Buoys relaid in positions.

No. 19 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 100M. of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 56-M. of 1923. (*This office No. 228 of 1923.*)

Position.—Lat. 17° 58′ N.
Long 73° 02′ E. } approx.

Details.—The Bankot buoys, which were withdrawn during the south-west Monsoon, were relaid in their positions on the 22nd November 1923.

Authority.—The Commissioner of Customs, Salt and Excise, Bombay, dated 19th December 1923.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

Rangoon River entrance, Eastern Channel—Buoys laid for surveying purposes.

No. 20 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 101M. of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—In the Eastern Channel.
Lat. 16° 25′ N.
Long. 96° 26′ E. } approx.

Details.—Three black can and three red conical buoys have been temporarily laid in the above channel for surveying and other purposes only.

Caution.—These buoys are not to be made use of by the Mariners when navigating the entrance to the Rangoon river, until the completion of survey.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 833, Rangoon River and Approaches.
„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator of the Port, Pilot Marine Circular No. 38, dated 10th December 1923.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SULU SEA.

Tub Bataha Reefs—Non-existence of breakers reported south-eastward of.

No. 21 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1974 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 34 miles south-eastward of South islet light-house.
Lat. 8° 28′ N., long. 120° 20′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The breakers, reported in the year 1907 in the above position, are non-existent and are to be expunged from the charts accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 967, Paláwan island.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 73.
Authority.—U. S. Government Charts. (*H. 8096-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—LOURENCO MARQUES APPROACH.

Cockburn light—Alteration in characteristics.

No. 22 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1984 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 25° 53′ S., long. 32° 54′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *W. R. ev. 3 sec. 52 ft. vis. 12 m.* (U).

Details.—The fixed light with white and red sectors has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—*Flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every three seconds*, thus :—Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 2·7 sec.

Elevation.—52 feet (15^{m}8).

Visibility.—12 miles.

Sectors.—*White* from 021° through east to 273°; *Red* thence to 282°; *White* thence to 318°; *Red* thence to 021°.

Structure.—Small tower on iron pile structure.

Note.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 644, Delagoa bay.
„ 2089, Tugela river to Delagoa bay.
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 58.

Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 190, 195, 196.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 50 of 1923. (*H. 8135-23.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—KAGAYANES.

Sultana Bank—Information re Rock and Shoals.

No. 23 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1986 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of 15·5 miles 011° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Lat. 9° 53′ N., long. 121° 24′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—5½ fathoms (10^{m}1).

Remarks.—The 24 fathom (43^{m}9) depth close northward of this position on chart No. 2578 is to be expunged.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of 19·1 miles 018° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Depth.—7 fathoms (12^{m}8), coral.

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of 18·9 miles 005½° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Details.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^{m}8) is to be substituted for the 2½ fathom (4^{m}6) depth shown on chart No. 2578 in this position.

(*d*) *Position.*—At a distance of 22·2 miles 005° from Manukan islet lighthouse.

Details.—A depth of 1½ fathoms (2^{m}7) is to be substituted for the 3 fathom (5^{m}5) depth shown on chart No. 2578 in this position.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea. (*b*).
„ 781, Pacific ocean—north-west sheet. (*c*).

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 71.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 8329-23.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—TIMOR ISLAND, NORTH COAST.

Dilhi Harbour entrance—Buoys replaced by Light-Buoys.

No. 24 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2010 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—On the northern side of entrance, at a distance of about 2½ cables north-eastward of Laguebada (Stanley) point lighthouse.
Lat. 8° 32′ S., long., 125° 35′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The black buoy has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

(*b*) *Position.*—On the southern side of entrance, at a distance of about one cable south-westward of (*a*).

Details.—The red buoy has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted red, exhibiting a *red* light.

Chart affected.—No. 1460, Plan of Dilhi harbour.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 326.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 48 of 1923. (*H. 8222-23.*)

NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH ISLAND—QUEEN CHARLOTTE SOUND.

Cape Koamoru—Rock northwestward of.

No. 25 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2011 of 1923), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 666 of 1923. (This office No. 181 of 1923.)

Position.—At a distance of 3·45 miles 290° from Brothers lighthouse.
Lat. 41° 05′ S., long. 174° 23′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—6 fathoms (11^{m}0), rock.

Remarks.—The note "Shoal water repd. (1923)" shown on the charts in the passage between Cape Koamoru and White rocks, is to be deleted; this passage, however, should not be used without local knowledge

Charts affected.—No. 2685, Cook strait anchorages—sheet 2.
„ 695, Cook strait.
„ 2054, Cook strait and the coast of Cape Egmont.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1919, pages 310, 311, 312.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 67 of 1923. (*H. 8341-23.*)

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Otago Mole light—Alteration in colour.

No. 26 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2012 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 4 cables north-westward of Taiaroa head lighthouse.
Lat. 45° 47′ S., long. 170° 45′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *Gn. ev. 3 sec., 23 ft., vis. 2 m.* (U).

Alteration.—The colour of the *flashing* light has been altered from white to *green.*

Remarks.—The visibility of the light is now 2 miles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 2411, Otago harbour, with plan.
„ 2533, Otago to Mataura river.
„ 2532, Banks peninsula to Otago.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 3044.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 62 of 1923. (*H. 8281-23.*)

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Final Report on the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1923-24.

(NOTE.—On an average of the five years ending 1921-22, the area under the cotton crops in Bengal has represented some 0·2 per cent. of the total area under cotton in India.)

THERE are two crops—early and late. The "early" crop is chiefly grown in the Chittagong Hill Tracts and in the Tripura State and to a small extent also in other districts. The "late" crop is chiefly grown in Bankura and Midnapore.

Character of the season.—The weather in the important districts was more favourable than last year for the early crop, and a satisfactory outturn was obtained in consequence.

The late crop on the other hand suffered through absence of rain from the end of October onwards.

Area sown.—The total area sown with early cotton is returned at 69,601 acres and that with late at 1,437 acres against 70,298 acres and 1,500 acres, respectively, in the corresponding forecast of last year.

Outturn.—The outturn of the early crop is estimated at 21,128 bales and the late crop at 326 bales against 17,036 bales and 450 bales, respectively, in the corresponding forecast of the last year.

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Director of Agriculture, Bengal (*offg.*).

DACCA,
The 5th February 1924.

APPENDIX.

Final Report on the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1923-24.

	District.	Area (in acres). Of current year's crop (1923-24).	Of previous year's crop 1922-23).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or is less than (-) area in—		Yield (in bales) of 400 lbs. each. Of current year, &c., of area in column 2.	Of previous year, &c., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (-) area in—		Date at which the harvesting of the crop was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
						Column 3.	Column 4.					Column 8.	Column 9.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6		7	8	9		10	11	12	13
				5 yrs.	10 yrs.	5 yrs.	10 yrs.			5 yrs.	10 yrs.	5 yrs.	10 yrs.		
Bengal Sub.	Bankura—														
	Early ...	800	850	600	568	-6	+33	+41	300	340	250	265	-12	+20	+10	Early in November 1923.	(1)
	Late ...	800	700	1,260	1,230	-14	-32	-35	195	350	773	936	-44	-75	-79	Not yet commenced.	
	Midnapore—																
	Early ...	400	600	1,000	1,258	-33	-60	-68	26	39	54	90	-33	-52	-71	November 1923	(2)
	Late ...	800	800	460	540	...	+74	+48	100	100	30	38	...	+233	+163	Not yet commenced.	
	Mymensingh—																
	Early ...	536	1,342	182	120	-38	+359	+597	209	335	58	46	-38	+260	+354	November and December 1923.	(3)
	Late ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	
Comilla.	Chittagong Hill Tracts—																
	Early ...	51,500	50,000	48,300	49,800	+3	+7	+3	18,025	14,600	18,198	18,823	+24	-1	-4	Last week of September 1923.	(4)
	Late ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	
	Tripura State—																
	Early ...	15,891	17,253	17,953	20,192	-8	-11	-21	2,494	1,725	2,663	3,701	+45	-6	-33	November ...	(5)
	Late ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	
	Total—																
	Early ...	69,427	70,045	68,035	71,938	-0·9	+2	-3	21,054	16,939	21,223	22,923	+24	-1	-8		
	Late ...	1,400	1,500	1,720	1,870	-7	-19	-25	295	450	803	974	-34	-63	-70		
	Total for other Bengal districts which started cultivation since 1918—																
	Early	(a) 174	(b) 253	...	...	...	...	...	74	97	...	...	...	...	...	.....	(6)
	Late	(c) 37	...	..	...	...	...	...	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	
	Grand Total ...																
	Early	69,601	70,298	...	...	..	...	...	21,128	17,036	...	...	...	...	...	.....	
	Late	1,437	1,500	...	...	...	...	...	326	450	...	...	...	...	...	.....	

(a) For Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Burdwan, Birbhum, Hooghly, Rajshahi, Rangpur, Malda and Noakhali.
(b) For Murshidabad, Birbhum, Hooghly, Rajshahi, Bogra, Malda and Noakhali.
(c) For Nadia, Murshidabad and Jessore.
(1) The weather was favourable at the time of sowing, but it was not so at the time of flowering. The harvesting of the early crops is normal. The cessation of rains from the second week of October has affected the outturn of the late cotton a great deal.
(2) The weather was not favourable.
(3) The weather has been fair. The date of harvesting is normal.
(4) The condition of the crop was good. The date of harvesting was normal.
(5) The weather was favourable. The date of harvesting was normal.
(6) The weather was not favourable on the whole.

Vital Statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 26th January 1924.

District.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births Registered.		Deaths Registered.																							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding week of the previous year. Male.	Female.	Total.
Calcutta	1	Calcutta	617,590	290,261	907,851	362	16	21	2	—	22	11	8	—	6	27	45	4	7	81	33	81	15	1	205	352	217	569	283	222	505
Burdwan	2	Asansol Mining Settlement.	176,814	152,539	329,353	102	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	10	—	5	2	—	49	33	41	74	85	74	159
Howrah	3	Howrah	128,472	66,329	195,301	81	9	4	—	—	5	3	1	—	2	18	15	8	—	9	2	16	1	1	21	58	49	107	60	48	108
Dacca	4	Dacca	67,333	52,117	119,450	89	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	22	5	2	—	4	—	7	1	1	26	36	37	73	37	27	64
24-Parganas	5	Maniktala	40 908	26,376	67,272	21	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	—	—	1	2	4	—	—	8	17	5	22	26	25	51
	6	Bhatpara	45,723	19,886	65,609	27	1	4	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	4	—	1	—	1	1	1	—	—	3	12	6	18	5	10	15
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur.	36,289	20,185	56,474	15	—	4	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	4	2	2	—	2	—	3	—	—	5	14	9	23	9	7	16
	8	Titagarh	36,533	15,918	52,451	18	3	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	14	5	19	8	11	19

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd February 1924.*

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Vital statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 2nd February 1924.

District.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths registered.																								
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding week of the previous year.		
																									Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Calcutta	1	Calcutta	617,590	290,261	907,851	330	22	10	1	—	19	9	7	—	10	23	39	10	6	77	33	66	6	1	206	237	198	435	336	221	557
Burdwan	2	Asansol Mining Settlement.	176,814	152,539	329,353	246	—	4	—	—	7	—	—	2	—	5	6	—	—	14	—	11	6	1	88	84	60	144	104	58	162
Howrah	3	Howrah	128,472	66,829	195,301	97	3	1	1	—	5	3	—	—	1	19	7	10	—	8	5	22	1	2	34	61	58	119	75	54	129
Dacca	4	Dacca	67,333	52,117	119,450	88	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	24	1	2	—	4	—	10	2	1	17	34	28	62	33	26	59
24-Parganas	5	Maniktala	40,996	26,376	67,372	18	—	2	—	—	5	—	—	—	1	2	1	4	—	5	3	12	—	—	19	24	28	52	16	9	25
	6	Bhatpara	45,722	19,886	65,609	36	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	1	2	1	—	—	4	3	7	3	5	8
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur.	36,289	20,185	56,474	11	—	3	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	2	1	—	1	3	2	—	—	2	16	10	26	14	6	20
	8	Titagarh	36,533	15,918	52,451	16	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	5	10	10	20	6	8	14

CALCUTTA, *the 8th February 1924*

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 6th February 1924.

Summary.—The rainfall in most parts of the province was generally light and scattered. Preparation of lands for jute and paddy is proceeding, but more rain is needed. Reaping of early oilseeds, potatoes and pulses and pressing of sugarcane are going on favourably. The condition of standing crops is generally fair. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 0·54 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	0·04	6½	6½	Effects of weather on crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy is nearly completed in Barasat. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	0·02	8¼	8 7/16	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	Nil	7¼	7⅛	
	Basirhat ...	0·04	8	8	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and sugarcane continues. Cultivation of *bhadoi* crops has been started. Rain is badly needed. Stock of rice is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Ranaghat subdivision.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	8	7	
	Meherpur ...	0·11	7	7½	
	Chuadanga ..	0·17	7¼	8	
	Ranaghat ...	0·02	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	8	8	Weather occasionally cloudy. The rainfall at Kandi was slight with hails. The *rabi* crops badly require rain. Prospects of standing crops are poor in the Lalbagh subdivision and fair elsewhere. Fodder is sufficient. Scarcity of water is being felt in some places in Lalbagh subdivision.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8½	8¼	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	
4	Jessore	1·06	8	8	Weather cloudy. Ploughing of lands has commenced in places. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large import or export.
	Jhenidah ...	0·18	9	9	
	Magura ...	0·50	8¼	8¼	
	Narail ...	1·38	10	9¾	
	Bongaon ...	0·10	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7	7	Prospects of crops are fair.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	0·22	8	8	

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	0·08	8	8	Weather seasonable. The effects of weather on crops are beneficial. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of potatoes and sugarcane and threshing of *aman* paddy are going on. Stock of rice and fodder and water are sufficient. Export and import of rice continue as usual.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
	Kalna ...	0·38	7⅝	(*n*)	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Threshing of paddy is going on. Prospects of *rabi* crops are not favourable. Fodder is sufficient but water is insufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	0·24	8	8	
	BANKURA ...	0·34	9	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of the standing crops are fair. Export of rice and paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient
	Vishnupur ...	0·17	8½	8½	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	0·11	8½	8⅝	Threshing of winter paddy, transplantation of *boro* paddy and pressing of sugarcane are progressing. Import and export are normal. Prospects of rape, mustard and sugarcane are fair. Cattle-disease is reported from Daspur thana. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Contai ...	Nil	9	8½	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	0·19	8	8	
	Jhargram ...	0·26	8	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	0·03	7	7	Weather seasonable. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Haripal thana.
	Serampore ...	0·04	7½	7½	
	Arambagh ...	0·13	8½	8½	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·04	7	7	Threshing of paddy continues and that of *rabi* crops has commenced.
	Uluberia ...	0·13	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Drought is apprehended in Nator subdivision. Fodder is sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	0·25	8½	8½	
	Nator ...	0·34	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7 3/16	7 3/8	Harvesting of mustard is in progress. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	0·17	8	8	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	0·09	7	7	
15	DARJEELING ...	0·86	5	5	Wheat and barley are progressing well Potatoes are being sown. Mustard and sugarcane are being harvested. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong ...	0·50	5½	5½	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	6½	6½	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of mustard and potatoes is going on vigorously. Lands are being prepared for jute and autumn paddy. Cattle-disease is reported from Gaibandha, Palashbari and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	
	Gaibandha ...	0·05	6	6	
17	BOGRA ...	0·10	7 1/16	7½	Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are not favourable. Preparation of lands for jute and *aus* paddy continues.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	Rain is wanted. Fodder, water and stock of food-grains are sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	0·20	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	0·11	8	7½	Weather occasionally cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7 1/16	7½	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for *bitri* paddy and jute and gathering of mustard seed are going on. Standing crops are doing well. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is lingering in the interior.
21	DACCA ...	0·12	7	7	Weather seasonable. More rain is needed for the growth of *rabi* crops. Fields are being prepared for *aus* paddy and jute. Prospects of *rabi* crops are satisfactory. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8	8	
	Narayanganj ...	0 01	7½	7½	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	(*n*)	7¾	7¾	
22	MYMENSINGH ...	0·07	7	6½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Preparation of land for the sowing of *aus* paddy and jute is still going on. Fodder and water are available.
	Jamalpur ...	0·16	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	6¾	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	0·20	7	7	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	0·06	8	8	Cultivation of lands is going on in places for jute and paddy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	0·08	7¼	7¼	
	Madaripur ...	0·18	9½	9½	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	0·80	9¼	9½	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	0·23	8¼ 7½†	8¼ 7¼†	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is finished. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	0·10	8	7† 8	
	Patuakhali ...	0·11	7† 8	7† 8	
	Dakshin Shahazpur (Bhola).	0·15	8	8 6¼†	
25	CHITTAGONG ...	0·96	7 6¼*	7 6¼*	Cultivation of the *rabi* crops is progressing. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are fair. Water and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Satkania. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	0·11	7¼	7¼	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	7¼	8	Weather good. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Brahmanbaria but elsewhere good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Brahmanbaria	0·27	$7\frac{3}{11}$	$7\frac{3}{11}$	
	Chandpur ...	0·14	$7\frac{3}{11}$	7¼	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{8}$	7¼	Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	0·07	8	8	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	0·25	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is prevalent.
29	TRIPURA STATE	Nil	6	6	Weather seasonable. *Jhoom* clearing and transplantation of *boro* rice are going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cattle-disease is prevalent in one division. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 25 to Rs. 30 and jute at Rs. 7 to Rs. 10 per maund.

* Burma rice. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal*.

DACCA, *the 9th February 1924.*

Wholesale prices current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second half of January 1924.

Marts.	PADDY, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	7 2 0	7 2 0	8 8 0
Burdwan ...	2 12 0	2 12 6	2 11 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 9 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 8 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 12 0	2 11 0	2 15 0	2 9 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0
Chittagong ...	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	7 0 0	7 2 0	8 0 0
Dacca ...	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	6 2 0	6 5 0	6 4 0
Pabna ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 5 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0
Rangpur ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	8 0 0	8 4 0	7 0 0
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	RICE, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Burdwan ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	(a)	(a)	(c)	8 0 0	8 0 0	(c)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	7 0 0	7 8 0	8 0 0
Chittagong ...	5 4 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Pabna ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 2 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	5 2 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
Rangpur ...	7 0 0	6 8 0	5 0 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not available. (c) No transaction. (d) New.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of January 1924.

Marts.	Gram.			Arhar Dal.			Linseed.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	7 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	9 8 0
Burdwan ...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0 to 4 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	(a)	(a)	(a)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0
Chittagong ..	4 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0
Dacca ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	9 0 0	6 8 0
Pabna ...	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0
Rangpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 4 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	(a)	(a)	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	Mustard.			Gur.			Cotton (unginned).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	8 8 0	8 8 0	9 8 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	20 0 0 to 22 0 0	20 0 0 to 22 0 0	13 0 0 to 15 0 0
Burdwan ...	7 8 0 to 8 2 0	7 4 0 to 8 4 0	7 0 0 to 9 4 0	8 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0 to 7 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	8 0 0 to 9 8 0	8 4 0 to 9 12 0	10 0 0 to 11 0 0	13 0 0	13 0 0	10 8 0 to 12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	8 0 0	8 8 0	10 0 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	7 0 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	11 0 0	6 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	15 0 0	17 0 0	7 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not reported.

(a) Not available.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of January 1924.

Marts	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDE (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(1)12 0 0 (2) (c) (3)11 0 0	(1) 12 0 0 (2) (c) (3) 11 10 0	(1) 17 0 0 (2) 15 0 0 (3) 14 8 0	85 0 0	85 0 0 (m)	88 0 0	335 0 0*	337 8 0*	337 8 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigunj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	9 5 6	9 12 0	11 6 0 to 13 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	(n)	11 0 0 to 13 0 0	14 8 0 to 17 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	8 8 0 to 10 4 0	9 0 0 to 10 12 0	12 4 0 to 15 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(1) Price of jat fours.
(2) Price of district fours.
(3) Weighted average price.

Marts.	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSINE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(a) 11 0 0 to 13 0 0	(a) 11 0 0 to 13 0 0	(d) 95 0 0	3 4 0*	3 4 0	(e) 115 0 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun. 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigunj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Per 100 pieces. (a) British mild steel per cwt. (d) No transaction. (d) Per ton. (e) Per 100 maunds ex Golah. (m) Revised.
(n) Report not received.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of January 1924.

Marts.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	20 0 0	20 8 0	22 0 0	0 13 0	0 12 0	11 0 0	(a)	(a)	(a)
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
[illegible]ganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sailabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not reported.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 8th February 1924.*

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second half of January 1924.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.																	
			Common rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar dal or Tur Cadjan pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hat	6 8	6 8	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 0	10 0 9 8*	10 0 9 8*	12 0* 11 0*
	2	Magra Hat	8 7	8 0	7 0	10 0	8 14	7 10	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 5	5 5	5 11	11 0†	10 13	14 0
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	6 4	5 14	5 5	7 0	7 10	6 0	5 4	6 2	6 2	6 4	5 8	4 13	9 0* 8 8	8 0†	10 0 10 10*
		Nadia.															
	4	Gouri	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 0	5 0	4 8	8 14†	8 14†	12 12†
	5	Ranaghat	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	6 8	5 4	5 4	4 8	5 4	5 4	4 0	10 0†	10 0†	10 8†
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampore	8 0	7 12	8 8	8 2	7 14	8 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 12	7 8	8 0	10 0†	10 0* 8 8	8 8* 13 0*
	7	Kandi	8 4	8 12	9 4	8 8	9 0	9 8	8 0	6 0	5 8	7 4	7 0	5 4	10 0†	13 0†	13 0*
	8	Jangipur	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 12	9 0	9 0	4 9 (b)	5 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	10 0†	10 0†	13 0*
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	8 0	7 4	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	4 0	4 8	5 0	5 0	4 0	4 8	9 0	9 0	13 8† 13 0*
	10	Bongaon ...	7 4	7 0	7 8	8 8	8 4	8 8	4 0	4 0	3 4	5 8	5 8	4 8	10 0* 10 8	10 0* 10 8	13 8 13 0*
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	7 4	7 4	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 0	7 0	7 0	8 8	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 12†	8 12†	11 0†
	12	Bagerhat	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 0	7 0	8 8	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	12 8 13 0*
		Burdwan.															
Burdwan.	13	Sadar	7 12	7 12	8 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	5 0	5 0	4 8	5 8	5 8	5 7	10 0 10 8*	10 0 10 8	13 0* 12 12
	14	Kalna	7 2	7 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 8	5 12	5 8	4 7	10 4†	10 0†	14 8* 14 14
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	7 0	8 4	6 4	6 8	6 0	5 4	10 0*	10 0*	13 0*
	16	Rampur Hat	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 4	9 0	7 0	7 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	4 8	10 0†	10 0†	14 0 13 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	7 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	5 12	4 8	10 0†	9 0 10 0*	13 0 14 0*
	18	Vishnupur	8 0	9 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	8 12	8 0	7 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	5 8	10 0† 11 0	10 0†	13 0†
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	8 11	8 11	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 11	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 0	5 0	4 8	9 0* 10 0	9 0* 10 0	13 0* 11 0
	20	Contai	10 4	9 0	8 8	11 0	10 0	9 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	6 0	5 0	5 0	9 8†	9 8†	13 4 8 0*
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	7 12	7 8	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 4	5 4	5 0	11 0 10 0* 9 4*	10 4 10 0* 9 4	13 0†
	22	Arambagh	8 8	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	4 12	4 0	5 0	4 4	4 4	4 2	10 0	8 8	12 0 10 0*
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	7 8	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	5 12	6 8	6 8	6 0	5 8	5 8	9 0*	11 0 10 0*	14 0 13 0*
	24	Uluberia	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 12	5 12	5 12	5 8	11 8	11 8*	11 8* 15 0
		Rajshahi.															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 14	7 14	7 8	8 10	8 10	8 12	10 14	7 14	5 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 8 9 0*	9 12* 9 0	12 0† 12 0
	26	Nator	7 8	6 8	6 12	8 4	8 4	7 8	4 14	4 14	4 14	6 0	6 0	4 14	8 1†	8 1†	9 12*
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	7 3	7 3	9 0	7 3	8 7	9 9	4 13	4 13	4 0	5 8	5 8	4 0	9 0† 8 0*	9 2†	11 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	5 12	5 12	6 0	5 8	5 8	6 0	9 0†	9 0†	11 0*

* Karkach. (a) Not available. (b) New.

N. B.—The price of karkach and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of January 1924.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common rice. Average.			Common rice. Cheapest.			Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar dal or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi—concld.	29	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 4	8 4	7 4	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 0	4 0	3 4	7 0 8 0*	7 0 8 0*	9 0†
	30	Siliguri	6 0	6 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0*	8 0*	8 0†
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	5 6	5 0	7 4	6 8	6 4	8 0	8 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	4 8	8 0* 7 0	8 0* 7 0	8 0* 7 0
	32	Nilphamari	7 0	7 4	8 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 8	4 8	3 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0*	12 0†
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	7 8	7 2	7 14	7 11	7 8	8 5	5 0	4 4	4 0	5 0	6 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	8 8 10 0*
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	6 12	6 12	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 4	5 4	5 8	4 0	4 0	3 8	8 0†	8 0 8 0*	10 0 11 0*
	35	Sirajganj	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 10	7 10	8 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 12	4 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	8 0 12 0*
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	6 0	5 8	9 0†	9 0†	11 0* 10 8
	37	Dalia- Nawabganj...	8 12	7 8	8 14	9 6	8 0	9 8	8 0	8 0	5 8	6 0	6 0 (b)	6 12	9 0†	9 0†	12 0 12 8*
		Dacca.															
Dacca.	38	Sadar	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 4	6 4	8 0	6 0	5 8	4 8	9 0†	9 0* 8 0	10 8
	39	Mirkadim ...	7 8	7 12	7 4	8 4	8 8	8 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	10 0 10 4	9 12 10 0	13 0 14 0*
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	6 6	6 8	6 8	7 9	7 8	8 0	7 10	6 0	5 4	6 6	6 0	5 12	10 0†	8 12* 10 0	12 4 11 8*
	41	Netrakona	7 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	4 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	9 0 8 0*	9 0 8 0*	11 4 10 0*
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar...	8 0	7 12	7 4	8 8	8 4	7 8	(c)	(c)	8 0	(c)	(c)	3 8	8 0†	8 0†	12 8*
	43	Rajbari	7 12	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 0	7 12	5 0	5 0	5 12	6 0	6 0	4 8	12 0* 11 0	12 0* 11 0	14 0 12 0†
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	7 0 (b) 8 0	8 12 (b) 8 4	6 8	7 8 (d) 9 0	7 8 (d) 9 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	5 0	5 4	5 4	4 12	9 8 10 0*	10 0†	13 0†
	45	Pirojpur	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	6 8	6 8	6 8	4 0	4 0	(a)	9 0†	9 0†	12 4†
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	(b) 7 9	7 9	7 8	(b) 9 0	8 0	7 12	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 8	5 8	4 0	9 0 8 0*	9 0 8 0*	13 0* 10 0
	47	Chandpur	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	9 0	7 0	8 8	5 8	5 0	7 0	10 8* 11 0	10 8 11 0	14 8* 15 0
Chittagong.		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 0	7 4	8 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	5 4	5 0	3 8	9 0 8 0*	9 0 8 0†	12 8 8 0*
	49	Fani Hat	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 8	5 0	4 0	4 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	10 0 8 0*	10 0 8 0*	13 0 8 0*
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar...	7 0	7 0	6 4	8 0	8 0	6 12	5 4	5 8	5 0	5 0	5 8	4 8	10 0 8 0	10 0 8 0	13 0 9 0
	51	Cox's Bazar	7 8	7 8	7 0	(n)	(n)	(n)	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 0	8 0 8 0*	8 0 8 0*	10 8 8 0*
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	(n)	(n)	(n)	7 8	6 8	10 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	3 12	3 12	3 12	10 8 8 8*	10 8 8 8*	11 0 8 8

(a) Not available. (d) Ana. (c) No sale. (n) Not reported. (b) New. * Karkach.

N.B.—The prices of karkatch and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

J. C. Roy, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, *the 8th February 1924.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 2nd February 1924.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
27th January ...	7 A.M.	7·1	7 1	6·7	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
28th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·0	7·0	6·6	
29th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·0	7·0	6·4	The bench mark for this gauge is marked on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
30th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·9	6·9	6·3	
31st ,, ...	7 ,,	6·8	6·8	6·5	
1st February ...	7 ,,	6·7	6·7	6·6	
2nd ,, ...	7 ,,	6·7	6·7	6·7	Its reduced level is 26·84.

Highest water level of the year ... ... 24·1.
Lowest water level of the year ... ... 5·7.
Highest recorded flood ... ... 24·1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood ... ... 25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Lowest recorded water-level ... ... 5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923.
Previous recorded low water-level ... ... 1·0 on the 8th February 1914.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

C. H. DE, for *Subdivisional Officer*,
P. W. D., Faridpur.

RAJBARI, *the 2nd February 1924.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 26th January 1924.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water. Time.	At highest water. Readings.	At lowest water. Time.	At lowest water. Readings.	At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
1324.							
20th Jan.	51 65	11-0	53·1	17-0	51·65	51·65	H. T. at 11 5. F. T. at 17-13.
21st ,, ...	51·75	11-40	53·4	Dark		51 7	H. T. at 11-50. F. T. at .
22nd ,, ...	51·8	12-45	53·5	6-25	51·7	51·8	H. T. at 12-55. F. T. at 6-35.
23rd ,, ...	51·85	13-30	53·65	7-30	51·68	52·05	H. T. at 7-40. F. T. at 13-36.
24th ,, ...	51·95	14-20	53·5	8-30	51·55	52·45	H. T. at 8-38. F. T. at 14-30.
25th ,, ...	52·1	15-15	53·2	9 20	51·5	52 6	H. T. at 9-30. F. T. at 15-30.
26th ,, ...	52·2	16-15	53·0	10-20	51·45	52·8	H. T. at 10-30. F. T. at 16-27.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

		High.				Low.	
27th August	1906	... 70·5		23rd February	1907	... 51·06	
5th September	1909	... 67·86		18th ,,	1908	... 51·06	
10th August	1910	... 69·86		12th March	1912	... 51 06	
1st ,,	1911	... 68 46		6th ,,	1914	... 50·60	
18th ,,	1912	... 67·16		22nd February	1915	... 50·80	
31st ,,	1915	... 69·7		15th ,,	1916	... 50 60	Taken at low tide
18th ,,	1916	... 68·1	Taken at high tide.	3rd March	1917	... 51·0	
12th ,,	1917	... 67·1		21st February	1918	... 51·40	
31st ,,	1918	... 69·12		26th ,,	1919	... 50·4	
2nd ,,	1919	... 66·8		18th ,,	1920	... 50·9	
8th September	1920	... 66·9		19th ,,	1921	... 50·9	
28th July	1921	... 68·4		8th March	1922	... 51·05	
10th August	1922	... 68·00					

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48·51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

S. C. MAZUMDAR, *Executive Engineer*,
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 8th February 1924.*

Finance Statements of Provincial and Central Co-operative Banks in the Presidency of Bengal for the quarter ending 31st December 1923.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 691.—The 4th February 1924.—The accompanying Finance Statements of Provincial and Central Co-operative Banks in the Presidency of Bengal for the quarter ending 31st December 1923 are published for general information.

M. THORPE,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal (offg.).

CENTRAL

Quarterly

PART

Name of Bank.	LIABILITIES AND QUASI-LIABILITIES.											
	Outside the movement.				Within the movement.							
	Deposits, fixed, current or savings bank, by non-members or by members in an individual capacity.	Debentures.	Overdrafts from outside banks, e.g., Presidency or Joint Stock.	Other items.	Fixed deposits or loans received from Societies or Central Banks or Provincial Bank.	Drawn portion of cash credit with Provincial Bank.	Savings bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks.	Reserve fund of bank itself.	Paid up share capital.	Other items.	Undrawn liabilities, e.g., cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Banks to Central Banks or to Societies, and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies.	
											To cover deposits	For loans transaction
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
I.—PROVINCIAL BANK.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
The Bengal Provincial Co-operative Bank, Ld.	14,90,175	...	6,37,976	1,384	6,30,800	...	10,62,603	35,244	3,91,850	1,60,284	2,60,435	...
II.—CENTRAL BANKS.												
CALCUTTA.												
Central Co-operative Anti-Malarial Society, Ld.	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	570	2,030	...	...	...
Co-operative Milk Societies Union, Ld. ...	12,704	...	...	...	...	2,500	...	5,248	3,960	8,363	...	...
DISTRICT BIRBHUM.												
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,68,517	...	...	774	...	..	...	8,561	35,360	11,679	...	...
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank, Ld ...	80,093	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,010	25,115	750	...	...
DISTRICT MIDNAPORE.												
Midnapore Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	2,29,986	...	...	19,020	15,485	. .	74	9,250	32,760	27,125	...	...
Khelai Balarampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	54,178	...	...	218	43,235	...	...	2,800	16,220	5,140	...	...
Felebera Co-operative Union Bank, Ld. ...	39,987	...	...	641	56,295	...	...	3,850	15,250	6,123	...	...
Tamluk Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	80,497	...	...	...	40,900	...	862	1,800	14,656	1,900	...	...
DISTRICT BURDWAN.												
Kalna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	59,044	...	...	2,715	10,000	...	...	330	8,870	...	...	...
Burdwan Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,75,777	...	...	...	..	...	...	2,926	29,585	60	...	...
DISTRICT HOWRAH.												
Howrah Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	6,350	...	...	...	...	...	...	424	4,885	1,614	...	...
Uluberia Central Co operative Bank, Ld. ...	17,108	...	...	...	...	...	...	439	2,600	82	...	...
DISTRICT HOOGHLY.												
Hooghly Central Co-operative Bank, Ld ...	5,350	...	...	...	...	...	...	648	7,350	10	...	...
DISTRICT BANKURA.												
Bankura Central Co-operative Irrigation and Financing Bank, Ld.	9,736	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,070	...	...	...
Bankura District Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld.	16,657	...	...	3,525	...	...	...	5,320	13 735	10,304	...	...
Bishnupur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	7,359	...	..	...	10,656	...	...	13	1,750	...	...	...
DISTRICT 24-PARGANAS.												
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	90,375	...	...	906	...	...	842	6,967	23,070	13,696	...	...
Nimta Co-operative Banking Union, Ld. ...	16,711	...	...	...	2,215	...	..	685	2,025	535	...	...
Diamond Harbour Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	3,100	...	...	11	1,850	1,850	...	...	495	...	...	...
Barasat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	850	...	...	...	4,100	...	...	...	605	...	...	...
DISTRICT NADIA.												
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,74,353	...	...	...	500	...	...	6,240	28 830	1,361	...	...
Kushtia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	4,079	74,320	...	...	2,437	...	...	1,000	8,230	1,066	...	...
Meherpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	48,011	...	...	..	40,890	...	...	2,180	16,826	4,321	...	...
Nadia District Co-operative Industrial Union, Limited	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	100	956	...	...	...
Ranaghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld....	11,930	...	...	...	13,909	...	...	125	3,564	...	...	...
Chuadanga Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,700	...	...	...	46,032	...	...	...	4,155	133	...	...
DISTRICT JESSORE.												
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,78,735	...	...	495	...	...	...	8,046	25,875	9,405	...	...
Magura Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	17,500	...	...	...	25,184	...	...	250	7,650	162	...	...
Narail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	30,196	...	...	...	57 482	...	...	141	8,990	412	...	...
DISTRICT KHULNA.												
Khulna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,79,724	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,544	28,870	6,707	...	...
Barull Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	60,769	...	...	357	390	1,900	287	7,250	12,840	14,182	...	...
Bagerhat Central Co operative Bank, Ld. ...	64,539	...	...	...	18,146	...	...	1,500	12,790	1,512	...	...
DISTRICT MURSHIDABAD.												
Jangipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ..	39,395	...	...	...	...	...	3	4,300	13,013	4,595	...	...
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,71 669	...	...	392	109	...	...	5,800	28,050	8,343	...	...
Lalbagh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	96,163	...	...	...	11,000	...	...	2,217	12,536	300	...	...
Kandi Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	... .	...	5,000	...	...	...	740	...	...	...
DISTRICT DACCA.												
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	3,31,477	...	...	...	865	...	31	25,301	71,350	33,944	...	...
Narayanganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	31,616	...	7,850	...	1,10,000	...	...	1,359	22,815	1,902	...	...
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	54,834	...	...	...	48,500	...	31	2,901	25,480	1,012	...	...
Manikganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	53,576	...	...	...	11,700	...	...	1,950	11,880	1,880	...	...
Dacca Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	2,900	...	...	...	1,945	...	...	...

BANKS.

Finance Statement.

ASSETS AND QUASI-ASSETS.

Outside the movement						Within the movement.							Net profit of past year.	Rates of interest on which money is usually—		Last dividend declared.
Cash in hand and in outside banks.	Government paper.	Post office Savings Bank deposits.	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns.	Undrawn balance of assured cash credit.		Loans to Agricultural Societies.	Loans to non-Agricultural Societies.	Loans or deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Banks.	Loans and deposits due to Provincial Bank by Central Banks.	Uncalled share capital.	Guaranteed share capital.	Other investments inside the movement.		Borrowed.	Lent.	
				With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank.	With Provincial Bank.											
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
1,232	25,69,872	...	1 40,000	6,04,389	..	3,000	5,100	...	17,14,538	3,91,850	...	...	34,847	4½ to 6½	7½	7
216	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40,500	...	...	...	2,325	...	...	...	...
690	190	...	44,680	...	...	...	13,077	.	...	...	...	1,425	13,525	2½ to 7½	13½	...
7,193	...	4 997	...	...	...	2,16,093	17,624	70,051	...	...	...	10,875	4,909	3½ to 5½	8 to 10	...
1,064	...	1 421	...	...	1,600	32,811	1,186	4,272	...	19,410	...	...	1,103	6 to 7	9	6
19	22,579	2,181	...	..	...	1,88 220	14,601	98,538	...	49,140	...	6,419	4,076	4½ to 6½	7½ to 9½	6½
62	...	177	...	...	...	1,15,987	...	...	...	...	...	4,440	1,617	5 to 7½	9½	7½
902	...	...	...	...	..	1,13,393	3,711	.	...	...	...	6,444	2,389	6½ to 7½	9½	9½
1,388	..	97	162	...	...	1,04,703	1,671	...	...	29,095	...	157	2,181	5½ to 7½	9½	6½
1,380	...	...	...	...	...	75,663	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	688	7 to 8	9½	...
10,469	1,592	7,000	...	..	...	1,20,280	...	65,425	...	3,090	...	...	2,501	3 to 7	9½	7
3,484	...	...	...	...	...	7,923	618	...	..	28,565	...	...	963	6 to 7½	9½	...
865	...	275	...	...	...	17,651	574	...	...	60	...	...	496	6 to 8	9½ to 10½	...
875	...	141	...	...	...	12,474		...	...	...	...	...	719	8	9½ to 10½	6½
1,040	...	...	...	.	..	24,092	...	...	...	51,429	...	1,000	...	6	9½	4
1,703	...	...	11,729	...	...	2,881	78	...	...	7,235	...	35,493	1,497	7½	9½	9½
508	...	508	...	...	...	3,649	...	15,421	...	11,760	..	25	13	6½	9½	...
6,113	21,238	6,801	1,368	...	...	1,07,086	1,999	1,631	...	...	...	3,069	890	2 to 8	13	...
106	...	973	...	...	..	15,794	...	91	.	2,025	...	1,525	504	4½ to 6½	9½ to 10½	9
21		17	...	...	...	1,000	2,150	...	...	1,565	...	...	...	3 to 8	10½	...
1,027	...	100	...	...	...	4,800	.	...	...	2,745	...	...	...	8	10½	...
1,779	13 300	3,830	...	...	...	1,27,371	6,416	1,58,463	...	44 100	...	...	5,404	4½ to 6½	8 to 10½	10
1,791	58	48	...	...	...	26,937	992	..	...	8,930	...	55,814	...	5½ to 7½	12½	...
627	...	8,999	...	...	...	94,044	671	4,071	..	39,199	...	...	1,874	6 to 7½	10½	...
36	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,879	...	..	3,264	...	485	287	7½	10½	9½
1,229	...	35	...	...	...	27,496	...	...	...	3,895	...	650	125	7 to 8	9½ to 12½	...
4,249	...	...	...	...	...	47,555	...	...	...	5,255	..	50	...	7½ to 8½	9½ to 12½	...
5,408	...	5,225	13,632	...	...	1,36,478	492	37,153	...	25,875	...	751	3,050	4 to 6½	11	6½
3,496	...	2,276	...	.	...	44,892	...	...	...	3,000	...	...	650	6½ to 8	12½	8½
11,385	...	11,171	...	...	...	83,599	...	...	...	11,510	...	...	164	3½ to 7½	9½ to 15½	...
1,208	...	707	...	...	...	1,68 727	4,165	35,779	...	11,880	...	1,407	3,068	4½ to 7½	8 to 10½	7½
568	4,000	1,115	.	...	6,100	82,368	3,340	2,010	...	.	...	2,110	2,145	7½	10½	...
...	...	4,301	...	...	...	95,852	2,300	1,279	...	24,310	...	2,625	1,661	7 to 8	10½	6½
1,267	7,530	273	...	...	...	67,839	4,871	1,826	...	30,795	...	17	1,521	3½ to 7	10½	6½
2,121	4,560	4,262	...	...	7,000	1,74,396	4,892	22,000	...	40,450	...	2,100	2,205	6 to 7½	10½ to 10½	7½
449	...	25	...	...	...	1,08 470	2,505	3 584	...	14,164	...	...	1,713	3½ to 7½	9½ to 12½	5½
4,508	..	688	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,120	...	500	...	8	...	...
31,614	38,286	9 360	...	...	...	2,92,605	1,573	84 950	...	...	...	7,475	10,959	3½ to 7½	3½ to 12½	7½ & 8½
98,188	...	18,117	...	...	...	1,29,631	3,225	632	...	34,535	...	16,000	2,384	7 to 8	10½	9½
	...	539	.	...	...	1,26,375	300	...	...	...	...	6,850	3,160	5½ to 7½	10½	9½ & 10
26																
819	...	5,052	..	...	...	73,030	20	2,441	...	18,500	...	2 900	2,079	3½ to 8	12½	7½ & 9½
1,216	...	...	...	...	...	..	3 098	...	...	2,025	...	300	...	7½	9½	...

PART

Name of Bank.	LIABILITIES AND QUASI-LIABILITIES.											
	Outside the movement.				Within the movement.							
	Deposits, fixed, current or savings bank, by non-members or by members in an individual capacity.	Debentures.	Overdrafts from outside banks, e.g., Presidency or Joint Stock.	Other items.	Fixed deposits or loans received from Societies or Central Banks or Provincial Bank.	Drawn portion of cash credit with Provincial Bank.	Savings Bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks.	Reserve fund of Bank itself.	Paid-up share capital.	Other items.	Undrawn liabilities, e.g., cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Banks to Central Banks or to Societies and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies.	
											To cover deposits.	For loans transaction.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
II.—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
DISTRICT MYMENSINGH.												
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	7,85,727	...	...	...	64,230	...	9,385	21,764	1,09,340	31,211	...	...
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,28,523	...	310	...	96,355	...	1,570	21,956	37,875	85,689	...	...
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ..	2,14,347	...	56,566	...	...	...	...	5,999	27,828	14,100	...	...
Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,84,230	...	...	...	12,913	...	248	2,469	25,425	2,394	...	...
Netrokona Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.				No transaction.								
Pigna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...				Ditto.								
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.				Ditto.								
Dhanbari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...				Ditto.								
DISTRICT FARIDPUR.												
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	5,00,483	100	...	5,928	...	...	2,707	55,500	68,250	29,996	...	...
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld....	2,66,061	...	...	5,201	20,000	9,256	1,531	31,500	41,125	34,623	...	...
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld....	1,65,038	...	...	...	1,20,000	...	...	11,800	43,396	18,990	...	..
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,38,890	...	...	..	...	...	1	8,700	41,975	3,998	...	...
DISTRICT BAKARGANJ.												
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	6,12,984	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,800	54,805	13,872	...	.
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	69,317	...	...	...	20,000	...	75	2,548	15,570	5,894	...	...
Bhola Central Co operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	539	...	.	...
Khepupara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld...	52,439	...	...	...	3,94,990	3,400	...	9,865	77,765	15,324	...	...
DISTRICT CHITTAGONG.												
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,41 341	...	...	...	37,950	...	339	6,300	39,775	1,946	...	...
Chittagong Industrial Co-operative Union, Ld	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	456	...	...	...
Satkania Industrial Co-operative Union, Ld.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	...	...	...
DISTRICT TIPPERA.												
Comilla Central Co operative Bank, Ld. ...	4,57,426	...	...	2,743	8	...	7,062	25,962	82 850	7,931	...	...
Tippera Raj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	37,858	...	...	8 263	...	...	...	...	3,725	...	...	...
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld....	3,77,091	...	...	1,017	...	..	...	14 500	45,025	8,561	...	...
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	3,43,890	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,631	36,470	30,495	...	...
Matlab Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	100	...	...	...	25,000	...	...	...	825	...	...	...
DISTRICT NOAKHALI.												
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	64,818	...	...	127	25,000	...	...	4 650	15,635	8,716	...	...
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,48,045	...	...	...	77,000	...	..	10,000	34,510	8, 063	...	...
Sandip Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	6,140	...	...	...	39,000	...	...	23	10,885	...	...	...
Lakamipur Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	900	...	...	...	10,000	...	...	...	1,475	...	...	...
DISTRICT RAJSHAHI												
Rajshahi Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,61,915	...	...	27,315	174	...	1,699	2,180	...	3,089	...	...
Natore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	69,827	...	...	...	86,000	...	...	2,821	23,150	740	...	...
Naogaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	53,810	...	..	...	1,77,520	...	...	2,270	22,354	4,061	...	...
Puthia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	12,302	...	...	...	26,520	...	...	...	4,750	...	...	...
DISTRICT PABNA.												
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	9,27,049	...	...	3,335	22,925	...	23,465	56,856	1,18,580	1,08,573	10,000	...
Ullapara Central Co operative Bank, Ld. ...	27,112	...	...	...	58,109	...	...	3,900	19,080	2,095	...	...
Serajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,77,206	..	...	5,626	22,155	...	2,875	4,150	30,990	1,829	...	...
Shazadpur Central Co operative Bank, Ld....	22,337	...	...	...	19,262	...	..	1,123	6,662	1,171	...	...
DISTRICT DINAJPUR.												
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld....	63,478	...	...	..	59,980	...	..	3,474	22,075	3,095	...	...
Dinajpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...				No transaction.								
Thakurgaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.				Ditto.								
DISTRICT RANGPUR												
Gaibandha Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,91,562	...	...	1,085	21,855	28 000	...	11,100	37,850	41,845	...	...
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ..	46,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,988	11,840	2,164	...	...
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	46,099	...	..	512	62,500	...	...	5,280	19,982	4,100	...	...
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,61,247	...	...	1,527	10,000	..	...	5,600	30,775	7,557	...	...
DISTRICT BOGRA												
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	3,39,295	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,821	47,110	12,303	...	...
Kunjanpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	18,746	...	...	...	38,000	...	583	347	8,000	276	...	...
Padmapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	5,345		...	...	22,900	...	...	240	7,860	200	...	.
DISTRICT JALPAIGURI.												
Jalpaiguri Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	17,582	...	...	84	30,562	...	2,252	555	9,010	1,121	...	...
DISTRICT MALDA.												
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,59,086	...	...	...	...	14,900	...	2,228	33,342	1,092	..	...
DISTRICT DARJEELING.												
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	10	...	...	...	37,250	1,248	449	...	9,640	2,745	...	...
Kalimpong Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	1,50,014	...	...	983	60,200	...	...	10,262	25,070	14,832	...	...
Kalimpong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	14,713	...	...	...	62,700	...	1,212	8,577	10,290	3,177	...	...
TOTAL CENTRAL BANKS ...	1,05,47,878	74,420	64,725	88,687	23,50,937	64,160	57 360	5,03,966	19,18,362	7,14,480	10,000	...
TOTAL PROVINCIAL AND CENTRAL BANKS	1,20,36,053	74,420	7,02,701	90,041	29,71,737	64,160	11,19,963	5,39,210	23,10,213	8,74,764	2,70,435	...
TOTAL PREVIOUS QUARTER ...	1,17,13,604	100	5,94,354	81,753	29,01,586	70,407	6,84,196	5,26,288	23,01 250	8,63,498	2,78,728	...

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ASSETS AND QUASI-ASSETS.

Outside the movement.						Within the movement.										
Cash in hand and in outside Banks.	Government paper.	Post Office Savings Bank deposits.	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns.	Undrawn balance of assured cash credit.		Loans to Agricultural Societies.	Loans to non-Agricultural Societies.	Loans or deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Banks.	Loans and deposits due to Provincial Bank by Central Banks.	Uncalled share capital.	Guaranteed Share Capital.	Other investments inside the movement.	Net profit of past year.	Rates of interest on which money is usually—		Last dividend declared.
				With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank.	With Provincial Bank.									Borrowed.	Lent.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent
35	5,228	23,444	17,010	...	...	6 88,602	7,281	55,000	...	4,480	...	2,55,575	25,447	4 to 7	10½ & 7½	12½
40,581	34,250	18,646	...	...	...	2 46,599	9,706	10,000	...	37,875	...	307	14,812	5 to 7½	11¼	12½
57,386	7,472	49,995	...	...	...	2,52,231	...	...	...	27,825	...	7,000	3,958	4 to 8	10½	10
18,766	...	10 013	...	...	...	1,60,232	912	48,554	...	39,900	...	6,509	2,710	3 to 6½	10½	7
315	35,500	23,209	7,000	...	...	4,29,498	18 959	86,110	...	68,250	...	2,139	9,053	3 to 8	9½ to 15	6½
123	40,000	12,852	...	...	5,744	2,94,305	3,000	..	..	41,125	...	11,013	—430	2½ to 7½	12½	...
7,753	3,000	9,915	...	...	...	3,01,448	984	9,860	...	5,248	...	14,000	6,468	3½ to 8	10½	...
705	...	31,000	...	...	...	1,82,630	2,343	66,397	...	41,975	...	5,135	5,761	3½ to 7½	7½ & 10½	8½
27 691	80,609	25,580	...	...	25,823	2,65,982	6,705	3,40,943	...	73,695	...	4,191	11,704	3 to 6½	8 to 10½	10½
215	...	748	...	...	...	1,07,911	...	478	...	19,650	...	3,650	3,817	6 & 7½	12½	7½
2	...	422	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,781	...	...	...	...	...	...
2,151	...	...	...	...	...	4,64,994	87,000	4,045	...	70,525	...	8,500	16,574	7 to 8	8 to 12½	8½
6,235	...	8,002	...	...	...	1,24,339	59,636	11,257	...	30,775	...	4,000	3,850	4 to 7½	10½	6½
18	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	12	...	...	...	1,435	18	5	...	...
156	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,014	...	...	...	...	...	...
10,632	12,530	40,896	24,000	...	...	3,82,876	...	99,982	...	82,850	...	20,118	13,395	2 to 7	10½	12½
2,571	...	...	...	...	...	48,491	1,200	...	...	3,725	...	...	1,129	6½ & 6½	10½	12½
6,012	...	3,300	...	...	...	3,83,175	1,500	...	...	46,025	...	29,957	13,256	4 to 7½	10½	10
562	6,174	55,642	...	...	...	2,66,340	4 613	...	...	45,180	...	73,779	6,203	3 to 7½	10½	8½
15,062	...	...	...	...	...	8,250	...	...	...	820	...	2,500	...	4 to 8	10½	...
14	...	2,774	...	...	...	1,13,767	...	981	...	20,365	...	4,400	4,616	4 to 8	12½	8
26	...	9,281	1,163	...	4,619	2,40,405	2,699	8,400	...	51,775	...	2,400	6,472	4 to 8	10½	8
25	...	375	...	...	...	80 625	500	...	...	17 390	...	4,000	88	6½ to 8	10½	3
41	...	1,255	...	...	...	9,050	...	..	...	5,875	..	1,000	...	7½ & 8	10½	...
5,826	...	8	1,350	...	...	91,162	1,150	89,743	...	40,025	...	26,068	2,444	3½ to 7	9½ to 12½	9
5,945	...	535	...	...	...	1,55,166	...	...	...	23,150	...	8,600	1,990	6 to 8	10½	10
1,085	...	...	...	80,000	...	2,64,655	500	...	...	32,390	..	15,742	2,132	4½ to 8	10½	...
4,248	..	8,975	...	...	...	31,824	...	...	...	...	...	...	603	6½ to 8½	10½ to 12½	...
2,668	80,002	27 307	140	...	66,000	8,70,986	10,298	1,50,422	...	1,18 880	...	20,230	17,531	3 to 7½	10½	9½
890	...	841	1,096	...	...	1,03,838	170	671	...	19 080	...	10,975	3,235	7½	10½	6½
4,655	...	12,747	..	...	...	2,16,890	6,096	91,100	...	30,710	...	9,850	3,115	4½ to 8	10½	6½
1,806	...	...	...	...	...	46,475	...	...	...	6,650	...	3,900	1,222	8	10½	6½
1,707	...	455	...	...	623	1,43,858	...	...	...	22,080	...	7,700	2,069	4½ to 8	10½	6½
83,860	32,000	...	416	...	800	2,05,711	9,356	2,500	...	27,850	...	...	1,317	6 to 8	10½	7½
748	...	9,708	...	...	...	48,311	...	8,244	...	20,460	...	...	841	7½ to 8½	12½	...
156	3,000	2,765	1,040	...	...	1,08,061	...	...	...	86	...	17,522	896	4½ to 7½	10½	...
13,859	...	3,697	341	...	...	2,03,196	7,525	50,557	...	39,945	...	25,590	5,112	3 to 7	8 to 12	...
4,949	...	16,421	...	...	..	2,28,873	1,219	37,755	...	47,110	...	14,511	6,077	3½ to 7½	10½	6½
625	...	...	...	...	..	58,546	...	17	...	...	...	...	1,128	6 to 8½	7½ to 10½	...
754	...	...	...	...	...	21,854	...	21	...	1,000	...	...	446	7½ to 8	9½ to 12½	...
3,402	...	...	..	...	...	58,168	16,267	710	...	9,010	...	2,519	883	3 to 9	9 to 12½	...
5,432	1,710	3,850	...	..	93	1,42,407	53,233	5,000	...	42,058	...	...	4,053	3½ to 7½	9½ to 10½	6½
1	1,000	1,899		...	3,652	41,495	1,698	...	...	9,630	...	5,100	1,845	4½ to 7½	9½	...
12,144	...	...	...	...	290	2,18,544	...	...	...	...	...	14,249	3,144	4½ to 8	10	3½
11,831	..	...	..	...	...	79,998	...	7,500	...	...	...	599	1,055	5½ to 8	10	...
4,53,401	4,05,775	5,14,298	1,25,359	80,000	1,24,344	1,15,77,529	4 01,666	18,51,446	...	17,67,387	...	8,13,231	2,91,710 —430		...	...
4,84,634	29,75,651	5,14,298	2,65,359	6,51,389	1,24 344	1,15,80,529	4,00,706	18,51,446	17,14,538	21,59,237	...	8,13,231	3,26,857	..	...	...
4,20,936	21,52,901	3,72,251	2,02,623	12,92,365	1,01,904	1,19,01,888	4,07,710	18,27 004	18,15,367	21,82,544	...	5,78,373	3,26,939	...	...	...

PART II.

Name of Bank.	Deposits or debentures of the kind dealt with in columns 2 and 3 of Part I.						Repayment of loans by societies.		
			Other deposits and debentures falling due—				Estimated—		Actual in twelve months preceding present quarter.
	On current or savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	In twelve months following.	In subsequent years.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I.—PROVINCIAL BANK.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs
The Bengal Provincial Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	3,77,950	4,59,935	5,94,610	57,660	8,09,084	2,35,400	11,43,835
II.—CENTRAL BANKS.									
CALCUTTA.									
Central Co-operative Anti-Malarial Society, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Co-operative Milk Societies Union, Ld.	...	...	12,704	...	...	...	13,077	...	
DISTRICT BIRBHUM.									
Rampurhat Central Co operative Bank, Ld. ...	30,739	...	1,00,470	59,117	68,641	9,550	2,10 944	12,272	1,44,883
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	23,397	56,671	25	...	72,728	21,269	20,382
DISTRICT MIDNAPORE.									
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	3,817	46,175	56,728	1,02,697	20,569	...	93,736	93,000	62,721
Kheiar Baluranpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	968	13,723	8,170	7,961	100	23,643	45,000	56,000	25,187
Belebera Co-operative Union Bank, Ld.	...	324	2,221	37,442	...	...	19,000	23,000	21,890
Tamluk Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	12,756	27,245	10,496	..	...	76,982	27,312	15,173
DISTRICT BURDWAN.									
Kalna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	59,014	...	...	...	41,124	25,935	26,464
Burdwan Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	1,12,173	...	36,978	18,326	6,300	...	46,995	37,016	39,569
DISTRICT HOWRAH.									
Howrah Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	...	...	...	...	6,350	...	3,000	4,000	2,075
Uluberia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	306	...	5,650	...	1,350	9,802	4,761	2,445	2,986
DISTRICT HOOGHLY.									
Hooghly Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	5,250	...	...	...	5,370	3,195	3,524
DISTRICT BANKURA.									
Bankura Central Co operative Irrigation and Financing Bank, Ld.	...	...	9,726	...	...	...	3,735	4,372	1,464
Bankura District Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld.	196	...	11,061	400	...	5,000	2,960	...	...
Bishnupur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	7,100	155	...	...	...	2,198	1,120	818
DISTRICT 24-PARGANAS.									
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	3,884	...	23,512	7,923	6,955	48,101	40,000	36,000	61,982
Nimta Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	...	...	...	...	...	16,721	10,802	5,122	5,022
Diamond Harbour Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	2,100	..	1,000	...	3,150	...	...
Bansberia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	...	650	...	2,000	503	800
DISTRICT NADIA.									
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	62,000	1,85,000	27,352	...	70,000	70,000	48,773
Kushtia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	50	9,290	9,290	59,769	8,000	7,000	31,187
Meherpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	1,980	4,803	8,800	32,428	25,000	25,000	21,310
Nadia District Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	500	500	200
Ranaghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	400	4,857	6,673	...	13,000	12,000	2,000
Chuadanga Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	1,700	...	...	21,838	21,034	802
DISTRICT JESSORE.									
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,282	145	6 175	50,816	4,400	1,15,915	23,432	25,480	19,847
Magura Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	5,620	2,9 0	1,800	7,110	17,097	16,963	14,170
Narail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld....	...	3,730	11,016	15,450	...	...	25,000	29,000	18,881
DISTRICT KHULNA.									
Khulna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	10,490	...	35,217	63,040	2,141	68,836	72,669	60,770	76,407
Baruli Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	33	...	8,772	21,515	7,000	23,449	30,000	30,000	31,020
Bagerhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	29,274	6,928	2,100	26,637	33,838	26,485	34,965
DISTRICT MURSHIDABAD.									
Jangipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	6,827	...	35,645	5,120	6,782	5,921	46,925	23,750	22,980
Berhampore Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	...	722	45,645	59,658	31 841	84,126	57,578	40,371	57,011
Lalbagh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	28	1,300	8,550	3,860	26,990	55,435	25,701	16,549	18,986
Kandi Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	...	...				
DISTRICT DACCA.									
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	15 012	...	1,10,410	1,04,658	31,308	20,089	1,30,000	1,15,000	1,87,320
Narayanganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	315	...	10,595	9 214	11,394	...	1,39,858	...	1,52,774
Bikrampur Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	29	...	13,082	10,205	31,023	...	75,000	40,000	68,960
Manikganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,862	..	31,630	20,064	...	...	60 000	13 000	32,201
Dacca Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,848	250	1,820
DISTRICT MYMENSINGH.									
Mymensingh Central Co operative Bank, Ld. ...	86,624	...	2,15,934	2,03,111	1,99,582	33,476	2,84,260	1,86 400	2,01,245
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	213	...	82,094	10,752	29,378	1,08,085	1,87,209	69 306	1,75,840
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,463	..	79,995	68,777	24,647	39,565	2,22,1 8	30 075	71 549
Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	62,992	...	22,829	98,409	...	...	1,14,457	32,025	57,589
Netrokona Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.					No transaction.				
Pigna Central Co operative Bank, Ld.					Ditto.				
Mudargan] Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.					Ditto.				
Dhanbari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.					Ditto.				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
II.—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
DISTRICT FARIDPUR.									
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,32,776	...	2,05,098	41,918	42,385	78,506	40,000	40,000	20,181
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	38,341	...	1,29,700	69,687	10,815	17,718	2,90,905	900	10,904
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	7,806	...	17,182	30,086	37,982	71,982	1,24,000	1,00,000	24,394
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	74,458	...	81,226	23,640	56,860	33,696	84,966	13,709	32,179
DISTRICT BAKARGANJ.									
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	19,984	72,597	36,966	3,44,162	82,413	57,062	5,43,800	4,46,000	6,65,711
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	33,020	7,115	15,115	15,067	47,608	26,758	46,891
Bhola Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Khepupara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	38,439	...	...	19,000	3,07,846	1,30,474	3,01,204
DISTRICT CHITTAGONG.									
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	8,466	...	58,272	31,345	43,258	...	80,869	45,986	82,838
Chittagong Industrial Co-operative Union, Ld. ...	...	...	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	...
Satkania Industrial Co-operative Union, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
DISTRICT TIPPERA.									
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	92,883	...	2,49,669	43,917	59,557	11,400	1,30,000	1,40,000	1,38,324
Tippera Raj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	32,680	4,875	...	...	10,080	11,214	2,859
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	9,072	...	1 56,426	72,105	61,778	77,710	1,35,000	1,35,000	1,40,209
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,03,514	121	1,43,636	52,810	9,267	34,542	60,826	95,876	73,232
Matlab Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	100	...	...	...	4,250	...	...
DISTRICT NOAKHALI.									
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	1,343	18,586	23,500	21,239	250	24,850	25,000	19,184
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	19,609	...	53,735	8,758	12,286	53,557	80,000	60 000	42,166
Sandip Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	125	6,015	...	17,700	17,900	3,607
Lakshmipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	...	200	...	2,318	2,503	...
DISTRICT RAJSHAHI.									
Rajshahi Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	18,716	...	56,215	44,300	19,920	23,764	40,000	18,000	42,381
Natore Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	40,927	21 900	4,000	5,000	30,426	28,813	6,352
Naogaon Central Co-operative Bank Ld.		...	3,866	40,023	7,734	1,687	69,580	75,379	51,996
Puthia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	3,040	6,734	2,514	14	21,650	4,178	8,246
DISTRICT PABNA									
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,40.008	...	1,59,221	2,08,028	1,92,536	2,26,375	1,07,323	2,13,734	49,524
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	24,037	1,128	1,950	...	72,618	30,090	50,754
Serajganj Central Co-operative Bank Ld.	35,513	...	1,80,686	23,238	18,293	16,486	1,65,812	58,807	76,816
Shahidpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,745	900	12,093	4,043	67	2,479	20,000	20,000	20,497
DISTRICT DINAJPUR.									
Kaliaghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	25,455	21,045	13,933	3,045	82,199	39,868	35,193
Dinajpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.				No transaction					
Thakurgaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...									
DISTRICT RANGPUR.									
Gaibandha Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	30,832	..	30,500	45,000	56,000	29,170	35,000	50,000	35,709
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	16,800	26,000	3,000	600	15,882	12,325	16,255
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	7,696	...	31,200	2,218	2,439	13,564	59,107	20,006	14,784
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	53,202	...	84,535	90,860	10,595	99,055	56,970	60,790	38,867
DISTRICT BOGRA.									
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	50,075	...	1,03,507	82,835	79,641	13,237	1,15,000	2,00,000	50,573
Khanjanpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.... ...	...	...	788	400	14,210	3,548	24,816	16,920	17,070
Padmapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.... ...	...	...	2,290	2,750	200	...	16,800	11,400	22,881
DISTRICT JALPAIGURI.									
Jalpaiguri Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	166	...	8,521	...	...	8,895	16,096	2,068	8,453
DISTRICT MALDA.									
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	23,660	...	850	14,140	4,975	1,15,461	67,144	35,516	37,348
DISTRICT DARJEELING									
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	10	...	...	...	...	...	4,000	2,000	4,764
Kalimpong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	18,407	...	69,988	37,395	19,338	4,986	30,000	32,000	26,708
Pedong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,212	...	8,000	4,500	1 000	...	31,000	35,000	28,770
TOTAL OF CENTRAL BANKS ...	12,33,412	1,60,646	23,02,908	26,30,690	15,36,456	17,68,186	31,98,867	34,59,146	29,33,766
TOTAL PROVINCIAL AND CENTRAL BANKS ...	12,33,412	1,60,646	36,80,858	30,80,645	21,31,066	18,25,846	60,07,931	36,94,546	30,77,601

PART III.

Name of Bank	Portion of deposits or debentures of the kind dealt with in columns 2 and 3 of Part I falling due in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present quarter (4th column of Part II).				Repayments of loans by societies estimated in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present quarter (column 8 of Part II).			
	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
I.—PROVINCIAL BANK.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
The Bengal Provincial Co-operative Bank, Ld.	28,350	77,300	37,300	2,35,000	1,86,800	2,14,825	1,46,200	2,62,539
II.—CENTRAL BANKS.								
CALCUTTA.								
Central Co-operative Anti Malaria Society, Ld.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Co-operative Milk Societies Union, Ld.	2,000	4,000	1 000	5,704	2,000	6,000	1,000	4,077
DISTRICT BIRBHUM.								
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	26,201	50,662	5,167	18,487	2,10,584	120	120	120
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4,250	2,160	9,990	6,927	58,521	14,207	...	...
DISTRICT MIDNAPORE.								
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	5,100	...	51,628	...	11,714	77,672	2,250	200
Khelat Balarampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	1,166	1,500	5,504	20,000	15,000	7,000	3,000
Belebera Co-operative Union Bank, Ld.	...	2,221	...	...	10,000	6,000	1,500	1,500
Tamluk Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4 026	10,544	3,100	9,575	22,507	22,965	4,125	10,385
DISTRICT BURDWAN.								
Kalna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,000	1,517	4,822	51,705	400	3,000	1,000	36,724
Burdwan Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	11,433	3,120	17,560	4,875	3,888	33,075	9,062	970
DISTRICT HOWRAH.								
Howrah Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	..	3,000	...	...	...
Uluberia Central Co operative Union Bank, Ld.	3,650	...	...	2,000	2,636	725	400	1,000
DISTRICT HOOGHLY.								
Hooghly Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,000	...	2,500	1,750	1,563	2,808	387	612
DISTRICT BANKURA.								
Bankura Central Co operative Irrigation and Financing Bank, Ld	696	5 550	3,490	...	1,348	2,387	...	...
Bankura District Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld. ...	2,880	2,920	4,031	1,230	2,960	...	...	...
Bishnupur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	155	..	...	1,628	...	...	570
DISTRICT 24-PARGANAS.								
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4,000	4,088	6,823	8,601	17,000	6,000	2,000	15,000
Nimta Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	...	...	...	...	4,618	5,889	50	50
Diamond Harbour Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	..	250	1,850	200	800	900	1,250
Barasat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	...	100	1,000	...	...
DISTRICT NADIA.								
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	20,000	25,000	15,000	2,000	20,000	25,000	7,000	18,000
Krishnagar Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	50	..	...	...	1,000	2,000	1,000	4,000
Ranaghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	980	1,000	7,000	9,000	5,000	6,000
Nadia District Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld.	...	...	...	...	200	200	100	...
Ranaghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	400	...	3,000	2 000	3,000	5,000
Chuadanga Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	..	...	6,396	4,821	11,121	...
DISTRICT JESSORE.								
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	3,935	1,135	...	1,105	8,496	5,217	2,500	7,219
Magura Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	200	4,870	625	425	6,942	475	4,072	5,008
Narail Central Co operative Bank, Ld	1,470	4,170	3,176	2,200	4,000	6,500	5,000	9,500
DISTRICT KHULNA.								
Khulna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	5,950	4,926	17,631	6,710	6,155	61,189	3,050	2,275
Karuli Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	8 772	...	...	15,000	10,000	...	5,000
Bagerhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,125	15,959	6,918	2,272	12,336	11,838	6 087	5,575
DISTRICT MURSHIDABAD.								
Jangipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	12,225	8,490	7,360	7,470	13,975	11,821	9,757	11,372
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	26,230	3,835	10.440	4,750	15,833	23,014	6,819	12 112
Lalbagh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,325	3.160	1,765	1,800	14,539	8,248	1,258	1,656
Kandi Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
DISTRICT DACCA.								
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	32,864	14,771	48,771	14,004	10,000	5,000	35,000	80,000
Narayanganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	4 500	2,709	2,000	1,386	65,906	...	...	66,950
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,582	5 675	3,445	1,400	5 000	3,000	30,000	17,000
Manikganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	12,276	6,668	8,981	3,725	4,000	8,000	25 000	93,000
Dacca Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld.	...	...	...	...	1,748	500	500	...
DISTRICT MYMENSINGH.								
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	26,852	92,112	58,422	58,548	41,330	1,550	27,800	1,63,582
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	11,707	28,276	30,006	12,105	...	...	...	1,87,209
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	26,077	20,261	20,557	13,000	1,14,028	...	34,644	75,474
Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4,807	2,920	9,382	5,820	1 C00	...	...	1,13,457
Netrokona Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.								
Phulpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.					No transaction.			
Madarganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.								
Dhanbaria Central Co operative Bank, Ld.								
DISTRICT FARIDPUR.								
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	45,582	25,221	61,212	73,133	4,000	1,000	20,000	16,000
Madaripur Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	48,322	29,866	23,761	36,348	92,520	56,862	50,000	97,732
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	6,280	8,100	402	2,500	25,000	9,000	55,000	35,000
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	13,962	13,759	14,670	9,835	43,006	...	...	41,960

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
II.—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
DISTRICT BAKARGANJ.								
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	7,083	10,177	10,252	9,454	1,14,500	76,330	50,500	1,09,070
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	4,345	5,600	12,830	9,245	46,708	900	...	...
Bhola Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Khepupara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	33,439	...	...	2,67,000	50,346	...	...
DISTRICT CHITTAGONG.								
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	21,668	19,682	6,078	10,847	16,536	30,680	18,698	14,786
Chittagong Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld.	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Satkania Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
DISTRICT TIPPERA.								
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank Ld. ...	48,948	57,663	90 010	53,048	30,000	10,000	40,000	50,000
Tippera Raj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	13,310	8,851	7,419	3,100	1,975	7,606	846	293
Chandpur Central Co operative Bank, Ld. ...	38,576	66,849	14,664	26,837	10,000	2,000	65,000	58 000
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	47,898	35,336	45,480	14 922	755	...		60,093
Matlab Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	100	...	...	3,000	1,250
DISTRICT NOAKHALI.								
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	6,165	2,455	4,156	5,850	10,550	350	6,800	7,150
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	4,306	9,893	7,815	21,921	30,000	25,000	15,000	10,000
Sandip Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	9,855	6,855	890	600
Laksmipur Central Co operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	200	925	685	508
DISTRICT RAJSHAHI.								
Rajshahi Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	16,525	8,925	16,890	13 875	18,000	9,000	4,000	9,000
Natore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	16,735	12,690	7,042	4,460	17,564	9,118	1,350	2,190
Naogaon Central Co operative Bank Ld. ...	60	2,700	...	1,106	27,050	23,159	11,181	8,190
Puthia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	600	245	1,510	685	13,666	2,540	300	5,144
DISTRICT PABNA.								
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	36,864	16,010	54,700	51,747	7,515	9,979	5,694	84,135
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	7,427	5,734	10,076	800	2,800	...	...	69,815
Serajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	35,499	58,371	39,820	46,896	15,026	...	...	1,50,786
Shazadpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,061	1,222	4,850	3,960	1,000	...	10,000	9,000
DISTRICT DINAJPUR.								
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	20,667	...	288	4,500	16,339	64,920	700	280
Dinajpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...		No transaction.						
Thakurgaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...		Ditto.						
DISTRICT RANGPUR.								
Gaibandha Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	16,000	6,000	3,500	5,000	18,000	7,000	5,000	5,000
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	4,500	5,000	1,500	5,500	4,300	3,600	4 000	4,052
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,500	2,639	2,961	14,100	37,591	7,561	...	13 955
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	25,750	18,375	19,525	17,685	10,545	12,325	17,580	16,570
DISTRICT BOGRA.								
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	35,183	44,336	16,505	17,583	40,000	15,000	30,000	30,000
Khanjanpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	198	190	...	400	15,170	550	1,393	7,703
Padmapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	100	1,890	...	300	...	...	16 600	...
DISTRICT JALPAIGURI.								
Jalpaiguri Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	6,321	1,300	1,000	...	...	5,712	...	10,354
DISTRICT MALDA.								
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	700	150	...	...	11,419	42,778	1,884	52,506
DISTRICT DARJEELING.								
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	1,500	1,000	500	1,000
Kalimpong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	22,500	17,188	10,818	19,482	10,000	8,000	6,000	6,000
Pedong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	8,000	...	...	...	3,000	2,000	5,000	21,000
TOTAL OF CENTRAL BANKS ...	8,20,027	8,68,868	6,50,946	7,64,067	17,22,610	9,08,717	7,12,850	13 54,690
TOTAL PROVINCIAL AND CENTRAL BANKS ...	8,46,377	9,16,168	8,88,946	9,98,067	19,99,110	11,23,542	9,56,060	21,17,229

M. THORP, *Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal (offg.).*

CALCUTTA, *the 4th February 1924.*

Statement showing the quantity of Salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 31st day of January 1924 and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 31st January 1924.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas (Bonded).	Quantity afloat.	Total.	Transactions during half-month from the 16th to the 31st January 1924, inclusive.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds. Srs.	Mds.	Mds. Srs.	Mds. Srs.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	1,044 876 0	...	1,044,876 0	91,100 0	...	...	77,818
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt	517,127 0	...	517,127 0	1,650 0	...	...	2,500
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	302,546 0	...	302,546 0	10,050 0	...	...	9,060
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	400
Port Said salt	651,691 0	71,888	7,26,579 -0	88,700 0	168,982	86,700	25,292
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt	319,706 0	20,564	340,270 0	102,862 0	169,902	54,509	27,084
Salif salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt	490,699 26	...	490,699 26	70,082 0	4,443	51,900	27,536
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tuticorin salt	20,650 0	...	20,650 0	...	...	...	...
Kayalpatnam salt ...	82,613 0	...	82,613 0	...	...	...	1,250
Total ...	(a) 3,379,908 26	92,452	3,472,360 26	(b) 359,444 0	343,327	193,159	171,540

	Mds. Srs
Written off during the half-month—	
Wastage in Sulkea golas	4,622 0
Abandoned and destroyed	408 0
In transit—	
Port Said salt	6,600 0
Aden salt	24,602 20

(a) Besides 14,079 maunds are in the private licensed warehouses at Calcutta.
(b) Includes 4,000 maunds passed free of duty.

R. R. SAKSENA,
Assistant Collector of Customs for Imports

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 8th February 1924.*

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

THE following notice of the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is published for information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTICE.

List of Valid Nominations prepared under Regulation XXIII, Bengal Electoral Regulations.

Bengal Legislative Council.

Constituency.	Name of candidate.
1. Calcutta South non-Muhammadan ...	1. Sarat Ch. Bose. 2. S. N. Halder. 3. Surendranath Mallik.

T. ROXBURGH,
Chief Presidency Magistrate and Returning Officer, Calcutta South non-Muhammadan Constituency.

CALCUTTA, *the 11th February 1924.*

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Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

during February 1924.

Date and day.	Standard time	Station.	Remarks.
February.	HOURS.		
21st, Thursday ...	14-20	Leave Sealdah ...	By special train.
	15-42	Arrive Ranaghat (Level Crossing).	
	16-42	Leave Ranaghat (Level Crossing).	

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
February.	HOURS.		
22nd, Friday ...	7-5	Arrive Jalpaiguri.	
23rd, Saturday ...	21-20	Leave Jalpaiguri ...	By special train.
24th, Sunday ...	12-15	Arrive Sealdah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Countess of Lytton.

Lieut.-Col. J. Mackenzie, C.I.E., Military Secretary.

Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Private Secretary.

Major H. G. Benton, Aide-de-Camp.

Captain S. B. Horn, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.

(2) All letters and telegrams should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the name of any post town.*

(3) The arrival at Jalpaiguri will be public; all other arrivals and departures will be private.

J. MACKENZIE, LIEUT.-COL.,
Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 19th February 1924.*

No. 3252A.—The 13th February 1924.—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to appoint Major H. G. Benton, Aide-de-Camp on His Excellency's personal staff, to act, in addition to his own duties, as Military Secretary to His Excellency, during the absence on leave of Lieutenant-Colonel J. Mackenzie, C.I.E., or until further orders.

No. 935A.R.—The 14th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules the Governor is pleased to appoint the following three persons as Commissioners to enquire into the petition presented by Rai Prasanna Kumar Das Gupta Bahadur against the election of Mr. C. R. Das to the Bengal Legislative Council for the Midnapore South non-Muhammadan constituency, namely :—

(1) Mr. G. N. Roy, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Alipore (President).

(2) Mr. G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly.

(3) Rai Girindra Nath Mukharji Bahadur, retired Subordinate Judge.

2. The Governor is further pleased, under rule 38 of the said rules, to appoint Alipore as the place where the enquiry shall be held.

No. 1072A.R.—The 18th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 26 (*2*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Kazi Gholam Mahiuddin Faroqui to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 1075A.R.—The 18th February 1924.—Under the provisions of section 93 of the Government of India Act, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Major-General Benjamin Hobbs Deare, C.I.E., of his office of member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 3399A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3176A.—The 9th February 1924.*—Babu Braja Nath Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

No. 3202A.—The 11th February 1924.—Mr. J. Bartley, I.C.S., is appointed substantively to the grade of District and Sessions Judges, with effect from the 10th January 1924.

No. 3206A.—The 11th February 1924.—The Sub-Deputy Collectors named below are appointed to be Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors on probation :—

Babu Brajendra Nath Das Gupta, to continue, until further orders, as Khas Mahal Officer, Faridpur.

Babu Amulya Kumar Guha, B.A., to continue, until further orders, as Assistant Settlement Officer, Bankura.

Mr. Alexander Jitendra Lal Mitter, B.A., Bogra.

No. 3210A.—The 11th February 1924.—The officers named below are appointed to be Sub-Deputy Collectors on probation :—

Babu Hemanga Lal Das Gupta, B.A., Settlement Kanungo.

Babu Purnendu Nath Guha, Settlement Kanungo.

Babu Anukul Chandra Sarkar, B.A., Settlement Kanungo.

Babu Satish Chandra Bose, District Kanungo.

2. The postings of these officers are under consideration.

No. 3212A.—The 11th February 1924.—Khan Bahadur Nasir-ud-din Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of the Pabna district.

Pabna.

No. 3215A.—The 11th February 1924.—Babu Mohit Chandra Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Hooghly district.

Hooghly.

No. 3265A.—The 13th February 1924.—Babu Sarada Nanda Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Malda district.

Malda.

No. 3346A.—The 15th February 1924.—Mr. H. C. Stork, I.C.S., officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tippera and Chittagong, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Chittagong, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. W. Nelson, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Tippera. Chittagong.

POLICE.—*No. 3188A.—The 11th February 1924.*—Mr. C. H. Waterworth, Superintendent of Police, Khulna, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas.

Khulna. 24-Parganas.

No. 3190A.—The 11th February 1924.—Mr. R. W. Bell, officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of Police, Khulna.

Mymensingh. Khulna.

No. 3192A.—The 11th February 1924.—Mr. Azizul Haq Chaudhuri, Additional Superintendent of Police, Bakarganj, is appointed to be Additional Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh.

Bakarganj. Mymensingh.

Bakarganj. *No. 3194A.—The 11th February 1924.*—Babu Narendra Chandra Bhattacharji, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Pirojpur, Bakarganj, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police, Bakarganj, and under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

Dacca. *No. 3313A.—The 13th February 1924.*—Mr. L. H. Burton, Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Dacca.

Rajshahi. *No. 3318 I.—The 13th February 1924.*—Mr. A. D. Gordon, Principal, Police Training College, Sardah, Rajshahi, is appointed to be Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Bengal.

Dacca. Rajshahi. *No. 3320A.—The 13th February 1924.*—Mr. C. J. Leonard, Superintendent of River Police, Narayanganj, Dacca, is appointed to act temporarily as Principal, Police Training College, Sardah, Rajshahi.

Dacca. *No. 3322A.—The 13th February 1924.*—Mr. H. E. Sabine, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Narayanganj, Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of River Police, Narayanganj.

Calcutta. ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3270A.—The 13th February 1924.*—The Reverend C. G. Pearson is appointed to be Senior Chaplain, St. Paul's Cathedral, with effect from the 15th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta. *No. 3330A.—The 14th February 1924.*—The Reverend P. Higham, Bishop's Chaplain, is appointed to be Junior Chaplain, St. Paul's Cathedral, and Chaplain of the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 15th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

CONFIRMATION.

Bogra. GENERAL.—*No. 3181A.—The 9th February 1924.*—Rai Jatindra Mohan Singh Bahadur, officiating Magistrate and Collector, Bogra, is confirmed in the grade of Magistrates and Collectors with effect from the 20th November 1923, *vice* Rai Ambika Prasad Sen Bahadur, retired.

LEAVE.

Howrah. GENERAL.—*No. 3226A.—The 11th February 1924.*—Babu Pramod Kumar Bhattacharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is allowed leave on average pay for three months (of which two months and seven days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 14th February 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

This cancels notification No. 13062A., dated the 27th November 1923, transferring him to the headquarters station of the Bogra district.

No. 3249A.—The 13th February 1924.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. Mackenzie, C.I.E., Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Bengal, is allowed combined leave for eight months with effect from the 7th March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, viz., leave on average pay for three months and one day (including privilege leave at his credit for twenty days) under rule 100 of the Fundamental Rules and furlough out of India for the remaining period under paragraphs 792 and 796, Army Regulations, India, Volume II (1923 Edition).

Calcutta. *No. 3296A.—The 13th February 1924.*—Babu Mathura Nath Banarji, Deputy Collector and Third Land Acquisition Officer of Calcutta, is granted leave on half average pay for one day, under article 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders dated the 3rd January 1923.

Chittagong. *No. 3343A.—The 15th February 1924.*—Mr. J. W. Nelson, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and twenty-three days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 10th March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and leave on half average pay up to the 27th September 1924 inclusive under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Tippera. *No. 3362A.—The 15th February 1924.*—Babu Jatindra Mohan Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, Brahmanbaria, Tippera, is allowed leave for three months, viz, leave on average pay for one month and nine days and leave on half average pay for the remaining period, under articles 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

24-Parganas. POLICE.—*No. 3261A.—The 13th February 1924.*—Mr. L. H. Colson, Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months (of which two months and eleven days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 27th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Calcutta. *No. 3307A.—The 13th February 1924.*—Mr. W. Cook, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay from the 1st February 1924 to the 27th July 1924, inclusive (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and the note thereunder.

Dacca. *No. 3310A.—The 13th February 1924.*—Mr. P. L. Faulkner, Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 17th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Calcutta. *No. 3315A.—The 13th February 1924.*—Mr. J. V. B. R. Bromage, officiating Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, is allowed leave for nine months, with effect from the 7th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, viz., leave on average pay for eight months (of which one month and twenty-one days are on account of privilege leave at his credit) under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1766P.—The 13th February 1924.—The Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mrs. E. J. Oakley of her appointment as a member of the Bengal Board of Censors.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 574Pl.—The 13th February 1924.—The following draft of amendments which in exercise of the power conferred by section 101 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council proposes to make in the rules published under Political Department notification No. 2197P.J., dated the 21st May 1920, at pages 1047-54 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 26th May 1920, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 31st March 1924, and any objection or suggestion with regard thereto received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft amendments.

(1) *After* the word "case" in rule 3 in Part II and the word "proceeding (s)" in rule 4 in Part II and in rules 8, 9 and 10 in Part III of the said rules, *insert* the words "in form G."

(2) *Insert* the following as form G :—

FORM G.

(*Vide* rules 3, 4, 8, 9 and 10.)

PUNISHMENT PROCEEDINGS.

Name of chaukidar with union and beat number and name of police-station.	Charge.	Explanation of chaukidar.	His previous punishments and rewards, if any, during preceding 12 months.	Remarks of reporting authority.	Remarks of supervising authority.	Final order with date.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3400A.

POWERS.

Dacca. *No. 3172A.—The 9th February 1924.*—Babu Sushil Chandra Datta, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Dacca. *No. 3174A.—The 9th February 1924.*—Maulvi Bazlur Rahman, No. II, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Munshiganj, Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Dacca. *No. 3196A.—The 11th February 1924.*—Babu Mahatap Chandra Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate, Munshiganj, Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Rajshahi. *No. 3198A.—The 11th February 1924.*—Babu Kashiswar Chakrabatti, Deputy Magistrate, Rajshahi, is vested with powers under sections 110, 190 (*1*) (*c*) and 260 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Murshidabad. *No. 3235A.—The 12th February 1924.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Nalin Ranjan Bose, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

No. 3237A.—The 12th February 1924.—Babu Nalini Ranjan Raha, Deputy Magistrate, Murshidabad, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Murshidabad.

No. 3268A.—The 13th February 1924.—Maulvi Manzur Ahmad Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate, on probation, Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Chittagong.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1583J.—The 13th February 1924.—Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, munsif of Serajganj, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of Dacca, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Upendra Nath Biswas.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 1623J.—The 13th February 1924.—Mr. Jatindra Chandra Gupta, Bar.-at-Law, Judge, Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to act as the Chief Judge of the said Court, during the absence, on deputation, of Dr. Thomas Thornhill or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 1626J.—The 13th February 1924.—Mr. J. W. Chippendale, M.A., B.L., who was appointed to act as a Judge of the Small Causes Court, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Nawabzada A. S. M. Latifur Rahman, under notification No. 1304J., dated the 4th February 1924, is appointed to act in the same capacity during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. Jatindra Chandra Gupta or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 1629J.—The 13th February 1924.—Mr. Manik Chandra Ghosh, Bar.-at-Law, is appointed to act as a Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, temporarily, during the absence, on leave, of Nawabzada A. S. M. Latifur Rahman, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

No. 1619J.—The 14th February 1924.—Babu Upendra Nath Biswas, Subordinate Judge, Dacca, is allowed leave on medical certificate on average pay for one month from the 2nd January 1924, under the proviso to article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Dacca.

No. 1639J.—The 5th February 1924.—Babu Abani Prasad Neogi, munsif, under orders of transfer to Fatikchari, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed commuted furlough on medical certificate for two months, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 16th January 1924, under the Government of India, Finance Department order No. 601C.S.R., dated the 21st April 192 , and resolution No. 2099C.S.R. of the 27th November 1920, and under article 301 (*a*) of the leave rules of July 1920.

Chittagong.

POWERS.

No. 1509J.—The 13th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Reverend Kali Pada Banarji, an Honorary Magistrate of the Alipore bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench,—

24-Parganas.

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said Bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sittting singly, within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

H. P. DUVAL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta. *No. 1670J.—The 15th February 1924.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12 (*1*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Khan Sahib Maulvi Abul Hasnat Muhammad Abdul Hye, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to be Magistrate of the first class, within such portions of Calcutta, as defined in section 3(*7*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), as are not situated within the Presidency town.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by the first clause lettered (*b*) in sub-section (*1*) of section 260 of the said Code, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Khan Sahib Maulvi Abul Hasnat Muhammad Abdul Hye to try in a summary way offences mentioned in section 629 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), and committed within any of the said portions of Calcutta.

3. In exercise of the power conferred by section 18 (*1*) of the said Code, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Khan Sahib Maulvi Abul Hasnat Muhammad Abdul Hye to be a Presidency Magistrate for the town of Calcutta.

Dacca. *No. 1681J.—The 18th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Munshi Alauddin Ahmad, a member of the Teota union board, in the Manikganj subdivision of the district of Dacca, to be, during his term of office as such member, a member of the union court within the jurisdiction of the said union board, for the purposes of that section.

Dacca. *No. 1682J.—The 18th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Munshi Alauddin Ahmad, a member of the Teota union board, in the Manikganj subdivision of the district of Dacca, to be, during his term of office as such member, a member of the union bench within the jurisdiction of the said union board, for the purposes of that section.

H. P. DUVAL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Dacca. *No. 567L.S.-G.—The 12th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the election by the members of the Dacca District Board of Babu Kshitish Chandra Guha to be their Chairman.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas. *No. 587M.—The 15th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Dwijendra Nath Mukharji to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas. *No. 589M.—The 15th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend to the Khardah Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, all the provisions of the said Act except sub-section (*1*) of section 6.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas. *No. 590M.—The 15th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 84 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the Commissioners of the Khardah Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to exercise and perform in the said municipality the same powers and duties as are conferred or imposed by the said Act on the Corporation of Calcutta and the Commissioner of Police, respectively.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 591M.—The 15th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 71 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make for the Khardah Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, the by-laws which were published for information with notification No. 3036M., dated the 13th September 1923.

24-Parganas.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 594M.—The 15th February 1924.—The following draft of an order which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to make in exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

24-Parganas.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st April 1924, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Budge-Budge Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend all the provisions of Part IX of that Act to the areas in Wards III and IV of the said Municipality, the boundaries of which are specified below :—

WARD NO. III.

North—Jaychandipore Trunk road at its junction with Kajipara road ending at its junction with K. P. Mondal road.

East—Part of K. P. Mondal's road starting at its junction with Jaychandipore Trunk road ending at its junction with Kapalipara road.

South—Kapalipara road starting from its junction with K. P. Mandal's road ending at its junction with Jaychandipore Trunk road side drain and then along with Jaychandipore road side drain up to its junction with Kajipara road.

West—Part of Kajipara road from its junction with the Jaychandipore road side drain ending at its junction with Jaychandipore Trunk road.

WARD NO. IV.

North—Budge Budge Trunk road side drain starting at its junction with trenching ground road with Budge Budge Trunk road side drain ending to Budge Budge Trunk road side drain at its junction with Pundt's road.

East—Part of Pundt's road starting from Budge Budge Trunk road at its junction with Pundt's road ending at its junction with D. N. Ghose's 1st lane.

South—D. N. Ghose's 1st lane and Ghur Khal starting from Pundt's road and its junction with D. N. Ghose's 1st lane and then along with the eastern boundary of Ghur Khal ending at its junction with trenching ground road.

West—Part of trenching ground road starting at its junction with Ghur Khal ending at its junction with Budge Budge Trunk road side drain.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 596M.—The 15th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Cox's Bazar Municipality in the district of Chittagong :—

Chittagong.

Maulvi Abdul Halim.
" Muzaffar Ahmad Chaudhuri.
Shwezanoo Sadagar.
Phataw Sadagar.
Babu Ambica Charan Das.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 610M.—The 15th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Nasiruddin Ahmed to be a Commissioner of the Sherpur Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, *vice* Maulvi Ansaruddin, resigned.

Mymensingh.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Bakarganj.

No. 614M.—The 15th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Patuakhali Municipality, in the district of Bakarganj, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Hemanta Kumar Rudra to be Chairman of that municipality.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Bakarganj.

No. 624M.—The 15th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Bhola Municipality, in the district of Bakarganj, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Shyama Charan Chakravarty to be Chairman of that municipality.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 628L.S.-G.—The 15th February 1924.—The notifications below, which have been issued by the Government of India, Railway Department, are republished for public information.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

No. 15F.-16-II, dated Simla, the 30th August 1923.

NOTIFICATION by—The Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

In the notification No. 15F.-16-III, dated the 11th April 1923, published in the *Gazette of India* of the 14th April 1923, Part I, for the word "Raipura" in column 1 (*2*) of the schedule substitute the word "Fatulla".

No. 15F.-16-I, dated Simla, the 30th August 1923.

NOTIFICATION by—The Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

In pursuance of sub-section (*1*), section 135 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare that the administration of Assam-Bengal Railway shall be liable to pay in aid of the funds of the local authority set out in the schedule hereto annexed the tax specified in the second column thereof.

Schedule.

1			2
Local Authority.			Tax.
District. 1(1)	Police-station. 1(2)	Name of local authority. 1(3)	
Dacca.	Raipura.	Maheshpur Union Board.	Union rate.

No. 15F.-16, dated Simla, the 30th August 1923.

NOTIFICATION by—The Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

In the notification Nos. 15F.-16-I to 15F.-16-VII, dated the 11th April 1923, published in the *Gazette of India* of the 14th April 1923, Part I, against the local authorities named in column 1 (*3*) of the schedule, read as if the words "Union Board" were inserted therein.

No. 15-F.-16, dated Delhi, the 12th January 1924.

NOTIFICATION by—The Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

In pursuance of sub-section (*1*) of section 135 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (Act No. IX of 1890), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare that the

administration of the Eastern Bengal Railway shall be liable to pay in aid of the funds of the local authority set out in the schedule hereto annexed the tax specified in the second column thereof.

Schedule.

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Local Authority.			
District. 1(1)	Police-station. 1(2)	Name of local authority. 1(3)	Tax.
Bogra.	Panchbibi.	Hilli Union Board.	Union rate.

No. 15-F.-16, dated Delhi, the 23rd January 1924.

NOTIFICATION by—The Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

In the notification No. 15-F.-16-III, dated the 11th April 1923, published in the *Gazette of India* of the 14th April 1923, Part I, in column 1(*2*) of the schedule, against Atra Gilatala and Fultala in Khulna district, insert the word "Fultala".

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Rajshahi. *No. 629M.—The 15th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend to the Rajshahi Municipality in the district of Rajshahi, all the provisions of the said Act except sub-section (*1*) of section 6 and section 7.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Rajshahi. *No. 630M.—The 15th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 84 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the Commissioners of the Rajshahi Municipality to exercise and perform in the said municipality the same powers and duties as are conferred or imposed by the said Act on the Corporation of Calcutta and the Commissioner of Police, respectively.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Rajshahi. *No. 631M.—The 15th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 71 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make for the Rajshahi Municipality the by-laws which were published for information with notification No. 3029M., dated the 12th September 1923, with the following modification :—

For by-law 24 published with the notification referred to, *read*—

"Fares shall be paid according to distance or time or according to the consolidated hire as per table below, in the case of time and distance, at the option of the hirer or fare to be expressed at the commencement of the hiring; if not otherwise expressed, the fare to be paid according to time; but in the case of consolidated hire as per table (*a*) there will be no option with the parties, the rate of distance or time will not apply."

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Bakarganj. *No. 633M.—The 15th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Nalchiti Municipality, in the district of Bakarganj, under section 23 of that Act, electing Maulvi Imtazuzzin Kazi to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas. *No. 635M.—The 15th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Jainagar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 27 of that Act, electing Babu Manindra Narayan Datta to be Chairman of that Municipality, *vice* Babu Nanda Gopal Datta, on leave.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 664 L.S.-G.—The 18th February 1924.—The following draft of an amendment, which in exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*i*) and (*t*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) intend to make in the rules published with notification No. 2158L S.-G., dated the 5th September 1918, is published for the information of persons affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st April 1924, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft amendment.

In line 3 of rule 94 *insert* the words " or an investment in an approved co-operative bank " between the words " Karachi " and " duly endorsed."

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MEDICAL.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 565 Medl.—The 14th February 1924.—Rai Jogendra Nath Mitra Bahadur, Civil Surgeon, is transferred from Mymensingh to Tippera.

Mymensingh. Tippera.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 567 Medl.—The 14th February 1924.—Major E. B. Munro, O.B.E., M.B., I.M.S., officiating Civil Surgeon, is transferred from Midnapore to Mymensingh, *vice* Rai Jogendra Nath Mitra Bahadur, transferred.

Midnapore. Mymensingh.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 578 Medl.—The 14th February 1924.—Mr. J. E. Gill, L.D.S., Lecturer on Dental Surgery, Medical College, Calcutta, is allowed leave without allowance for one month, with effect from the 1st November 1923, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 1392Medl., dated the 17th May 1923.

Calcutta.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

PUBLIC HEALTH.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 286 P.H.—The 11th February 1924.—Dr. R C. Roy, D.P.H., Assistant Director of Public Health, Dacca circle, is granted leave on full pay from the 10th December 1923 to the 23rd January 1924 (both days inclusive).

Dacca.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 2959, dated Calcutta, the 14th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Nitya Ranjan Gupta, Clinical Pathologist, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, is granted leave on average pay for one month (the entire period being privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

B. H. DEARE,

Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 527Edn.—The 13th February 1924.—The Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E., to be a member of the permanent Advisory Committee for higher education constituted under this department resolution No. 22Edn., dated the 5th January 1924.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 529Edn.—The 12th February 1924.—Babu Purna Chandra Kundu, officiating Vice-Principal, Chittagong College, in the Indian Educational Service, was allowed leave on average pay for four days, with effect from the 19th November 1923, under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Chittagong.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 552Edn.—The 11th February 1924.—Maulvi Daliluddin Ahmad (I), Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Dinajpur, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as District Inspector of Schools, Faridpur, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Dwijendra Nath Neogy, deceased, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.
Faridpur.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 555Edn.—The 16th February 1924.—Babu Kalipada Sarkar, Second Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, was allowed privilege leave for ten days with effect from the 2nd January 924, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Dacca Divn.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 90.—The 15th February 1924.—Babu Narendra Nath Sarkar, Sadar 3rd Joint Sub-Registrar, Bogra, is allowed leave on average pay for six months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 4th February 1924.

Bogra.

No. 91.—The 15th February 1924.—Babu Girindra Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar of Potashpur, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Sabong in the same district, on being relieved of his officiating appointment as Sub-Registrar of Haripal, in the district of Hooghly.

Midnapore.

No. 92.—The 16th February 1924.—Maulvi Habibullah Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Daudkandi, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave on average, pay for eight months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of Fundamental Rules with effect from the 1st March 1921, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Tippera.

No. 93.—The 18th February 1924.—Babu Sachindra Nath Mitra, Sub-Registrar of Domjur, in the district of Howrah, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj, in the district of Jessore.

Howrah.
Jessore.

No. 94. —The 18th February 1924.—Babu Sachindra Nath Ghosh, Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Domjur, in the district of Howrah.

Jessore.
Howrah.

J. N. RAY,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal (offg.).

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 20Marine.—The 14th February 1924.—Mr. A. C. Davis, Mate Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service, is granted leave on average pay for five weeks, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 14th February 1924.

No. 21Marine.—The 15th February 1924.—Mr. A. F. Paull, Branch Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service, is granted leave on average pay for eight months, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 15th March 1924.

No. 22Marine.—The 15th February 1924.—Mr. J. Hudson, Branch Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service, is granted leave for twelve months, viz., leave on average pay for two months and one day under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st April 1924.

No. 23Marine.—The 15th February 1924.—The following notification by the Government of India is republished for general information.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 408., dated Delhi, the 26th January 1924.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce.

MERCHANT SHIPPING.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 191 of the Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1923 (XXI of 1923), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department No. 5100-S.R., dated the 20th August 1903, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules regarding the carriage of petroleum in native passenger ships, the same having been previously published as required by sub-section (*4*) of the said section, namely :—

1. No petroleum which is dangerous within the meaning of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), shall be shipped on board any native passenger ship proceeding or departing from British India, and no other petroleum shall be carried on board such a ship, except as fuel in bulk for the use of the ship, or as cargo, and under the following special conditions, namely :—

(*a*) Petroleum carried as fuel in bulk for the use of the ship shall have a flash point of not less than 150° Fahrenheit by Abel's close test and shall be carried in cellular double bottoms under engine and boiler compartments, or under ordinary holds, or in peak tanks, deep tanks or bunkers of approved construction :

Provided that the oil fuel storage tanks and installations in connection therewith fully comply with the conditions described in the Instructions to Surveyors contained in the Board of Trade Circular No. 1624 (Oil Fuel Installation in Passenger Steamships), dated November 1920.

(*b*) The master, owner or agent shall give notice to the Chief Customs Officer, or such other officer as the Chief Customs Officer may nominate in this behalf, before permitting any petroleum to be shipped as cargo.

(*c*) Each consignment of petroleum shipped as cargo shall be covered by a declaration made and signed by the shipper in Form A (hereto annexed), if the petroleum has been imported into British India, and otherwise in Form B.

(*d*) Petroleum shipped as cargo shall be shipped either in tins enclosed in outer wooden cases or in hermetically sealed iron or steel drums : provided that petroleum which has a flash point not below 200° Fahrenheit may also be shipped in sound well-coopered wooden casks of not more than 50 gallons capacity.

(*e*) The nature of every consignment of petroleum shipped as cargo shall be marked on the outside of the package containing it.

(*f*) The petroleum shall be stored separate from all other cargo and as far as possible away from lights or fires ; and none shall be stored in any hold adjoining an engine room or boiler, or in any compartment situated above the passenger spaces.

(*g*) There shall be a water-tight bulkhead between the engine room and any hold in which petroleum is stored, and the sluice-valves of such bulkhead shall be shut down and padlocked.

(*h*) Save where electric light is used, no petroleum shall be shipped or discharged except between sunrise and sunset ; no lights other than electric lights shall be lit in a hold in which petroleum is stored ; and no smoking shall be permitted in or near any such hold.

(*i*) No person shall otherwise than along, with, or with the authority of an officer of the ship, be permitted to visit a hold in which petroleum is stored.

(*j*) No more passengers shall be carried than can with safety be accommodated in the ship's boats in case of accident, unless the vessel is a coasting one proceeding on a short voyage and there are provided life-belts sufficient for such passengers as cannot be accommodated in the boats.

(*k*) At any port in which a ship carrying petroleum is for the time being, the Chief Customs Officer or such other Officer as the Chief Customs Officer may nominate in this behalf, may take and test any consignment of such petroleum or any single case or drum thereof.

(*l*) If any petroleum tested under clause (*k*) is found to be dangerous petroleum defined as aforesaid, the whole consignment of which the petroleum tested formed a part shall be liable to confiscation.

2. The officer authorised to grant a certificate in respect of a ship under section 157 of the Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1923 (XXI of 1923), shall, if there is petroleum on board, not grant the same without the consent of the Chief Customs Officer or such other Officer as the Chief Customs Officer may nominate in this behalf.

3. Whoever commits a breach of any of these rules shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, and, when the breach is a continuing one, with a further fine which may extend to twenty rupees for every day after the first during which the breach continues.

FORM A.

We do hereby declare that the cases and drums marked as follows—presented for shipment on the SS. contain imported petroleum and that the petroleum is contained in the original packages in which it was imported into this country.

Place.....

Date..... .....

Shippers.

FORM B.

We hereby declare that the whole of the petroleum contained in the cases or drums marked and presented for shipment on the SS. is petroleum which is covered by flash point certificate No. , dated , from the Officer appointed by the Local Government for testing petroleum, a true copy of which, certified to by us, is herewith attached.

Place..... .....

Date.....

Shippers.

No. 24Marine.—The 15th February 1924.—The following abstract of the supplementary budget estimate of receipts and expenditure of the Chittagong Pilotage Fund for the year 1923-24 is published for general information :—

CHITTAGONG PILOTAGE FUND.

	As originally estimated.	As now estimated	Increase	Decrease
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Total receipts ...	98,865	1,08,865	10,000	...
Total charges ...	50,598	54,598	4,000	...
Closing balance ...	48,267	54,267	6,000	...

No. 25Marine.—The 15th February 1924.—Mr. N. E. Garnett, Mate Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service, is granted leave on average pay for one month and nineteen days, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st March 1924.

No. 26Marine.—The 15th February 1924.—Mr. J. F. Fox, Branch Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service, is granted leave on average pay for eight months (of which one month and four days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 10th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he avails himself of it.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 8.—The 13th February 1924.—Mr. F. H. Hogshaw, officiating Executive Engineer, Third Calcutta Division, passed the professional examination held on the 1st February 1924.

G. G. DEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Third publication.]

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 81.—The 28th January 1924.—The following draft of revised rules and rates of tolls for the Calcutta and Eastern Canals, Tolly's Nala and Sundarbans Steamer Route, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Revised Rules and Rates of Tolls.

The rules shall apply to the following navigable channels which are included under the designation "Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala" and the "Sundarbans Steamer Route."

I. The Circular Canal comprising the still-water canals between the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks and the New Cut Canal from Ultadingi to Dhapa Lock, together with its junction with the river Hooghly and Orange Soorah at Dhapa.

II. The Central Lake Channel from its junction with the Circular Canal at the Dhapa Lock to its junction with the Bidyadhari at Bamunghatta.

III. The Nowbhanga khal extending northwards for a mile from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock.

IV. The Soorah from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock and extending to the fish market situated adjacent to, and to the west of, the Dhapa Inspector's residence.

V. Tolly's Nala extending from a line drawn across the Nala 25 feet west of the Hastings Bridge at Kidderpore to the Bidyadhari river at Samukpota.

VI. The Kristopore Canal extending from a point in the New Cut Canal, 1 mile 4,700 feet from the Chitpore Lock to a point where it joins the Bhangore khal at Kantatala.

VII. The outfall channel of the Thakurdhari sluice, 4,180 feet in length, extending from a point in village Thakurdhari near the 5th mile-post of the Kristopore Canal to the Thakurdhari sluice on the Paran Chaprasi's khal.

VIII. The Sundarbans Steamer Route as defined in notification No. 71 of the 22nd July 1922.

1. Every vessel on entering the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala shall be liable to measurement for the purpose of ascertaining the tolls payable ; in case of any reasonable doubt arising, the persons appointed by the Governor in Council to collect tolls and officers to whom such persons are subordinate shall have authority to enter upon and again measure a vessel notwithstanding that it was measured on entering the canals.

2. Vessels for the purposes of the determination of tonnage shall be divided into two classes as below :—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build, including *saltees* and *hapars* (fish cages).

Class II.—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and other square built vessels.

The net tonnage of every vessel, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of Act V (B.C.) of 1864 and of these rules, be determined by the following measurements :—

Class I.—

A.—The product of one quarter the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches : the measurement of breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting any remainder of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which the amount of toll is calculated shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 12½ maunds, any remainder of less than 12½ maunds being rejected. In the case of vessels exceeding 500 maunds by measurement, the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 50 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 50 maunds.

D.—**Saltees.**—The product of one quarter of the inside length of the vessel measured along the centre line from stem to stern, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the greatest depth measured from the top to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which tolls shall be levied.

Class II.—

For vessels of class II the number of maunds obtained by the system of measurement prescribed for vessels of class I, shall be increased by one-half. For vessels of this class above 5,000 maunds measurement the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 500 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 500 maunds. In the case of steamers, the maundage determined as above shall be reduced by one-third as an allowance for engine space.

For vessels of class II which are furnished with reliable way-bills, the gross maundage of cargo shown by the way-bills, or in the case of steamers, the maundage obtained from multiplying the registered tonnage of the steamer by 27, may, at the option of the employer of the vessel or the steamer (as the case may be), be taken as the maundage on which toll will be charged :

Provided that firms or individuals, who wish to make use of this rule, must be approved by the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle, and that such approval may be withdrawn for any just cause.

3. Every vessel entering the canals shall be furnished with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the cargo it contains, the amount of toll charged, and the number of days for which the ticket remains current, shall be entered.

4. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed : Provided that the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle may at his direction permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognised standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

5. The ticket must be kept on board the vessel and must be produced for inspection when demanded by any person authorised to collect tolls, or by any officer to whom such person is subordinate. If on demand the ticket is not produced, such person or officer shall assess the tollage as provided in rule 2 and shall require payment of toll, and unless and until the toll is paid, or the original ticket or a duplicate is produced as evidence that toll has already been paid, the vessel shall be liable to seizure and detention under the provisions of section IX of the Act.

6. Duplicates of lost tickets, of which the numbers and dates can be satisfactorily established, will be granted by the collector of tolls on payment of a sum of one rupee and annas eight. Provided that for tickets on which the total tollage is less than six rupees the fee to be charged for a duplicate shall be one quarter of the total tollage. The minimum fee will be eight annas per ticket.

7. A vessel which has been detained under these rules or under section IX of the Act may not be removed from the canals without the order of the collector of tolls until the toll due has been paid and a ticket obtained for presentation at the exit station. During such detention the manjee, owner or agent must make arrangements for the safety of the vessel and cargo.

8. All vessels, whether the property of Government or of private owners, are liable for toll except those specially exempted under any Government orders in force for the time being.

9. Vessels may be hauled up for repairs on the banks of the canals with the previous written permission of the supervisor appointed by the Governor in Council under section XIII. A rent calculated at one-sixth the rate of ordinary demurrage will be charged for the time the vessel occupies the bank. No vessel may be launched in the canal without the previous written permission of the supervisor.

10. At places where mooring posts have been provided by the supervisor, vessels desiring to moor shall be made fast in single line along the banks to such posts in such manner as the supervisor may direct and shall not be moored in any other manner.

11. The Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle, may fix the limit within which vessels are permitted to remain free of toll, and may also define the limits within which no loading or unloading shall be permitted.

12. No vessel whose extreme breadth including overhanging cargo exceeds 35 feet will be permitted to enter the locks at Chitpore or Dhapa : in the case of the Kulti and Bamunghatta Locks the maximum width allowable is 29 feet.

13. The supervisor may, by written notices to be posted at the toll offices, prohibit the dropping of anchors or the putting up of bamboos or *luggees* in any specified part of the canals or on the banks.

14. Vessels shall be allowed to make fast in single line along the canal banks in such manner as may be directed by the supervisor, and no vessel shall be made fast or be placed outside of vessels so secured. No vessel or raft shall be placed in such a position as to endanger the safety, or obstruct the passage, of other vessels. Every vessel shall at all times have some responsible person on board when the vessel is within the locked canals between toll stations or on Tolly's Nala.

15. Vessels passing through the canals shall keep in separate lines, in accordance with the rules in force as laid down by the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle from time to time.

16. No person shall deposit goods of any description on the berms of the canals between the frontage roads or towpaths and the canals, except during the actual process of loading or unloading vessels, without the previous permission of the supervisor.

17. Iron built cargo boats, with outside angle irons projecting beyond the wooden fenders, will not be allowed to enter the locks unless permanent fenders are fixed over the edges of the angle irons so as to prevent them from causing damage to the lock.

18. No fire or open or unprotected light of any description shall be used on vessels containing petroleum, jute, hay or straw while in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala; and no fire or open or unprotected light (except in the case of steamers, the galley and engine-room fires and the electric light) shall be used on any vessel while in a lock basin.

19. No person shall wilfully or negligently allow a vessel to sink in the canals. No vessel which is obviously overloaded or unseaworthy will be permitted to proceed along any part of the canals until made safe to the satisfaction of the supervisor or his staff.

20. In every case of a sunken vessel, whether due to negligence or otherwise, the supervisor and his subordinates shall offer every assistance in removing the same.

If three days after the occurrence of a wreck, it is seen that prompt measures are not being taken by the owner to remove the sunken vessel from the line of navigation, the supervisor and his subordinates shall make their own arrangements for the removal of the same at the expense of the owner, provided that when the wreck obstructs the fairway they shall take immediate steps to remove the same.

21. When a sunken vessel has been recovered, the supervisor shall cause notices to be posted at the locks, toll-offices, or other prominent places, calling on those concerned to pay to the collector of tolls all toll or demurrage which may be due, as well as the expenses incurred in the recovery of the vessel and cargo; should the sum due be not paid within fifteen days of the date of notice, the boat and its furniture, or so much of it as may be necessary for the recovery of the dues, will be sold under the procedure directed in section IX of the Act.

22. The purchaser of a vessel sold under the provisions of section IX of the Act shall have the right to take it out of the canals on the day of purchase, or within such time as may be allowed by the collector of tolls, without payment of tolls.

23. When any laden vessel which has sunk has been recovered or when, any laden vessel has been seized under the provisions of the Act, or of these rules, the supervisor shall give immediate notice of the recovery or seizure to the owner of the cargo or his agent, requiring the removal of the cargo without delay, and informing him that he will be required to pay all expenses necessary for the proper custody and storage of the cargo until removed.

24. If the supervisor be unable to ascertain the name and place of business or the abode of the owner of the cargo of such vessel, the notice prescribed in rule 23 shall be effected by a notice exhibited in his office, and by advertisement in at least one English and one vernacular Calcutta newspaper.

25. Steamers are not allowed to tow flats or cargo boats in the Circular Canal, but may tow one flat or barge at a time astern in the New Cut Canal or Kristopore Canal within toll limits.

26. **Lights and signals.**—All vessels, whether travelling or moored in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala, must, between sunset and sunrise, carry a white light properly protected from the weather on the forepart of the vessel where it can be distinctly seen from all sides. All steam vessels in motion shall carry the lights prescribed by the Board of Trade Regulations. Barges or boats attached to a steam vessel, whether in motion or moored, shall carry the light prescribed above.

27. **Speed of vessels.**—Every vessel proceeding through the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala must, between sunset and sunrise, limit her speed to three miles per hour.

28. For any contravention of rules 7, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 25, 26 and 27 the person in charge of the vessel or other person in fault shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 or Rs. 5 a day for any continuing infringement.

29. No boats will be allowed to remain in the entrance channels to the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks.

30. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained.

SCHEDULE OF TOLLS.

Tolly's Nala.

No.	Description of vessels	Entering at Kidderpore.		Entering at Russa.	
		Not proceeding beyond Russa and returning *via* Kidderpore.	Proceeding beyond Russa.	Not proceeding beyond Kidderpore and returning *via* Russa.	Proceeding beyond Kidderpore.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
2	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber.	0 4 0	0 6 0	0 4 0	0 6 0
3	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
4	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred.	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
5	On *saltees* under 25 maunds, each *saltee* ...	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0
6	On *saltees* of 25 maunds and less than 50 maunds, each *saltee*.	0 12 0	1 0 0	0 12 0	1 0 0
7	On *saltees* of 50 maunds and less than 75 maunds, each *saltee*.	1 2 0	1 8 0	1 2 0	1 8 0
8	On *saltees* of 75 maunds and not exceeding 100 maunds, each *saltee*.	1 8 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	2 0 0
9	Minimum toll on all vessels	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0

NOTE 1.—Loaded vessels entering the Nala and again leaving by the station of entry will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement and when leaving will again pay tolls in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty they will be passed out free of any further charge. A boat returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the Nala.

NOTE 2.—Empty vessels entering "to load" and again leaving by the station of entry will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion, and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 3.—Through vessels entering at Kidderpore and leaving at Russa or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 4.—The tollage rates for items 2, 3 and 4 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 5.—The tollage charged for items 5, 6, 7 and 8 includes the return journey; *saltees* over 100 maunds will pay the tolls prescribed under item 1.

Calcutta Canals.

No.	Description of vessels.	Entering at Chitpore.		Entering from the east at Kristopore or Dhapa and leaving at either Chitpore, Dhapa or Kristopore.
		Not proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.	Proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels except those loaded with fire-wood per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 12 0	2 12 0
2	On all boats, steamers or other vessels laden with fire wood per hundred maunds	1 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0
3	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber ...	0 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
4	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber ...	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
5	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
6	Minimum toll on all vessels	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0

NOTE 6.—Loaded vessels entering the canal at Chitpore and again leaving *via* Chitpore will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement, and when leaving will again pay toll in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty, they will be passed out free of any further charge. A vessel returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the canal.

NOTE 7.—Empty vessels entering at Chitpore "to load" and again leaving *via* Chitpore will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 8.—Through vessels entering at Chitpore and leaving at Dhapa or Kristopore or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving, according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry: if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 9.—The tollage rates for items 3, 4 and 5 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 10.—Vessels entering at Dhapa and Kristopore will be passed out free at the station of entry, provided the maundage does not exceed that when entering; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 11.—(1) Monthly tickets are, at the option of the payers, issued to boats carrying passengers, grass or perishable articles going to the Orphangunj Bazar or proceeding outside the Dhapa Lock. The cost of these tickets is at six times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the supervisor's office, and at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the toll stations at Dhapa or Kidderpore.

(2) Monthly tickets at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated under item 1 of the Schedule for entering the canals from the eastward will be issued to boats carrying passengers, vegetables and perishable goods for plying within the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals. These tickets will not entitle the boats to pass through the Dhapa or Chitpore Lock, but they will be allowed to pass the Kristopore toll-station.

NOTE 12.—*Demurrage.*—Every vessel, raft or float, which has paid toll, shall be allowed three days for passing through the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals and two days for Tolly's Nala between Russa and Kidderpore, and three days for the reach outside Dhapa Lock, the days of entering and leaving being both included. In addition to these periods, they may, without further payment, remain in the canals for the additional undermentioned periods, that is to say—

Vessels—Two days for the first hundred maunds and one day for every hundred maunds above the first hundred maunds.

Floats.—Two days for any number of timbers not exceeding fifty, and one day for every additional fifty.

Rafts.—Two days for any number of bamboos not exceeding five hundred and one day for every additional five hundred.

Every vessel, raft or float remaining in any part of the aforesaid canals longer than the period allowed under the foregoing rules shall, for each day in excess of such period, be charged demurrage equal to one-half of the toll payable under the schedules above, provided that the demurrage charged shall in no case exceed Rs. 7-8 per diem.

(Open *dinghies* accompanying large boats are entitled to the same demurrage allowance of time as the parent boats.)

NOTE 13.—Steamers or flats passing through the Lower Sundarbans channels must pay tolls at the rate of Rs. 20 each per single trip.

NOTE 14.—*Additional toll.*—All boats, steamers and flats after passing out of the Dhapa Lock must proceed outside the toll limit at Bamunghatta within 48 hours; otherwise a fresh toll will be levied in accordance with the rules in force.

NOTE 15.—(1) During the period of closure of Tolly's Nala at Samukpotta, vessels laden with firewood will be permitted to proceed from the Bidyadhari or Bhangore khal to Tolly's Nala and back through the Circular, New Cut and Kiderpore Canals *viâ* Kidderpore on payment of three rupees per hundred maunds by canal measurement. Vessels plying under this concession will not be permitted to unload their cargo except in Tolly's Nala and must return empty. Infringement of this rule will render such vessels liable to the ordinary tollage in force.

(2) Vessels laden with cargo other than firewood will be allowed a similar concession for journeys mentioned in the foregoing rule on payment of Rs. 2-12 per hundred maunds. On the return voyage only they may load in the Hooghly or any of the canals including Tolly's Nala and will pay in accordance with the following schedule :—

(*a*) If vessels accomplish the return trip empty, no further toll will be levied.

(*b*) If vessels leave Tolly's Nala with a load not exceeding that on entry and proceed out at Dhapa or Kristopore without taking in extra cargo on the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals, no further toll will be levied.

(*c*) Vessels leaving Tolly's Nala with a load exceeding that on entry will be charged for the additional cargo at Rs. 4 per hundred maunds.

(*d*) Vessels picking up cargo in the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals will pay the ordinary schedule tolls on all cargo thus loaded.

NOTE 16.—Tolls will be levied at the toll offices at Russa and Kidderpore on Tolly's Nala and at Chitpore, Kristopore, Dhapa and Bantolla on the Circular Canals.

[Fifth publication.]

No. 7 I.—The 21st January 1924.—The following draft of amendments, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 78 and 99 of the Bengal Irrigation Act, 1876 (Bengal Act III of 1876), the Governor in Council intends to make in rules 6, 21 and 22 of the rules and rates for the supply of water from the Eden Canal (published in Bengal Government notification No. 178, dated the 22nd August 1898, at pages 909-911, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, as modified in Bengal Government notification No. 66, dated the 15th November 1904, published at page 1703, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, and Bengal Government notification No. 7, dated the 21st June 1909, published at page 883, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem), is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft amendments.

1. *For* rule 6 of the said rules and rates, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"6. The rates to be charged will be as follows :—

	Per bigha. Rs. A.
I.—Long leases, per season	0 12
II.—Season leases, *kharif*, per season	1 2
III.—Single waterings outside the area commanded, each watering	0 6
IV.—Season leases, *rabi*, sugarcane, potato, and other crops irrigated by flow, per season	1 8
Season leases, *rabi*, sugarcane, potato, and other crops irrigated by lift, per season	0 12
Boro rice, onions, brinjals and other country vegetables irrigated by flow, per season	0 12
Boro rice, onions, brinjals and other country vegetables irrigated by lift, per season	0 6
V.—Unauthorised irrigation—	
Kharif season	3 0*
Rabi season	3 0*

* Or such lower rate as may be fixed by the Canal Officer.

2. *For* rules 21 and 22 of the said rules, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"21. When tanks which are used both for irrigation and domestic purposes are filled with canal water, a charge at the rate of annas 12 will be made for each 10,000 cubic feet or part of 10,000 cubic feet."

"22. The Divisional Canal Officer may supply water for manufacturing or other purposes and charge for the same at the rate of one rupee and eight annas for each 10,000 cubic feet or part of 10,000 cubic feet supplied. The same charge will be made if water is taken into a tank without authority or used in an unauthorised manner."

[Third publication.]

No. 91.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix for the inner main channel, branch channels and outlets, viz., the Gouri khal, Kedar khal, and Matler khal and for the outfall channel on the river side of the Sarenga sluice of the Burrojolla drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessel along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying toll.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls —

(*a*) For the inner channel—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

		A.	P.
Per trip either way ..	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage ...	12	0
	For each 12½ maunds ...	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

		A.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage ...	4	0
	For each 12½ maunds ...	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Sarenga near the sluice.
(2) Ghoraghata at the junction of an old side khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(3) Dhulagori at the junction of Matler khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(4) Kushadanga at the junction of Gouri khal outlet with the branch channels leading to the bridge at Joyrampur.

[Third publication.]

No. 101.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix, for the inner channels, as well as the outfall channel on the river side of the Nazirganj sluice, in the Howrah drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessels along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying tolls.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls—

(*a*) For the inner channels—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

		As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage	12	0
	For each 12½ maunds	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

		As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage	4	0
	For each 12½ maunds	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Panchpara (Nazirganj).
(2) Chamrali.
(3) Tentulkuli.
(4) Unshani.

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 7.—The 14th February 1924.—Babu Hari Sadhan Chatterji, Upper Subordinate, is granted leave on average pay for two months under the note to rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave previously granted.

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Chief Engineer (offg.).

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES.

INDUSTRIES.

NOTIFICATION.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 711Ind.—The 16th February 1924.—Mr. P. N. Benerji of Messrs. Martin & Co. is appointed to be a member of the Board of Control for Apprenticeship Training constituted under this department resolution No. 30T.—Ind., dated the 10th June 1921, as amended by resolution No. 638Ind., dated the 11th February 1922, *vice* Sir R. N. Mookerji, K.C.I.E.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

No. 1335A.—The 8th February 1924.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, District Agricultural Officer, Barisal, is granted leave on average salary for twenty days in extension of the leave sanctioned in this office notification No 605, dated the 16th January 1924.

Babu Jnanendra Mohan Sen is appointed to act as District Agricultural Officer, Barisal, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Surendra Nath Sen or until further orders.

No. 1347A.—The 11th February 1924.—Babu Santi Prasad Sen Gupta, District Agricultural Officer, 24-Parganas, is transferred to Faridpur.

Babu Debendra Nath Mitra, District Agricultural Officer, Faridpur, is transferred to 24-Parganas.

No. 1381A.—The 11th February 1924.—Babu Santi Prasad Sen Gupta, District Agricultural Officer, is granted leave on average salary for two months, with effect from the 27th January 1924, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

No. 1444A.—The 13th February 1924.—Babu Bon Behary Banerjee, District Agricultural Officer, Khulna, is granted leave three months with effect from the 1st February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he avails himself of it, viz., leave on average salary for eight days under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, and the remaining period on half average salary under rule 81 (*d*) and (*c*) of the same rules.

Babu Nihar Kumar Gupta is appointed to act as District Agricultural Officer, Khulna, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bon Behary Banerjee, or until further orders.

No. 1438A.—The 13th February 1924.—Babu Tara Nath Roy, Field Assistant to the Fibre Expert to the Government of Bengal, is granted leave on average pay for one month with effect from the 5th January 1924 (the entire period being privilege leave at his credit).

No. 1439A.—The 13th February 1924.—Babu Kshitish Chandra Banerjee will continue to act as Field Assistant to the Fibre Expert, Bengal, *vice* Babu Tara Nath Roy, on leave.

R. S. FINLOW,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

No. 1276.—The 15th February 1924.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Jiaganj Co-operative Stores, Limited (registered No. 493 of 1920), in the district of Murshidabad, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Lalbagh, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 1345.—The 18th February 1924.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Nadia Co-operative Stores, Limited (registered No. 306 of 1921), in the district of Nadia, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Nadia, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

M. THORP,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

Orders by the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

No. 60Exc.—The 13th February 1924.—Maulvi Abdul Wahab Khan, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Burdwan, is transferred to Calcutta.

G. P. HOGG,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1585L.R.—The 16th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Sirajul Islam, Deputy Collector, to be a Collector for all the purposes of the said Act in respect of all lands in the colonisation areas in the district of Bakarganj.

Bakarganj.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 1469L.R.—The 13th February 1924.—In notification No. 1703T.R., dated the 24th September 1908, published at page 1609, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th idem, against "Midnapore" *for* "Knoda Newaz" *read* "Mahomed Khoda Newaz."

M C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1472L.A.—The 13th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for opening out a new road connecting Barrackpore Trunk road with Woma Kanta Sen lane in the village of Paikpara, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 0·6061 of an acre, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

PLOT NO. 1:

North and West—By the Nikashi drain,
East—By the Nikashi drain and land of Gopal Chandra Das,
South—By the land of Gopal Chandra Das,

PLOT NO. 2:

North and East—By the land of Sudhirendra Lal Mitra and others,
South and West—By the Nikashi drain,

PLOT NO. 3:

North, East and West—By the Nikashi drain,
South—By the land of Jagat Durlav Biswas,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Paikpara.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition, thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of the 24-Parganas.

No. 1475L.A.—The 13th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a new passenger ghat at Fulchari, in the village of Fulchari, pargana Patiladaha, zilla Rangpur it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·526 acres, bounded on the—

Rangpur.

North—By the lands of Bhupati Mohan Bhattacharjee, Jabanibosh Majumdar, Haribar Majumdar, Hem Chandra Majumdar, Bhabani Prosad Bhattacharjee, Bhabani Charan Bhattacharjee, Khoyra Sheikh and Kawal Sheikh, Tufanu Sheikh, Pazor Sheikh, Saber Sheikh and Aziar Rahaman Mandal, and by the railway land,
East—By the river Brahmaputra,
South—By the lands of Bhupati Mohan Bhattacharjee, Azizar Rahman Mandal, Bhabani Charan and Bhabani Prosad Bhattacharjee, Solem Sheikh, Tazra Sheikh, Baraj Sheikh, Jamir Sheikh, Tufanu Sheikh, Khoyra Sheikh, Kawal Sheikh and Sanamalya Sheikh,
West—By the railway land,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Fulchari.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Rangpur.

No. 1490L.A.—The 14th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Pirozpur, pargana Mahamudshahi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·02 acres, bounded on the—

Jessore.

North—By public *bhangar* and by the lands of Kariram Mandal and Jagabandhu Karmakar,
East—By the lands of Kariram Mondal and Rati Paramanik,
South—By the lands of Hemanta Kumar Karmakar and Jagabandhu Karmakar,
West—By the lands of Prasanna Paramanik, Pancharam Pramanik and Hemanta Kumar Karmakar and Sital Malakar,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Pirozpur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Jessore.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 1501L.A.—The 14th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jalpaiguri for an inspection bungalow at Rajganj, bearing settlement plot No. 6-601, in the village of Sukhani, pargana Baikunthapur, zilla Jalpaiguri, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·83 acres, bounded on the—

North, South and East—By village roads,

West—By District Board road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Sukhani.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Deputy Commissioner of Jalpaiguri.

Rangpur.

No. 1504L.A.—The 14th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for existing gang hut No. 6 on the Rangpur branch of the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the village of Binodepur, pargana Kundi, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·263 of an acre, bounded on the—

North, East and West—By the land of Lachman Dosad,

South—By the railway land,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Binodepur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Rangpur.

24-Parganas.

No. 1509L.A.—The 14th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 chitak and 20 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to ·0016 of an acre, and bounded as described below, which was included in the area covered by declaration No. 6685L.A., dated the 19th August 1919, published at page 1299, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th idem, and required by the Corporation of Calcutta for a bathing platform at No. 41, Ekbalpore Lane, in the village of Mominpore, district 24-Parganas:—

BOUNDARIES.

North—By Ekbalpore Lane.

East—By the acquired land.

South and West—By the remaining portion of premises No. 41, Ekbalpore Lane.

No. 1553L.A.—The 15th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for school building at Diamond Harbour, in the village of Hazipur, jurisdiction list No. 137 of thana Diamond Harbour, pargana Muragacha, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·2893 acres, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the Diamond Harbour Bazar road,

East—By the Diamond Harbour Bazar road, passage, drain and the khas mahal tank,

South—By the passage and khas mahal tank and drain,

West—By the drain of Diamond Harbour Road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Hazipur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of 24-Parganas.

No. 1624L.A.—The 18th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land in the district of Nadia, pargana Ookra, is likely to be needed for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a line of railway from Churni Bridge to Santipur (conversion from 2'—6" to 5'—6" gauge), notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council has authorised the Engineers of the Eastern Bengal Railway for the time being engaged on this undertaking to enter upon and survey land, and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided for or specified in the said section.

Nadia.

The general route to be taken for the railway will be from Churni Bridge at mile ·48 on the Murshidabad Branch to mile 1 on the R. K. Light Railway, passing through villages Kamgacha and Raghabpur, then through Baicha and Santipur stations.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of the notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Nadia.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

EMIGRATION.

No. 1493Emi.—The 14th February 1924.—In continuation of this Department resolution No. 1285T.R., dated the 10th October 1923, published at pages 1505-06 of the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st idem, appointing, under rule 20 (2) of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923, a Visiting Committee for the town of Calcutta for the purpose of inspecting the places of accommodation which may be sanctioned within its limits, the Government of Bengal are pleased to appoint Mr. F. E James, O.B.E., General Secretary to the Young Men's Christian Association at 25, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta, as an additional non-official member to the Committee.

Calcutta.

No. 1496Emi.—The 14th February 1924.—In continuation of this Department resolution No. 41Emi., dated the 2nd January 1924, published at, page 73 of the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem appointing, under section 8 of the Indian Emigration Act, VII of 1922, an Advisory Committee for the town of Calcutta for the purpose of advising the Protector of Emigrants in any matters relating to the working of the Indian Emigration Act, VII of 1922, and the rules issued thereunder in which the Protector may desire to seek its advice, the Government of Bengal are pleased to appoint Mr. F. E. James, O.B.E., General Secretary to the Young Men's Christian Association at 25, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta, as an additional member to the Committee.

Calcutta.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 1193Emi.—The 1st February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1922 (VII of 1922), and rule 4 (*2*) of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rules to regulate recruitment and despatch by sea of unskilled and skilled labour and their dependents to countries beyond British India, so far as they relate to the Province of Bengal.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

PART I.

Preliminary.

Short Title.

1. These rules may be called the Bengal Emigration Rules, 1923.

Definitions.

2. In these rules, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*1*) "the Act" means the Indian Emigration Act, 1922;
(*2*) "Form" means a form set forth in Schedule A to these rules;
(*3*) "labourer" means any person performing unskilled work;
(*4*) "magistrate" means any stipendiary magistrate appointed under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898:

Provided that the Local Government may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct that the powers of a magistrate under all or any of these rules may be exercised by such other class or classes of magistrates as they may specify in this behalf, either generally or in any specified area or for the purposes of emigration to any specified country.

(*5*) "Medical Inspector" means the Medical Inspector of Emigrants;
(*6*) "Protector" means the Protector of Emigrants;
(*7*) "returned emigrant" means an emigrant who has left India under the terms of the Act and who returns to India.

PART II.

General Rules.

Provisions for dependents.

3. The same provisions and rules regulating the treatment and transport of emigrants shall be applicable to their dependents.

Correspondence with Government.

4. Correspondence with Government in connection with emigration matters shall ordinarily be conducted through the Protector.

Submission of annual reports.

5. The submission of annual reports by Emigration Officers shall be regulated as follows:—

(*a*) Every Medical Inspector shall forward his report to the Protector within six weeks of the expiry of the year to which the report relates. The report shall treat of the following points, namely, the condition of the places of accommodation; the state of health of the emigrants accommodated therein; the sufficiency of hospital and other medical arrangements; the cause of any epidemic disease; and the precautionary measures adopted against its spread.

(*b*) The Protector shall submit on the 31st March of each calendar year to the Local Government his report for that year. The report shall review the history of emigration during the year, noticing all points of importance, and shall furnish such particulars as may from time to time be required by the Local Government.

Question of doubt or dispute referred to in section 2, sub-section (*2*) of Act to be determined by Protector or other officer appointed.

6. (*1*) In case of any doubt or dispute arising as to whether a person is an emigrant, whether work is skilled or unskilled or whether a person has been assisted otherwise than by a relative referred to in section 2, sub-section (*2*) of the Act, the question shall be determined by the Protector or where no such officer has been appointed at the port of embarkation, by any officer whom the Local Government may appoint in this behalf.

(*2*) A person aggrieved by the order of the Protector or such other officer may appeal to the Government whose decision shall be final.

Confirmation of non-emigrants.

7. (*1*) Any person desiring to emigrate from a port where emigration is lawful and claiming that he is not subject to the provisions of the Act and the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923, may appear before the Protector or any other officer appointed for this purpose at such port with evidence, oral or documentary, that he is not an "emigrant" within the meaning of clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 2 of the Act.

(*2*) The Protector or the officer appointed in this behalf, shall after such inquiry as he thinks necessary, if satisfied that the applicant is not an "emigrant" to the country to which he proposes to emigrate within the meaning of clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 2 of the Act, grant him a certificate to that effect and shall endorse the documentary evidence of identity (when such is produced).

(*3*) A certificate granted by the Protector or the officer appointed in this behalf, and the documentary evidence of identity endorsed as referred to in sub-rule (*2*) shall, if produced before any authority or officer acting under the Act, not later than six months after the granting thereof, be conclusive proof that the person named therein is not an "emigrant" within the meaning of the Act to the country specified therein.

PART III.

Rules regarding emigration of unskilled labour.

Places of accommodation at the port of embarkation.

Grounds and buildings in places of accommodation.

8. (*1*) The grounds at the places of accommodation shall be cleaned, levelled and drained; and, if necessary, walls and tanks shall be properly fenced in and protected from surface drainage.

(*2*) The following buildings shall be provided in places of accommodation :—

(*a*) A reception shed to be set apart for examination of freshly arrived emigrants before they are permitted to occupy the accommodation shed.

(*b*) Accommodation sheds so constructed as to provide suitable accommodation for single women and married persons apart from that of single men; and to admit of separation of returned emigrants from those about to embark. The number of emigrants to occupy each shed shall be calculated by the platform space available at the rate of 15 superficial feet of platform for each person, whether an adult or child, and the number each shed can accommodate shall be posted in a conspicuous place for the information of visitors. The platforms so erected in the sheds shall be used for sleeping, and be of such height as to admit of the ground below being easily cleaned and be so constructed that they may be easily detached for purposes of disinfection.

(*c*) Cooking sheds shall be constructed with either brick or mud plastered walls and have tiled roofs. A proper receptacle for rice water and other kitchen refuse shall be provided.

(*d*) Latrines shall be separately provided for males and females, properly roofed, lighted and ventilated. The position and plan of the latrine and the system adopted for the removal of nightsoil, shall be subject to the approval of the Medical Inspector. The amount of accommodation to be provided shall be in the proportion of not less than one seat for every 15 of the emigrants, which the place of accommodation is licensed to accommodate.

(*e*) Hospital sheds, comprising a shed for treatment of ordinary cases, an observation shed for suspected cases and a segregation shed for treatment of contagious diseases not otherwise provided for, each such shed having separate wards for males and females. The wards of the buildings shall be dry, well raised, thoroughly ventilated and lighted and provided with a separate platform for each patient.

(*f*) A dispensary shed with accommodation for the resident medical officer shall be placed in a convenient situation and provided with such fittings and furniture as the Medical Inspector may deem necessary.

(*g*) An inspection shed for the mustering of emigrants for any purpose only whenever necessary, and for their feeding.

Water tanks.

9. Water tanks shall be provided, and a plentiful supply of purest water obtainable shall be stored in them for drinking and cooking purposes. Each tank shall be fitted with a padlocked cover, and with two or more taps of simple construction; and in all cases when any doubt exists in the opinion of the Medical Inspector as to the uniform purity of the water supply, every such tank shall be fitted also with a suitable and efficient filter.

Fire-extinguisher.

10. Efficient means for suppressing fires shall be provided in every place of accommodation and kept in working order ready to hand.

Good condition of places of accommodation.

11. The ventiliation of the sheds in places of accommodation and the cleanliness of the emigrants accommodated therein shall receive special attention from the Emigration Commissioner. The accommodation sheds, latrines, drains, etc., shall be kept at all times in good order. Mud plastered or brick walls shall be whitewashed every month.

Inspection and examination of emigrants by Medical Inspectors.

12. The Medical Inspector during his visits as prescribed in rule 35 of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923, shall inspect the emigrants as to their health and see that the hospital and other medical arrangements are suitable and sufficient, that all necessary precautions, such as vaccination and other means are taken against the occurrence and spread of communicable disease, and that the arrangements for the feeding, clothing and care generally of emigrants are sufficient to meet requirements. At the close of each month he shall forward to the Protector a report of his inspections in Form No. 1.

The Medical Inspector shall also examine any newly arrived emigrant to ascertain whether he is fit, having regard to his age and state of health to undertake the journey to the country to which he has agreed to emigrate and if not satisfied as to his fitness to travel, shall certify to that effect for the information of the Protector. Rules 48 and 49 of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923, shall apply for the disposal of persons and their dependents if any who are so rejected.

Procedure on arrival of emigrants.

13. Emigrants on arrival at the places of accommodation shall be taken directly to the reception shed with all their belongings and be inspected at once by the Resident Medical Officer. During inspection their names shall be entered in the register of the place of accommodation and as soon thereafter as possible they shall be inspected by the Emigration Commissioner. Those suffering from ordinary complaints shall be removed to the hospital in the place of accommodation, and those having cholera, small-pox, measles or other communicable disease and those suspected of infection shall be dealt with immediately under rule 40 of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923. The healthy shall proceed to the accommodation sheds after they have bathed and put on clean clothing. All soiled clothes shall be thoroughly washed and cleaned before they are allowed for use or removed to the accommodation sheds. Cast off rags and clothes and those infected shall be burnt in the presence of the Resident Medical Officer.

Non-residence in places of accommodation of agents and others, not servants.

14. No persons other than servants shall be permitted to reside within the premises of places of accommodation. Agents and other persons in charge of emigrants shall not be deemed to be servants for the purposes of this rule.

Supply of clothing.

15. The clothes supplied to emigrants, on admission to the place of accommodation, shall be regulated according to the scale prescribed in Schedule B to these rules. The description and quality shall be approved by the Medical Inspector and the samples shall be kept in the Protector's office.

Personal cleanliness of emigrants.

16. Emigrants shall wash their clothes at least twice a week when possible, and bathe daily, and a liberal supply of soap shall be provided for the purpose. Water required for washing and bathing may be drawn from the supply kept in tanks for drinking and cooking, so long as the Medical Inspector does not consider its use for such purposes objectionable.

Issue and examination of rations and cleaning of cooking utensils.

17. The rations issued daily for each emigrant and dependent in places of accommodation shall be according to the scale prescribed in Schedule B to these rules. The cooked food and drinking water served out to emigrants shall be invariably examined by the Resident Medical Officer, who shall satisfy himself that the food is of good quality, sufficient in quantity and well cooked; and that the water is pure and wholesome. Food intended for infants and invalids, such as milk, soup and sago, etc., shall be freshly prepared and punctually supplied at proper intervals commencing early in the morning. He shall also see that after the meals the cooking sheds are swept out and the cooking utensils thoroughly cleaned and that no stale food is secreted by cooks or emigrants and that any stale food is put along with other refuse matter into a receptacle provided for this purpose.

Employment of emigrants in places of accommodation.

18. Emigrants in places of accommodation shall be kept as much as possible in the open air; and may be employed on light work, such as keeping the accommodation sheds clean and the grounds in good order. Games and other amusements should be encouraged. No cooking, feeding or smoking shall be permitted in the sleeping sheds and all lanterns used in them shall be padlocked.

Treatment of sick emigrants.

19. Sick emigrants, not suffering from a contagious or infectious disease and otherwise provided for shall not be sent to any hospital other than the one on the accommodation premises; nor shall they, whether under treatment in hospital or not, be rejected and sent away from the said hospital without inspection by, and the written consent of the Medical Inspector. Cases of contagious or infectious disease shall be dealt with under rule 40 of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923. Each such case shall be reported to the Medical Inspector by the Emigration Commissioner before noon on the day following its occurrence and a descriptive statement in Form No. 2 of every emigrant sent to the outside hospital

together with the reason for his removal shall be sent once a month to the Protector. In the event of any emigrant sent to the outside hospital dying, deserting, or being permitted to return to the place of accommodation, the death, desertion or re-admission shall be reported to the Protector in Form No. 3. If any severe outbreak of cholera occurs in places of accommodation the Medical Inspector shall without delay forward a report thereon to the Protector for submission to the Local Government.

Disinfection of segregation shed and destruction of infected articles.

20. The segregation shed, after it ceases to be occupied by a person suffering from an infectious disease, shall be disinfected by fumigation or other efficient means, and all clothing, blankets, etc., which have been in contact with such person shall be burnt in a safe and suitable place under the supervision of the Resident Medical Officer.

Avoidance of long detention of emigrants.

21. Every effort shall be made to despatch emigrants to the countries for which they are engaged, within a month from the date of their admission into the place of accommodation or as soon thereafter as possible; and the Emigration Commissioner shall forward to the Protector an annual return in Form No. 4 within a month after the close of each year, showing the cause of any unusually long detention.

Returned emigrants.

Intimation of arrival to Emigration Commissioner.

22. The Master of a vessel with returned emigrants for Calcutta shall inform the Emigration Commissioner by telegraph from Saugor of the probable time of her arrival, mentioning the condition of health of the vessel and reporting cases of an infectious nature, if there be any.

Notice by Commissioner at Calcutta to Emigration Officers.

23. The Emigration Commissioner at Calcutta shall duly notify to the Protector and to the Medical Inspector the time when the mustering of the emigrants on board having been completed, the vessel will in every respect be ready to land her passengers.

Inspection of emigrants by Protector at Calcutta

24. The Protector at Calcutta shall thereafter visit the vessel and shall ascertain whether the emigrants have been properly treated on their voyage and during their residence in the country to which they had emigrated.

Inspection of emigrants by Medical Inspector at Calcutta.

25. The Medical Inspector at Calcutta shall also proceed on board and inspect the emigrants as to their state of health, the ship as to her general condition and fittings and samples of the stores and water that have been supplied to the emigrants on the voyage, and shall, as soon as possible, after the inspection, forward a written report on the result to the Protector for the information of the Local Government.

Complaints by Master and Surgeon.

26. On the day following the debarkation both Master and Surgeon shall separately address the Protector, and shall inform him in writing of any charges of complaints which they may have to make against any one on board in connection with his or her conduct on the voyage, with a view to the necessary investigation being held before the emigrants disperse to their homes.

Documents relating to voyage

27. When any vessel arrives with returned emigrants from any country where emigration is lawful, the Emigration Commissioner concerned shall invariably forward the nominal roll of the returned emigrants together with all the documents relating to the voyage kept by the Surgeon, to the Protector for his perusal and that of the Medical Inspector.

Report on returned emigrants.

28. As soon as possible after the arrival of returned emigrants, the Protector shall submit a report to Government in Form No. 5 and shall embody therein the results of his and the Medical Inspector's inspection of the emigrant vessel, and of the returned emigrants who have arrived in her.

Delivery of deceased emigrant's property.

29. The Master of every vessel bringing returned emigrants shall, after the emigrant passengers have been landed, make over to the Emigration Commissioner concerned the goods and effects of all the emigrants who have died on the voyage leaving unclaimed property, except foul clothing which shall be destroyed, together with an extract from the register of deceased emigrants' property kept on the voyage, furnishing particulars of each case, countersigned by the Surgeon.

The Emigration Commissioner shall forward such goods and effects as are not destroyed together with the extract from the register to the office of the Protector.

Disposal of deceased emigrant's property.

30. On receipt from the Emigration Commissioner of the amounts payable in the cases of emigrants who have died on the voyage, together with any unclaimed property left by them, the Protector shall enter all such money and effects in a register of deceased emigrants in Form No. 6. He shall, pending inquiry for heirs, dispose of the miscellaneous effects to the best advantage by private or public sale and deposit in his personal ledger account with the Imperial Bank of India the amounts realized by such sales as well as any money received on account of the estates of these deceased emigrants.

Inquiry for legal heirs.

31. The inquiry for relatives entitled to succession shall be made by the Protector through the District Officer, and if such relatives are traced, the Protector shall withdraw the amount deposited in the Bank, and shall transmit it to the District Officer concerned for payment to the person or persons reported by him to be the legal heir or heirs of the estate :

Provided that where the sale-proceeds of the property of the deceased and the unsold property if any together with any other amount payable to him deposited in the Bank to the credit of his estate exceeds Rs. 300 in value, the District Officer shall not be bound to deliver the money to the person or persons reported to be the legal heir or heirs, except on the production of probate, letters of administration, or a certificate or other satisfactory evidence of title.

Report of disposal of deceased emigrant's estates.

32. After all inquiries for heirs of emigrants dying on the return voyage have been completed, and after the estates to which succession has been traced have been administered to, the Protector shall report to the Local Government the results of the proceedings and shall dispose of any vacant estates in accordance with the orders received in each case.

PART IV.

Rules for skilled labour.

Preparation and execution of agreement.

33. The agreement entered into by any person under clause (*b*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 16 of the Act shall be executed in triplicate and duly stamped, and be presented to the Protector at the time of registration of particulars of such person as required under section 18, sub-section (*2*) in order to satisfy him that the terms of the agreement have been fully understood by the person engaged. If satisfied he will sign the agreement by way of attestation.

Maintenance of register of persons engaged or assisted under section 18 (*2*) of the Act.

34. The Protector shall maintain the book referred to in section 18, sub-section (*2*) of the Act in Form No. 7 and shall register therein the particulars required for the proper filling up of the form concerning each person engaged or assisted to emigrate and his dependents, if any, and concerning the person engaging or assisting him.

Fees to be charged under section 17 for each person engaged and registered.

35. For each person registered by the Protector under clause (*c*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 18 of the Act, a fee of Rs. 3 shall be levied from the person who engaged such person and—

(*a*) the Protector shall realize such fee,

(*b*) no part of such fee shall be recovered from the person so registered,

(*c*) if the person registered fails from any cause to embark, the fee realized on his account shall not be refunded.

Failure of person engaged and registered to embark, to be reported to Protector.

36. In the event of any person engaged and registered or his dependents—if any, not being despatched from the port of embarkation, or not embarking on the date fixed in the first instance but on a subsequent date, the fact shall be notified to the Protector by the person who engaged them, information at the same time being furnished as to the reasons of such non-embarkation or of such change in the date of embarkation, and the Protector shall record the information thus obtained in the "Remarks" column of the register referred to in rule 34.

Procedure to be followed when release of security furnished under section 16 (*2*) (*c*) of the Act is claimed.

37. If, upon the return of any person after the expiry or termination of his engagement, the person who engaged him claims the release of any security which he may have furnished in pursuance of the provision of clause (*c*) of sub-section 2 of section 16 of the Act, he shall produce the person engaged with his dependents, if any, before the Protector at the port at which he originally embarked.

N.B.—To ensure that all persons engaged appear before the Protector on their arrival at Calcutta, from the country in which they were employed, on the expiry of their engagements, a clause may be inserted in their agreements to the effect that the last month's wages due to them under their agreements may be paid to them on their return by the person who engaged them, before the Protector at the port from which they embarked

Enquiry to be made by Protector as to the treatment received by persons engaged or assisted, produced under rule 37.

38. The Protector shall enter the date of the return of every person engaged or assisted to emigrate, produced before him under rule 37 and his dependents, if any, in the "Remarks" column of the register prescribed by rule 34 and shall question him as to the treatment which he received during the period of his engagement, and shall ascertain whether the terms of the engagement were duly observed.

Report of result of enquiry to be submitted by Protector to Government.

39. The Protector shall submit a report to Government of the result of every inquiry made by him under rule 38 after recording in the register of complaints prescribed under rule 60 of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923, any case of complaint brought to his notice ; and after receipt of such report and such further inquiry (if any) as they may think fit to make the Local Government shall pass orders under section 19 of the Act.

Disposal of money or property left by persons engaged who have died

40. (*1*) Should any person engaged, or his dependent, returning to India from the country overseas in which he was employed die on the return voyage, the person who engaged him shall report the matter to the Protector and shall at the same time forward to him any money or effects or the sale-proceeds of such, if it be so desired, which the deceased person might have had in his possession at the time of his death and which have not been claimed by some person lawfully entitled thereto, if he receives such property.

(*2*) The Protector shall, on receiving the effects, make an inventory of them in a register in Form No. 6 to be maintained for the purpose, a reference to such inventory being at the same time made in the "Remarks" column of the register maintained under rule 34 opposite the name of the deceased person and shall cause inquiries to be made through the District Officer for the heir or heirs of the deceased. He shall in the meanwhile dispose of the effects to the best advantage possible either by public or private sale and deposit the amount realised in his personal ledger account with the Imperial Bank.

(*3*) If any heir or heirs be traced the Protector shall remit to the District Officer concerned the total amount at credit of the estate of the deceased for payment to the person or persons reported by him to be the legal heir or heirs. Provided that where the sale-proceeds of the property of the deceased together with any other amount payable to him deposited in the Bank to the credit of his estate exceeds Rs. 300 in value, the District Officer shall not be bound to deliver the money to the person or persons reported to be the legal heir or heirs except on the production of probate, letters of administration or a certificate or other satisfactory evidence of title.

In the event of there being no heir traceable the amount shall be kept in deposit for a period of three years if the value of the estate exceeds Re. 1 in amount and if no one claims it within that period it shall be credited to the Local Government. After the estates have been disposed of in the manner described, the Protector shall report to Government the result of the proceedings and shall dispose of any vacant estate under orders received in each case.

PART V.

Supplementary.

Records.

Maintenance of certain records in perpetuity.

41. The following returns and registers shall be kept in perpetuity :—

In the office of the Protector.

Nominal rolls (list)	Form No. 12 (Government of India Rules, 1923).
Register of deceased emigrants' property (outgoing and returning vessels) ...	Form No. 6.
Register of deceased emigrants' property .	Form No. 7.

In the office of the Emigration Commissioner.

Register of place of accommodation at the port of embarkation	Form No. 6 (Government of India Rules, 1923).
Register of deceased emigrants' property, emigrants dying in place of accommodation ...	Form No. 7 (Government of India Rules, 1923).

The following forms and returns shall be kept in the office of the Protector for three years from the date of their receipt :—

Register of complaints from emigrants ...	Form No. 15 (Government of India Rules, 1923).
Form of certificate granted by the Protector to an applicant to engage emigrants for skilled labour	Form No. 14 (Government of India Rules, 1923).
Form of report of sickness at the place of accommodation	Form No. 9 (Government of India Rules, 1923).
Nominal rolls of persons who desire to emigrate	Form No. 2 (Government of India Rules, 1923).

Destruction of records.

42. The returns, registers, copies of agreements and other papers required to be furnished to the Protector or the Medical Inspector shall be destroyed on the expiry of three years from the date of their receipt.

SCHEDULE A.

Form No. 1.

(*See rule 12.*)

FORM OF MEDICAL INSPECTOR'S INSPECTION REPORT.

Report of Medical Inspector on the sanitary arrangements in the place of accommodation of at for the month of ..... 19 .

Questions.	Answers.	Remarks.
1.—Sleeping sheds. (*a*) Whether kept clean and in proper repair ? (*b*) Whether satisfactorily fitted, furnished and ventilated ?		
2.—Cooking sheds. (*a*) Whether in proper repair and satisfactorily fitted and furnished ? (*b*) Whether any complaints were preferred as to the quality or quantity of food issued ?		
3.—Water supply. (*a*) Whether iron tanks are in proper order, and filled with a sufficiency of clean water for drinking and cooking purposes ? (*b*) Is the arrangement of drinking water of the emigrants satisfactory ? (*c*) Whether the bathing arrangements are in working condition, and secure a supply of clean water in sufficient quantity for the number of emigrants accommodated in the place of accommodation ?		
4.—Latrines. (*a*) Whether condition of building and ablution arrangements is satisfactory ? (*b*) Whether cleanliness is secured and maintained ?		
5.—Hospital. (*a*) Whether hospital for ordinary disease is kept in thorough repair and properly fitted and furnished to receive patients ? (*b*) Whether segregation shed is clean, and fitted and furnished for immediate use ?		
6.—Dispensary. Whether sufficiently provided with requirements ?		
7.—Tanks. Whether properly cleaned and secured against accidents and the resort of emigrants for purposes of bathing and drawing water ?		
8.—Compound and drains Whether kept clean and in proper order ?		
9.—Emigrants' clothing. Whether the emigrants are sufficiently and cleanly clothed ?		
10.—Improvements. Whether any improvements can be made and have been suggested for promoting the healthiness of the place of accommodation ?		

No.

FORWARDED to the Protector of Emigrants for information, with the remark that the Emigration Commissioner concerned has been requested to remedy existing defects.

Medical Inspector.

Dated Calcutta, the 19

Form No. 2.

(See rule 19.)

FORM OF REPORT OF REMOVAL OF SICK EMIGRANTS.

Return of particulars of Emigrants sent to .... — hospital from the place of accommodation of the for the month of .... 19 .

Serial number of patient.	Name of patient.	Sex.	Number in register.	Whether accompanied by relatives.	In whose charge forwarded.	For what disease.	Date of attack.	Whether case reported to Medical Inspector.	Remarks.

Resident Medical Officer.

Memo. No.

FORWARDED to the Protector of Emigrants for information.

DATED

Emigration Commissioner for

The *19*

Form No. 3.

(See rule 19.)

FORM OF REPORT OF EMIGRANTS IN OUTSIDE HOSPITAL.

Return respecting Emigrants placed under treatment in Hospital.

Name of emigrant.	Sex.	Number in register.	Date of removal to hospital.	For what disease.	Date of return to place of accommodation.	Date of desertion from hospital.	Date of death.	Remarks.

N.B.—This report should be submitted to the office of the Protector of Emigrants on the day following the re-admission into the place of accommodation for the intimation of death in or desertion from an outside hospital of any emigrant.

Memo. No.

FORWARDED to the Protector of Emigrants for information.

DATED

Emigration Commissioner for

The *19*

Form No. 4.

(*See rule 21.*)

FORM OF REPORT OF DELAYED DESPATCHES OF EMIGRANTS.

Return showing cause of lengthy detention of Emigrants in the place of accommodation of the .....during the year 19 .

Number detained.	How disposed of.					Cause of detention.	Remarks.
	Number despatched.	Number re-eased.					
		Under rule 44 (2) (i) of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923.	Under rule 44 (2) (ii) of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923.	Under rule 44 (2) (iii) of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923.	Under rule 47 of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923.		
Over one month ...							
„ two months ...							
„ three „ ..							

Form No. 5.

(*See rule 28.*)

FORM OF REPORT BY THE PROTECTOR OF EMIGRANTS ON RETURNED EMIGRANT SHIP.

Report on the returned Emigrants from.....by the sailing / steam ship..... arrived at.....on the..... .....

Name of Master ... .

Name of Surgeon ... ...

Name of Chief Compounder ... ...

Date of departure from ... ...

Date of arrival at ... ...

Ports at which the ship touched ... ...

Classification of Emigrants.	Embarked.		Died during the voyage.		Landed.		Total.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Adults of 18 years of age and upwards							
Minors from under 18 to 2 years of age							
Infants — Under 2 years of age ...							
Infants — Born during the voyage. — Male ...							
Infants — Born during the voyage. — Female							

Mortality during the Voyage.

Serial No.	Name.	Sex.	Age.		Disease.	Date of admission.	Date of death.	Total deaths.	Percentage of deaths.	Remarks.
			Years.	Months.						

Particulars of Estates of deceased Emigrants.

Name.	Fath r's name.	Caste.	Residence.			Ship of import into country and date of departure from	Effects of deceased Emigrants.	
			District.	Thana	Village or town and mahalla.		Amount at credit of estate.	How disposed of.
							Rs. A. P.	

REMARKS BY PROTECTOR OF EMIGRANTS.

Protector of Emigrants.

No. .

SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

Protector of Emigrants.

The 19 .

Form No. 6.

(*See rule 30.*)

FORM OF REGISTER OF DECEASED EMIGRANTS' ESTATES.

Register for the registration of the effects of all deceased emigrants' estates received and disposed of by the Protector of Emigrants.

Particulars of deceased Emigrants.										Relatives or friends entitled to succeed.		
Serial number.	Ledger folio	Name.	Father's name.	Sex.	Death.		If intending emigrant, number in register in place of accommodation	If returned emigrant.		If any will, name and particulars of legatee.	Names and addresses as provided by deceased before death.	Names and addresses of heirs as ascertained by enquiry through District Officers.
					Date of	Place of		From what country.	Name of vessel and number in nominal roll.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13

Particulars of effects received.							Particulars of forwarding correspondence.				Date of remittance to District Officer.	Remarks.
Foreign money.		Miscellaneous articles.		Indian money	Total amount.		Number	Date	From whom.	Date of receipt.		
Description.	Value in Indian money.	Article.	Sale proceeds.									
14	15	16	17	18	19		20	21	22	23	24	25
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.							

REMARKS BY PROTECTOR OF EMIGRANTS.

Protector of Emigrants.

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Form No. 7.

SCHEDULE B.

SCALE No. 1.

Scale of Provisions, Clothing and Miscellaneous articles for Emigrants in Depot place of accommodation.

A—of Provisions.

Articles.	Scale of daily rations of two meals per emigrant. Oz Drs.	Indian weights Ch.	Remarks.
Rice	24 0	12	
Flour	...	...	Flour in lieu of rice may be issued to those who prefer it, at the rate of 12 ozs. per emigrant for each meal.
Dal	5 0	2½	
Meat or fish	...	...	Meat or fish in lieu of dal may be issued to those who desire it at the rate of 3 ozs. per emigrant for each meal.
Vegetables	5 0	2½	
Ghee	0 8	½	From 1st October to end of February the allowance of Ghee should be increased to at least 12 drams per emigrant.
Oil	0 4	¼	For vegetable curry.
Chillies	0 2	1/16	
Garlic, green ginger, turmeric, coriander and mustard seed or fenugreek	0 4	¼	
Tamarind	0 2	1/16	
Salt	0 8	½	
Tobacco (prepared) ...	2 0	1	Dried leaf should be given to those who prefer it.

N B.—(*a*) Two emigrants under 10 years of age shall count as one emigrant only.

(*b*) Every emigrant under two years of age that is not nursed by the mother shall receive not less than one pint of milk daily and a sufficient quantity of sago or arrowroot, as may be needed.

B—of Clothing.

Dhoties to each male or boy	... 2	
Saries to each female or girl	... 2	
Kurtas to each emigrant	... 1	Cotton or woollen according to season.
Blankets to each emigrant	... 2	From 1st October to end of February woollen blankets should be supplied.

Miscellaneous articles.

Country soap to each emigrant ...	1	ball.
Oil for anointing to each emigrant (twice a week)	½	ounce.
Mug	1	To be of tin.
Plate	1	Do.

The size of the blankets should be 6½ × 5 feet for adults and 5 × 4 feet for children.

The size of the dhoties should be 4 yards in length for men and 3 yards for boys.

The size of the saries should be 6 yards for women and 3 yards for girls and they should extend from hip to ankle in width and be made of stout grey-shirting.

The size of the kurtas should be extending below the knee.

Form No. 7.

(*See* rule 34.)

Register of Emigrants and their dependents engaged or assisted to emigrate under the provisions of Chapter IV of Act VII of 1922.

REGISTRATION.		EMIGRANTS.		DEPENDENTS.		PARTICULARS OF RESIDENCE OF EMIGRANTS AND THEIR DEPENDENTS.								HEIRS OF EMIGRANTS AND THEIR DEPENDENTS.		
Date.	Number.	Name.	Father's name.	Name.	Relationship to persons engaged.	Sex.	Age.	Caste.	Family condition.*	Occupation.	District.	Thana, Tasil or taluk.	Village or town and post-office.	Name and residence.	Father's name.	Relationship.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17

Country for which engaged and port of embarkation.	Name of ship and date fixed for departure.	TERMS OF AGREEMENT.					PERSON BY WHOM ENGAGED OR ASSISTED TO EMIGRATE.						Signature, mark, finger or thumb impression of the emigrants and their dependents.	Government Order (number and date).	Remarks.
		Period for which engaged.	Nature of work.	Rate of wages.	Provisions made for the health and the comfort of the persons engaged and their dependents during the period of engagement.	Condition as to repatriation at the end of the period of engagement.	Name.	Father's name.	Occupation.	Residence.					
										District.	Thana, tahsil or taluk.	Village or town and post-office.			
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33

* Single or widowed, divorced or separated; or married persons emigrating alone or married couples emigrating together or with their children.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Kurseong. Sundarbans. *No. 4For.—The 4th February 1924.*—On return from the leave granted to him in Government of Bengal, Revenue Department, notification No. 11118-For., dated the 4th December 1923, Babu Surendra Kumar Dutta, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, is posted temporarily as an attached officer to the Bagdogra range in the Kurseong Forest Division from the afternoon of 2nd January to the afternoon of 11th January 1924 and is then transferred to the Sundarbans Division as an attached officer with headquarters at Khulna.

Buxa. *No. 5For.—The 4th February 1924.*—On relief of the charge of the Haldibar range, Buxa Division, Babu Sachindra Nath Mitra, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, is, with effect from the afternoon of the 25th January 1924, posted to special duty for demarcation work in the Buxa Division with headquarters at Kumargram Duar.

R. C. MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

No. 2436, dated Calcutta, the 13th February 1924.—Lieut.-Col. W. G. Hamilton, I.M.S., made over charge of the Presidency Jail to Major N. S. Simpson, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 8th February 1924.

No. 2564, dated Calcutta, the 15th February 1924.—Military Assistant Surgeon H. A. Young made over charge of the Midnapore Central Jail to Major E. B. Munro, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 7th February 1924.

W. G. HAMILTON, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal (offg.).

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 500L., dated Calcutta, the 13th February 1924.—It is hereby notified, in pursuance of rule 14 (*9*) of the rules for the election and nomination of members to the Bengal Legislative Council, that Mr. George Morgan has been declared under rule 14 (*2*) of the aforesaid rules to have been duly elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce Constituency, to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

C. TINDALL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal and
Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—CIVIL.

The 13th February 1924.

No. 2059A.—The senior munsifs of (1) Bhola, (2) Patuakhali and (3) Pirojpur in the district of Bakarganj, (4) Vishnupur in the district of Bankura, (5) Rampur Hat in the district of Birbhum, (6) Katwa in the district of Burdwan, (7) Narayanganj, (8) Manikganj and (9) Munshiganj in the district of Dacca, (10) Jalpaiguri in the district of Dinajpur, (11) Goalundo in the district of Faridpur, (12) Serampore and (13) Uluberia in the district of Hooghly, (14) Narail, (15) Jhenida, (16) Magura and (17) Bongaon in the district of Jessore, (18) Feni in the district of Noakhali, (19) Kushtia in the district of Nadia, (20) Kandi and (21) Jangipur in the district of Murshidabad, (22) Sirajganj in the district of Pabna and Bogra, (23) Kurigaon, (24) Nilphamari and (25) Gaibandha in the district of Rangpur, (26) Brahmanbaria and (27) Chandpur in the district of Tippera, (28) Satkhira and (29) Bagerhat in the district of Khulna, (30) Contai and (31) Tamluk in the district of Midnapore, (32) Netrokona, (33) Kishoreganj and (34) Tangail in the district of Mymensingh, are appointed to be District Delegates under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of their respective jurisdictions.

Any previous orders appointing any of the munsifs now employed at the stations named above to be a District Delegate by name are hereby cancelled.

No. 2061A.—The munsifs of (1) Kalna in the district of Burdwan, (2) Cox's Bazar in the district of Chittagong, (3) Balurghat and (4) Thakurgaon in the district of Dinajpur, (5) Ranaghat, (6) Meherpur and (7) Chuadanga in the district of Nadia, (8) Nator and (9) Naogaon in the district of Rajshahi, (10) Jhargram and (11) Ghatal in the district of Midnapore, (12) Lalbagh in the district of Murshidabad, (13) Jamalpur in the district of Mymensingh, are appointed to be District Delegates under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881, (V of 1881) within the local limits of their respective jurisdictions.

Any previous orders appointing any of the munsifs now employed at the stations named above to be a District Delegate by name are hereby cancelled.

No 2065A.—The Subordinate Judges of (1) Pankura, (2) Birbhum, (3) Burdwan, (4) Asansol in the district of Burdwan, (5) Dinajpur and Jalpaiguri, (6) Jessore, (7) Khulna, (8) Murshidabad, (9) Nadia, (10) Noakhali, (11) Bogra in the district of Pabna and Bogra, (12) Rajshahi and Malda, and (13) Rangpur are appointed *ex officio* to be District Delegates under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the (1) Sadar munsifi of Bankura, (2) Suri munsifi, (3) Sadar munsifi of Burdwan (4) Asansol munsifi, (5) Sadar munsifi of Dinajpur and Jalpaiguri while sitting at Jalpaiguri, (6) Sadar munsifi of Jessore, (7) Sadar munsifi of Khulna, (8) Berhampore munsifi, (9) Krishnagar munsifi, (10) Sudharam munsifi, (11) Bogra munsifi, (12) Rampur Boalia munsifi and Malda munsifi while sitting at Malda, and (13) Sadar munsifi of Rangpur, respectively.

Any previous orders appointing any of the Subordinate Judges, now employed in the districts named above, as a District Delegate by name, are hereby cancelled.

No. 2067A.—The Senior Subordinate Judges of Bakarganj, Chittagong, Dacca, Hooghly, Midnapore, Mymensingh, Pabna in the district of Pabna and Bogra, and Tippera are appointed *ex officio* to be District Delegates under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the Barisal munsifi, Sadar munsifi of Chittagong, Sadar munsifi of Dacca, Sadar munsifi of Hooghly, Sadar munsifi of Midnapore, Sadar Munsifi of Mymensingh, Pabna munsifi and Comilla munsifi, respectively.

Any previous orders appointing any of the Subordinate Judges now employed at the stations named above as a District Delegate are hereby cancelled.

No. 2074A.—The High Court notification No. 11607A., dated the 11th October 1923, published at page 1598, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th *idem*, appointing Babu Gopeswar Banarji, munsif of Hooghly, to be a District Delegate under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the Sadar munsifi of Hooghly, is hereby cancelled.

The 15th February 1924.

No. 2181G.—The following rule framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal and approved by the Governor-General in Council under section 107 of the Government of India Act is published for general information :—

Rule.

I. (*i*) In the line 1 of Rule 28, Chapter III, at page 89, Volume I, of the Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, after the words "Documents produced" *insert* the words "by a party to the suit."

(*ii*) At the end of the same rule *add* the following paragraph :—

"Documents produced by persons who are not parties to the suit are dealt with under the provisions of Rule 30."

II. *Insert* the following after Rule 29, Chapter III, at page 89, *ibid* :—

30 (*a*) A private person, not a party to the suit, producing a document in court in compliance with a summons, should be required to state in writing the address to which the document is to be returned, if not returned to him personally.

(*b*) Where the document is not tendered or admitted in evidence it shall be returned at once to the person producing it either personally or by registered post.

(*c*) Where the document is admitted in evidence, a certified copy thereof shall be prepared and placed on the record. The original shall then be returned to the person producing it personally or by registered post, unless the genuineness of the document is in controversy, in which case the original shall, unless the court otherwise directs, be returned after the trial is concluded, or, in cases where an appeal lies, after sufficient time has been allowed for appealing, or, if an appeal is preferred, after the determination thereof. The word "appeal" includes a second appeal where a second appeal lies.

(*d*) (*1*) In the case of voluminous documents, such as account books or collections of zemindâry papers, which cannot conveniently be returned by registered post, the person producing them shall, if they are not returned to him at once, be informed in due course by registered letter that he is at liberty to take them back, and that his reasonable travelling expenses will be furnished.

(*2*) This procedure shall also be adopted where the person producing the document states in writing at the time of production that the document is of value to him and that he will take it back personally.

(*e*) In cases where the person producing a document has any pleader or mukhtar authorised to take back documents on his behalf, the document may be returned under the foregoing rules to such pleader or mukhtar, unless at the time of production the person producing it states in writing that it should be returned to him personally or by registered post.

(*f*) (*1*) Before a document such as is referred to in sub-rule (*a*) is called for at the instance of a party to the suit, such party shall deposit a sum sufficient to meet such expenses as are likely to be incurred, including the cost of returning the document by registered post, the cost of preparing a certified copy under sub-rule (*c*) and in cases under sub-rule (*d*) the travelling expenses of the person producing the document.

(*2*) In cases under sub rule (*d*) the travelling expenses shall be transmitted to the person producing the document along with the registered letter therein referred to.

By order of the High Court,

J. D. V. HODGE,

Registrar.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1396R.G.—Maulvi Saiyed Majawar Ali Mirza, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed a Circle Officer and posted to the Sadar station of the district of Nadia.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1402R.G.—Babu Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the district of the 24-Parganas.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 741J.—This office notification No. 6237J., dated the 13th December 1923, transferring Maulvi Muhammad Abul Bashar, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Narainganj, Dacca, to Bhola in Bakarganj, and notification No. 6243J. of the same date transferring Maulvi Syeduddin Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Bhola, in Bakarganj, to Narainganj, Dacca, are hereby cancelled.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 11th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 804J.—Babu Sukumar Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for six weeks, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 7th March 1924 or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 13th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 853J.—Babu Kamini Mohan Das-Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Narainganj subdivision of the Dacca district.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 15th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 858J.—Babu Jnan Chandra Chakravarty, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the Pirojpur subdivision of the Bakarganj district.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 15th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 708-G.—Babu Jyotirindra Nath Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Comilla, is transferred to the Chandpur subdivision of the Tippera district to work as Circle Officer under the Village Self-Government Act. He is placed in charge of the union boards within the jurisdiction of Chandpur and Matlab police-stations.

Maulvi Ahmad Ali, Sub Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Chandpur, is transferred to Sadar, Comilla, on general duty.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 14th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 715J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 63 (*1*) of the Bengal Jail Code, 1919, the following members of the Bengal Legislative Council are appointed to be non-official visitors of the District and Sub-Jails in the district of Mymensingh :—

Names of non-official M. L. C. visitors	Names of Jail or Sub-Jails.
1. Babu Brajendra Kishore Roy Choudhury ...	Mymensingh District Jail.
2. Mr. Altaf Ali Choudhury ...	
3. Maulvi Abdul Jabbar Pahlwan ...	Jamalpur Sub-Jail.
4. Babu Mano Mohan Neogi, B.L. ...	Tangail Sub-Jail.
5. „ Nalini Ranjan Sarkar ...	Netrakona Sub-Jail.
6. Maulvi Toyebuddin Ahmed, B.L. ...	Kishoreganj Sub-Jail.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 11th February 1924.*

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 598J.—It is hereby notified for general information that Maulvi Nural Hossain is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Jalpaiguri jail for a period of two years, *vice* Maulvi Kamiruddin Ahmed, deceased.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 431J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*1*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Babu Manmatha Nath Roy, member of the Bengal Legislative Council, to be a non-official visitor of the Howrah District Jail for a period of one year, with effect from the date of this notification.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 11th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 435J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*1*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Babu Manmatha Nath Roy, member of the Bengal Legislative Council, to be a non-official visitor of the Uluberia Subsidiary Jail, in the district of Howrah, for a period of one year, with effect from the date of this notification.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 11th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 84J.G.—Maharaja Kshaunish Chandra Ray Bahadur is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Krishnagar Jail in the district of Nadia for a period of two years.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 13th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 799J.—It is hereby notified for general information, that under rule 63 (*1*) of the Bengal Jail Code, 1919, the following members of the Bengal Legislative Council are appointed to be non-official visitors of the District and Sub-Jail noted against their names :—

Names of non-official M L C visitors		Names of District and Sub-Jails
1. Dr. Kumud Sankar Roy Chaudhury	...	Faridpur District Jail.
2. Mr. Syed M. Masih	...	
3. Mr. Syed M. Masih	...	Goalundo Sub-Jail.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 13th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 772J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 63 (*2*) of the Bengal Jail Code, 1919, Babu Surjya Prasanna Bajpai Chaudhuri is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Pirojpur Sub-Jail, in the district of Bakarganj, for a period of two years.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 11th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 782J.—It is hereby notified for general informatio n that, under rule 63 (*2*) of the Bengal Jail Code, 1919, Mrs. Manomohan Dutt is appointed to be a non-official Lady visitor of the Dacca Central Jail, in place of Mrs. Bevan Jones, resigned.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 13th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 828J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 63 (*2*) of the Bengal Jail Code, 1919, Babu Chinta Haran Mazumdar is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Mymensingh District Jail, in place of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Syed Ahmed Hossain Choudhury resigned.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 14th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 472J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*1*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Babu Sarat Chandra Basu, member of the Bengal Legislative Council, to be non-official visitor of the Asansol subsidiary jail, in the district of Burdwan, for a period of one year from the date of this notification.

J. N GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 14th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 28M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 12th April 1924, has been fixed as the date for holding a by-election in ward No. IV of the Berhampore Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, to elect a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Sundar Gopal Dhar, deceased.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 13th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 142M.—It is hereby notified for general information that in the by-election held on the 2nd February 1924 in Ward No. III of the Asansol Municipality, Dr. Nishi Kanta Chaudhury was duly elected as a Commissioner in the place of Babu Hari Das Goswami, resigned.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 29M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 26th April 1924, has been fixed as the date for holding a bye-election in Ward No. I of the Murshidabad Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, to elect a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Shib Das Mukherjee, deceased.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 69L.S.-G.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I approve the election by the members of the Local Boards concerned in the district of Jessore of the following gentlemen to be Chairmen of the Boards mentioned against their names :—

Name of Local Board.	Name of Chairman.
Magura	Maulvi Momtazuddin Ahmed.
Jhenidah	Babu Jatindra Nath Roy.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 11th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 87L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 19 (*1*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B. C.) of 1885, as amended, Khondkar Shamsul Haq has been duly elected by the Kushtia local board to be a member of the District Board of Nadia, in place of Babu Dakhina Ranjan Acharjya, removed.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 250 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), Babu Phani Bhusan Mandal has been duly elected to be a member for Ward No. I of the Nandai union board in Kalna police-station, in the Kalna subdivision of the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Sirish Chandra Mukherjee, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 214L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the under-mentioned union boards in Mahammadbazar police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Names of union boards	No of wards.	Names of members.
Kapista	I	1. Babu Hari Narayan Mandal.
		2. „ Kandarpa Mandal.
		3. Kandan Maji.
	II	4. Babu Chandra Bhusan Brahma.
	III	5. Babu Panchanan Gorai.
	IV	6. Munshi Mazaffar Hossain.
Hinglo	I	1. Babu Jugal Kishore Das.
		2. Munshi Sheikh Iman Ali.
		3. Babu Benode Behari Das.
	II	4. Babu Mahendra Nath Ruj.
		5. „ Amrita Lal Mandal.
		6. „ Chand Gopal Mandal.
Rampur	I	1. Babu Sashi Bhusan Acharji.
		2. „ Tarakeswar Mandal.
		3. „ Lakhinarayan Das.
	II	4. Babu Goloke Behari Sinha.
	III	5. Babu Rakhal Chandra Ghosal.
		6. „ Gobardhan Das.
Charicha	I	1. Munshi Sheikh Mahabhat Hossain.
		2. Mahammad Abdul Zalil.
		3. Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Saha.
	II	4. Babu Phulchand Mondal.
		5. „ Sashi Bhusan De.
		6. „ Rakhal Chandra Mondal.
Muhammadbazar	II	1. Babu Achutananda Sirkar.
		2. „ Mukunda Murari Saha.
		3. „ Rasik Chandra Sadhu.
	III	4. Babu Nakur Chandra Mondal.
		5. „ Radha Benode Chaudhuri.
Bhutura	I	1. Babu Tribhanga Murari Dawn.
		2. „ Dhan Krishta Mandal.
	II	3. „ Umesh Chandra Mandal.
	III	4. Babu Radha Gobinda De.
		5. „ Ram Lal Ghosal.
	IV	6. Babu Tinkari Das.
Deucha	I	1. Babu Radha Kanta Salui.
	II	2. Babu Pashu Pati Nath Pal.
		3. Munshi Sheikh Abdul Gafur Mandal.
	III	4. Babu Lachman Ganguli.
		5. „ Phulchand Ghose.
		6. „ Rakhal Chandra Mandal.
Puranagram	I	1. Munshi Sheikh Abdul Latif.
		2. „ Sheikh Israil Molla.
	II	3. Munshi Sheikh Soleman Mandal.
		4. „ Sheikh Amjad Mandal.
	III	5. Syed Khadem Hossain.
Angargaria	I	1. Babu Madhu Sudan Pal.
		2. „ Sashi Bhusan Mondal.
	II	3. Babu Ram Ranjan Mondal.
		4. „ Manindra Nath Chaudhari.
	III	5. Babu Anitya Ranjan Pal.
		6. „ Murali Dhar Mondal.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Mahammadbazar	I	1.	Babu Kedar Nath Saha.
Puranagram	III	1.	Babu Ram Ranjan Sinha.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards	Names of members
Kapista ...	1. Babu Kali Pada Mondal. 2. „ Mritunjoy Misra. 3. „ Durga Das Mondal.
Hinglo ...	1. Munshi Hamu Sheikh. 2. Balai Maji. 3. Morol Maji.
Rampur ...	1. Babu Upendra Nath Saw. 2. Munshi Dhan Sheikh. 3. Uday Maji.
Charicha ...	1. Syed Mahammad Hossain. 2. Babu Tin Kari Sing. 3. Sahan Dhangar.
Muhammadbazar ...	1. Babu Kamala Kanta Chatterji. 2. „ Jogendra Chandra Chakravarty. 3. Sheikh Aulad Khan.
Bhutura ...	1. Babu Mritunjoy Mozumder. 2. „ Gobardhan Banerji. 3. „ Manindra Chandra Bhattacharji.
Deucha ...	1. Babu Magaram Banerji. 2. „ Heramba Prosad Saha. 3. „ Khelat Chandra Sen.
Puranagram ...	1. Babu Ram Ranjan Sinha. 2. „ Radha Gobinda Ghose. 3. „ Kali Kinkar Sadhu.
Angargaria ...	1. Babu Nishi Nath Mondal. 2. „ Benode Behari Chatterji. 3. „ Hari Pada Mondal.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 156L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Pursura police-station, in the Arambagh subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Names of union boards	Number of wards	Names of members.
Bhangamora ...	I ...	1. Babu Hare Krishna Set. 2. „ Satish Chandra Singha Roy.
	II ...	3. Babu Pashupati Ghosh. 4. „ Kali Kumar Mitra.
	III ...	5. Babu Anukul Chandra Bhattacharji. 6. „ Khetra Mohan Ghose.
Dihibatpur ...	I ...	1. Babu Madhusudan Adhikari. 2. „ Tarak Chandra Samui.
	II ...	3. Babu Jogendra Nath Ghose. 4. „ Nibaran Chandra Mitra.
	III ...	5. Babu Ashutosh Dandapat. 6. „ Kedar Nath Raut.
Pursura ...	I ...	1. Babu Kangali Charan Guchait. 2. „ Ganesh Chandra Samanta.
	II ...	3. Babu Dhanesh Chandra Bose.
	III ...	4. Munshi Shaik Sajed Ali.
	V ...	5. Babu Sarat Chandra Sarkar.
Shampur ...	I ...	1. Babu Dharmadas Banerjee. 2. „ Benode Behari Ghose.
	II ...	3. Babu Bahirdas Bhuian. 4. „ Trisuldhari Chakravarti.
	III ...	5. Babu Ramendra Nath Mukharjee. 6. „ Tincori Maity.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act Babu Jatindra Nath Pratihar has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be a member for ward No. IV of the Pursura union board.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards	Names of members.
Bhangamora	1. Babu Atul Chandra Ghosh. 2. „ Surendra Nath Pal. 3. Munshi Abdul Barik.
Dihibatpur	1. Babu Saroda Prosad Chaudhuri. 2. „ Kishori Mohan Roy. 3. Munshi Kazem Hussain Chaudhuri.
Pursura	1. Munshi Muhammad Ali Mirza. 2. Babu Preyanath Banerjee. 3. „ Adhar Chandra Mandal.
Shampur	1. Munshi Ahed Bux Laskar. 2. „ Khairat Ali Molla. 3. Babu Purna Chandra Bose.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 233 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the under-mentioned union boards in Suri police-station, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Name of union boards	Number of wards	Names of members.
Khatanga ...	I ... 1.	Babu Mohendra Nath Ghosal.
	III ... 2.	Babu Satish Chandra Ghosal.
	3.	„ Nrisinha Narayan Roy.
	4.	„ Chakar Chandra Das.
Naguri ...	I ... 1.	Babu Dukhsa Haran Sinha.
	2.	„ Kirti Chandra Sinha.
	II ... 3.	Babu Krishna Das Roy.
	III ... 4.	Babu Ashutosh Adhikari.
	5.	„ Chandra Sekhar Ghosh.
	6.	„ Baidya Nath Mondal.
Karidha ...	I ... 1.	Babu Gopi Ballav Dutta.
	2.	„ Surendra Narayan Sen.
	3.	„ Rakha Hari Sen.
	4.	„ Shyama Pada Bhattacherji.
	II ... 5.	Babu Jogendra Nath Hazra.
	6.	„ Bhola Nath Mandal.
Tilpara ...	I ... 1.	Babu Nalin Behari Sadhu.
	2.	„ Lakshmi Narayan Sadhu.
	II ... 3.	Babu Babu Radha Ballav Ghosh.
	III ... 4.	Lala Mritunjoy Lal.
	5.	„ Narayan Prosad.
	IV ... 6.	Babu Monohar Lal Sinha
Alunda ...	I ... 1.	Babu Tripura Chandra Chatterji.
	2.	Munshi Sheikh Kobad.
	II ... 3.	Babu Nalinaksha Dutta.
	4.	Munshi Abdul Aziz Khan.
	III ... 5.	Munshi Yasin Hazi.
	6.	„ Nurmahamad Mia.
Damdama ...	I ... 1.	Babu Sashi Bhusan Biswas.
	2.	„ Mritunjoy Mondal.
	II ... 3.	Babu Panchanan Ghosh.
	4.	Munshi Mir Haidar Ali.
	III ... 5.	Babu Brojendra Chandra Ghosh.
	6.	Munshi Sheikh Mahammad Hossain.

Names of union boards.	No. of words.	Names of members
Kendua	I	1. Babu Gajanan Das.
		2. „ Benode Behari Mondal.
		3. „ Nani Gopal Das.
	II	4. Munshi Sheikh Osman Mondal.
	III	5. Munshi Sheikh Lal Chand.
	IV	6. Babu Devendra Nath Ghosh.
Mallikpur	I	1. Babu Girindra Dutta.
		2. „ Hari Lal Sinha.
	II	3. Babu Rakha Hari Sarkar.
		4. „ Amita Ranjan Mukherji.
	III	5. Babu Satya Prasanna Mukherji.
		6. „ Nakur Chandra Bhattacherji.
Koma	I	1. Babu Nil Mohan Chaudhuri.
		2. „ Kansari Thakur.
	II	3. Babu Phani Bhusan Sarnakar.
	III	4. Munshi Sheikh Idris Mahammad.
		5. Babu Nrisinha Lal Thakur.
Purandarpur	I	1. Babu Achinta Nath Ganguli.
	II	2. „ Promotha Nath Banerji.
		3. „ Bhairab Nath Banerji.
		4. „ Rahitaswa Show.
	III	5. „ Syama Pada Banerji.
	IV	6. „ Kali Prasad Mondal.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members
Katanga	1. Babu Hari Pada Chatterji.
	2. „ Becharam Roy.
	3. Munshi Jobser Ali Khan.
Naguri	1. Babu Bhabataran Roy.
	2. „ Radha Krishna Ghosh.
	3. Munshi Dilsad Khan.
Karidha	1. Babu Atul Chandra Das.
	2. „ Gosta Behari Sen.
	3. Munshi Masum Ali Khan.
Tilpara	1. Babu Sarajaksha Chakravarty, B.A.
	2. Syed Mahbub Ali.
	3. Munshi Sheikh Kefatulla Mondal.
Alunda	1. Babu Basanta Kumar Chakravarty.
	2. Munshi Md. Idris Sheikh.
	3. „ Muhammad Abrar Hossain.
Damdama	1. Babu Shyama Pada Roy.
	2. „ Uma Pada Mukherji.
	3. Mirza Tahiruddin.
Kendua	1. Babu Shib Chandra Ganguli.
	2. „ Kushai Mondal.
	3. „ Upendra Chandra Ghosh.
Mallikpur	1. Babu Bhupati Nath Banerji.
	2. „ Phanindra Nath Dutta.
	3. „ Satya Kinkar Mukherji.
Koma	1. Babu Jogindra Nath Mondal.
	2. „ Phanindra Nath Mondal.
	3. „ Ram Saran Mondal.
Purandarpur	1. Babu Satish Chandra Banerji.
	2. „ Jogeswar Dutta.
	3. „ Narayan Chandra Pal.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Names of union boards.	Number of wards.	Names of members.
Katanga	... II	1. Babu Biswa Nath Pal.
		2. „ Mritunjoy Mukherji.
Koma	.. II	... 1. Babu Bhola Nath Mondal.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 7th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 202L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the under-mentioned union boards in Nanoor police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Names of union boards.	No. of wards	Names of members
Thiba	I	1. Babu Ajit Narayan Banerjee. 2. „ Radha Raman Vedantatirtha. 3. „ Radha Shyam Chatterji.
	II	4. Babu Chandi Charan Pal. 5. „ Bhupati Bhusan Kundu. 6. „ Surendra Narayan Sirkar.
Jamna	I	1. Babu Rajani Kanta Roy. 2. „ Sribash Ghosh
	II	3. Babu Radha Gobinda Dutta. 4. „ Satkari Mukherji.
	III	5. Babu Nalin Behari Ghosh. 6. „ Shib Chandra Chakravarty.
Kirnahar	I	1. Babu Bejoy Chandra Sirkar. 2. „ Ramendra Krishna Roy.
	II	3. Babu Sashi Bhusan Mitter. 4. „ Profulla Kumar Roy.
	III	5. Babu Nripendra Nath Roy Chaudhuri. 6. „ Radha Shyam Chaudhuri.
Daskalgram	I	1. Babu Ashutosh Chatterji. 2. „ Sashi Bhusan Banerji.
	II	3. Babu Radha Gobinda Sirkar. 4. „ Kailash Nath Roy.
	III	5. Babu Manindra Nath Roy. 6. „ Bir Chandra Chattoraj.
Koreya	I	1. Mallik Abdul Bari. 2. Munshi Mahammad Ali Hossain. 3. Babu Kumarish Chandra Roy.
	II	4. Babu Rakhal Chandra Mandal. 5. „ Bamandas Bhattacharji. 6. „ Kishori Mohan Sing.
Barakalikapur	I	1. Babu Sripati Kumar Ghosh. 2. „ Kali Charan Sarkar.
	II	3. Babu Dwija Pada Kooer. 4. „ Tin Kari Samanta.
	III	5. Babu Gnanendra Lal Ghosh. 6. „ Bissambar Chattoraj.
Nannoor	I	1. Maulvi Md. Abu Hossain. 2. Babu Srikrista Roy.
	II	3. Babu Anadi Kinkar Roy. 4. Munshi Sheikh Hossain Baksh.
	III	5. Chaudhari Abdul Halim. 6. Babu Pashupati Saha.
Uchkaran	I	1. Babu Nikunja Behari Das Dalal. 2. „ Adaita Chandra Das Dalal. 3. „ Bhupati Bhusan Chaudhuri.
	II	4. Muhammad Ariatulla. 5. Babu Panchkari Das. 6. „ Basanta Kumar Roy.
Chorekalgram	I	1. Shaikh Zellar Rahaman. 2. „ Abdul Haque.
	II	3. Babu Radha Raman Mondal. 4. „ Bani Kanta Mazumdar.
	III	5. Babu Bhairab Nath Ghosh. 6. „ Dharani Dhar Roy Chaudhuri.
Singi	I	1. Chaudhuri Moula Baksh. 2. Babu Panchanan Gossami.
	II	3. Maulvi Chaudhuri Abdur Rashid. 4. Babu Purna Chandra Sai.
	III	5. Babu Gopendra Chandra Jas. 6. „ Birendra Narayan Sar.

Names of union boards	No. of wards.	Names of members.
Jalundi ...	I ...	1. Maulvi Syed Ahmad. 2. Babu Gopendra Chandra Rai.
	II ...	3. Munshi Mahammad Kenatulla. 4. Babu Baidya Nath Roy.
	III ...	5. Babu Purna Chandra Thakur. 6. „ Hari Narayan Hash.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Thiba	1. Babu Kala Chand Mondal. 2. „ Banka Behari Acharja. 3. Kazi Abdul Haque.
Jamna	1. Babu Tinkari Bhattacharji. 2. „ Sarat Chandra Roy. 3. Munshi Sheikh Jonab Ali Dafadar.
Kirnahar	1. Babu Mohim Chandra Addya. 2. Munshi Golam Rabbani. 3. Babu Joy Kristo Das.
Daskalgram	1. Babu Panchanan Mukherji. 2. „ Moni Lal Sing. 3. „ Kirtibash Ghosh.
Koreya	1. Babu Durga Prosanna Banerji. 2. „ Radha Gobinda Dewasi. 3. Munshi Ejabat Hossain.
Barakalikapur	1. Munshi Sheikh Sanai. 2. Babu Baisnab Charan Mukherji. 3. „ Ram Nath Saha.
Nannoor	1. Babu Tarapada Roy. 2. „ Satkari Roy. 3. „ Hari Pada Ghosh.
Uchkaran	1. Babu Hrishikesh Banerjee. 2. Syed Serajuddin Ahmed. 3. Babu Gurupada Pal.
Chorekalgram	1. Maulvi Syed Abdul Haque. 2. Babu Kedar Nath Mukherji. 3. „ Bhudhar Chandra Roy Chaudhuri.
Singti	1. Babu Debendra Nath Das. 2. „ Adya Prasanna Mukherji. 3. Raja Jan Sheikh.
Jalundi	1. Babu Bijoy Krishna Sadhu. 2. „ Kali Krista Roy. 3. Maulvi Syed Shah Md. Abdul Kader.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 2nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 205 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Labpur police-station, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Names of union boards.	No. of wards.	Names of members.
Pangram ...	I ...	1. Babu Biswajoy Sirkar. 2. „ Ram Gopal Mazumdar.
	II ...	3. Babu Ananda Gopal Chaudhuri. 4. „ Tin Kari Banerji.
	III ...	5. Babu Santanu Sou. 6. „ Sagar Chandra Mandal.

Names of union boards.	No. of wards.		Names of members.
Fulur	I	1.	Babu Rakhal Chandra Chatterji.
		2.	„ Hrishikesh Chaudhuri.
	II	3.	Babu Surendra Nath Mallik.
		4.	Munshi Sheikh Daud
	III	5.	Babu Prohlad Chandra Mandal.
		6.	„ Tribhuban Acherja.
Hatia*	I	1.	Babu Ashutosh Mazumdar.
		2.	„ Dwijendra Nath Chatterji.
	II	3.	Babu Mritunjoy Roy Chaudhuri.
		4.	„ Sarat Chandra Chattoraj.
Bhramarkole	I	1.	Babu Mati Lal Saha.
		2.	„ Kali Das Mukherji.
	II	3.	Babu Hari Pada Mukherji.
		4.	„ Kumarish Chandra Mukherji.
	III	5.	Babu Rajani Kanta Mukherji.
		6.	„ Hari Pada Sou.
Chahata	I	1.	Babu Kumarish Chandra Chatterjee.
		2.	„ Kali Das Mukherji (No. I).
		3.	„ Manindra Nath Mukherji.
	II	4.	Babu Sarat Chandra Mitter.
		5.	„ Sristidhar Sing.
		6.	Munshi Sheikh Korban Hossain.
Ghattore	I	1.	Syed Wahidunnabi.
		2.	Babu Kali Das Ghose.
		3.	„ Nritya Gopal Sing.
	II	4.	Babu Bhupati Bhusan Mandal.
		5.	Munshi Sheikh Khodanawaz.
		6.	„ Sheikh Belat.
Darka	I	1.	Babu Hari Har Prasanna Roy.
		2.	„ Gaurish Chandra Roy.
		3.	„ Jogendra Chandra Chakravarty.
	II	4.	Babu Jatish Chandra Sirkar.
		5.	„ Kishori Mohan Sirkar.
		6.	„ Behari Lal Sen.
Saugram	I	1.	Syed Eusaf Ali.
		2.	„ Montassim Billa.
		3.	Munshi Mir Atar Ali.
	II	4.	Babu Mritunjoy Kaviraj.
		5.	„ Surendra Nath Bhattacharji.
		6.	„ Bibhuti Bhusan Missir.
Kurumnahar	II	1.	Babu Krishta Hari Batabyal.
		2.	Munshi Enayet Hossain.
		3.	Babu Krista Hari Roy.
Labpur	I	1.	Babu Nirmal Shib Banerji.
		2.	„ Lakshi Narayan Mukherji.
	II	3.	Babu Durga Gati Misra.
		4.	„ Sarojaksha Misra.
	III	5.	Babu Jogesh Chandra Majumdar.
		6.	„ Ohi Bhusan Acherji.
Indas	I	1.	Babu Kali Das Ghosal.
		2.	„ Matilal Pramanik.
		3.	„ Kirti Chandra Hazra.
		4.	„ Narendra Narayan Mukherjee.
	II	5.	Babu Kali Gati Mukherji.
		6.	„ Hari Pada Samanta.
Mahudari	I	1.	Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Chatterji.
		2.	„ Panchanan Sen
		3.	„ Rakhal Chandra Mondal.
	II	4.	Babu Nalinaksha Roy.
		5.	„ Peari Lal Das.
		6.	„ Rasik Chandra Mukherji.
Bipratikuri	I	1.	Babu Khela Das Chatterji.
		2.	„ Aswini Kumar Chatterji.
		3.	„ Raghu Ram Bhattacharji.
	II	4.	Babu Gananjan Hati.
		5.	„ Nilanjan Hati.
		6.	„ Dharani Dhar Dutta.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Name of union boards		Names of members.
Bangram	...	1. Babu Sashi Bhusan Mukherji. 2. „ Ratneswar Bhattacharji. 3. „ Sarajaksha Chattaraj.
Fulur	...	1. Babu Chandra Kanta Mukherji. 2. „ Bon Behari Rai. 3. „ Hela Ram Chakravarty.
Bhramarkole	..	1. Babu Tara Prasanna Mukherji. 2. „ Bomkesh Chatterji. 3. Munshi Mobed Sheikh.
Chahata	...	1. Babu Santi Ram Mukherji. 2. „ Kali Das Mukharji. 3. Munshi Irshad Ali Mallik.
Ghattore	...	1. Babu Mahatap Chandra Ghosh. 2. „ Fani Bhusan Sirkar. 3. Maulvi Syed Aulad Ali.
Darka	...	1. Babu Gopendra Lal Roy. 2. „ Gopendra Lal Mukherji. 3. Maulvi Ali Hafez.
Saugram	...	1. Maulvi Syed Azam Hossain. 2. Babu Debendra Nath Banerji. 3. Munshi Malook Mallik.
Kurunnahar	...	1. Maulvi Manzur Ahmad. 2. Babu Dibakar Roy. 3. „ Tarini Prosad Roy.
Hatia	...	1. Babu Trailakha Nath Mukherji. 2. „ Sati Nath Mukherji. 3. Munshi Sheikh Yaroo.
Labpur	...	1. Babu Kali Kinkar Mukherji, B.A. 2. „ Sarat Chandra Chandra, B.A. 3. Munshi Paran Khan.
Indas	...	1. Babu Indra Chandra Sirkar. 2. „ Bagal Chandra Banerji. 3. „ Sashi Bhusan Mandal.
Mahudari	...	1. Babu Braja Das Ghosh. 2. „ Kamalaksha Mandal. 3. „ Kali Pada Saha.
Bipratikuri	...	1. Babu Rakhal Chandra Das. 2. „ Ram Kinkar Mondal. 3. Mir Sabdar Ali.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Names of union boards.	No. of wards	Names of members.
Hatia ...	III	... 1. Babu Radha Bonwari Ghosal. 2. „ Sannasi Pada Bhattacharji.
Kurunnahar ...	I	... 1. Maulvi Md. Ali Nawaz. 2. „ Abdur Rahman. 3. „ Md. Khodadad.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 2nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 196 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V

of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Rajnagore police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum : –

Names of union boards.	No. of wards.	Names of members.
Joypur	I	1. Babu Dhajdahari Show. 2. „ Mohendra Narayan Show. 3. „ Panchanan Mondal.
	II	4. Babu Janmejoy Saha. 5. „ Narendra Nath Mondal. 6. „ Kirti Chandra Show.
Gangmuri	II	1. Babu Hari Das Acharya. 2. Munshi Sheikh Enat Ali.
Bhabanipur	II	1. Babu Hrisikes Sarkar. 2. „ Bhikari Lal Mistry.
	III	3. Babu Kamalaksha Mondal.
Rajnagar	I	1. Babu Nengta Das Sing.
	II	2. Babu Dolegobinda De. 3. Munshi Md. Jan Alum Khan. 4. Babu Pulin Behari De. 5. „ Girish Chandra De.
	III	6. Babu Badal Chandra Mondal.
Muktipur	I	1. Babu Girish Chandra Show Mondal. 2. „ Radha Gobinda Moshan.
	II	3. Babu Kasi Nath Sen. 4. „ Rakha Hari Das.
	III	5. Babu Nimai Charan Saha. 6. „ Kasi Nath Paitandi.
Tantipara	I	1. Babu Rash Behari Saha. 2. Syed Sajjad Karim. 3. Babu Gobinda Chandra Garai.
	II	4. Babu Bon Behari Sinha. 5. „ Dukha Haran Guin. 6. „ Baidya Nath Das.
Haripur	I	1. Babu Sarat Kumar Ghosh. 2. „ Manindra Lal Ghose. 3. „ Harendra Lal Ghose.
	II	4. Babu Surja Narayan Sinha. 5. „ Girish Chandra Mondal. 6. „ Bahuballav Ghosh.
Chandrapur	I	1. Babu Madhab Chandra Ghose. 2. „ Hari Das Mondal. 3. „ Giri Dhari Mondal.
	II	4. Babu Sripati Chatterji. 5. „ Kasi Nath Mondal. 6. Munshi Sheikh Meher Ali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Joypur	1. Babu Biraju Majhi. 2. „ Jagannath Garain. 3. „ Behari Lal Chaudhuri.
Gangmuri	1. Babu Rakhal Chandra Chakravarty. 2. „ Gopeswar Banerji. 3. „ Hrishikesh Dutta.
Bhabanipur	1. Babu Durga Das Sikdar. 2. „ Karali Prasad Mondal. 3. Maulvi Syed Yusuf Hossain.
Rajnagar	1. Syed Kenayet Ali. 2. Lala Dwarik Prosad. 3. Maulvi Safar Juman Khan.
Muktipur	1. Babu Kamalaksha Banerji. 2. „ Harish Chandra Saw. 3. Syed Wajid Ali.

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Tantipara	...	1. Babu Jatindra Mohan Roy. 2. „ Sachchidananda Goswami. 3. „ Jatindra Mohan Kaviraj.
Haripur	...	1. Babu Baidya Nath Banerji. 2. „ Lachman Sinha. 3. „ Dhankrishna Sadhu.
Chandrapur	...	1. Babu Mritunjoy Mondal. 2 „ Radha Raman Mukherji. 3. „ Balaram Roy.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Rajnagore police-station, in the district of Birbhum :—

Names of union boards.	No. of wards.	Names of members.
Gangmuri	I	1. Babu Bhola Nath Mondal. 2. Majhia Maji.
	III	3. Babu Banka Behari Ghose. 4. „ Mritunjoy Mondal.
Bhabanipur	I	1. Babu Ram Keshob Roy. 2. „ Jugol Kishore Sing.
	III	3. Babu Rajani Kanta Bakshi.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 2nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 199L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Sainthia police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Names of union boards.	No. of wards.	Names of members.
Harisara	I	1. Babu Ashutosh Sarkar. 2. „ Gour Sundar Mondal. 3. „ Kisori Mohan Mondal.
	II	4. Babu Muluk Chandra Ghosal.
Doriapur	I	1. Babu Khudiram Das. 2. „ Balaram Roy. 3. Munshi Sheikh Azizar Rahaman.
	II	4. Babu Rama Prosanna Pal. 5. „ Mahabir Mukherji. 6. „ Hari Pada Mondal.
Mathpalsa	I	1. Babu Bagal Chandra Mondal. 2. „ Bhabesh Chandra Saha.
	II	3. Babu Promotha Nath Misra. 4. Munshi Mahammad Ohid Jaman. 5. Babu Fakir Chandra Banerji.
	III	6. Babu Bishnu Chandra Chatterjee.
Sainthia	I	1. Babu Panchanan Ghosh. 2. „ Pannalal Chader. 3. „ Suraj Mal Chader.
	II	4. Babu Durga Das Mukherji. 5. „ Ram Krishna Mondal. 6. „ Raghu Nath Mondal.
Hatora	I	1. Babu Gopal Chandra Mondal. 2. „ Hrishikesh Mondal.
	II	3. Babu Karali Bhusan Chaudhuri. 4. „ Satrughna Pramanik.
	III	5. Babu Panchanan Dutta. 6. „ Kedar Nath Mondal.
Sangra	I	1. Babu Satyendra Nath Mukherji. 2. „ Sannyasi Charan Chatterji. 3. „ Mahindra Lal Pal.
	II	4. Babu Kamalaksha Garai. 5. „ Jahuri Lal Mondal. 6. „ Ramranjan Mondal.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.			Names of members.
Harisara	...	...	1. Babu Gopendra Krishna Sinha. 2. „ Ashutosh Mondal. 3. „ Akhoy Kumar Shaw.
Deriapur	...	...	1. Babu Radha Raman Mondal. 2. „ Panchanan Bhattacherji. 3. „ Bhupati Nath Dutta.
Mathpalsa	...	...	1. Babu Nritya Gopal Banerji. 2. „ Sannyasi Charan Bhattacherji. 3. Munshi Abdur Rashid.
Sainthia		...	1. Babu Jnanendra Nath Banerji. 2. „ Radha Pada Chandra. 3. Munshi Md. Abdul Bari.
Hatora	...	...	1. Babu Girija Bhusan Banerji. 2. „ Promotha Nath Banerji. 3. Munshi Sheikh Tasuruddin.
Sangra	...	...	1. Babu Uday Narayan Mallik. 2. „ Sristidhar Ghosh. 3. „ Sripati Nath Ghosh.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the Harisara union board :—

No. of ward.			Names of members.
II	...	...	1. Babu Sashi Bhusan Mondal. 2. „ Madan Mohan Mondal.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 2nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 85L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, read with rule 38 of the rules for the election and appointment of members, etc., of union boards under the said Act, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members for the wards noted against them of the Shikarpur union board in the police-station Karimpur in the Meherpur subdivision of the district of Nadia at the by-election held on the 11th January 1924 :—

No. of wards.			Names of members elected.
I	...	...	1. Haldar Mistri. 2. Babu Sriram Mandal.
II	...	...	1. Babu Pria Nath Mistri. 2. Doctor Pear Muhammad.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 13th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 86L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, read with rule 24 of the rules for the election and appointment of members, etc, of union boards under the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Nadia to be members of ward No. III, there being no candidates for election from the said ward of the Shikarpur union board in the police-station of Karimpur, in the Meherpur subdivision of the district of Nadia :—

1. Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Chatterji.
2. „ Monohar Pal.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 13th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 88L.S.-G.— It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, read with rule 38 of the rules for the election and appointment of members and Presidents of union boards and the election of Vice-Presidents under the said Act, Babu Sakti Prasad Roy has been duly elected to be a member of the Chandpur union board within the jurisdiction of police-station Kalaroa in the Satkhira subdivision of the district of Khulna, in place of Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Roy, resigned.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 282L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 38 of the election rules for union boards, Babu Hem Chandra Bajpeyee has been duly elected to be a member for Ward No. II of the Kola union board, in Ausgram police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Bhattacharjee, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 285L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 38 of the election rules for union boards, Babu Taran Chandra Roy has been duly elected to be a member for the Gopalbera union board in Khandaghosh police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Bisweswar Roy, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 137M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Mutwalli of the Hooghly Imambarah is appointed to be an *ex officio* member of the Managing Committee of the Hooghly Imambara and Female hospitals.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 11th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 70L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Senhati, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. Babu Madhusudan Bhowmic.
2. „ Durga Charan Sen.
3. „ Rash Behari Sen.
4. „ Bhuban Mohan Roy.
5. Dr. Srish Chandra Sen, L.M.S.
6. Babu Aswini Kumar Sen.
7. „ Sri Charan Sen, B.L.
8. „ Sarada Kanta Das Gupta, B.A.
9. „ Kanak Chandra Pal.
10. Md. Abdul Aziz.
11. Rai Saheb Mohendra Nath Gupta.
12. Munshi Tasiruddin Ahmad.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 71L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Garuikhali, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. Babu Satindra Nath Sen.
2. Munshi Joynal Sardar.
3. „ Enatulla Sardar.
4. „ Talep Sardar.
5. M. Jaddo Gazi.
6. M. Sujoi Gazi.
7. M. Mandar Shana.
8. M. Dhona Gazi.
9. Pancharam Moral.
10. Jaladhar Dhali.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 72L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Chaudkhali, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Khasmahal Deputy Collector ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The Khasmahal Tahsildar ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. The Sub-Postmaster, Chaudkhali Post Office } *Ex officio.*
4. The Sub-Agent, Baradal Steamer Station ... } *Ex officio.*
5. Babu Kanti Lal Shaha.
6. Munshi Menajuddin.
7. Babu Mangilal Agarwala.
8. M. Sadek Ali Gazi.
9. Babu Charu Chandra Saha.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 73L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Dacope, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Subdivisional officer, Khulna ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The Sub-Inspector of Police ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Babu Suresh Chandra Das.
4. „ Chandra Kanto Sardar.
5. „ Hari Mohan Roy Mandal.
6. „ Purna Chandra Roy.
7. „ Akshoy Kumar Saha.
8. „ Sitaram Bachar.
9. M. Hossain Molla.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 74L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of

the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Dumuria, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Sadar, Khulna ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The Senior Sub-Inspector of Police, Dumuria ... } *Ex officio.*
3. The Sub-Registrar, Dumuria ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Babu Srish Chandra Bhattacharyya.
5. „ Brojeswar Ghatak.
6. „ Satyendra Nath Malki.
7. „ Ram Lal Kundu.
8. „ Mahananda Sarkar.
9. M. Eusof Ali Talukdar.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 75L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Katipara, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. Sir P. C. Roy, KT., C.I.E.
2. Babu Kedar Nath Bose.
3. „ Kanai Lal Ghose.
4. „ Nani Gopal Ghose.
5. „ Sailendra Nath Ghose.
6. „ Jogendra Nath Mitra.
7. „ Jatindra Nath Mitra.
8. „ Khagendra Nath Ghose,
9. „ Aswini Kumar Sadhukhan.
10. „ Meghnath Ghose.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 76L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Paikgacha, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Sadar, Khulna ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The Senior Sub-Inspector of Police, Paikgacha ... } *Ex officio.*
3. The Postmaster, Paikgacha ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Munshi Ansar Ahmad.
5. Mojahar Gazi.
6. Babu Harendra Nath Mukherjee.
7. Shaik Nasiruddin Ahmad.
8. Tara Chandra Gain.
9. Osman Shana.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 77L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Damodar, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Sub-Inspector, Phultala police-station ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The President, Phultala Union Board ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Babu Sarada Charan Bose.
4. „ Gopal Chandra Sen.
5. „ Upendra Nath Mitra.
6. „ Surendra Nath Brahma.
7. „ Surendra Nath Bose, B.L.
8. „ Biswanath Mukherjee.
9. „ Akshoya Kumar Sen.
10. Maulvi Kazi Guljar Ahmad.
11. Kaviraj Jamini Bhusan Roy, M.A., M.B.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 78L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Mollahat, in the Bagerhat subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Bagerhat ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The Sub-Inspector of Police, Mollahat ... } *Ex officio.*
3. The Sub-Registrar, Mollahat ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Babu Satya Charan Dutta.
5. „ Barada Kanta Gain.
6. Munshi Sadhan Chowdhuri.
7. Maulvi Abdul Majid Sikdar.
8. Munshi Khalilar Rahman.
9. Babu Srinath Saha.
10. „ Sachindra Nath Banerjee.
11. Maulvi Abdul Latif.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 79L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary of Nawapara, in the Bagerhat subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Bagerhat ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The Circle Officer, Bagerhat ... } *Ex officio.*
3. The Head Master, High School, Nawapara ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Babu Mano Mohan Ghose.
5. „ Jitendra Nath Ghose.
6. „ Hemanta Kumar Ghose.
7. „ Rai Charan Mitra.
8. „ Kumud Bandhu Ghose.
9. M. Aftabuddin Molla.
10. Babu Prafulla Chandra Ghose.
11. „ Jitendra Kumar Ghose.
12. „ Bejoy Lal Ghose.
13. „ Sarada Charan Mukherjee.
14. M Eachin Molla.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 80L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Rampal, in the Bagerhat subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Bagerhat ... ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The Sub-Registrar, Rampal ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Senior Sub-Inspector of Police, Rampal ... ... } *Ex officio.*
4. The Junior Sub-Inspector, Rampal ... ... } *Ex officio.*
5. Babu Sitanath Mandal.
6. M. Kamaluddin Shaik.
7. M. Abdul Gafur Shaik.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 81 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of

the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Boyra, in the Satkhira subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Satkhira ... *Ex officio.*
2. Munshi Neamuddin Ahmad.
3. Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta.
4. M Syed Ali Khan.
5. Babu Abhoya Charan Haldar.
6. M. Ahmadali.
7. M. Ezaharul Haque.
8. M. Abdur Rahaman Sardar.
9. Babu Narayan Das Bhattacharyya.
10. M. Emdad Ali Shah.
11. Babu Jadab Chandra Majumdar.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 82L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Tala, in the Satkhira subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Satkhira ...
2. The Head Master, Tala B. De Institution ... } *Ex officio.*
3. The Thana Officer, Tala ... ...
4. Maulvi Md. Rezwan-ullah Khan.
5. Babu Surendra Nath Ghose.
6. „ Debendra Nath Sadhukhan.
7. „ Tarak Nath Datta.
8. Kazi Ahmadali.
9. M. Abdul Mahmud.
10. Babu Raj Kumar Bose.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 83L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Debhatta, in the Satkhira subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Satkhira ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The Thana Officer, Debhatta police-station ...
3. Babu Ashutosh Pal.
4. „ Phani Bhusan Mondal.
5. „ Bhupal Chandra Biswas.
6. „ Deb Nath Sen.
7. „ Haripada Roy.
8. „ Kalipada Sen.
9. Munshi Sonai Sardar.
10. Syed Abdus Sobhan.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 84L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of

the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Kapilmuni, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna :—

1. The Head Master, Kapilmuni H. E. School ... *Ex officio.*
2. Babu Kunja Behari Sadhukhan.
3. „ Benode Behari Sadhukhan.
4. „ Jagati Mohan Majumdar.
5. „ Dwijabar Sadhukhan.
6. „ Kedar Nath De.
7. „ Nibaran Chandra Nath.
8. „ Charu Chandra Roy Chaudhuri.
9. Munshi Derajtulla Sardar.
10. Babu Kanak Chandra Mitra.
11. „ Bama Charan Bose.
12. Munshi Mafazzel Hossain.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 724J.—The following draft of an additional by-law made by the District Board of Bakarganj under sections 139 and 140 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, which the Commissioner of the Dacca Division proposes to confirm under the said sections, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st April 1924, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned, through the Magistrate of Bakarganj, before that date will be considered.

Draft By-law.

"*35-B.*—Any person having possession of or control over any land or water on or in which there exists any water hyacinth shall, if so required by a notice in writing signed by the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the District Board, a Local Board or a Union Committee, or by the District Engineer, destroy or remove such water hyacinth within the period mentioned in such notice. Provided that such notice—(*a*) shall be issued simultaneously for the whole of an area to be defined by the District Board, a Local Board, or a Union Committee and bounded by rivers or large khals and (*b*) shall not be issued oftener than once a year."

Draft Amendments.

Rule 49.—*Insert* "35B" *after* 35 in column 1, and 49 (*2*) *omit* the word "or" before "30" and *insert* "or 35 B" *after* "30" in clause (*2*) of by-law 49.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 11th February 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Dr. A. Suhrawardy, the only candidate who was nominated for election of a member of the Bengal Legislative Council in the by-election for the 24-Parganas Rural Muhammadan Constituency, has lodged with me the return of election expenses with declaration on the 13th February 1924, and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 12 noon and 3 P.M. on any day when the office will remain open, on payment of the prescribed fees.

J. H. LINDSAY, *Returning Officer and District Magistrate.*

ALIPORE, *the 14th February 1924*

Council of State—Bengal Chamber of Commerce Constituency.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of No. 19 (*5*) of the Council of State Electoral Rules, that the return of election expenses and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce Constituency of the Council of State, were duly lodged by Mr. J. W. A. Bell with me on the 18th day of February 1924. Such return and declaration may on payment of a fee of one rupee be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one week from this date.

H. M. HAYWOOD, *Returning Officer,*

CALCUTTA, *the 18th February 1924.*

NOTICES UNDER THE BENGAL ELECTORAL RULES.

In the Court of the Commissioners (appointed under rule 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules).

PRESENT :

J. F. Graham, Esq., I.C.S. ... ... *President*

Mr. Satindra Nath Guha, Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca ... ... } *Commissioners.*
Rai Kamala Nath Das Bahadur, retired Small Cause Court Judge ... ... }

In the matter of Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923,

and

In the matter of Babu Shyam Chand Basak

versus

Rai Pyari Lal Das Bahadur, M.B.E.

To Rai Pyari Lal Das Bahadur, M.B.E., and two other respondents.

Please take notice that an election petition has been filed by Babu Shyam Chand Basak against your election to the Bengal Legislative Council by the Dacca City Non-Muhammadan constituency and that 5th March 1924 has been fixed for its hearing at 11 A.M., in the Court-room of the District Judge at Dacca.

Given under my hand this the 14th day of February 1924.

J. F. GRAHAM, *President.*

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE VICTOR ALEXANDER GEORGE ROBERT BULWER-LYTTON, EARL OF LYTTON, P.C., G.C.I.E., THE GOVERNOR OF THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL.

Election Petition.

Shyam Chand Bysak, son of late Brindaban Chandra Bysak, resident of No. 14, Taker Hat Lane, Nawabpur, Dacca ... ... *Petitioner.*

versus

(1) Rai Bahadur Pyari Lal Das, M.B.E., son of late Suklal Das Poddar, of 32, Sutrapur Road, Dacca, (2) Babu Dhirendra Chandra Roy, son of Babu Ananda Chandra Roy, of Ananda Chandra Roy Street, Dacca, (3) Babu Satish Chandra Sarkar, son of late Umesh Chandra Sarkar, Principal, National College, resident of Gandaria, Dacca ... ... *Respondents.*

The humble petition of the petitioner above mentioned, most respectfully sheweth:—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,

1. That for the purpose of the last Bengal Council general election of the Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Dacca city, it was divided into 7 electoral areas corresponding to the 7 wards of the Dacca Municipality. The names of the polling officers and the polling stations for those electoral areas are given hereunder as follows :—

Ward.	Station		Polling officer.
1.	Northbrook Hall	...	Babu Probode Ch. Roy, Munsif.
2.	Moslem High School	...	,, Girish Ch. Nag, Deputy Magistrate.
3.	Wari Girls' School	...	,, Jamini K. Roy, Munsif, and ,, Jatindra K. Bose, Munsif.
4.	Malitola Girls' School	...	Mr. W. C. Carter, I.C.S., and Babu Monoranjan Das, Sub-Registrar.
5.	Medical School	...	Babu Romes Ch. Sen, Munsif.
6.	Nabakumar High School	...	Birendra Nath Ghose, Deputy Magistrate.
7.	Nababganj Girls' School	...	Atal Behari Dutt, Munsif.

2. That the said election for wards 5 and 6 was held on the 20th November 1923 and for wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 7 was held on the 23rd November 1923.

3. That the petitioner and the respondents were nominated as candidates for election from the aforesaid constituency at the last general election of the Bengal Legislative Council and that the petitioner polled 489 votes, respondent No. 1 polled 518 votes, respondent No. 2 polled 452 votes and respondent No. 3 polled 312 votes and consequently the respondent No. 1 was declared "returned" as a member of the said Council.

4. That the respondent No. 1 submitted his return of election expenses on the 22nd December 1923.

5. That the declaration about respondent No. 1 as elected and returned and his election as member of the Bengal Legislative Council are illegal and void and should be so held on the following amongst other grounds :—

For that the election of respondent No. 1 was not the result of a free election but was procured and induced by corrupt practices by which the result of the election was materially affected and vitiated, viz.,

(*i*) Bribery—Instances thereof are given below :—

(*a*) Payment of Rs. 1,200 or thereabout on behalf of respondent No. 1 to voters of Thataribazar and Juginagar in ward 3 for the cost of obtaining electric lights with a view to secure the votes of those quarters and also for the payment of a portion of the said sum to the poor voters.

(*b*) Payment of Rs. 300 or thereabout to certain voters of holding No. 2, Goilara Lane in ward 3 for repairs of their Thakurbari with a view to secure their votes and votes of others of the locality for respondent No. 1.

(*c*) Payment of Rs. 100 or thereabout to one Jarasindhu Risi and other Rishis of Choudhury Bazar in ward 7 to secure their votes for respondent No. 1.

(*ii*) Offer of bribes :—

(*a*) Promise of payment of a further sum of Rs. 800 or thereabout to the voters of Thataribazar and Juginagar in ward 3 to supplement the payment of Rs. 1,200 mentioned above, if they would vote for respondent No. 1.

(*b*) Promise of reclaiming the tank at Puran Moghultuly in ward 4 if the voters of the locality would vote for respondent No. 1.

(*iii*) False personation :—

Reception of the vote of a certain person produced to vote in the name of a registered voter of Sashi Mohan Bysack Lane in ward 3 who has not been heard of for many years.

(*iv*) Attempt to false personation :—

One Kanchan Muchi of ward 5 had been long dead, and a man was introduced on behalf of respondent No. 1 to vote for him but ultimately when challanged the man did not dare to record his vote.

(*v*) That there have been numerous instances of corrupt practices on behalf of respondent No. 1, the details of which your petitioner craves leave to submit hereafter.

A list setting forth the particulars of some of the said corrupt practices is enclosed herewith.

6. That in addition to the aforesaid grounds your petitioner humbly begs to urge the following amongst other grounds which would render the general election null and void and liable to be set aside.

(*a*) That the result of the election has been materially affected by the improper reception of the votes of certain persons bearing names not identical with those appearing in the finally published list.

(*b*) That in counting the votes the provisions of Regulation XLVII (*1*) (*a*) were not observed inasmuch as some of the ballot papers had not the official mark on their back which fact was brought to the notice of the Returning Officer but was disallowed.

(*c*) That in ward No. 3 there were 2 polling officers, Babu Jatindra Kumar Bose and and Babu Jamini K. Roy. A little after 2 P.M. the said officers suspended polling and took tiffin for more than 15 minutes and then recommenced and continued taking votes till 3 P.M. when the enclosure was closed. Many voters who had attended the polling station to vote for the petitioner and had been waiting for a long time without meal went away, seeing that the polling officers were engaged in taking tiffin specially as they had not announced the hour when they would recommence taking votes. The voters who went away were also under the impression that the time taken by their luncheon would be allowed and added after the prescribed hours, *i.e.*, after 3 P.M. Some of those voters came back a few minutes after 3 P.M. and found that the gate was closed and they were not admitted into the enclosure, while others did not turn up having been annoyed with the above conduct of the polling officers. The polling officers thus violated the provisions of Regulation XXV. If the above voters had all been allowed to vote, most of them would have voted for the petitioner.

(*d*) That in a few instances in ward 6 the secrecy of voting was not observed inasmuch as the names of the candidates in whose favour the votes were given were uttered in an unnecessarily loud voice, with the result that they were audible to those present at the polling booth.

(*e*) That in ward 7 the polling officer in almost all cases saw the marks put against the names of the candidates for whom the electors voted ; the secrecy of voting enjoined by regulation XXXIII was thus not observed.

7. That the petitioner is a Hindu and is about 54 years old, is a permanent resident in the city of Dacca and has paid more than Rs. 1-8 municipal taxes during the year preceding the year of election. In fact he has been paying each year much more than Rs. 1-8 as municipal taxes for his houses in the city of Dacca for more than ten years. His name was duly registered in the electoral roll and his nomination was duly proposed and seconded by registered electors and the Returning Officer granted a certificate of scrutiny and delivery. Thus the petitioner was fully qualified to stand as a candidate for election as a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

8. That the petitioner firmly believes that he would have been returned as a successful candidate, if respondent No. 1 had not procured votes by the illegal means noted above.

9. A sum of Rs. 1,000 only, by G. C note No. P.D.-51—92955, dated 23rd February 1918, Calcutta, has this day been sent to the address of the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Calcutta.

10. That as respondent No. 1 is a very influential gentleman in the city of Dacca, the petitioner most humbly prays that if any non-official Commissioner is to be appointed then no gentleman of this district or residing in this city should be appointed a Commissioner.

11. That your petitioner therefore prays :

(*a*) that your Excellency will be graciously pleased to set aside the election of respondent No. 1 and declare your petitioner duly elected,

(*b*) that if your Excellency considers the election to be vitiated by the aforesaid irregularities your Excellency may be graciously pleased to set aside the whole election,

(*c*) that for giving reliefs prayed for above your Excellency will be pleased to pass any such orders as your Excellency deems fit and proper.

And your Excellency's humble petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray.

The facts stated in paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 (*a*) and (*b*) and first part of sub-paragraph (*c*) up to the words "when the enclosure was closed," paragraph 7 and first part of paragraph 10 above are true to my knowledge and those stated in the rest of the petition are true to my information and belief.

I sign this verification this 30th December 1923, at my house No. 14 (new 24), Taker Hat Lane, Nawabpur, in the city of Dacca.

(Sd.) SYAM CHAND BASAK.

List submitted with Election petition of Shyam Chand Bysak.

Dated Dacca, the 30th December 1923.

Name of party said to have committed corrupt practice.—(1) Babu Nabendra Nath Bysack of Jadunath Bysack Lane, Ward No. 3, on behalf of respondent No. 1.

Date of the commission of corrupt practice.—On or about 19th November 1923.

Place of commission of corrupt practice.—Thataribazar and Juginagar in Ward No. 3.

Particulars of corrupt practices.—A sum of Rs. 1,200 or thereabout, out of which Rs. 200 would be set apart for paying the poor voters, was deposited with one Sitanath Karmakar, of Juginagar, Ward No. 3, by Babu Nabendra Nath Bysack, worker for respondent No. 1, to meet the cost of obtaining electric lights for the Thataribazar Road in Ward No. 3 in order to induce a number of voters in that locality to vote for respondent No. 1, and not to vote for any other candidate. Babu Nabendra Nath Bysack also promised by taking a vow in a Thakurbari there that he would pay another sum of Rs. 800 or thereabout to supplement the said cost of supplying the said electric light and extending the connection to the Thakurbaris.

2. *Name of party said to have committed corrupt practice.*—Babu Nabendra Nath Bysack of Jadu Nath Bysack Lane, Ward No. 3, on behalf of respondent No. 1.

Date of commission of corrupt practice.—On or about 21st November 1923.

Place of commission of corrupt practice.—Goilara Lane, Ward No. 3.

Particulars of corrupt practices.—A sum of Rs. 300 or thereabout was handed over to the voters of holding No. 2, Goilara Lane, Ward No. 3, for meeting the cost of repairs to the Thakurbari of Idol "Radharamanjee" with a view to give their votes to respondent No. 1. With this money the said Thakurbari has actually been repaired.

3. *Name of party said to have committed corrupt practice*—Respondent No. 1.

Date of commission of corrupt practice—On or about 22nd November 1923.

Place of commission of corrupt practice—Puran Moghultuly Lane, Ward 4.

Particulars of corrupt practice—One Amrita Pal of Puran Moghultuly went to Babu Prabhat Chandra Sen Kaviraj of that quarter and told him that respondent No. 1 was waiting in his gharry and desired to see him. Amrita Pal told Prabhat Kaviraj that respondent No. 1 promised to reclaim the old tank there, if the people of that quarter would give votes for him.

4. *Name of party said to have committed corrupt practice*—Babu Gour Chandra Das, Babu Radharaman Das, Babu Gokal Chandra Das of Enayetganj, Ward No. 7, Dacca.

Date of commission of corrupt practice—On or about 21st November 1923.

Place of commission of corrupt practice—Choudhury Bazar, Rishipara, in Ward No. 7.

Particulars of corrupt practice—One Jarasindhu Rishi and some other Rishis of Choudhury Bazar, Ward No. 7, were paid Rs. 100 or thereabout for inducing the Rishi community there to record their votes in favour of respondent No. 1, Rai Bahadur Pyari Lal Das.

The facts stated above in this list is true to my information and belief. I sign this verification this day the 30th December 1923, at my house No. 14 (new 24), Taker Hat Lane, Nawabpur, in the city of Dacca.

(Sd.) SYAM CHAND BASAK.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S. ... ... *President.*

Election Case No. 3 of 1924.

In the matter of Maulvi Yaquinuddin Ahmed ... ... *Petitioner*

versus

(1) Maulvi Kader Bux ... ...
(2) Munshi Mafizuddin Chaudhury ... ... } *Respondents.*

To

(1) Maulvi Kader Bux, Pleader, Dinajpur ... ...
(2) Munshi Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Farshipara, police-station Dhamoirhat, Dinajpur. } *Respondents.*

Please take notice that the abovementioned petition will be tried by the Commissioners on the 5th day of March 1924, at 11 o'clock, in the court room of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur, this 16th day of February 1924.

E. MILSOM, *President.*

Election petition under Rule 32 of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE VICTOR ALEXANDER GEORGE ROBERT BULWER-LYTTON, EARL OF LYTTON, P.C.,G.C.I.E., THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Dated Dinajpur, the 19th January 1924.

Yaquinuddin Ahmed, of town Dinajpur, Ward C of the Municipality, pleader, police-station Kotwali, post-office Dinajpur, district Dinajpur ... ... *Petitioner*

versus

(1) Maulvi Kader Bux, B.L., pleader of town Dinajpur, Ward D of the Municipality, police-station Kotwali, post-office Dinajpur, district Dinajpur ... ... *Respondent.*

(2) Munshi Mafizuddin Chaudhury, of Farshipara, police-station Dhamoirhat, district Dinajpur ... ... *Respondent.*

In the matter of an election petition under the Bengal Electoral Rules against the candidate Maulvi Kader Bux returned from the Dinajpur Mahomedan Constituency.

The humble petition of Yaquinuddin Ahmed, a candidate for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dinajpur Mahomedan Constituency,

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH—

1. That your Excellency's petitioner and Maulvi Kader Bux and Munshi Mafizuddin Chaudhury were the three candidates for election to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Dinajpur Mahomedan Constituency and, that after the polling was over the aforesaid Maulvi Kader Bux was declared to be elected by the Returning Officer of Dinajpur

on the 30th November 1923, who announced at the time of such declaration that Maulvi Kader Bux secured 4,380, Munshi Mafizuddin Chaudhury 1,304, and your Excellency's petitioner 190 votes only.

2. That your Excellency's petitioner begs to state that the election of the aforesaid candidate Maulvi Kader Bux was procured through corrupt practice and is so liable to be set aside.

3. That the aforesaid corrupt practice committed by the aforesaid returned candidate consists firstly of publication of and making false statements by himself and other person on his behalf within the meaning of clause 4 of Part I of Schedule V and secondly of "Personation" within the meaning of clause 3 of the same part and of the same schedule and thirdly of fraudulent issuing of circular without the name of the publisher within the meaning of clause 8 of Part II of Schedule V of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

4. That for the purpose of making the first aforesaid charge of "publication of false statement" clear your petitioner begs leave to state that your petitioner was an elected member of the Bengal Legislative Council for the last three years and was appointed a member of the committee to consider the amendment of the Bengal Tenancy Act by the Government resolution No. 7583L.R., dated the 20th August 1921, and that the report of the said body of members contained, among other things, a statement by way of a brief summary of the clause 22 of the draft bill, at the end of the 8th paragraph thereof, regarding the transferability of the occupancy holdings purporting to give the landlord the right of pre-emption or subsequent purchase on payment of the amount of the consideration money together with a compensation of 10 per cent.

5. That although such was the report on the point of the whole body of the members of the aforesaid committee, their recommendation to the Government as embodied in the 8th paragraph thereof was that their full report and the draft bill should be circulated for the purpose of obtaining public opinion on that intricate problem before a bill was introduced in the Legislative Council.

6. That your petitioner in the capacity of a member of the aforesaid committee signed the said report subject to a joint minute of dissent which contained, amongst other things, a strong disapproval of the aforesaid proposal of the right of pre-emption to be given to the landlords in cases of transfers of occupancy holdings as well as of fixing the amount of landlord's fee to the extent of 25 per cent. of the purchase money in the following words in paragraphs 6 and 7 of page 61, marked A, in page 71, marked B, and also in paragraph 5 of page 75, marked C, of the minute of dissent :—

A.

"We think there should be only one mode of assessment of nazar on transfer and not an inflexible one should be fixed and no pre-emption should be allowed to landlord. We have dealt with all questions in connection with transfer of occupancy holdings in our notes on clause 22.

"The right of pre-emption as it is called should not be allowed to the landlord. It is a false hope that the zamindars by the exercise of the prerogative will keep off the money-lender and have the land for the cultivators only. For to the landlord (zamindar) the money-lender with his long and weighty purse is the most desirable person and the best friend on earth. He can pay or lend as much as the landlord (zamindar) requires."

B.

"This section fixes the landlord's fee on occupancy holding 'at 25 per cent.' of the consideration money or six times the annual rent of the holding, whichever is more. We think—

"(1) (*a*) Only one mode of assessment of the landlord's fee should be adopted, either a certain percentage of the consideration money or certain times of the annual rent, preferably the former.

"(*b*) If the landlord's fee is to be fixed in the alternative form as it is, in place of the words 'whichever is more', there should be the words 'whichever is less.'

"(2) The maximum rate but not a fixed one should be adopted.

"(3) That the maximum rate should not exceed 12½ per cent. of the consideration money or three times the annual rent."

"(4) In all cases of transfer whether in and out of court the payment of the landlord's fee should be a matter to be transacted between the parties.

"(5) The existing right of transfer by raiyats of occupancy holding in any locality without landlord's consent should be maintained. The right is shown in the settlement records."

C

"The right of pre-emption or post-emption should not be given to the landlord.

"1. The landlords want it as a safeguard against—

(*a*) Undesirable persons coming in.

(*b*) Undervaluation.

"(*a*) As to avoiding undesirable persons we may ask, who are the undesirable and who are the desirable persons? A tenant who is already in the estate and passes to be a good one is certainly not an undesirable person. The zamindar if required will himself give him a good character certificate, but yet the prerogative is to be exercised against him.

The truth has been said by a landlord himself that the chief value of pre-emption was to guard against undervaluation. The zamindar did not in fact lay great weight upon it as a safeguard for keeping out undesirable persons coming in as long as any person paid the *salami*.

"(*b*) So the value of the prerogative of pre-emption or post-emption is admitted to be not as against the undesirable person as in fact there are no such persons in the eye of the zamindar if he can pay money, but against undervaluation. A highly cultured gentleman's remark to this was 'if it was the main object of the pre-emption clauses it will be an advantage to cut them out altogether, and to give the zamindar a right of appealing to the court on the ground of undervaluation in every case of transfer.'

"We think this is the proper course and this should be adopted. There will then be one procedure to be followed."

7. That the aforesaid returned candidate Maulvi Kader Bux during his canvassing for the election issued a large number of circulars or broad sheets, 5,000 in number, of which a copy is herewith annexed and marked Ex. "A", which he got printed at the Bina Press, Dinajpur.

8. That in those circulars Maulvi Kader Bux made it appear before the voters amongst whom the circulars were distributed broadcast and most of whom are the occupancy raiyats among whom the transfers of occupancy holding are very common, and who are taking a very keen interest in the subject of the transferability of occupancy holdings since a long time, that your petitioner as a member of the Legislative Council and as a member of the aforesaid committee appointed to consider the amendment of the Bengal Tenancy Act did a great disservice to their cause by unreservedly recommending the proposal of granting the right of pre-emption to the landlord and the payment of the landlord's fee 25 per cent. of the consideration money soon after the sale, to be passed into law.

9. That the object of the returned candidate Maulvi Kader Bux in issuing such circulars amongst the voters before election obviously was to prejudice the prospect of your petitioner's election, and that in fact such publication of false statements that your petitioner was one of those members of the aforesaid committee who recommended such proposal of granting the right of pre-emption to the landlords, and as well as of making a change in the existing practice of payment of the landlord's fee after the sale, did your petitioner great and incalculable injury in the matter of his election inasmuch as most of the voters who are the occupancy raiyats were made to believe thereby that your petitioner's conduct as a member of the Legislative Council and as a member of the Bengal Tenancy Act Amendment Committee was antagonistic to their cherished interests, and that Maulvi Kader Bux knew the above statements to be false.

10 That inasmuch as the returned candidate Maulvi Kader Bux published such false statements regarding the conduct of your petitioner as a member of the Legislative Council and also as a member of the Bengal Tenancy Act Amendment Committee knowing the same to be false, the said returned candidate has been guilty of the corrupt practice as specified in clause 4 of Part I of Schedule V of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

11. That as the said returned candidate in issuing the aforesaid circulars did not publish his name on their face with a corrupt intention, the said candidate Maulvi Kader Bux is further guilty of the corrupt practice specified in clause 8 of Part II of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

12. That the said returned candidate further committed the corrupt practice as specified in clause 3 of Part I of Schedule V in two instances:

(*a*) Firstly, in that his agent Azimuddin Pandit, resident of Kalikapur, who worked as such in some villages under the Parbatipur thana before the election as well as at the time of polling on the 22nd November, at the polling station of the Habra School, in police-station Parbatipur, produced a man named Mazaruddin Mondal of Joypur as voter No. 34 of union 8 of the Parbatipur thana named Jhoru Mamud Mandal, son of Mamulla Mandal, of Joypur, who did not appear at the polling station, and that the said agent Azimuddin Pandit caused the aforesaid Mazaruddin Mandal to apply for a voting paper in the name of the aforesaid absent voter Jhoru Mamud Mandal and that the said Mazaruddin Mandal with the connivance and under the encouragement of the aforesaid agent Azimuddin Pandit further represented himself before the presiding officer to be the aforesaid absent voter Jhoru Mamud Mandal, son of Mamulla Mandal, whereupon the polling agent of the candidate Munshi Mafizuddin Chaudhury named Raisuddin Ahmed Chaudhury, declared and undertook to prove before the presiding officer that the aforesaid Mazaruddin Mandal thus applying for the ballot paper in the name of the aforesaid absent voter Jhoru Mamud Mandal committed the offence of personation and that thereupon the presiding officer the Sub-Registrar of Parbatipur Babu Saroj Kumar Sen, assisted by the polling officer under clause 38 of the Bengal Electoral Regulations complying with all the requirements laid down therein, allowed him to vote which he did and that in accordance with the aforesaid regulation the aforesaid presiding officer under the circumstances stated above entered the name and address of the aforesaid absent voter Jhoru Mamud Mandal in the challenged vote list with Mazaruddin Mandal's thumb impression in form 3. That the said Maulvi Kader Bux lodged his return of election expenses and declarations on the 8th January 1924, and your petitioner states that they are not correct regarding his agents and other matters.

(*b*) And, secondly, in that the returned candidate Maulvi Kader Bux himself produced at the polling station, in the office of the Dinajpur Municipality at the time of the polling of the Mahomedan voters of the Ward D of the Dinajpur Municipality on the 22nd November 1923, a man who gave out his name to be Kafuruddin Sheikh and his father's name to be one other than Abdul Hakim who under the encouragement and with the connivance of the aforesaid returned candidate represented himself to be the voter No. 36 of the Ward D of the Dinajpur Municipality, who bears the same name but whose father's name is Abdul Hakim and that your petitioner having been present there at the time, challenged before the presiding officer that the man was not the real voter himself, but the aforesaid returned candidate Maulvi Kader Bux declaring that the aforesaid person whom he produced was the voter himself caused him by his encouragement to apply for the ballot paper in the name of the aforesaid absent voter No. 36 and that under the circumstances the presiding officer Babu Phani Bhusan Ghose and the polling officer complying with all the requirements of the clause 38 of the Bengal Electoral Regulations allowed him to vote which he did after entering his name and address in a challenged vote list with his thumb impression and that afterwards the aforesaid real voter having appeared at the polling for recording his vote the same was allowed in a tendered ballot paper under clause 37 of the Regulations.

Your petitioner prays therefore that the election of the aforesaid returned candidate Maulvi Kader Bux be set aside and that your petitioner may be awarded his costs.

That your petitioner further prays that in the event of the election of the aforesaid returned candidate being set aside and Munshi Mafizuddin Chaudhury, who stood second in the election having agreed that he will not claim his preferential rights, your petitioner may be declared duly elected as a member of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Mahomedan Constituency of Dinajpur and pass any other order that your Excellency may deem fit under the circumstances of the case.

And your petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray.

(Sd.) YAQUINUDDIN AHMED.

VERIFICATION.

I, Yaquinuddin Ahmed, the aforesaid petitioner, do hereby solemnly affirm and state that the facts stated in the paragraphs 1, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11 and 12(*b*) are true to my knowledge and that the facts stated in the paragraphs 7 and 12 (*a*) are true to my information and that the facts stated in paragraph 3 are true partly to my knowledge and partly to my information and that the facts stated in paragraph 9 are true partly to my knowledge, partly to my information and partly to my belief and the second portion of the prayer clause is true to my knowledge and I do sign this verification at my house in the Dinajpur town this day, the 19th of January 1924.

(Sd.) YAQUINUDDIN AHMED.

Appendix A.

List under provision of clause 2 of rule 33 of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

1. Publication of false statements as specified in clause 4, Part I of Schedule V by the aforesaid returned candidate Maulvi Kader Bux in the month of October and November of 1923, in the Dinajpur district, of which the full particulars have been set forth in the body of the accompanying petition.

2 Corrupt practice of issuing circular without publisher's name printed thereon as specified in the clause 8 of Part II of Schedule V of Bengal Electoral Rules in the months of October and November 1923, in the Dinajpur district.

3. Corrupt practice of personation as specified in clause 3, Part I of Schedule V of Bengal Electoral Rules committed by the agent of the aforesaid returned candidate Maulvi Kader Bux named Azimuddin Pandit of Kalikapur, police-station Parbatipur, district Dinajpur, as well as by Mazaruddin Mandal, son of late Kholai Mandal, of Joypur, police-station Parbatipur, district Dinajpur, on the 22nd of November 1923, at the polling station at the Habra School, in police-station Parbatipur, district Dinajpur.

4. Corrupt practice of personation as specified in clause 3 of Part I of Schedule V, Bengal Electoral Rules, committed by the aforesaid returned candidate Maulvi Kader Bux himself as well as by Kofuruddin Sheikh, resident of Ward D, in the Dinajpur Municipality on the 22nd of November 1923, at the polling station of Ward D at the office of the Dinajpur Municipality.

(Sd). YAQUINUDDIN AHMED.

VERIFICATION.

I, Yaquinuddin Ahmed, the aforesaid petitioner, do hereby solemnly affirm and state that the facts stated in the paragraph 1 of this list are true partly to my knowledge, partly to my information and partly to my belief, and that the facts stated in the paragraphs 2 and 4 of this list are true to my knowledge and that the facts stated in the paragraph 3 of this list are true to my information and I do sign this verification at my house in the Dinajpur town this day, the 19th January 1924

(SD). YAQUINUDDIN AHMED.

The deposit under rule 35 of the Bengal Electoral Rules of the following promissory notes covering Rs. 1,000 to the extent of Rs. 1,000 on account of my election petition :—

	Rs.
No. 215194 Government Promissory Note of 1854-55 at 3½ per cent.	1,000
No. 21901 Government Promissory Note of 1854-55 at 3½ per cent.	600
Total ...	1,600

(SD). YAQUINUDDIN AHMED.

The 19th January 1924.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Dated Dinajpur, the 20th January 1924.

In the matter of the amendment of an election petition,

and

In the matter of the election petition by Yaquinuddin Ahmed, of Dinajpur, against the election of Maulvi Kader Bux of Dinajpur, as an M. L. C. from the Mahomedan Constituency of Dinajpur district.

The humble petition of your Excellency's petitioner Yaquinuddin Ahmed

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH—

1. That your petitioner has made the aforesaid election petition which was sent on 19th January 1924 to your Excellency through registered post from Dinajpur post-office.

2. That as your petitioner wishes to add some further statements to the said election petition he prays that your Excellency may be pleased to allow the same petition to be amended in the manner as follows :—

(*a*) That in the paragraph 12 (*a*) of the aforesaid election petition, in the 1st, 10th and 15th lines thereof, the word "agent" in each place should be substituted by the words, "agents Sirajuddin Paikar of Chakboalia, police-station Parbatipur, district Dinajpur, and"

(*b*) That in the Appendix A, clause 3, in the 3rd line thereof the word "agent" should be substituted by the word "agents" and that in the 5th line thereof after the word "Dinajpur" should be added "Sirajuddin Paikar, of Chakboalia, police-station Parbatipur, district Dinajpur."

And that your petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray.

(Sd.) YAQUINUDDIN AHMED.

VERIFICATION.

I, Yaquinuddin Ahmed, the aforesaid petitioner, do hereby solemnly affirm and state that the facts stated in the paragraphs marked (*a*) and (*b*) of this petition for which amendment is prayed are true to my information and I do sign the verification at my house in the Dinajpur town this day, the 20th of January 1924.

(Sd.) YAQUINUDDIN AHMED.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under section 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Electoral Case No. 14 of 1924.

PRESENT :

G. N. Roy, ESQ., I.C.S. ... ... *President.*

In the matter of Rai Prosanna Kumar Das Gupta Bahadur of 88B, Hazra Road, Kalighat, district 24-Parganas,

versus

Mr. Chittaranjan Das, of 148, Russa Road, South Bhowanipore, district 24-Parganas,

and

Mr. Davies, Magistrate of Midnapore and Returning Officer.

PLEASE take notice that the abovementioned election petition will be heard by the Commissioners on the 6th March 1924 at 11-30 o'clock in the Court room of the District Judge of 24-Parganas at Alipore.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the District Judge. This 18th day of February 1924.

G. N. ROY, *President.*

In the matter of the Government of India Act and in the matter of the Bengal Electoral Rules and Regulations, 1923,

and

In the matter of the election of a candidate from South Midnapore non-Muhammadan constituency for the Legislative Council of the Governor of Bengal.

Rai Prosanna Kumar Das Gupta Bahadur of Bejgaon, thana Lohajang, district Dacca, at present residing at 88B, Hazra Road, Kalighat, Calcutta, in the district of the 24-Parganas ... *Petitioner*

versus

(1) Mr. Chittaranjan Das of Telirbag, thana Bajabari, district Dacca, now residing at 148, Russa Road, South Bhowanipur, district 24-Parganas, and

(2) Mr. Davies, Magistrate of Midnapore and Returning Officer.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

The humble petition of Rai P. K. Das Gupta Bahadur, late of the Bengal Civil Service,

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH :—

1. Your petitioner is duly qualified to stand for election from South Midnapore non-Muhammadan constituency and was a candidate for election from the said constituency.

2. The said Mr. C. R. Das was the only other alleged candidate for election from the said constituency.

3. The said Mr. Davies is the Magistrate of Midnapore and Returning Officer for the said constituency.

4. Your petitioner was duly proposed and seconded for nomination as a candidate for the said constituency by Babus Srinath Das and Barendra Roy of Contai, who were duly qualified to propose and second the nomination.

5. Your petitioner, between 12 noon and 1 P.M. of 2nd January 1924, the date appointed for nomination of candidates, personally delivered to the Returning Officer, the said Mr. Davies, at his office, the nomination paper completed in the form prescribed in schedule III and subscribed and dated by your petitioner himself as agreeing to the said nomination and also duly subscribed by the two persons named as proposer and seconder in accordance with rules and regulations made in that behalf.

6. The said Returning Officer duly signed in the presence of your petitioner the certificate of delivery at the bottom of the said nomination paper.

7. The 4th January was the date fixed for the scrutiny of nomination papers.

8. Your petitioner's election agent Babu Srinath Das attended on the 4th January at the appointed hour on behalf of the petitioner who was not personally present.

9. On that date the Returning Officer rejected the nomination of your petitioner on the sole ground that his electoral roll number had not been put down on the nomination paper on the 2nd January.

10 The facts are that your petitioner was misled by the Electoral Rules and Regulations embodied in the Bengal Council Manual published under the authority of the Bengal Government in 1920, which do not require the insertion of the electoral roll number of the candidate in the nomination paper. Your petitioner was not then aware of the amendment published under the Government of India notification No. F-213-V of the 30th July 1923

11. The omission was detected at the time of filing the nomination paper but as the information was not known to your petitioner, he wired to his brother Sasi Kumar Das Gupta, who was then at Bejgaon and also to the Subdivisional Officer of Munshiganj. Sasi Kumar Das Gupta wired back your petitioner's electoral roll number to his pleader Babu Giris Chandra Das of Midnapore, and the said Babu Srinath Das, your petitioner's election agent, who placed the information at the disposal of the Returning Officer who received the message well in time before the scrutiny.

12. Your petitioner has been informed that the Returning Officer rejected his nomination on the sole ground that the electoral roll number of your petitioner had not been noted on the nomination paper on the 2nd January 1924.

13. Your petitioner is advised that this was only a technical omission and did not invalidate his nomination.

14. The Returning Officer declared Mr. C. R. Das as duly elected on the 4th January 1924.

15. This election was notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 9th January 1924 in page 61, Part I.

16. Your petitioner submits that Mr. C. R. Das's nomination and election have been illegal on the following among other grounds:—

(*a*) That Mr. C. R. Das was at Bombay or Cocanada on the 2nd January when his nomination paper was submitted.

(*b*) That he was not present when his proposer and seconder wrote out, signed and submitted the nomination paper to the Returning Officer on 2nd January 1924.

(*c*) That Mr. C. R. Das could not have signed the declaration at the foot of the nomination paper after the nomination had been duly proposed and seconded; and his signature if it appears on the nomination paper must have been put on blank paper or the nomination paper does not bear his own signature at all.

(*d*) That he was at Bombay on the date of nomination and that he was not even aware of the nomination for the said constituency will appear from an Association Press telegram from Bombay published in the "Statesman and Friend of India," dated the 10th January 1924.

(*e*) That the omission of the electoral roll number of your petitioner in the nomination paper, which roll number was duly supplied on behalf of your petitioner to the Returning Officer before the scrutiny, should have been held to have been only a technical irregularity, not affecting the validity of your petitioner's nomination.

17. Under the above circumstances and facts your petitioner humbly prays that (*a*) the nomination and election of Mr. C. R Das may be declared null and void; (*b*) your petitioner, being the only other candidate, may be held as having been duly nominated and elected for the said constituency; (*c*) your petitioner may be adjudged as entitled to full costs of these proceedings from Mr. C. R. Das and to such other reliefs as your Excellency may be pleased to grant.

The requisite deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash as security for the costs is herewith made.

DEBENDRA NATH SEN,

Pleader for petitioner,

14, Monoharpukur Road,

Kalighat, Calcutta.

P. K. DAS GUPTA.

The 2nd February 1924.

I, P. K. Das Gupta, the petitioner abovenamed, do hereby declare that the matter and facts contained in paragraphs 1 to 7 above are true to my knowledge and those contained in paragraphs 8 to 15 of this petition are based on informations received and are believed to be true and the rest are my submission. I sign this verification at 88B, Hazra Road, Kalighat, Calcutta, this the 2nd February 1924.

P. K. DAS GUPTA.

The 2nd February 1924.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under Rule 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Electoral Case No. 5 of 1924.

PRESENT :

G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S. ... *President.*

In the matter of A. Suhrawardy ... *Petitioner*

versus

Wahed Hossain ... *Respondent.*

Notice is hereby given that the abovementioned election petition filed by Mr. Suhrawardy against the election of Moulavi Wahed Hossain has been withdrawn.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of the District Judge.

The 13th day of February 1924.

G. N. ROY, *President.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that under Rule 14 (7) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, Mr. S. N. Haldar has been duly elected by the Calcutta South Non-Mahomedan Constituency to the Bengal Legislative Council.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 19th February 1924.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 9th February 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 9th February 1924

No. 43.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 14 (*g*) of the Council of State Electoral Rules, the name of the following candidate, who has been declared to be elected as a member of the said Council, *vice* Sir Robert Middleton Watson Smyth, Kt, by the constituency mentioned opposite his name, is hereby published :—

Name	Constituency
Mr. John William Anderson Bell	... Bengal Chamber of Commerce.

No. 45.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 15 of the Council of State Electoral Rules, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Regulations published with the notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department, No 199, dated the 6th September 1923, namely :—

In sub-regulation (*5*) of regulation 42 for the word "destroyed" the words "sold as waste paper" shall be substituted.

No 46.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 15 of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Regulations published with the notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department, No. 185, dated the 17th August 1923, namely :—

In sub-regulation (*5*) of regulation 82 for the word "destroyed" the words "sold as waste paper" shall be substituted.

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 9th February 1924, are republished for general information.

H. P. DUVAL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 1st February 1924.

No. D.-1610-C.—Mr. A. J. Chotzner, I.C.S., took his seat as an Acting Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the forenoon of the 28th January 1924.

The 2nd February 1924.

No. F.-591-I.-23.—The services of Mr. H. P. Duval, C.I.E., I.C.S., Member of the Indian Bar Committee, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 2nd February 1924.

The 6th February 1924.

No. F.-767-I.-23.—In the notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. F.-767-II.-23, dated the 29th January 1924, granting furlough to the Hon'ble Mr. Justice E. B. H. Panton, I.C.S., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the figures and words "12th March" substitute the figures and words "5th March."

No. F.-767-II.-23.—In the notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No F.-767-V.-23, dated the 29th January 1924, appointing Mr. H. P. Duval, C.I.E., I.C.S., to act as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the figures and words "12th March" substitute the figures and words "5th March."

H. TONKINSON,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India, in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 9th February 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 4th February 1924.

No. 75-P.—In pursuance of clause 9 of the Constitution of the Chamber of Princes, His Excellency the Viceroy is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. J. P. Thompson, C.S.I., Political Secretary to the Government of India, in the Foreign and Political Department, to be Secretary of the said Chamber, *vice* Major G. D. Ogilvie.

E. B. HOWELL,
Secretary to the Government of India (offg.).

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 9th February 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

Delhi, the 9th February 1924.

No. 308.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt rubber tyres

and tubes used exclusively for aeroplanes from so much of the import duty leviable thereon under item 115 of Schedule II, Part V, of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as is in excess of 2½ per cent. *ad valorem*.

A. C. McWATTERS,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 9th February 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

TARIFF VALUATION.

Delhi, the 9th February 1924.

No. 73-T. (3).—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that for the corresponding item of entry No. 66 of Schedule II appended to the notification of the Government of India in this department, No. 73-T., dated the 22nd December 1923, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Serial No.	No. in the Statutory Schedule.	Names of articles.	Per	Tariff valuation.	Duty.
66	88	Chemicals, Drugs and medicines, all sorts not otherwise specified.	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	Soda, caustic, flake	Cwt.	21	15 per cent.
		...	...	...	...

D. T. CHADWICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 16th February 1924, are republished for general information.

H. P. DUVAL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 11th February 1924.

No. F.-62-24.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice C. C. Ghose, Barrister-at-Law, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted leave on full allowance from the 6th February 1924, or the subsequent date from which he availed himself of it, to the 7th March 1924, both days inclusive

The 12th February 1924.

No. F.-767-23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice C. C. Ghose, Barrister-at-Law, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, having been granted leave on full allowance with effect from the 6th February 1924, or the subsequent date on which he availed himself of it, up to the 7th March 1924, inclusive, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 105 of the Government of India Act, to appoint Dr. Thomas Thornhill, Barrister-at-Law, to act as a Judge of the High Court with effect from the date on which he takes his seat up to the 6th March 1924, inclusive, during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice C. C. Ghose.

PUBLIC.

The 13th February 1924.

No. D.-18—24.—The following Order of His Majesty in Council, dated the 28th November 1923, is hereby published for information :—

THE OFFICIAL SECRETS (INDIA) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1923.

AT THE COURT AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE,

The 28th day of November 1923.

Present :

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

Lord Dunedin. Sir Frederick Ponsonby.
Secretary Sir Samuel Hoare. Sir Charles Darling.
Lord Justice Sargant.

Whereas by section 11 of the Official Secrets Act, 1911, it is provided that if by any law made before or after the passing of the said Act by the Legislature of any British Possession provisions are made which appear to His Majesty to be of the like effect as those contained in the said Act, His Majesty may, by order in Council, suspend the operation within that British Possession of the said Act, or of any part thereof, so long as that law continues in force there and no longer.

Provided that the suspension of the said Act, or of any part thereof, in any British Possession shall not extend to the holder of an office under His Majesty who is not appointed to that office by the Government of that Possession :

And whereas by an Act of the Indian Legislature entitled the Indian Official Secrets Act, 1923, provisions are made which appear to His Majesty to be of the like effect as those contained in the Official Secrets Act, 1911 :

And whereas it is expedient to suspend the operation of the said Act in British India, so long as the said Act of the Indian Legislature continues in force there :

Now, THEREFORE, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by the Official Secrets Act, 1911, or otherwise in His Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

I. This Order may be cited as "The Official Secrets (India) Order in Council, 1923."

II. The operation in British India of the Official Secrets Act, 1911, is hereby suspended, so long as the Indian Official Secrets Act, 1923, continues in force in British India, and no longer.

H. TONKINSON,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 16th February 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 13th February 1924.

No. 86-G.—With reference to notification No. 132—12G., dated the 10th January 1923, Senor Don B. Martinez Y. Montalvan, Consul for Panama at Calcutta, resumed charge of his office on the 30th January 1924.

E. B. HOWELL,
Secretary to the Government of India (offg.).

The 11th February 1924.

No. 81-I.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Major Charles Terence Chichele Plowden, Vice-President, Regency Council, Cooch Behar State, being a European British subject, to be a Justice of the Peace within the State of Cooch Behar.

J. P. THOMPSON,
Secretary to the Government of India

The following orders issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 16th February 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Delhi, the 15th February 1924.

PART B.

APPOINTMENTS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

No. 209.—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted commissions, with effect from the dates specified :—

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

To be Second Lieutenant.

Leo Smith. Dated 16th January 1924.

IV (Cossipore) Brigade, Royal Field and Garrison Artillery.

To be Major.

Harry Kinnear Banks, M.C. Dated 1st October 1920.

To be Captains.

Thomas Lamb.
James David Paterson. } Dated 1st October 1920.

The Calcutta Battalion.

To be Lieutenant.

Charles Edward Lomax. Dated 2nd November 1923.

Nos. 9 and 10 (Cossipore) Companies, Machine Gun Corps.

To be Majors.

Alexander Keay Thoms.
John Crawford. } Dated 1st October 1920.

To be Captains.

Hugh Hermon Hessling.
David Brown. } Dated 1st October 920.

(Army Department notifications Nos. 109, 1925 and 74, dated the 21st January 1921, 24th November 1922, and 19th January 1924, respectively, in so far as they relate to Majors A. K. Thoms and J. Crawford, Captain H. K. Banks, M.C., and Lieutenants T. Lamb, J. D. Paterson, H. H. Hessling and D. Brown, are hereby cancelled.)

E. BURDON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

Examination of candidates for Muktarship in mufassal Courts subordinate to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

IT is hereby notified for the information of the candidates appearing at the ensuing Muktarship examination that the examination to be held on Friday, the 22nd February 1924, will commence from 2 P M. instead of 12 noon as notified before. The examination on Saturday, the 23rd February, will commence at 12 noon as already notified.

B. K. MUKHERJEA, *Secretary*,
Committee of Legal Education, High Court.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU SARAT KUMAR MITTER, M.A., B.L., is appointed to be a member of the managing committee of the Sanskrit Collegiate School as a representative of the guardians for the rest of the term, in place of Pandit Kshitindra Nath Tagore, who has ceased to be a member of the committee under rule 16 of the Rules for managing committee for high and middle schools in Bengal.

ASHUTOSH SHASTRI, *Principal, Sanskrit College, and*
President, Managing Committee, Sanskrit Collegiate School.

CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca.

NOTIFICATION No. 320.

Special Junior Scholarships for Muhammadans.

IN continuation of this office notification No. 4770, dated the 24th November 1923, published at page 1001, Part 1B of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th December 1923, the following students are awarded the above scholarships for Muhammadans on the results of the Matriculation Examination, 1923, conducted by the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca. The scholarships take effect from the 1st of July 1923 for two years and are tenable in the institutions within the Dacca University area.

Special Scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each.

	Name of student.	Institution from which passed	Institution in which the scholarship is made tenable.
1.	Abdul Malek	... Moslem High School	... Dacca Medical School.
2.	Abdul Mottalib	... Ditto	... Ditto.

K. AHMED, *Secretary (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 23rd January 1924.*

Bengal Veterinary College.

CANDIDATES for admission into the Bengal Veterinary College should be present at the College at Belgachia, Calcutta, with necessary certificates, in original as required in the rules, at 9 A.M. on 22nd April 1924. Rules will be supplied free on application.

A. D. MACGREGOR, I.V.S.
Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2C.T.B.C.—It is hereby notified for general information that on the representation from the Book-sellers and Publishers' Association, the 31st March 1924 is fixed as the last date for submission of books for the consideration of the Calcutta Text-book Committee instead of 20th February 1924, as already announced by the notification No. 1C.T.B.C., dated the 12th January 1924, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th January 1924 and two subsequent issues thereof.

J. W. GUNN,
Secretary, Calcutta Text-book Committee.

40-1A, FREE SCHOOL STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 15th February 1924.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

ERRATUM.

IN place of the heading "Two scholarships of Rs. 25 a month each tenable for two years for poor deserving Muhammadan students" in this office notification, dated the 31st January 1924, published at page 68, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 6th February 1924, *read* "Two scholarships of Rs. 25 a month each tenable for two years, with effect from the 1st July 1923, for poor deserving Muhammadan students."

E. F. OATEN,
Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 15th February 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
									Revenue—
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	734 12 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5 June and September 1923.	...	7 3 5
									Cess—
									33 3 7

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector.

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue (for the kist ending 12th January 1924).

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abul Fasel.	643 3 7	Whole ...	.....	Fazar Ali Sowdagar ...	...	291 7 10	...
746	Thana Jararganja, C. S. Mireswari, taraf Chifi Daulat.	2,906 7 5	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdurani, manager for (a) Saintha Khan.	...	1,316 15 5	...
1242	Thana Satkania, C. S. Banskhali, Patya, C. S. Anwara, taraf Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Do. ...	.....	Wahed Ali ...	...	315 13 7	...
1285	Thana Mireswari, taraf Jarip Mahamad.	783 12 6	Do. ...	.....	Bidhu Bhusan Ray Chowdhuri, Jogendra Nath Ray, and others.	...	121 13 6	...
1407	Thana Town Fatikchari, Patiya, Satkania, Rousan and Hathasari, taraf Jiban Khan.	1,654 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdhurani, manager for (a) Aboo Bashar, and others.	...	456 9 10	...
1385	Thana Hathasari and Rousan, taraf Mahamad Rafup Khansama.	924 9 6	Do. ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Abdul Khalek, and others	...	292 3 8	...
2099	Thana Sitakunda, Hathasari, Banskhali, Satkania, town Patiya, Mireswari and Anwara, kismat Murari Dhar Kanu and Nil Kamal Sen Babaite, taraf Gouri Shankar Kanungoe.	1,230 3 1	Share ...	Residue	Bidhu Bhusan Ray and Srimati Sashi Kumari Ray.	976 2 6	...	442 0 10
3054	Thana Rousan, Hathasari Town and Fatikchari, taraf Shib Durga Charan Chaudhuri.	2,042 2 0	Do. ...	Share No. 3	Srimati Lakshmi Kumari Sen.	514 3 4	...	233 0 0
93916	Thana Ramoo, mahal Rajakul, taluk Obedullah Sheik, Badeosama, father of Makbul Ali, Dewan Bibi and Asalat Khan.	963 11 3	Do. ...	Residue	Prasanna Kumar Ray, Binode Lal Ray and others.	663 9 2	...	289 14 11

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924. L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
34611 / 3	Mauza Dhopachari, thana Patiya.	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	...
1-6749 / 392	Nasbad taluk Keramatali Kamalafruc.	844 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sarfauddin Sikdar, son of Mosharaf Ali Sikdar, of Pekua, thana Chakaria.	...	211 0 0	...
		Cess— 177 6 0					Cess— 44 6 0	

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924, L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
1 $\frac{159}{8}$	Mauza Teknaf, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Fatey Choudhuri.	1,374 1 3 83 15 9	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Chewa Choudhurin, daughter of Alathoni Choudhuri, Keokhain and Keojapra Choudhuri, sons of Chailafru Chaudhuri of Teknaf.	.....	428 11 0 33 8 0	.....
3 $\frac{509}{5}$	Mauza Lengurbil, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Thow Choudhuris.	798 0 0 44 4 6	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	200 0 0 16 2 4	.....
4 $\frac{460}{876}$ 560	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Ishan Chandra Choudhuri.	2,321 6 0 195 15 8	Do. ...	.....	Mongjai Choudhuri and Keojai Choudhuri, sons of Rapoy Choudhuri of South Nilla.	.....	763 13 0 66 14 0	.....
5-1035	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluk Srimati Khoamay.	1,621 8 0 153 8 9	Do. ...	.....	Fateh Choudhuri, Angia Choudhuri, sons of Koheong Choudhuri, and others of South Nilla.	.....	546 4 0 64 10 0	.....
303 $\frac{294}{307}$	Mauza Harbang, thana Chakaria, mahal Noabad, taluk Mobarakali.	929 14 0 85 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Sherali Khan, son of Ajamullah Khan, of Harbung.	.....	282 8 0 31 0 0	.....

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924. L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
8 / 403	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Puichari, mahal Noabad, taluk Moberak Ali Bakshally.	3,125 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Makbul Ali Chowdhury, son of Md. Sharif Miaji, of Chota Sauna. Besharatali Chowdhury, son of Jafarali Chowdhury, of Puichari.	.....	Road— 162 13 0 Cess— 24 1 3	...
4051 / 35000	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Burama Chara, mahal Noabad, hal taluk Ramdia-Hazari.	1,942 5 6	Do. ...	.....	Sm. Mathuria Debya and on behalf of her minor son Rajnarayan Hazari, of Anderkilla.	.....	Cess— 83 5 9	...
5674 / 5069	Thana Satkania, mauza Paharchunda, mahal Noabad, taluk Nilmani.	851 10 0	Do. ...	.....	Md. Aktar Kamal Chowdhury, son of Maulvi Nezamaddin, of Joarianala.	.....	Road— 162 14 6 Cess— 27 4 3	...
6239 / 5617	Thana Satkania, mauza Charamba, mahal Noabad, taluk Kalikishar.	1,965 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Pran Hari Chowdhury, son of Haradas Chowdhury, of Charamba and others.	.....	Road— 178 4 6 Cess— 36 14 6	...

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924. L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
469	Estate Shyampur, pargana Gilahbari.	1,745 3 6	No ...	5 annas residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rahimuddin Chaudhury, Mahatapuddin Chaudhury, Kasirannesa Bibi, Mahamed Mufizuddin, Mahamed Serajuddin Chaudhury, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Karimonnesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Abijonnesa Chaudhurany, Shahebannesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kalimonnesa Chaudhurany, Hason Banu Chaudhurany and Gafuranesa Chaudhurany.	545 6 1	...	88 14 0

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th February 1924.

J. DE, Collector.

Notification A.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
161	Estate Ramdebpur, pargana Fulbari.	3,187 13 4	No	3 annas residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rahimuddin Chaudhury, Kasiran Bibi, Asimonnesa Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Amirunnesa Chaudhurany, Safiannesa Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salimonnesa Chaudhurany, Safiannesa Chaudhurany and Latifannesa Chaudhurany, themselves and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salemannesa Chaudhurany, Nehaluddin Chaudhury, Ismail Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Osmanuddin Chaudhury, Jabeda Khatun, Khodeja Khatun and Chhara Khatun; Saban Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Imanuddin Chaudhury, Ekramuddin Chaudhury and Abeda Khatun; Nezamuddin Chaudhury, Saban Bibi Chaudhurany, Kasirannesa, Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Kasirannesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Abiranesa Chaudhurany; Sahebannesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kalimannesa Chaudhurany, Hasan Banu Chaudhurany, Gafuranesa Chaudhurany.	597 8 9	...	162 11 0

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th February 1924.

J. DE, Collector.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
469 / 2	Estate Shyampur, pargana Gilahabari.	1,745 3 6	No	8as. 6g. 2c. 2kr. share S. A. No. 2. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sarafuddin Chaudhury and Dalmudin Chaudhhry.	581 11 10	...	77 13 4

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th February 1924. J. DE, Collector.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
196	Estate Sidhore, pargana Baragaon.	4,757 2 5	No ...	2 annas residue share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Meherali Sarkar ...	594 10 4	...	159 4 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
301	Estate Agra, pargana Paujra.	1,705 10 4	Yes ...	.....	Krishna Prasad Sanyal, B.L., common manager under section 94 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, for Giribala Debi Chaudhurany, Mahendra Nath Talukdar Chaudhury, Maulndra Nath Talukdar Chaudhury.	.....	169 0 0	.....

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
379	Estate Bhawanipur, pargana Nurpur.	2,573 4 9	No ...	8 as. 8 g. 3 c. 1 kr. 2 d. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Janaki Nath Mazumdar, Kedar Nath Saha, Hemlata Dasya, Kumuda Sundari Dasya, Prafulla Kumari Khajanchi, Trailakya Nath Khajanchi.	1,357 9 7	...	372 1 11

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Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th February 1924.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
198 2	Estate Inaitpur, pargana Gilahabari.	1,748 3 6	No ...	5as. 6g. 3c. 2kr. share of separate account No. 2. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sarafuddin Chaudhury and Daimuddin Chaudhury.	881 11 10	...	78 2 8

J. DE, Collector.

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th February 1924.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
48	Estate Kajaltair, pargana Gilahabari.	1,549 2 4	Yes ...	.....	Surendra Chandra Rai Chaudhury.	.....	419 15 10	.....

J. DE, Collector.

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th February 1924

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
6378	Taluk char Soula, pargana Rajnagar.	671	Whole ...	.....	Svarna Moyee Debi ...	...	203 4 0	...
6448	Taluq Taspur, pargana Jalalpur.	960	No ...	Residuary 10 annas share. The following share is exempted from sale:—Separate account No. 1 for 6 annas share of the estate.	Krisnadas Roy and others.	600 0 0	...	165 0 0
6797	Taluq surplus land of thak of Koyaria pargana Kasimpur Sehalapatti.	849	Whole ...	.....	Baroda Kanta Ghosh	...	2 5 4	

D. H. WARES, Collector.

Faridpur, the 12th February 1924.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th of March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2381	Kaligadu, Kalisafa, pargana Kalisafa.	549 4 0	Yes ...	.....	(1) Krishna Gopal Sanyal, (2) Ram Gopal Sanyal.	...	105 3 0 Cess— 137 4 0	...

F. B. BRADLEY-BIRT, Collector.

Rajshahi, the 13th February 1924.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

See Rule 161.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the proprietary right of Government specified in the condition of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate at 12 noon, on Monday, the 27th March 1924, corresponding with 14th Chaitra 1330, Bengali era. The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue-free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
Tauzi No. 3610	Estate Mandra, pargana Jahangirabad ...	·465	Rs. A. P. 0 11 0	

Collector's Office, Burdwan, the 13th February 1924. J. YOUNIE, Collector.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

(*See rule 161.*)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate, situated in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the Midnapore Collectorate on 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 B.S. The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchasers of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement procedures and by the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

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Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Acres.	Rs. A.	
3149	Khedgree post office compound and buildings, pargana Kasba Hijli.	8·99	21 7	The area occupied by the post office compound and buildings according to the settlement record (plots 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945 and 2309) is 9·09 acres. Out of this an area of 65 × 65 containing the flagstaff ramp and G. T. S. bench mark will be retained by Public Works Department. The remaining area of 8·99 acres will be sold subject to the condition of having the right of way over the land to the flagstaff ramp and G. T. S. bench mark.

Collector's Office, Midnapore, the 19th January 1924. G. H. W. DAVIES, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua ...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situated in the district of Pacca, will be put up to sale at the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Manikganj, on the 24th day of March 1924, corresponding with 11th Chaitra of 1330 (Bengali Era).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Subdivisional Officer at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As.	
11656	Myadi mahal Jala Maharpur, pargana Shujabad Kutubpur.	·26	10 (rental).	

J. G. DRUMMOND, Collector.

Collector's office, Dacca, the 11th February 1924.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order *ex* the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 118 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and if not cleared on or before the 3rd March 1924, on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "Madura."		
18th Dec. 1923 ...	Nil	6	Casks (empty).
	SS. "Birkenfels."		
21st Jan. 1924 ...	$\frac{789}{4174}$ in a block, Belgica on top ...	25	Cases Naphthalene balls.
21st ,, ,, ...	$\frac{C\ 116}{H\ D\ S}$ in a block	1	Case toys.
23rd ,, ,, ...	$\frac{H\ Z\ R\ S}{5183}$ in a diamond, K C on top ...	1	Case combs.
26th ,, ,, ...	1 End Blue 1 End White	174	Pieces square bar.
21st ,, ,, ...	917 in a block, J G on top, P M below...	2	Cases brushes.
21st ,, ,, ...	S B & Co	6	Cases merchandise.
21st ,, ,, ...	1154 in a diamond, N on top, S S on sides.	1	Case cotton goods.
21st ,, ,, ...	U in a block, G P on sides ...	3	Cases merchandise.
21st ,, ,, ...	W M C in a diamond, K L on top, C below.	4	Cases tin ware.
21st ,, ,, ...	E R G 663	1	Case fancy laces.
	SHED No. 8.		
	SS. "Pasha."		
24th Jan. 1924 ...	$\frac{B}{C\ R}$	1	Bag pepper.
24th ,, ,, ...	G M E & Co	1	Case printed books.
24th ,, ,, ...	$\frac{D}{J\ J}$ in a diamond	1	Bag merchandise.
	SS. "Awa Maru."		
23rd Jan. 1924 ...	$\frac{7}{1130}$ in a diamond, A K on top, & Co below.	8	Cases cotton goods.
23rd ,, ,, ...	$=\frac{7}{1128}=$	3	Ditto.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 8—*concld.*		
	SS. "Awa Maru"—*concld.*		
23rd Jan. 1924 ...	Jost 81 in a diamond, 1235 below ...	13	Cases merchandise.
23rd „ „ ...	Jost 81 in a diamond, 1158 below ...	3	Ditto.
23rd „ „ ...	Jost 81 in a diamond, 2052 below ...	2	Packages merchandise.
23rd „ „ ...	Jost 81 in a diamond, 1053 below ...	10	Ditto.
23rd „ „ ...	Jost 81 in a diamond, ⅛ × 9 below ...	5	Ditto.
23rd „ „ ...	Jost 81 in a diamond, ⅛ × 8 below ...	7	Ditto.
22rd „ „ ...	Jost 81 in a diamond, 2054 below ...	9	Ditto.
23rd „ „ ...	Jost 81 in a diamond, 2004 below ...	3	Ditto.
22nd „ „ ...	Jost 81 in a diamond, 2005 below ...	5	Ditto.
23rd „ „ ...	Jost 81 in a diamond, 2003 below ...	2	Ditto.
23rd „ „ ...	49 in a triangle, K C on top, T below ...	1	Case glass beads.
23rd „ „ ...	85 in a triangle, K C on top, T below ...	3	Cases glass beads.
23rd „ „ ...	= 27 = ...	7	Ditto.
23rd „ „ ...	= 86 = ...	1	Case glass beads.
23rd „ „ ...	Makhan Lal Bajrang Lal Cawnpore	1	Case porcelain.
22nd „ „ ...	R K C in a block	1	Case merchandise.
23rd „ „ ...	Taher in a diamond	22	Cases porcelain.
23rd „ „ ...	R D in a diamond	6	Cases rubber goods.
23rd „ „ ...	No mark	3	Pieces electric goods.
23rd „ „ ...	= „ = ...	2	Pieces undershirts.
23rd „ „ ...	= „ = ...	2	Bundles glass beads.
23rd „ „ ...	= „ = ...	1	Package merchandise.
23rd „ „ ...	114 in a diamond, V P on top, M R below, Rangoon, 4678.	1	Case merchandise.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 9.		
	SS. "Clan Stuart."		
15th Jan. 1924 ...	B V	1	Case books.
15th „ „ ...	E M & Co in a figure	40	Cases machinery.
15th „ „ ...	E S T	2	Cases printing machinery.
18th „ „ ...	M A	17	Packages personal effects
17th „ „ ...	Nil	19	Coils hoops.
25th „ „ ...	Nil	3	Packages tin plates.
26th „ „ ...	Nil	1	Cask merchandise.
17th „ „ ...	Nil	1	Piece bend pipe.
26th „ „ ...	H & Co in a diamond, 206-7 ...	2	Crates merchandise.
17th „ „ ...	W C E / M 21 / C T L / L in a diamond, Madras below ...	1	Case merchandise.
	SHED No. 2.		
	SS. "Nankin."		
19th Jan 1924 ...	M P / 50225 / B K P & Co	3	Cases medicine
19th „ „ ...	M P / 50229 / B K P & Co	1	Case medicine.
19th „ „ ...	E J A J in a diamond, 327-29 ...	3	Cases merchandise.
19th „ „ ...	F R / Calcutta, 8	1	Case mineral water.
19th „ „ ...	5479 in a triangle, 1-10	10	Cases merchandise.
19th „ „ ...	H S A G / 3331 in a diamond, 126-7 ...	2	Cases sweet oil.
22nd „ „ ...	30 in a diamond, H S A G below, 206-12.	7	Cases medicine.
24th „ „ ...	L J / 72, 1	1	Case merchandise.
21st „ „ ...	M & B in a diamond, D D & Co below, 1-3.	3	Cases drugs.
19th „ „ ...	M M H A, 4022	1	Case essential oil.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 2—*concld.*		
	SS. "Nankin"—*concld.*		
21st Jan 1924 ...	8718 in a diamond, O S on top, 50-6 ...	7	Cases perfumery.
21st „ „ ...	The Superintendent, Thomson Hospital, Agra.	1	Case merchandise.
19th „ „ ...	S A	1	Case stone watches.
	SHED No. 4.		
	SS. "Lauterfels."		
14th Jan. 1924 ...	$\frac{891}{4110}$ in a block, Belgica on top, 21-30	10	Cases playing cards.
14th „ „ ...	$\frac{1023}{4148}$ in a block, Belgica on top, 1-10 ...	10	Ditto.
14th „ „ ...	$\frac{837}{4136}$ in a block, Belgica on top, 3-4 ...	2	Cases cotton thread.
14th „ „ ...	$\frac{858}{4137}$ in a block, Belgica on top, 3-4 ...	2	Ditto.
19th „ „ ...	Clup, 5475-6	2	Cases merchandise.
14th „ „ ...	C Co	2	Cases spirit.
19th „ „ ...	A traingle, E G on top, F below, 1 ...	1	Case machinery parts.
17th „ „ ...	E S & Co, 38709-12	4	Cases essential oil.
15th „ „ ...	G & L W, 175-6	2	Cases brush ware.
14th „ „ ...	J M Voith Heidenhim, 1615-6 ...	2	Cases engine parts.
17th „ „ ...	M in a figure, S below, O M St, 98839 41.	3	Cases merchandise.
14th „ „ ...	A double traingle, A G on top, H S on sides, & Co below, 2264.	1	Case varnish
16th „ „ ...	$\frac{S\ M}{Lucknow}$ 1747-8	2	Cases merchandise.
14th „ „ ...	Subal 18769 in a block, 1	1	Case iron nail.
14th „ „ ...	A cross, S B on top, P G below, 236-1-2	2	Cases merchandise.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Statesman."		
2nd Feb. 1924 ...	B M in a block	1	Bag soda ash.
25th Jan. „ ...	H C H in a triangle, J K on top, 1632 ...	1	Case cotton.
	SS. "Manin."		
25th Jan. 1924 ...	Nil	5	Casks cement.

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 20th February 1924. (306—1)

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 8th February 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	15,33,31,000	0	0
Other Deposits	70,61,97,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	9,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	68,16,000	0	0
	1,05,70,94,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,37,91,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,29,82,000	0	0
Loans	21,46,24,000	0	0
Cash credits	42,06,48,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	14,16,28,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	33,89,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,48,02,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries	42,65,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	1,19,33,000	0	0
	93,80,58,000	0	0
Cash	11,90,36,000	0	0
	1,05,70,94,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London	£1,089,700
Advances in London	£ 449 800
Cash and balances at other Banks in London	£ 796,000

Percentage 12·44.
Bank Rate 9 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M MURRAY, (offg.)
Managing Governors.

(300—1)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

IT is notified, under section 118 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890, and sections 55 and 56 of the Railway Act, IX of 1890, that the following consignment of linseed, if not removed within fifteen days, on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Number of bags.	Where lying.	Wagon No.	Invoice No.	Date.	Station from—	Consignor.	Consignee.
136	"N" Shed, Kantapukur.	P. C. No. 126	154	21st October 1922.	Thanabari Bagh Bazar	Hiralal & Co.	Selves.

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager

Calcutta, the 8th February 1924. (289—1)

Proclamation of sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale room on Friday, the 14th day of March 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to an order made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in Execution Case No. 18 of 1923 (wherein Messrs. Roy Cousin and Company are the decree-holders and Gour Hari Khan is the judgment-debtor) and dated the 4th day of July 1923, the right title and interest of the judgment-debtor aforesaid in the following property :—

All that partly two and partly three storied brick-built messuage tenements and dwelling-house together with the piece or parcel of land whereon or on part whereof the same is built, situate, lying at and being premises No. 3, Beniatolla Street, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded on the north by Beniatolla Street, on the south by premises No. 216, Darmahatta Street, on the east by premises No. 5-1, Beniatolla Street, and on the west by premises No. 2, Beniatolla Street.

It appears from a search made in the Calcutta Registry Office from 1865 to 1923 that there are no existing encumbrances affecting the above property.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 2,254-7 with interest and costs.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on the ground floor of the said High Court on any day before the sale and will be produced at the time of the sale.

W. L. CAREY, Sheriff.

KAR, MEHTA & Co., Sheriff's Attorneys.

Sheriff's Office, the 6th February 1924. 269—1

PROCLAMATION OF SALE.

EXECUTION CASE No 1179 OF 1923 (RENT).

In the 2nd Munsif's Court, Satkhira (Khulna).

Asamayi Bose, decree-holder, against Amal Kumar Roy Chowdhury and others, judgment-debtors.

THE right, title and interest of the judgment-debtors in the Taluki properties specified in the schedule noted below will be sold in public auction by the Nazir of this Court on the 17th March of 1924 for recovery of Rs. 366-3-6 due to the decree-holder.

Schedule of properties

The Taluki right of the judgment-debtors to the extent of 8 annas 11 gandas and 4 til share of tauzi No. 55 of Khulna Collectorate which forms No 55-7 in judgment-debtors' share in (Dihi Bholanathpur, pargana Jamira) mauzas Bardol, Kowali, Dakshin, Eksara, Bholanathpur, Protapnagar, Patuli, Bamandanga, Baliadanga, Anulia, chak Kowali, Nakadaraghat, Kollanpur, Bagali, Bowlia, Dhannahati, Naksa, Channamara, Goalbati, Naktara, Thanughatta, Hayer in thana Asasuni and mauzas Amadi, Pratapnagar, chak Madarbaria, Simulia Ayit, Fatekati, Hayer in thana Paikgachha, and mauzas Katnia, Hayer and others in thana Kaliganj

The land revenue of the judgment-debtors' share of the tauzi being Rs. 353-2 and the entire revenue being Rs. 1,591-7-3.

N. K. BANERJI, Munsif.

Satkhira, the 6th February 1924. (270—1)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Sub-Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 356 of 1923.

To Jagat Mohini Debi.

WHEREAS Ijaradars of town Basouri Mahals, Rohini estate, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 11-4 and cost (arrears of rent from 1326-1328) you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 6th day of March 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 30th day of January 1924.

M. SAHAI, Sub-Deputy Collector.

(271—2—241)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Sub-Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 361 of 1923.

To Syed Mohammad.

WHEREAS Ijaradars of town Basouri mahals, Rohini estate, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 19-5-6 and cost (arrears of rent from 1326-1328) you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 6th day of March 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 30th day of January 1924.

M. SAHAI, Sub-Deputy Collector.

(272—2—242)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Sub-Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 360 of 1923.

To Deba Prasanna Mukherji.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of town Basouri mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 35-10 and cost (arrears of rent from 1326 to 1328), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 6th day of March 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 12th day of September 1923.

S. N. HAIDER, Sub-Deputy Collector.

(273—1—240)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 22 of 1924.

Re Sewnarain Harchandroy, a firm carrying on business at No. 1, Burtolla Street, in the town of Calcutta.

Ex parte the creditor.

ON the 1st day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed firm as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 12th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 28 of 1924.

Re (1) Ebrahim Baorah, (2) Shamsuddin Baorah and (3) Abdyally Baorah all of them lately carrying on business in co-partnership as hardware merchants, under the name and style of E. A. Mamoowallah and Company, at No. 82, Clive Street, in the town of Calcutta.

Ex parte the creditors.

K. C. Mukherjee, creditor's Solicitor.

ON the 4th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. M FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Dated this 14th day of February 1924.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 35 of 1924.

Re Shaik Mazharul Haque and Shaik Azizal Haque, both at present residing at and carrying on business in co partnership as dyers in Indigo under the name and style of Shaik Muzharul Haque, at No 22-4, Mechuabazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately residing and carrying on business at No. 56-1, Canning Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid, under the name and style of Shaik Sajadul Huq and also at No. 152, Mechuabazar Street (new), under the name of Shaik Mazharul Haque, *ex parte* the debtor.

T. C. Rudra, debtors' Solicitor.

ON the 7th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Dated this 12th day of February 1924.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

No. 75 OF 1919.

Re Banku Behary Dey, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a second dividend is intended to be declared in the above estate and that the same will be paid on or after the 11th day of March 1924, except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 11th February 1924.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal (In Insolvency).

No. 14 OF 1922.

Re Amrita Lall Dey, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 31st day of March 1924, except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 15th February 1924. (302—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal (In Insolvency).

No. 196 OF 1921.

Re Futteh Chand Dumani (Futteh Chand Chandmull), *ex parte* the creditor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 31st day of March 1924, except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 15th February 1924. (303—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Asansol.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. $\frac{2}{50}$ of $\frac{1924}{1923}$.

[*Notice under section 19 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor D. L. Andrews of Burupur, thana Asansol, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and 23rd February 1924 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

N. K BASU, Sub Judge.

Asansol, the 6th February 1924. (260—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Asansol.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1924.

[*Notice under section 19 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Amulyaratan Hazra, son of late Ram Sankar Hazra, of Damra, chouki Asansol, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and 1st March 1924 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

N. K. BASU, Sub-Judge.

Asansol, the 7th February 1924. (261—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 231 OF 1921.

Natabar Ray, residing at 2, Harisava Lane, Kidderpur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 25th February 1924 at 11 o'clock for hearing the application.

Dated this 3rd day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(1996—1—216)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1922.

Nani Chora Pal, of Belera, ch. Rampurhat, district Birbhum, applicant.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 4th day of March 1924, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 7th day of February 1924.

K. C. NAG, District Judge.

(262—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act V of 1920.*)

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 1 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Karunamoy Mandol, son of late Rasik Chandra Mandol, of Syambati Saspur, ch. Rampurhat, district Birbhum, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 4th January 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice to the creditors of the said debtor that the Court has fixed the 8th day of March 1924 for the hearing of the said petition and the examination of the debtor.

K. C. NAG, District Judge.

Suri, the 12th February 1924. (294—1)

In the Court of the 3rd Sub-Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 40 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Nabadwip Chandra Saha, son of Ram Doyal Saha, of Alinagar, police-station Shibpur, district Dacca, has applied to this Court, under Act V of 1920, to be adjudicated an insolvent and 1st March has been fixed for hearing the application.

SRIS CH. CHAUDHURI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 8th February 1924. (276—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 15 OF 1923

Jatindra Mohan Majumdar, petitioner.

ON the application of Jatindra Mohan Majumdar, son of late Mathura Chandra Majumdar, resident of Kushumhati, police-station Dohar, district Dacca, to be declared insolvent, the 25th February 1924 has been fixed for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. F. GRAHAM, District Judge.

Dacca, the 4th February 1924. (278—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1922.

Khayar Mahammed Sarkar, applicant

THE abovenamed applicant has applied to this Court for discharge and the Court has fixed the 1st day of March 1924 for hearing the application

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 7th February 1924 (277—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1923.

Korbanali Sarkar, applicant.

THE abovenamed applicant has applied to this Court for discharge and the Court has fixed the 12th day of March 1924 for hearing the application.

B SEN, *for* District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 13th day of February 1924. (298—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 1 OF 1924.

TAKE notice that Rai Charan Bhaumik, son of late Balaram Bhaumik, of Chanmukha, police-station Nagarkanda, has prayed to be adjudged an insolvent and 28th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing of his application.

Dated 11th day of February 1924.

S C. MALLIK, District Judge

(288—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Gourgopal Basak, son of late Hor Govinda Basak, of Radhanagar, police-station and district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 5th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 1st March 1924 for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 8th February 1924.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Prohlad Chandra Halder, son of late Biswa Nath Halder, of Mashundia, police-station Bera, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 5th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 6th March 1924 for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 8th February 1924. (280—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Purna Chandra Halder, son of late Dharma Narayan Halder, of Mashundia, police-station Bera, district Pabna has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 5th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 6th March 1924 for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 8th February 1924. (281—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 27 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Prandhan Sarkar, of Bhattapara, police-station Nator, district Rajshahi, has applied to this Court for his discharge under Act V of 1920 and 23rd February 1924 has been fixed for hearing of application

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 22nd December 1923. (60—1—230)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Panchananda Sarkar, of Kuripara, police-station Nator, district Rajshahi, has applied to this Court, under Act V of 1920, to be adjudicated an insolvent and 26th February 1924 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 6th February 1924. (290—1—243)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 60 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Upendra Nath Das, of Bulbulchandi, police-station Habipur, district Malda, has applied to this Court, under Act V of 1920, to be adjudicated an insolvent and 1st March 1924 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 7th February 1924. (291—1—244)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Beparu Molla, of Nepalpara, police station Nowhatta, district Rajshahi, has applied to this Court, under Act V of 1920, to be adjudicated an insolvent and 1st March 1924 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 7th February 1924. (292—1—246)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 67 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Monohar Chandra Nunia, of Rajarampur, police-station Nawabganj, district Malda, has applied to this Court, under Act V of 1920, to be adjudicated an insolvent and that 1st March 1924 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 7th February 1924. (293—1—245)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 202 OF 1923.

Asaruddin Gazi, of Mudiali, thana Metebruz, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Manmotha Nath Mondal, of Mudiali, thana Metebruz, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 29th day of September 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 25th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923. (1999—1—217)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 213 OF 1923.

Jhugroo Mahato, residing at 29-5, Gobinda Bose's Lane, thana Bhowanipore, applicant.

To Lal Behari Shaha, of Beleghatta, South Road Entally, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of September 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 25th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1923. (2001—1—218)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1924.

Nihmani Banerjee, son of late Atul Krishna Banerjee, residing at 11, Kasi Nath Dutt Road, thana Cassipur, 24-Parganas, debtor.

To Hem Chandra Mukerjee and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 29th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

G. N. ROY, District Judge.

Alipore, the 1st February 1924. (188—1—212)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1924.

Kali Charan Sukul, of Beliaghata Chaulpatti, sole proprietor of firm Ram Sanker and Kali Charan, thana Beliaghata, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Gantuaram Srinarayan and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 29th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

G. N. ROY, District Judge.

Alipore, the 1st February 1924. (189—1—213)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 145 OF 1922.

Amulyadhan Patra, of Mudiali, thana Behala, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

TAKE notice that the above-named insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 25th day of February 1924, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 29th day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(203—1—219)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 86 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th April 1923, filed by Sri Billi Show, of Chetla, police-station Alipore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Sri Billi Show and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Krishna Das Ghose, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 4th day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(206—1—223)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 74 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 21st March 1923, filed by Akhil Chandra Mandal, of village Rudrapur, thana Barasat, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Akhil Chandra Mandal and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Jadunath Ghose, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(207—1—222)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Allpore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 150 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 12th June 1923, filed by Sheik Mandal, of Nandanpur, Mansatola, police-station Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Sheik Mandal and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Purna Chandra Banerjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 11th day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(208—1—225)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Allpore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 121 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 8th May 1923, filed by Harun Molla, of Pachpara, Dam Dama, thana Metiabruz, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Harun Molla and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Surendra Nath Basu, III, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 11th day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(209—1—224)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Allpore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 264 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 22nd November 1922, filed by Kartic Chandra Saha, of Aurgounpur, thana Mograhat, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Kartic Chandra Saha and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Apurba Krishna Dutta, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 11th day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(210—1—220)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Allpore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 157 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 21st June 1923, filed by A. E. Young, of 1-1, Chakrabere Lane, Ballygunge, and on the application of A. E Young and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Sisir Kumar Banerjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 17th day of December 1923

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(211—1—226)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Allpore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 61 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th March 1923, filed by Ram Lakshan Mistri, of Subgachi, thana Tollygunge, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Ram Lakshan Mistri and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Nritya Gopal Ray Chowdhuri pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 17th day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(212—1—221)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Allpore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 196 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 17th August 1923, filed by A. V. Blaney, of No. 17-1, Ekbalpore Lane, Kidderpore, and on the application of A. V. Blaney and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Khagendra Krishna Ghose, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 4th day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(213—1—229)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Allpore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 171 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 12th July 1923, filed by Amanat Ali Sheikh, of Kankuli, Satghara, police-station Behala, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Amanat Ali and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Surendranath Basu, III, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 4th day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(214—1—228)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Allpore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 164 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 29th June 1923, filed by Somundar Muchi, son of late Bhal Muchi, of Entally, Padmapukur, thana Entally, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Somundar Muchi and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Rasbehari Gupta, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 4th day of December 1923.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.
(215—1—227)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 251 OF 1923.

Jnanada Charan Sett, of Behala, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Ke lar Nath Chatterji, of Behala, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 18th day of December 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 4th February 1924. (244—1—231)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 257 OF 1923.

Paresh Chandra Chatterji, at present of 163-1, Beleghatta Main Road, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Balmukund Setty of Norton Buildings, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 15th day of February 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 4th February 1924. (245—1—232)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 259 OF 1923.

Uttam Chandra Bera, of Mathura, thana Amdanga, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Loke Nath Ghosh, of Atghora, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors

ON the 11th day of December 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 4th February 1924. (246—1—233)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 262 OF 1923.

Sailendra Nath Saha, of 4, Durgadas Lane, Kidderpur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Shaikh Fakir Mahammad, of 116, Circular Garden Reach Road, Kidderpur, and others, creditors.

ON the 13th day of December 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 24th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 4th February 1924. (247—1—234)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 263 OF 1923.

Chandra Kanta Bhattacherji, of 39-1-1, Canal West Road, Ultadingi, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Abinash Chandra Sing, of 63, Nimtola Street, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 19th day of December 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 24th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 4th February 1924. (248—1—235)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 266 OF 1923.

Shaikh Jadu, of Bahirbag, thana Bijpur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Abdul Khaleq Kabuli, of Bijpur, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 13th day of February 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 24th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 4th February 1924. (249—1—236)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1924.

C. E. Cleghorn, No. 12, Raicharan Paul's Lane, thana Beniapukur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To C. V. Smith and others, creditors.

ON the 22nd day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 28th day of February 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

G. N. ROY, District Judge.

Alipore, the 6th February 1924. (253—1—214)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1924.

Babu Lal Kakrania, son of Hira Lal Kakrania, of Allahabad, at present residing at No. 44A, Police Hospital Road, Entally, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Rai Bahadhur Bisseswar Lal Halwa Sing and Company and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

G. N. ROY, District Judge.

Alipore, the 6th February 1924. (254—1—215)

Wanted

A SECOND CLERK who has passed the Public Works Department Accountantship Examination on Rs. 75—5—100 for the District Board Office, Purnea. Preference will be given to one who has got office experience and is domiciled in the province of Behar and Orissa. Applications will be received by the Chairman, Purnea District Board, by the 25th February 1924.

(234—3)

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924.

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Howrah Municipality.

DECLARATION.

I AM of opinion that the storing of molasses (*chita gur*) in any premises is dangerous to health and is likely to create a nuisance for the reason that a large number of flies which are the carriers of infectious diseases are attached to places where molasses (*chita gur*) are stored and that an offensive and unwholesome smell is given out during the fermentation of molasses (*chita gur*). As such no person should be allowed to use or permit to be used any premises within the limits of the Howrah Municipality for the purpose of storing molasses (*chita gur*) without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted under section 466 of the Calcutta Municipal Act as extended to Howrah.

CHARU CHANDRA SINHA, Chairman

The 8th November 1922. (267—2)

NOTICE.

Imperial Bank of India.

THE members of the Local Board have made the following changes in the Bank's Establishment :—

Mr. C. A. Noble to be Officer-in-charge, Rawalpindi Branch, as from 29th January 1924, *vice* Mr. L. W. Woodward, who has proceeded on furlough.

Mr. C. R. Murray resumed his appointment as Officer-in-charge, Muzaffarpur Branch, as from 8th February 1924, *vice* Mr. K. G. J Headington, transferred.

Mr. K G. J. Headington to act temporarily as Agent, Clive Street Branch, as from 11th February 1924, *vice* Mr. G. B. O'Connor, on sick leave.

By order,

D. S. MCCLURE,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 15th February 1924. (301—1)

Road Cess Notification.

THE District Board of Howrah at their special meeting held on the 7th February 1924 resolved to levy road cess in the district during the year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of 6 pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc.

A. T. BOSE, Chairman, District Board.

Howrah, the 13th February 1924. (299—1)

Road cess notification.

THE District Board of Dinajpur at their special meeting held on the 21st and 22nd December 1923 resolved to levy the road-cess in the district for the ensuing financial year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc.

T. N. CHAUDHURI, Chairman, District Board.

Dinajpur, the 14th February 1924. (305—1)

Income Tax Department.

APPLICATIONS are invited for filling six posts in the Income Tax Department.

Applicants must be graduates of less than 25 years of age on the 1st March 1924, of sound physique, good health, active habits and good character, and must not be already in Government service.

The selected candidates will draw an initial pay of Rs. 300 per mensem and will be required to serve a period of probation which will ordinarily extend to two years before they are confirmed. During this period they will be required to pass the departmental examinations in Commercial Book-keeping and Accountancy, Income-tax Law and Practice, two Vernaculars and such other subjects as may be prescribed. An officer failing to pass these examinations by the end of his second year of probation will not be confirmed.

Applications accompanied by copies of (1) the evidence relied on as proof of age, (2) University certificates, (3) testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than noon on Saturday, 23rd February 1924. Applications received later will not be entertained.

From the applicants a number of candidates will be selected for personal interview with the Commissioner, and they will be required to produce at the time of the interview their original University certificates together with evidence of age and the usual medical certificate (Government of Bengal notification No. 19426F., dated 23rd December 1921, at page 1 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of that date). The interviews will be granted between the 10th and 15th March on dates of which the selected candidates will be informed by letter, and failure to produce the required certificates at the interview will entail the rejection of the candidate.

The candidate finally selected to be probationers in the department will be required to join their appointments not later than the forenoon of 1st April 1924.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, Commissioner of Income-tax, Bengal.

6, Esplanade East, Calcutta, the 4th February 1924.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

TEACHERS' TRAINING COLLEGE, DACCA.

STUDENTS are admitted from all parts of Bengal to non-stipendiary vacancies, but application should be made *early*, as the number of applicants greatly exceeds the available accommodation. Students from other provinces are admitted by arrangement with their Department of Education.

No Tuition fee ; total cost of everything (text books, library deposit, examination fee) Rs 60—70 for the whole course. Hostel (inclusive charge, except tiffin) charge, Rs. 14 per month. Residence in the hostel is optional.

The B. T. is a one year course, commencing on July 1st, ending on April 15th. It comprises the Psychology of Learning, Methods of Teaching, Educational Measurement, Hygiene ; also instruction in subjects selected from the following :— Geography, English (including English pronunciation and colloquial idiom), Bengali Literature, Mathematics, etc.

The L. T. is a course for Intermediate pass men ; the subjects (except Educational Measurement) are the same.

The M. T. is a two years Research course. Further residence in Dacca is not compulsory for the M. T. in case of B. T.'s of Dacca University

Selections for admission to all courses are made on March 31st. Form of application may be had from the Principal or from any Divisional Inspector of Schools.

There are vacancies for twenty-five non-stipendiary outside candidates.

One vacancy in Government service will be filled from non-stipendiary outside candidates who obtain a First-Class B. T. in 1924-25.

M. WEST, Principal.

Dacca, the 10th January 1924.

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 219970, 250877, 250679 and 250586 of 1900-1 for face values of Rs. 400, Rs. 500, Rs 1,000 and Rs. 500 respectively, purchased through the Bank of Bengal by late Banka Behari Haldar by whom they have not been known to have been endorsed to any person, have been missing from the estate of the said deceased and no explanation has as yet been obtained as to their disappearance. Notice is therefore hereby given that payment of the above notes and interest thereof has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and the application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of my client Ratan Lal Haldar of Kalinga, police-station Chapra, district Nadia, who is heir of the said Banka Behari Haldar, deceased. The public are hereby cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above securities.

Name of the advertiser :—P. K. Haldar, Pleader.

Address :—Krishnagar, Nadia. (238—3—211)

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 279217 and 279206 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-1 for Rs. 900 and Rs. 600, respectively, originally standing in the name of the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs, and last endorsed to Manilal Kaviraj, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of the Advertiser—Manilal Kaviraj.

Residence—1, Baniapuker Lane, Entally, Calcutta.

(257—3—194)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and In the matter of the Civil and Sanitary Engineering Company, Ltd. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 217 of of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a general meeting of the abovenamed Company will be held on Wednesday, the 26th day of March 1924, at 5 P.M., at 25, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, in order that there may be laid before the said Company an account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and to pass an extraordinary resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and in order that the said Company may hear any explanation that may be given by the liquidators.

DUGALD MCKECHNIE, *for* Self and Co-liquidators.

Calcutta, the 8th February 1924. (259—1—238)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and In the matter of Shamnagar Land Co., Ltd. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the abovenamed Company will be held at 25, Swallow Lane, Calcutta, on Tuesday, the 25th day of March 1924, at 11 A.M., for the purpose of having an account laid before the Company showing how the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company has been disposed of and for the purpose of hearing any explanation that may be given by the liquidators and for the purpose of determining by extraordinary resolutions how the books and papers of the Company are to be disposed of.

G. C. H. KENT, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 12th day of February 1924.

(295—1—237)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and In the matter of the Howrah Flour Mills Company, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 216 (2) of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913 that a general meeting of the above-named Company will be held at No. 8, Clive Row, Calcutta, on Monday, 10th March 1924, at 3 30 P.M., to receive the liquidator's report and accounts made up to 31st December 1923, showing the manner in which the winding up is being conducted, and to hear any explanation that may be given by the liquidator.

T. H. WHEELER, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 8th February 1924. (296—1—239)

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Calmoni Engineering Works, Ltd., and In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition presented to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction on the 12th day of February 1924 for confirming the reduction of capital of the abovenamed Company from Rs. 37,50,000 to Rs 25,50,000 is directed to be heard before the Senior Judge sitting in chambers on the 25th day of March 1924. Any creditor or shareholder of the Company desiring to oppose the making of an order for the reduction of the capital of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his attorney or Counsel for that purpose. A copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or shareholder of the Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charges for the same.

Dated this 12th day of February 1924.

LESLIE AND HINDS,

Solicitors for the abovenamed Company.

Lindlie Chambers, 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, the 18th February 1924. (307—1)

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

By order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :—

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

For bag	Rs. 25

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*" which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs. Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Rs. 2.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

Government reserve the right to alter the price without notice.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Saturday.

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APPENDIX.

Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department

The 8th February 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA, BASSEIN RIVER ENTRANCE.

Diamond Island—W/T. Station in operation.

No. 39 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 5M of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 4-M. of 1923 (*This Office No. 29 of 1923*); hereby cancelled.

Position.—Lat. 15° 52′ N. } approx.
Long. 94 ° 17′ E. }

Details.—The W/T Station at Diamond Island has not been dismantled. It is still maintained in working order and carries out a considerably reduced service for local purposes only.

Charts affected.—No. 834, Bassein River and approaches.
„ 3772, Calventuras to Bassein River.
„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.
„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.
„ 748b, Indian Ocean, northern portion.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 447.

Authority.—The Director of Wireless, Simla, dated Simla, 11th January 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—ANDAMAN ISLANDS.

Port Blair—Sesostris Shoal Buoy adrift.

No. 40 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 6M of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 11° 39′ N. } approx.
Long. 92° 47′ E. }

Details.—The black conical buoy, which was moored on the eastern edge of the Sesostris Shoal, is reported to have broken adrift and now lies in South Corbyns Cove.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 514, Port Blair.
„ 1398, Port Blair to Little Andaman Islands.
„ 825, Andaman Islands.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 421.

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, dated Rangoon, 7th January 1924.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Malvan Bay—Ordinary buoy replaced by a new Buoy.

No. 41 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 8M of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 16° 03′ N, } approx.
Long. 73° 28′ E. }

Details.—The Ordinary, flat topped black No. 2 Port hand Malvan Harbour buoy was removed on the 15th December 1923, and a new buoy of the following description has been placed in its position.

Description of new buoy.—A Conical buoy surmounted with a perch and globe. The upper part of the buoy and the perch and globe are painted white.

Chart affected.—No. 902, Malvan to Vengurla, with inset.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1919, page 191

Authority.—The Commissioner of Customs, Salt and Excise, Bombay, dated 17th January 1924.

BRITISH POSSESSIONS.

Caution when approaching British Ports.

No. 42 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1 of 1924), are republished :—

PART I.

Closing of Ports.

Former Notice.—No. 1 of 1923 (*This office No. 84 of 1923*) ; hereby cancelled.

(1) My Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, having taken into consideration the fact that it may be necessary to forbid all entrance to certain ports of the Empire, this is to give notice that on approaching the shores of the United Kingdom, or any of the ports or localities of the British Empire, a sharp look-out should be kept for the signals described in the following paragraph, and for the vessels mentioned in paragraph (5), Part II, of this Notice, and the distinguishing and other signals made by them. In the event of such signals being displayed, the port or locality should be approached with great caution, as it may be apprehended that obstructions may exist.

(2) If entrance to a port is prohibited, three *red* vertical lights by night, or three *red* vertical balls by day, will be exhibited in some conspicuous position, in or near to its approach, which signals will also be shown by the vessels indicated in paragraph (5), Part II, of this Notice.

If these signals are displayed, vessels must approach the port with the greatest caution and implicitly obey all orders or signals given them by the Examination vessel or signal station.

(3) At some ports or localities at home or abroad, search-lights are occasionally exhibited for exercise.

Instructions have been given to avoid directing movable search lights during practice on to vessels under way, but mariners are warned that great care should be taken to keep a sharp look-out for the signals indicated in paragraph (2) above, when search-lights are observed to be working.

PART II.

Examination Service.

(4) In certain circumstances it is also necessary to take special measures to examine vessels desiring to enter ports or localities at home or abroad.

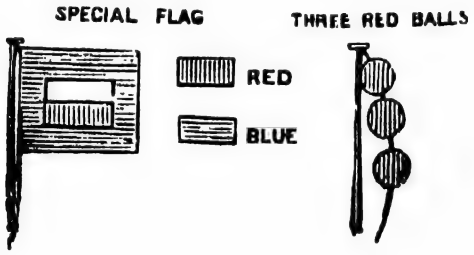
(5) In such case, vessels carrying the distinguishing flags or lights mentioned in paragraph (7) will be charged with the duty of examining ships which desire to enter the port and of allotting positions in which they shall anchor. If Government vessels, or vessels belonging to the local port authority, are found patrolling in the offing, merchant vessels are advised to communicate with such vessels with a view to obtaining information as to the course on which they should approach the port. Such communication will not be necessary in cases where the pilot on board has already received this information from the local authorities.

(6) As the institution of the Examination Service will probably be unknown to vessels desiring to enter the port, especial care should be taken in approaching the ports, by day or night, to keep a sharp look-out for any vessel carrying the flags or lights mentioned in paragraph (7) and to be ready to "bring to" at once when hailed by her or warned by the firing of a gun or sound rocket.

In approaching by night any British port in the United Kingdom or abroad, serious delay and risk will be avoided if four efficient all-round lanterns, two *red* and two *white*, are kept available for use.

(7) By day the distinguishing flag of the Examination Steamer will be a special flag (white and red horizontal surrounded by a blue border).

Also, three red vertical balls if the port is closed.



Usually the Examination Steamers will fly the blue ensign, but in certain circumstances they may fly the white ensign.

By night the steamer will carry :—

(*a*) Three *red* vertical lights if the port is closed.

(*b*) Three *white* vertical lights if the port is open.

The above lights will be carried in addition to the ordinary navigation lights, and will show an unbroken light around the horizon.

(8) Masters are warned that, when approaching a British port where the Examination Service is in force, they must have the signal letters of their vessel ready to hoist immediately the Examination Steamer makes the signal : "What ship is that ?"

(9) Masters are warned that, before attempting to enter any port when the Examination Service is in force, they must in their own interests strictly obey all instructions given to them by the Examination Steamer.

Whilst at anchor in the Examination Anchorage, Masters are warned that it is forbidden, except for the purpose of avoiding accident, to do any of the following things, without permission from the Examining Officer :—

To lower any boat.
To communicate with the shore or with other ships.
To move the ship.
To work cables.
To allow any person or thing to leave the ship.

(10) In case of fog, Masters are enjoined to use the utmost care, and the port should be approached with caution.

(11) When the Examination Service is in force merchant vessels when approaching ports are especially cautioned against making use of private signals of any description, either by day or night; the use of them will render a vessel liable to be fired on.

(12) The pilots attached to the ports will be acquainted with the regulations to be followed.

PART III.

Mine-Sweeping operations.

H.M. Vessels engaged in mine-sweeping operations or exercises are hampered to a considerable extent in their manœuvring powers.

With a view to indicating the nature of the work on which they are engaged, these vessels will show the signals hereinafter mentioned. For the public safety all other vessels, whether steamers or sailing craft, should endeavour to keep out of the way of vessels flying these signals and not approach them inside the distances mentioned herein, specially remembering that it is dangerous to pass between the vessels of a pair or group sweeping together.

1. Signals that will be shown by Day.

(*a*) By vessels working singly:

A black ball at the foremast head, and a similar ball at the yard-arm or where it can best be seen on that side on which it is dangerous to pass. (If a ball is shown at each yard-arm it is dangerous to pass either side.)

Vessels showing this signal should not be approached nearer than 900 yards (822^{m}9).

(*b*) By vessels working in pairs or groups:

A black ball at the foremast head and, a similar ball at the yard-arm or where it can best be seen, on that side on which it is dangerous to pass.

Vessels should not pass within a distance of 400 yards (365^{m}8) astern of a pair or group of sweepers, or when more than one pair or group are working in company within a distance of 400 yards (365^{m}8) astern of the rear pair or group. They should on no account attempt to pass between pairs or groups working in company.

2. Signals that will be shown by Night.

As for day, except that all-round green lights will be used in a similar manner to and in place of the black balls.

Note.

This Notice is a repetition of Notice No. 1 of 1923. (This Office No. 34 of 1923.)

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 7789-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Kilimán River Entrance—Information re Depths and Fairway-Buoy.

No. 43 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 10 of 1924), are republished:—

(*a*) Caution re depths:

Position.—Southern end of Tangalane banks.
Lat. 18° 06′ S., long. 36° 58′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The caution shown near the lower margin, on the right hand side of the plan quoted, concerning the bar, banks and buoys, is to be deleted.

The following caution is to be inserted below the title of the same plan:—

CAUTION.

The Bar and Banks are subject to constant change, the Leading Beacons and Buoys are moved accordingly. No confidence can be placed on the depths shown on this chart.

8½ feet reported on the Bar (1923).

The words "*See Caution*" are also to be inserted on the plan near the outer end of the entrance leading line "Beacons in line 313°."

(*b*) Alteration in position of Fairway-buoy :

New position.—At a distance of about 8 cables northward of charted position and 5·2 miles 096° from Vilhena lighthouse.

Description.—A fairway-buoy, painted in black and white horizontal stripes, with topmark.

Remarks.—The note "(*posn. approx.*)." is to be re-inserted against the new position of this buoy.

Chart affected.— No. 650, Plan of Kilimán river.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 253, 255, 256 ; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 49 of 1923. (*H. 8223-23.*)

NEW GUINEA, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Waigeo, North Coast—Information re Shoal and Rocks.

No. 44 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 17 of 1924), are republished :—

(1) Existence of shoal :

Position.	Depth.
Lat. 0° 05′ 00″ N., long. 130° 51′ 30″ E.	7 fathoms (12^{m}8).

(2) Non-existence of rocks, which are to be expunged from the charts :

Position.	Description.
(*a*) Lat. 0° 04′ 30″ N., long. 130° 57′ 00″ E.	A rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^{m}8).
(*b*) Lat. 0° 03′ 00″ N., long. 130° 59′ 30″ E.	Two rocks, each with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^{m}8).

Remarks.—The positions quoted refer to chart No. 942*b*.

Charts affected.—No. 942*b*, Eastern Archipelago—sheet 4.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. III, 1921, page 222.

Authority.—Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 8474-23.*)

TASMANIA—River Derwent Entrance.

Port Hobart—Works in Progress.

No. 45 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 18 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Queen's pier, Sullivan's cove.
Lat. 42° 53′ S , long. 147° 21′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The note "*Works in Progress (1923)*" is to be inserted on the chart against the outer end of Queen's pier.

Chart affected.—No. 105, Port Hobart.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 374.

Authority.—Hobart Notice, dated 27th October 1923. (*H. 8628-23.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Mindanao, North-East coast.

Bukas Island—Rocks and Shoals eastward and south-eastward of.

No. 46 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 35 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Close eastward of Bukas island.
Lat. 9° 35′ 40″ N., long. 125° 59′ 10″ E.

Depth.—4¼ fathoms (8^{m}7).

(*b*) *Position.*—Between Bukas and Anahauan islands.

Lat. 9° 35′ 45″ N., long. 126° 04′ 40″ E.

Depth.—6 fathoms (11^{m}0), rock.

(*c*) *Position.*—Close southward of Anahauan island.

Lat. 9° 34′ 45″ N., long. 126° 09′ 05″ E.

Depth.—7 fathoms (12^{m}8), rock.

(*d*) *Position.*—Close south-eastward of Anahauan island.

Lat. 9° 35′ 55″ N., long. 126° 10′ 00″ E.

Depth.—1½ fathoms (2^{m}7).

(*e*) *Position.*—Close westward of Lahanosa island.

Lat. 9° 38′ 00″ N., long. 126° 09′ 45″ E.

Depth.—3½ fathoms (6^{m}4).

(*f*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 3½ miles north-eastward of Point Kauit lighthouse.

Lat. 9° 19′ 25″ N., long. 126° 16′ 15″ E.

Depth.—8 fathoms (14^{m}6), rock.

Remarks.—The positions quoted refer to chart No. 2578.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.

,, 943, Moluccs passage to Manila.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, pages 426, 427.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 8634-23.*)

The 2nd February 1924.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, EAST COAST.

Homalig Island—Amendments to Chart re Shoals and Depths.

No. 35 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2051 of 1923), are republished :—

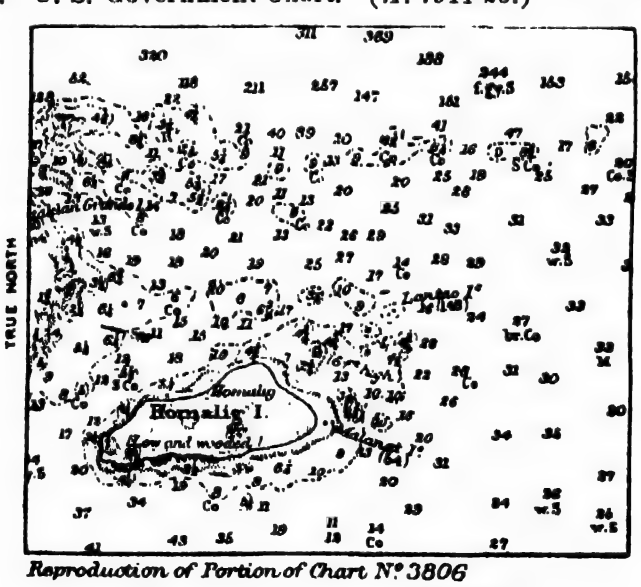
Position.—Malanat islet, lat. 14° 42′ N., long. 122° 26′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No 3806 shows the necessary amendments with regard to shoals and depths northward, eastward and south-eastward of Homalig island. It will be observed from the reproduction that the name "Homalig" has been substituted for "Jomalig" on the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 3806, Cabra island to San Fernando point, and Dilasak bay to San Miguel bay.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 542.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 7944-23.*)



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JAVA, NORTH-EAST COAST—SURABAYA STRAIT.

Tanjongan—Shoal south-eastward of.

No. 36 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2057 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2½ miles south-eastward of Tanjongan. Lat. 7° 11′ 35″ S., long. 112° 42′ 41″ E., on the plan quoted.

Depth.—1½ fathoms (2m7).

Chart affected.—No. 934, Plan of Surabaya strait.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 128.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 3079 of 1923. (*H. 8518-23.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip Entrance Fairway—Information re Leading Lines and Depths.

No. 37 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2075 of 1923), are republished :—

(1) Leading line to be inserted on charts :

Position.—Shortland bluff high lighthouse. Lat. 38° 16′ S., long. 144° 40′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—A leading line is to be drawn in a 038° direction on the charts, to the Obelisk (situated close eastward of low light) in line with Shortland bluff high light. This leading line is to be drawn as a single line for a distance of one mile south-westward of low light, thence as a double line for a distance of 3·2 miles. The leading line is to be marked at its outer end :—

"*Obelisk in line with High Lt. 38° (N. 30° E. Mag.).*"

The word "Fairway" shown against the leading line "Two lights in line 42° (*N. 34° E. Mag.*)," on chart No. 2747, is to be erased and re-inserted midway between the outer ends of the two leading lines.

(2) Depth in dredged channel to be inserted on chart No. 2747 :

Position.—At a distance of about 9½ cables south-eastward of Point Lonsdale lighthouse.

Details.—The following note is to be inserted between the two leading lines, on the chart quoted :—

"*Channel dredged to 43 ft. (1923).*"

The depths below 43 feet (13m1), six in number, on or between the above leading lines, south-eastward of Point Lonsdale, are to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.

„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 88.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 9 of 1923. (*H. 8303-23.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA, PORT PHILLIP ENTRANCE.

South Channel—Alterations in positions of light-buoys and buoy.

No. 38 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2076 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *New position.*—At a distance of about 1¼ cables westward of charted position and 5·33 cables 300° from "Pile" lighthouse. Lat. 38° 20′ S., long. 144° 50′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—No. 10 light-buoy exhibiting a *group flashing red* light.

(*b*) *New position.*—At a distance of about half a cable south-eastward of charted position and 3·83 cables 073° from "Pile" lighthouse.

Description.—No. 11 buoy, painted black.

(*c*) *New position.*—At a distance of about half a cable westward of charted position and 2·33 cables 077° from "Pile" lighthouse.

Description.—No. 12 light-buoy, exhibiting a *flashing green* light.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 107.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 8 of 1923. (*H. 8319-23.*)

The 26th January 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL, BURMA—GULF OF MARTABAN.

Rangoon River Entrance, Eastern Sands-Buoys laid for surveying purposes.

No. 27 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 2M. of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 101M. of 1923. (*This office No. 20 of 1924.*)

Position.—South-eastward of Eastern Sands.

Lat. 16° 23′ N., long. 96° 25′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—Additional buoys for the use of surveying marks and secondary Triangulation Stations will be laid to seaward of the Eastern Sands as required during the months of December 1923, January and February 1924.

These buoys will be without letters and numbers and may or may not be surmounted by flags as required.

Remarks.—Mariners are informed not to make use of these buoys as navigating marks.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 833, Rangoon River and Approaches.
„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator of the Port, Pilot Marine Circular No. 39, dated 18th December 1923.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Janjira Harbour—Wreck reported north-westward of.

No. 28 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 4M. of 1924), are republished :—

Date sighted.—On 3rd January 1924.

Position.—At a distance of about 11 miles north-westward of Rujpuri Point Light-House.

Lat. 18° 25′ 10″ N.

Long. 72° 48′ 40″ E.

Details.—The Master of SS. "Oporto" reports having sighted a mast about 5 feet above water, which is supposed to be attached to a sunker wreck of a country craft.

Caution.—Mariners are warned of its danger as this wreck lies in the track of shipping.

Charts affected.—No. 738, Kundari Island to Boria Pagoda.

„ 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug.

„ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 14th January 1924.

NEW GUINEA, EAST COAST.

Huon Gulf—Shoal reported.

No. 29 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2025 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 4 miles north-westward of Fliegen (Fly) Islands.

Lat. 7° 17′ 20″ S., long. 147° 20′ 40″ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—5 fathoms (9m1).

Remarks.—The 100 fathom (182m9) depth, no bottom, close north-eastward of this position on the charts, is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 2766, North-east coast of New Guinea.

„ 2759*a*, Australia—northern portion.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1921, page 259.

Authority.—New Guinea Gazette, dated 15th September 1923. (*H. 8352-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—Mozambique Harbour Entrance.

Ilha de Goa (St. George Island)—Temporary alteration in character of light.

No. 30 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2027 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Near the south-eastern side of the Island.

Lat. 15° 03′ S., long. 40° 47′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The fixed light, with white and red sectors, has been temporarily replaced by a light having the following characteristics :—

Character.—Fixed white.

Elevation.—49 feet (14m9).

Visibility.—12 miles ; from 208° through west, to 023°.

Remarks.—A temporary *fixed red* light has been established on the western side of the light-house. This *fixed red* light in line 125° with the *flashing white* light on the north-western side of Ilha de Goa, now forms the leading line through the channel north-eastward of Ilha de Mozambique.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 652, Mozambique Harbour.
„ 653, Ports of Conducia, Mozambique, and Mokambo.
„ 1809, Mozambique Harbour to Ras Pekawi.
„ 1810, River Zambezi to Mozambique Harbour.
„ 2762, Comoro Islands.
„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 85.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 278; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 51 of 1923. (*H. 8225-23.*)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Fremantle Harbour Entrance—Alterations in Lights on Light-Dolphins; Light-Buoy replaced by Light-Dolphin.

No. 81 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2028 of 1923), are republished:—

(1) Alterations in lights on light-dolphins:

(*a*) *Position.*—On northern side of channel, at a distance of about 2 cables eastward of the light near outer end of North mole.
Lat. 32° 03′ S., long. 115° 44′ E. (*approx.*).

Alteration.—The fixed red light has been replaced by a *flashing red* light *every five seconds*, thus:—Flash 1 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

(*b*) *Position.*—On northern side of channel, at a distance of about 2¼ cables eastward of (*a*).

Alteration.—The fixed red light has been replaced by a *flashing red* light, as described in (*a*).

(*c*) *Position.*—On southern side of channel, at a distance of about 1½ cables eastward of the light near outer end of South mole.

Alteration.—The fixed green light has been replaced by a *flashing green* light *every five seconds*, thus:—

Flash 1 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

(*d*) *Position.*—On southern side of channel, at a distance of about 1¼ cables eastward of (*c*).

Alteration.—The fixed green light has been replaced by a *flashing green* light, as described in (*c*).

(2) Light-buoy replaced by light-dolphin:

Position.—On northern side of channel, close to slipway, at a distance of about one cable north-westward of (1) (*d*).

Details.—The light-buoy with fixed red light has been replaced by a light-dolphin exhibiting a *fixed red* light.

Chart affected.—No. 1700, Fremantle harbour and Gage roads.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2275.
Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1923, page 356.

Authority.—Fremantle Notice, dated 18th October 1923. (*H. 8277-23.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUBANG ISLAND.

Look Bay—Information re Shoal and Depths.

No. 32 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2037 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Non-existence of shoal :

Position.—At a distance of 5 cables 198° from Point Tumbaga.
Lat. 13° 43′ N., long. 120° 17′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The shoal, of about one cable in extent, the centre of which is situated in the above position, is to be expunged from the plan. The two 6 fathom (11m0) depths, situated respectively close southward and north-westward of this shoal on the plan, are also to be expunged.

(*b*) Depths to be inserted on plan :

(i) *Position.*—At a distance of 5·7 cables 196° from Point Tumbaga.

Depth.—19 fathoms (34m7).

(ii) *Position.*—At a distance of 4·3 cables 201° from Point Tumbaga.

Depth.—22 fathoms (40m2).

Chart affected.—No. 972, Plan of Look bay.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 34.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 7365-23*)

CHINA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Kwang Chau Wan—Information re Buoys.

No 33 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2038 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) Buoy withdrawn :

Position.—Formerly marking the 2½ fathom (4m6) rock, situated at a distance of about 1¼ miles eastward of the south-eastern end of Lin Fathan island.
Lat. 21° 06′ N., long. 110° 26′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A red conical buoy, with topmark.

Remarks.—This buoy is to be expunged from the charts.

(*b*) Buoy established :

Position.—At a distance of about 4½ cables southward of (*a*), and 2·7 miles 118° from Lin Fathan island No. 4 Pyramid (high) light.

Description.—A red conical buoy, with conical topmark.

Remarks.—This buoy marks the 2¼ fathom (5m0) shoal, on the eastern side of leading line.

Charts affected.—No. 3486, Kwang chau wan to River Matshé.
„ 3349, Approach to Kwang chau wan.

Publications.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 365.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III (*in press*).

Authority.—French Government Chart. (*H. 8295-22.*)

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

River Tamar—General Information to be inserted on Charts.

No. 34 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2039 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—Low head lighthouse, lat. 41° 03′ S., long. 146° 49′ E. (*approx.*).

(1) Caution re Telegraph cables :

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles northward of Low head light-house.

Details.—From the bell-buoy, situated in this position, pecked lines are to be drawn on the charts in a 053° and 144° direction for a distance of 1·8 miles and 2·4 miles, respectively, and the words "(*See Cautionary Note*)" are to be inserted against them.

The following Caution is to be inserted below the title on chart No. 3649 and on the lower right-hand side of the title of chart No. 1080 :—

CAUTION.

"*Vessels are warned not to anchor North-west, West and South-west of the pecked lines in the vicinity of the Bell-buoy North of Low Head, owing to the existence of Telegraph cables.*"

(2) Alteration in light on light-buoy :

Position.—Marking the north-western side of Bombay rock, westward of Georgetown.

Alteration.—The occulting white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light.

(3) Porpoise rock removed and buoys withdrawn :—

Position.—Southward of Garden island, Georgetown.

Details.—A depth of 5 fathoms (9m1) is to be substituted for the rocks and encircling danger line, shown on the charts in this position. The black buoy and the red buoy formerly marking this rock are to be expunged.

(4) Light discontinued :

Position.—On the outer end of Beauty point jetty, Ilfracombe.

Details.—The fixed light, with white and red sectors, is to be expunged from the charts.

(5) Alteration in light on "Wolverine" light-beacon :

Position.—On the north-western side of Wolverine shoals, northward of Middle point.

Details.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light.

(6) Light established :

Position.—On the south-eastern side of Point Rapid, at a distance of 9·7 cables 032° from Ragged islet, Moriarty reach.

Abridged description.—Lt. F. *W. R.*

Character.—A *fixed* light, with *white* and *red* sectors.

Remarks.—The limits of the sectors are not stated.

(7) Light established :

Position.—On the southern side of channel, eastward of Supply bay, at a distance of about 3·5 cables 334° from Swan point ▲.

Abridged description.—Lt. F.
Character.—*Fixed white.*
Note.—The notation "(*P.A.*)" is to be inserted against this light on the inset quoted.
Remarks.—The pile beacon, shown on the charts about 1¼ cables westward of this position, is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 3649, Entrance to River Tamar (Tasmania). (1), (2), (3).
„ 1080, River Tamar (Tasmania), Low head to Launceston, with plan and inset.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 2819, 2820.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, pages 250, 255, 259, 260, 261, 265.
Authority.—Marine Board of Launceston, Tasmania. (*H. 7628-23.*)

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Third and Final Report on the Winter Rice Crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

(NOTE.—On an average of the five years ending 1921-22, the area under winter rice in Bengal has represented some 19·7 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India.)

Character of the season.—At the time when the second forecast was issued, the reaping of the crop had already begun and a satisfactory outturn was anticipated for the broadcast, and a fair one for the transplanted, variety. Since then dry weather has been favourable for threshing operations.

Acreage.—According to District Officers' estimates, the total area under winter rice amounts to 14,954,400 acres as against 16,209,900 acres in the corresponding forecast of last year.

Outturn.—From the district returns appended it will be seen that three districts, viz., Dacca, Bakarganj and Noakhali report a normal crop. Ten districts report a crop between 83 and 94 per cent. and the rest between 45 and 75 per cent.

As compared with the second forecast, the crop is a little better in the districts of Jessore, Jalpaiguri, Faridpur and the Chittagong Hill Tracts, while in Birbhum, Bankura, Hooghly and Dinajpur it has fallen somewhat below the previous estimate. In the remaining districts there has been no change since the second forecast.

According to District Officers' estimate, the provincial outturn works out to 80 per cent. of the normal as against 98 per cent. last year. As conditions have not changed in the meantime, I have however decided to retain the same estimate, viz., 85 per cent., as in the second forecast.

Assuming 85 per cent. as the provincial outturn, the gross yield of the cleaned grain from the winter rice crop, on the basis of a normal yield of 12½ maunds per acre, amounts to 5,836,800 tons this year as against 7,294,500 tons in the corresponding forecast of last year or a decrease of 20 per cent.

R. S. FINLOW,

DACCA, *the 11th February 1924.* *Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).*

APPENDIX I.

Third and Final Report on the Winter Rice Crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	Estimated area under winter rice.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1922-23).	This year (1923-24).	Last year.	This year.		
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas	840,600	713,800	746,100	100	83	End of November. Normal.	The weather was seasonable since the submission of the second forecast. The outturn is below the normal owing to damage caused by drought and insect-pests in the Basirhat subdivision.
Nadia	186,800	211,700	154,300	75	50	Ditto ...	The decrease in area was due to want of rainfall at the time of sowing. The weather conditions were not favourable. Damage to the extent of six annas was done to the crop for want of rainfall and the outturn was therefore below the normal.
Murshidabad	351,400	321,400	244,000	92	58	End of November to first week of January. Normal.	The decrease in area was due to want of sufficient and timely rainfall. The weather was not favourable. Damage to the extent of five annas was caused by drought and the outturn was therefore below the normal.
Jessore	658,800	486,000	498,000	75	75	November and December. Normal.	The weather was not favourable. Slight damage at places in Jhenidah and Bongaon subdivisions was caused by drought.
Khulna	800,000	779,000	744,800	100	93	Middle of November. Normal.	Insufficient rainfall hampered the growth of the crop and caused slight damage.
Burdwan	731,100	713,800	683,700	133	75	End of November. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to late rainfall. The effects of weather have been unfavourable to the crop owing to scarcity of rain.
Birbhum	404,700	326,000	441,200	100	80	December. Normal ...	The decrease in area is due to want of rainfall in time. The weather was not favourable. The outturn is below the normal for want of rain.
Bankura	644,300	644,000	595,000	117	75	Beginning of December. Normal.	The weather was not favourable. Some damage was caused by drought and insect-pests. The outturn obtained is nine annas owing to late transplantation in consequence of late rainfall and to damage caused by subsequent drought and insect-pests.
Midnapore	1,537,100	1,484,000	1,320,000	116	83	November. Normal ...	The weather was not favourable which caused damage to the extent of two annas crop. Want of proper rains caused the outturn to fall below the normal.
Hooghly	352,100	204,800	199,400	100	75	Middle of November. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of rainfall at the sowing time and to late transplantation. The weather was not favourable for want of sufficient and timely rainfall which retarded the growth of the crop. The outturn is below the normal owing mainly to damages caused by drought.
Howrah	117,000	97,440	94,500	71	83	Ditto ...	The decrease in area is due to want of rain at the sowing time. The weather was not favourable. Some damage was caused by flood in the jurisdiction of Amta and Singti thanas in Uluberia subdivision. The outturn is below the normal owing to damage caused by drought.
Rajshahi ...	829,700	735,800	676,000	86	58	Beginning of December. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of timely rain. The weather was not favourable. Damage to the extent of five annas caused by drought was reported from Nator. The want of rain caused the outturn to fall below the normal.
Dinajpur ...	1,035,500	972,700	700,000	83	49	End of November. Early.	The decrease in area is due to drought in July and August. The weather was not favourable. The crops on high lands dried up for want of rain and thus caused the outturn to fall far below the normal.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	Estimated area under winter rice.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1922-23).	This year (1923-24).	Last year.	This year.		
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Jalpaiguri	467,400	430,500	387,500	92	83	November and December. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of seasonable rainfall. The outturn is below the normal owing to insufficient rainfall.
Darjeeling	30,800	26,800	25,100	100	92	End of November. Normal.	The decrease both in area and outturn is due to want of timely rain.
Rangpur	692,000	637,200	456,600	100	68	Latter part of November. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to insufficient rainfall. The weather was not favourable. Damage was caused by drought.
Bogra	361,200	450 000	267,200	70	49	End of November. Normal.	The outturn is much below the normal due to continued drought.
Pabna	404,200	397,900	396,100	83	67	By the end of November. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with the estimate in the second forecast is due to revision. The weather was not favourable and the continued drought retarded the growth of the crop and caused damage to the extent of four annas.
Malda	304,000	270,000	170,000	92	55	Middle of November. Normal.	The weather was not favourable and some damage was done to the broadcast rice by paucity of rain and flood. Hence the outturn is much below the normal.
Dacca	672,400	700,000	681,800	96	100	Middle of November. Normal.	The weather was favourable.
Mymensingh	1,455,500	1,411,500	1,227,800	85	75	Latter part of November.	The weather was not favourable. The drought caused considerable damage in Sadar and Kishoreganj subdivisions.
Faridpur	759,900	745,200	700,200	67	94	End of October. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to increase in area under jute. The weather was favourable.
Bakarganj	1,350,000	1,350,000	1,372,000	108	100	November and December. Normal.	The increase in area as compared with that of the last year is due to reclamation of lands in the Sundarbans. The weather was favourable on the whole. The crop did well in the *bil* tracts, but in other places, owing to want of timely supply of water, it was fair. Excessive rainfall in November caused water-logging and was thus detrimental to the formation of grains and its better ripening.
Chittagong	425,000	428,800	429,000	108	98	Ditto ...	The outturn has fallen below the normal owing to damage done by flood and insect-pests in Cox's Bazar subdivision and Satkania thana.
Tippera	787,000	806,400	705,800	133	92	November. Normal ...	The weather was not favourable at the sowing time for want of sufficient rain, but improved afterwards during the period of growth. Some damage was done owing to insufficient rain.
Noakhali	703,000	630,000	630,500	100	100	Ditto ...	The weather has been favourable.
Chittagong Hill Tracts	50,000	47,200	43,400	100	93	First week of December. Normal.	The effects of weather were not good. Insufficient rain fall in July retarded the progress of cultivation on high lands. Some damage was done by insect-pests in places. The outturn is therefore below the normal.
Total Bengal ...	17,046,300	16,209,900	14(954,400	98	85*		

* Director's estimates.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of the estimated acreage and outturn of the winter rice crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

Province.	Area (in acres).							Yield (in tons).						
	Of current year's crop (1923-24).	Of previous year's crop (1922-23).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (-), area in—			Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+), or is less than (-), yield in—		
					Column 3.	Column 4.						Column 8.	Column 9	
1	2	3	4		5	6		7	8	9		10	11	
			Five years.	*Ten years.*		*Five years.*	*Ten years.*			*Five years.*	*Ten years.*		*Five years.*	*Ten years.*
Bengal ...	14,954,400	16,209,900	15,642,360	15,592,200	-7·7	-4·4	-2·8	5,836,800	7,294,500	6,483,700	6,541,400	-20	-9·8	-10·8

APPENDIX III.

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in inches in each district in November and December 1923.

	Districts.	November.		December.	
		Normal.	Actual.	Normal.	Actual.
	1	2	3	4	5
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
1.	24-Parganas	0·80	0·63	0·23	0·21
2.	Nadia	0·66	0·18	0·17	Nil.
3.	Murshidabad	0·54	0·05	0·11	Nil.
4.	Jessore	0·80	0·28	0·19	0·00
5.	Khulna	0·85	1·39	0·16	0·12
6.	Burdwan	0·68	0·40	0·12	Nil.
7.	Birbhum	0·51	0·01	0·07	Nil.
8.	Bankura	0·55	0·56	0·13	Nil.
9.	Midnapore	0·92	0·90	0·17	0·03
10.	Hooghly	0·62	0·07	0·23	0·01
11.	Howrah	0·63	0·67	0·22	0·15
12.	Rajshahi	0·46	0·04	0·09	Nil.
13.	Dinajpur	0·26	0·04	0·07	0·09
14.	Jalpaiguri	0·53	0·07	0·24	0·11
15.	Darjeeling	0·67	Nil	0·31	0·08
16.	Rangpur	0·33	0·01	0·09	Nil.
17.	Bogra	0·52	Nil	0·11	Nil.
18.	Pabna	0·43	0·10	0·20	Nil.
19.	Malda	0·46	Nil	0·10	0·03
20.	Dacca	0·87	0·20	0·24	0·01
21.	Mymensingh	0·54	0·14	0·13	Nil.
22.	Faridpur	0·74	0·34	0·33	0·02
23.	Bakarganj	1·21	3·19	0·33	0·07
24.	Chittagong	1·94	3·48	0·57	0·42
25.	Tippera	0·97	1·27	0·23	0·02
26.	Noakhali	1·60	2·99	0·44	0·09
27.	Chittagong Hill Tracts	1·71	3·03	0·68	0·48

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 13th February 1924.

Summary.—During the week under review, light and scattered rain fell in many parts of the Presidency. Preparation of lands for autumn crops continues, but more rain is wanted in places. Harvesting of spring crops is progressing favourably. The state and prospects of standing crops are fair. The average price of common rice for the province has slightly risen as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	0·64	6½	6½	Effects of weather on crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy is completed. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8⅜	8¼	
	Barrackpore ...	0·32	7	7	
	Baraset ...	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	
	Basirhat ...	0·05	8	8	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and sugarcane continues. Cultivation of *bhadoi* crops has commenced. Rain is badly needed. Cattle-disease is reported from Ranaghat and Chuadanga. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	0·04	7	8	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7¼	7	
	Chuadanga ...	0·03	8	7½	
	Ranaghat ...	0·06	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are poor in Lalbagh subdivision, and recent rain has done a little good elsewhere. Fodder is sufficient. No large import or export.
	Lalbagh ...	0·03	7½	7½	
	Jangipur ...	0·24	8½	8¼	
	Kandi ...	0·00	8	8¼	
4	Jessore	0·38	8	8	Weather fair. Ploughing of lands has commenced in places. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large import or export.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	9	
	Magura ...	0·12	8¼	8¾	
	Narail ...	0·03	10	10	
	Bongaon ...	0·50	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7½	7	Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	0·11	8	8	Weather seasonable and its effects on crops are beneficial. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Threshing of *aman* paddy and pressing of sugarcane are going on. Stock of rice is sufficient. Export and import as usual. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	0·05	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	0·00	8	(*n*)	
	Kalna ...	0·06	7 1/8	7 1/8	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Rain is needed for *rabi* crops and sugarcane. Threshing of paddy is going on. Fodder is sufficient but water is insufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	0·02	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8	9	Weather seasonable. Export of rice and paddy continues. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	8½	8 3/8	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	0·05	8½	8½	Transplantation of *boro* paddy and threshing of winter paddy are progressing. Prospects of mustard and sugarcane are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. Import and export are normal.
	Contai ...	0·05	9	9	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	0·70	8	8	
	Jhargram ...	0·20	7½	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	0·19	6½	7	Weather seasonable. Fodder is sufficient. Price of rice is almost stationary.
	Serampore ...	0·05	7½	7½	
	Arambagh ...	0·19	9½	8½	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·64	7	7	Rain has been beneficial to standing crops. Threshing of paddy is continuing.
	Uluberia ...	0·14	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	0·05	7½	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Drought is apprehended in Nator subdivision. Fodder is sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	0·10	8½	8½	
	Nator ...	0·12	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	0·08	7 3/8	7 3/8	Harvesting of mustard is progressing. Cattle-disease is reported from Patnitola police-station. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8	8	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	7	
15	DARJEELING ...	Nil	5	5	Potatoes are being sown. Wheat and barley are progressing. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong ...	0·04	5½	5½	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	RANGPUR ...	0·01	6½	6½	Harvesting of *rabi* crops is almost finished. Lands are under preparation for jute and *aus* paddy. Prospects of standing crops are good. Cattle-disease is reported from Palashbari, Gaibandha and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	6½	6¾	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6	6	
17	BOGRA ...	0·09	7 1/16	7 1/16	Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Preparation of lands for jute and *aus* paddy continues.
18	PABNA ...	0·07	6¾	6¾	The slight rainfall has benefited the standing crops, but more rain is wanted. Fodder and water are adequate. Stock of food-grains is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	0·02	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *boro* paddy is completed.
20	COOCH BEHAR	0·02	7⅞	7 1/16	Harvesting of winter paddy is nearly finished and gathering of mustard seeds is in progress. Condition of the standing crops is favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
21	DACCA ...	0·02	7¼	7	Fields are being prepared for jute and *aus* paddy. Rain is needed for the growth of standing crops. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	0·07	8	8	
	Narayanganj ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	0·01	7¼	7¼	
22	MYMENSINGH ...	0·11	7	7	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *rabi* crops and preparation of lands for *aus* paddy and jute are going on. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Fodder and water are available.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Tangail ...	0·05	6¾	(*n*)	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	Nil	7	7	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	0·04	8	8	Cultivation of lands for jute and *aus* paddy is going on in places. Prospects and state of the standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	0·12	7⅞	7¾	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	9½	9½	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	Nil	9½	9½	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	7½† / 8	8½ / 7††	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Sadar.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Patuakhali ...	0·41	8	7† / 8	
	Dakshin Shahazpur (Bhola).	0·02	8	8	
25	CHITTAGONG ...	0·38	7 / 6½*	7 / 6½*	Cultivation of the *rabi* crops is still in progress. Prospects of standing crops are good. Water and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Satkania and Banskhali. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	0·23	7½	7½	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	7⅞	7¾	Weather often cloudy without rainfall at Brahmanbaria but good elsewhere. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Brahmanbaria and good elsewhere. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	6 29/32	7 3/11	
	Chandpur ...	0·17	7 3/11	7 3/11	
27	NOAKHALI ...	0·14	7½	7 7/8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	1·52	8	8	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	0·28	7	8	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE	Nil	7	6	Weather seasonable. Clearing of *jhooms* and transplantation of *boro* paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are fair. Outbreak of cattle-disease is reported from one division. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 25 to Rs. 50 and jute at Rs. 7 to Rs. 10 per maund.

* Burma rice. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 16th February 1924.*

Vital Statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 9th February 1924.

District.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births Registered.		Deaths registered.																									
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding week of the previous year.		
																										Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Calcutta	1	Calcutta	617,690	290,261	907,951	277	25	13	1	—	19	1	12	—	7	30	42	4	3	68	27	73	9	1	185	287	207	494	310	219	529
Burdwan	2	Asansol Mining Settlement.	176,814	152,539	329,353	148	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	4	1	—	9	1	10	4	—	54	50	37	87	63	56	119
Howrah	3	Howrah	128,472	66,829	195,301	99	7	10	—	—	6	4	—	—	—	17	10	7	—	14	1	18	2	1	23	67	46	113	58	40	98
Dacca	4	Dacca	67,333	52,117	119,450	97	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	15	2	—	—	4	—	2	1	—	11	17	21	38	26	23	49
24-Parganas	5	Maniktala	40,996	26,376	67,372	21	—	1	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	5	5	6	—	—	10	19	15	34	23	20	43
	6	Bhatpara	45,723	19,886	65,609	31	—	—	—	—	5	2	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	7	5	12	2	8	10
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur.	36,289	20,185	56,474	13	—	—	—	—	7	—	2	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	5	10	9	19	6	5	13
	8	Titagarh	36,533	15,918	52,451	18	1	1	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	19	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	20	6	26	11	8	19

CALCUTTA, *the 15th February 1924.*

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Vital Statistics for the month of November 1923 of the

Division.	No.	Districts.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-Azar.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan	689,382	673,993	1,363,375	3,244	68	11	1	...	2,391	1	...	5	2
	2	Birbhum	472,986	434,584	847,570	2,193	111	...	...	...	1,625	...	...	...	...
	3	Bankura	480,935	483,552	964,487	2,356	1	4	...	...	388	3	2	2	3
	4	Midnapur	1,818,373	1,808,552	3,626,925	5,867	210	7	...	...	2,411	49	7	164	19
	5	Hooghly	468,451	462,093	930,544	2,342	4	27	...	...	1,411	...	...	...	4
	6	Howrah	391,415	387,478	778,893	2,206	7	14	1	...	388	2	...	...	31
Presidency	7	24-Parganas	1,062,266	989,125	2,051,391	4,775	87	28	7	...	1,733	3	1	...	34
	8	Nadia	731,335	693,552	1,424,887	4,958	169	122	6	...	2,902	...	2	5	1
	9	Murshidabad	591,676	599,742	1,191,418	4,377	243	30	...	...	2,371	2	...	4	...
	10	Jessore	887,182	824,898	1,712,080	5,889	380	433	...	...	3,783	...	...	...	9
	11	Khulna	741,741	684,945	1,426,686	4,029	317	162	...	...	2,301	...	...	4	3
Rajshahi	12	Rajshahi	755,539	711,538	1,465,077	4,739	431	17	...	...	4,682	...	...	...	1
	13	Dinajpur	885,427	801,901	1,687,328	3,634	305	36	...	...	4,229	...	...	...	...
	14	Jalpaiguri	494,452	427,317	921,769	2,492	161	24	13	...	1,689	...	...	...	3
	15	Darjeeling	136,217	124,373	260,590	723	45	...	...	...	404	...	...	...	2
	16	Rangpur	1 304,781	1,183,997	2,488,778	6,184	626	316	...	...	5,448	...	...	...	...
	17	Bogra	531,470	504,814	1,036,284	2,419	203	92	...	...	2,473	...	...	...	83
	18	Pabna	682,594	662,039	1,344,633	3,569	300	56	...	...	2,583	...	...	...	...
	19	Malda	476,872	480,103	956,975	2,515	86	72	1	...	2,350	5	1	2	1
Dacca	20	Dacca	1,485,445	1,490,470	2,975,915	10,120	579	731	15	...	1,816	203	3	15	19
	21	Mymensingh	3,447,431	3,278,695	6,726,126	11,577	794	1,320	12	...	3,179	12	3	7	30
	22	Faridpur	1,124,661	1,085,397	2,210,058	7,892	372	120	...	...	4,351	...	...	21	9
	23	Bakarganj	1,315,064	1,268,107	2,583,171	8,197	...	32	...	...	971	10	...	4	5
Chittagong	24	Chittagong	753,765	821,627	1,575,392	3,817	370	1	13	...	224	42	1	...	...
	25	Noakhali	738,723	734,064	1,472,786	4,287	369	22	3	...	495	2	6	100	117
	26	Tippera	1,367,598	1,311,029	2,678,627	5,548	433	87	...	...	492	46	13	4	35
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...										Not under
Total of month for Bengal			22,288,560	21,414,985	43,703,545	119,849	6,634	3,764	77	...	55,489	379	89	337	411
Total of corresponding month of previous year.			...	...	...	121,981	6,302	1,911	146	...	56,492	117	151	739	97
Increase + or decrease -			...	...	...	-2,132	+332	+1,853	-68	...	-1,003	+262	-112	-402	+314

REMARKS.—1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana officers and submitted to the Director of Public Health by the Civil Surgeons.
2. The vital statistics of municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been included in this statement with those of the respective
3. Divisional totals and the birth and death ratios per mille per annum have been omitted from the statement according to the Government of

CALCUTTA, *the 13th February 1924.*

Districts excluding Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal.

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Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Districts.
										Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
437	7	16	...	30	5	5	34	...	512	1,738	1,739	3,457	1,518	1,456	2,974	1	Burdwan.
136	4	3	...	5	1	3	9	3	288	1,044	1,033	2,077	889	854	1,743	2	Birbhum.
1,148	13	24	4	42	17	17	21	2	457	1,046	1,000	2,046	979	1,010	1,989	3	Bankura
1,983	61	39	17	67	17	11	99	5	991	2,938	3,009	5,947	2,973	3,033	6,006	4	Midnapur.
144	34	34	1	69	2	2	23	...	363	1,077	1,037	2,114	1,744	1,164	2,407	5	Hooghly.
669	48	81	1	29	20	29	35	...	357	811	794	1,605	828	780	1,608	6	Howrah.
2,449	30	19	1	53	18	22	76	10	720	2,695	2,508	5,203	2,279	2,053	4,332	7	24-Parganas
1,297	12	...	7	20	6	6	40	...	769	2,650	2,555	5,205	2,316	2,349	4,665	8	Nadia.
544	...	2	...	3	2	10	35	4	548	1,765	1,690	3,455	1,555	1,516	3,071	9	Murshidabad
699	8	19	...	11	16	6	48	...	549	2,830	2,751	5,581	2,999	2,897	5,896	10	Jessore.
240	15	4	.	8	1	4	46	24	378	1,665	1,522	3,687	1,930	1,983	3,913	11	Khulna.
4	1	...	...	2	...	4	34	9	540	2,662	2,632	5,294	2,787	3,030	5,797	12	Rajshahi.
1,901	5	2	1	...	4	2	25	5	148	3,166	3,192	6,358	2,509	2,328	4,837	13	Dinajpur.
313	43	42	20	67	17	4	9	9	169	1,178	1,144	2 322	1,041	1,033	2,074	14	Jalpaiguri.
173	17	2	17	6	7	6	7	...	75	366	351	716	345	305	650	15	Darjeeling.
1 409	15	...	...	5	1	6	19	18	89	3,696	3,636	7,336	3,447	3,242	6,689	16	Rangpur.
625	11	...	...	13	9	9	37	2	221	1,860	1,914	3,774	1,671	1,628	3,299	17	Bogra.
763	3	2	...	1	1	4	8	1	1.6	1,862	1,676	3,538	1,585	1,424	4,009	18	Pabna.
341	1	...	...	...	1	...	12	1	222	1,641	1,469	2,510	940	857	1,797	19	Malda.
3,594	145	49	5	...	5	13	46	16	1,095	3,928	3,731	7,659	3,452	3,368	6,820	20	Dacca.
5,479	97	25	...	9	20	17	62	4	1,533	5,748	5,061	10,809	5,813	4,777	10,090	21	Mymensingh
479	30	3	2	14	4	8	47	...	728	2,963	2,853	5,816	2,812	2,614	5,426	22	Faridpur.
3,357	34	4	...	7	7	49	74	1	1,620	3,270	2,805	6,075	3,855	3,736	7 591	23	Bakarganj.
2,189	2	1	15	...	3	7	48	...	105	1,349	1,306	2,655	1,460	1,471	2,931	24	Chittagong.
1,701	12	1	...	...	1	1	73	8	304	1,535	1,401	2,936	1,522	1,456	2,978	25	Noakhali.
2,438	57	19	51	1	4	9	28	1	612	2,072	1,825	3,897	2,145	1,838	3,983	26	Tippera.
registration.								...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	Chittagong Hill Tra
34,612	704	391	142	462	188	253	965	123	14,096	57,566	54,896	112,462	...	...	...		
29,571	864	343	122	501	141	335	1,103	72	13,871	54,394	52,181	106,575	...	...	...		
+5,041	-160	+48	+20	-39	+47	-82	-108	+51	+225	+3,172	+2,715	+5,887	...	...	...		

Taken as a whole, the statement possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate to the actual.
districts as ordered in Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, letter No. 1183an., dated the 8th February 1918.
India, Education Department, letter No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Vital Statistics for the month of November 1923 of the

Districts.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.
Burdwan ...	1	Burdwan ...	19,583	15,033	34,616	16	...	...	...	...	27	...	...	...	2
	2	Raniganj ...	8,040	6,496	14,536	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Asansol ...	15,464	11,035	26,499	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bankura ...	4	Bankura ...	13,523	11,889	25,412	40	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	5	Vishnupur ...	9,736	9,662	19,398	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Sonamukhi ...	5,140	5,504	10,644	30	...	...	...	...	6	...	1	...	...
Midnapur ...	7	Midnapur ...	15,784	13,241	28,965	46	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Ghatal ...	5,655	5,115	10,770	36	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Hooghly ...	9	Hooghly-Chinsura ...	16,732	13,215	29,936	113	...	...	...	...	24	...	...	...	...
	10	Serampur ...	10,210	12,967	23,197	78	...	...	...	...	6	2	1	...	5
	11	Rishra-Konnagar ...	15,030	8,329	23,359	41	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
	12	Baidyabati ...	9,174	7,297	16,471	57	1	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...
	13	Bhadreswar ...	14,487	7,594	22,081	29	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
	14	Champdani ...	17,193	7,459	24,652	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Howrah ...	15	Howrah ...	128,472	66,829	195,301	513	41	7	...	...	29	26	...	1	5
	16	Bally ...	15,364	7,945	23,309	48	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas ...	17	Cossipur-Chitpur ...	36,389	20,185	56,574	89	2	1	...	...	8	...	...	...	7
	18	Maniktala ...	40,996	26,376	67,372	88	10	7	...	...	14	...	...	...	1
	19	South Suburban ...	19,063	14,269	33,345	92	3	6	...	...	32	...	...	...	...
	20	Tollygunj ...	13,326	8,311	21,637	55	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...
	21	Garden Reach ...	29,373	16,194	45,567	69	...	1	...	...	7	2	...	...	...
	22	Budge-Budge ...	17,883	7,840	25,723	39	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1
	23	Baranagar ...	19,989	12,095	32,084	76	...	1	...	...	9	...	...	...	3
	24	Kamarhati ...	14,965	8,053	23,018	26	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...
	25	Itajpur ...	5,760	5,652	11,412	31	...	3	...	...	3	...	...	...	1
	26	South Dum-Dum ...	8,736	5,294	14,030	26	1	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
	27	Barrackpur ...	14,877	7,583	22,460	23	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...
	28	Panihati ...	6,148	4,013	10,161	27	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	29	North Barrackpur ...	9,453	5,981	15,434	31	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
	30	Titagarh ...	36,533	15,918	52,451	77	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	31	Garulia ...	9,077	4,019	13,096	14	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
	32	Naihati ...	16,464	7,822	23,286	45	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
	33	Kanchrapara ...	7,182	3,150	10,332	25	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...
	34	Bhatpara ...	45,723	19,886	65,609	108	2	...	1	...	2	1	2	...	...
	35	Halisahat ...	10,162	9,105	19,267	40	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	6
	36	Baduria ...	7,434	6,623	14,057	20	...	...	...	...	22	...	...	...	...
Calcutta ...	37	Calcutta ...	617,590	290,261	907,851	1,825	131	27	...	...	108	25	2	...	47
Nadia ...	38	Krishnagar ...	11,377	10,932	22,309	47	1	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	1
	39	Nadia or Nabadwip ...	7,291	8,293	15,584	31	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
	40	Santipur ...	11,349	13,450	24,792	53	2	...	...	...	14	1	...	...	...

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REGISTERED.

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										Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
4	4	6	1	14	2	...	2	...	16	51	23	74	53	36	90	1	Burdwan.
3	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	7	7	5	12	17	14	31	2	Raniganj.
3	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	2	6	4	10	16	8	24	3	Asansol.
2	1	2	...	2	..	...	...	...	8	10	6	16	11	13	24	4	Bankura.
11	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	11	16	12	28	19	17	36	5	Vishnupur.
1	2	...	...	2	1	7	...	...	7	12	15	27	13	12	24	6	Sonamukhi.
9	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	14	12	17	29	36	28	64	7	Midnapur.
5	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	1	6	4	10	16	14	30	8	Ghatal.
...	10	1	...	6	...	...	...	...	21	25	37	62	33	29	62	9	Hooghly-Chinsura
5	5	7	...	3	2	3	2	...	12	31	22	53	27	22	49	10	Serampur.
3	1	2	...	3	...	3	1	...	8	15	8	23	22	13	35	11	Rishra-Konnagar.
...	1	3	...	...	4	..	...	...	4	17	7	24	18	7	25	12	Baidyabati.
4	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	15	16	11	27	20	17	37	13	Bhadreswar.
3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6	7	13	14	10	24	14	Champdani.
78	48	40	...	45	8	56	8	8	146	278	232	505	253	221	474	15	Howrah.
3	5	.	2	5	3	...	...	...	10	19	19	38	21	16	37	16	Bally.
25	5	3	2	7	4	14	...	1	30	57	50	107	54	43	97	17	Cossipur-Chitpur.
9	11	9	...	3	12	37	...	...	88	93	98	191	105	87	192	18	Maniktala.
...	8	...	...	5	...	...	1	...	11	30	33	63	33	40	73	19	South Suburban.
4	1	...	...	4	..	3	...	...	4	12	7	19	8	9	17	20	Tollygunj.
28	7	3	2	6	3	2	2	...	38	66	35	101	43	55	98	21	Garden Reach.
3	3	6	...	1	...	3	4	...	2	20	11	31	20	21	41	22	Budge-Budge.
11	8	2	...	2	...	7	1	...	19	38	25	63	32	34	66	23	Baranagar.
...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	10	5	15	26	11	37	24	Kamarhati.
7	4	3	...	3	1	2	...	...	7	18	16	34	18	14	27	25	Rajpur.
1	3	1	...	2	...	3	1	...	7	13	10	23	21	13	34	26	South Dum-Dum.
...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8	11	5	9	13	27	Barrakpur.
1	2	1	...	4	2	...	1	...	6	9	9	18	10	9	19	28	Panihati.
5	1	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	6	13	13	26	16	11	27	29	North Barrakpur.
30	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	14	43	28	71	42	24	66	30	Titagarh.
1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	5	4	9	...	2	2	31	Garulia.
3	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	5	11	5	16	13	6	19	32	Naihati.
1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	6	7	13	2	1	3	33	Kanchrapara.
19	2	3	1	1	...	1	1	3	17	26	28	54	25	19	44	34	Bhatpara.
23	1	1	...	3	3	1	2	...	18	29	31	60	37	30	67	35	Basirhat.
7	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	18	15	33	14	13	27	36	Baduria.
142	165	73	25	257	152	326	53	13	817	1,316	1,023	2,339	1,156	926	2,082	37	Calcutta.
4	1	...	1	1	2	1	...	...	...	10	13	23	11	7	18	38	Krishnagar.
...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	8	12	20	13	19	32	39	Nadia or Nabadwip.
21	1	...	...	4	3	2	1	...	24	40	31	71	26	21	47	40	Santipur.

Vital Statistics for the month of November 1923 of the

Districts.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.
Murshidabad.	41	Berhampur ...	14,719	11,951	26,670	55	2	...	...	...	30	...	...	...	5
	42	Murshidabad ...	5,401	5,268	10,669	27	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	43	Azimganj ...	5,876	5,355	11,231	20	...	...	...	...	24	...	...	...	...
	44	Kandi	5,903	5,884	11,787	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	45	Jangipur	5,167	5,572	10,739	23	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jessore ...	46	Jessore	6,410	3,729	10,139	9	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...
Khulna ...	47	Khulna	10,235	5,814	16,049	18	...	4	...	...	10	...	...	...	1
	48	Satkhira	5,548	4,751	10,299	13	...	1	...	...	15	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi ...	49	Rajshahi ...	13,831	10,767	24,598	55	2	...	...	...	16	3	...	...	1
Dinajpur ...	50	Dinajpur	10,973	7,052	18,025	12	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	1
Jalpaiguri ...	51	Jalpaiguri ...	8,965	5,555	14,520	16	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	1
Darjeeling ...	52	Darjeeling ...	12,877	9,381	22,258	35	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
Rangpur ...	53	Rangpur	12,059	7,017	19,076	34	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	2
Bogra ...	54	Bogra	7,257	5,065	12,322	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pabna ...	55	Pabna	10,552	8,991	19,543	24	...	1	...	...	24	...	...	...	...
	56	Sirajganj	13,756	11,762	25,518	38	...	2	...	...	61	...	...	...	...
Malda ...	57	English Bazar ...	7,869	6,188	14,057	44	...	2	...	...	7	...	...	...	2
	58	Nawabganj ...	6,091	6,552	12,643	26	2	1	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
Dacca ...	59	Dacca	67,233	52,117	119,450	505	23	41	...	...	2	1	...	...	8
	60	Narayanganj ...	19,443	11,160	30,603	135	5	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mymensingh	61	Mymensingh ...	16,597	8,690	25,287	40	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	62	Jamalpur	12,566	10,547	23,113	46	5	16	...	...	23	2	...	...	13
	63	Sherpur	9,768	8,045	17,813	53	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	64	Kishorganj ...	10,600	8,918	19,518	36	6	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	65	Bajitpur	5,946	5,622	11,568	33	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	66	Tangail	7,542	6,763	14,305	43	4	5	...	...	15	...	...	...	...
Faridpur ...	67	Faridpur	8,773	5,731	14,503	27	...	...	...	...	26	3	...	...	1
	68	Madaripur ...	14,309	10,988	25,297	59	3	...	...	...	2	4	...	...	1
Bakarganj	69	Barisal	17,384	9,160	26,744	24	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	70	Pirojpur	7,515	6,326	13,841	40	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...
Chittagong...	71	Chittagong ...	24,117	11,913	36,030	99	8	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
Tippera ...	72	Comilla	15,533	10,281	25,814	29	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	73	Brahmanbaria ...	12,367	11,047	23,414	73	4	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	74	Chandpur	10,636	4,482	15,118	25	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total of month ...	1,769,376	1,049,372	2,818,748	6,000	278	189	3	...	736	83	6	1	117
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	...	...	...	6,269	270	109	9	...	698	77	6	3	45
		Increase + or decrease —.	...	...	...	-269	+8	+80	-6	...	+38	+6	equal	-2	+72

REMARKS.—1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the municipalities and submitted to the Director of Public Health by the Civil Surgeons, and in a few instances are obviously incomplete.

2. The vital statistics of municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been excluded from this statement and incorporated

3. The birth and death ratios per mille per annum have been omitted from this statement according to the Government of India,

CALCUTTA, *the 13th February 1924.*

Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal,

REGISTERED.

Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries, including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Male	Female.	Total.	No.	Towns.
4	2	4	...	4	1	...	...	...	16	32	34	66	20	27	47	41	Berhampur.
38	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	19	22	41	21	25	46	42	Murshidabad.
...	...	4	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	19	13	32	19	22	41	43	Azimganj.
9	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	6	13	6	19	10	6	16	44	Kandi.
7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	7	10	6	9	15	45	Jangipur.
...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	8	4	12	9	4	13	46	Jessore.
1	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	2	10	12	22	23	7	30	47	Khulna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	13	5	18	4	7	11	48	Satkhira.
7	4	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	15	27	23	50	17	16	33	49	Rajshahi.
7	...	1	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	11	9	20	8	4	12	50	Dinajpur.
...	3	...	...	5	4	...	...	...	5	16	5	23	11	3	14	51	Jalpaiguri.
1	2	...	2	5	7	1	...	...	13	19	15	34	18	16	34	52	Darjeeling.
...	2	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	10	31	12	43	26	19	45	53	Rangpur.
17	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	11	17	13	30	19	14	33	54	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	8	14	20	34	27	18	45	55	Pabna.
...	7	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	23	55	41	96	24	32	56	56	Sirajganj.
14	4	4	...	4	...	...	1	...	14	30	22	52	8	10	18	57	English Bazar.
1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	13	7	20	13	10	23	58	Nawabganj.
151	23	7	..	19	3	14	4	13	121	181	205	386	174	173	347	59	Dacca.
34	1	3	...	2	1	...	...	...	37	55	44	99	43	38	81	60	Narayanganj.
15	...	3	...	1	1	1	2	...	5	20	13	33	17	22	39	61	Mymensingh.
3	1	2	...	4	...	1	...	1	10	38	37	75	39	39	78	62	Jamalpur.
20	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	16	22	24	46	16	12	28	63	Sherpur.
11	5	2	1	...	...	2	...	...	5	16	20	36	11	16	27	64	Kishorganj.
7	5	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	9	13	14	26	5	7	12	65	Rajitpur.
3	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	11	23	34	17	14	31	66	Tangail.
16	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	26	28	54	8	5	13	67	Faridpur.
9	3	2	...	3	...	...	...	2	7	20	18	38	17	25	42	68	Madaripur.
16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	9	12	21	12	7	19	69	Barisal.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	4	9	7	16	7	9	16	70	Pirojpur.
9	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	34	21	25	46	22	18	40	71	Chittagong.
6	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6	7	13	3	12	15	72	Comilla.
35	9	3	...	...	1	7	...	...	18	38	38	76	21	10	31	73	Brahmanbaria.
4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8	12	20	12	15	27	74	Chandpur.
935	397	319	39	460	227	512	99	45	1,835	3,160	2,743	5,903	...	...	...		
836	349	221	74	402	231	496	108	23	1,895	3,016	2,574	5,590	...	...	...		
+99	+48	+98	-40	+58	-4	+16	-9	+22	-60	+144	+169	+313	...	...	...		

Taken as a whole, the statement possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of cases

In the returns for districts as ordered in Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, letter No. 118 San., dated the 8th February 1918.
Education Department, letter No. 94, dated the 26th March 1918.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of December 1923, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1923-24.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Major Works.						
Midnapore Canal	2,506	27,004	10,550	38,500	2,325	28,240
Hijili Tidal Canal	3,709	67,658	400	3,076	3,033	61,934
Total ...	6,215	94,662	10,950	41,576	5,358	90,174
Minor Works and Navigation.						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	50,852	330,040	4,990	40,370	37,057	2,34,017
Tolly's Nala	19,043	196,201	21,900	256,800	7,272	57,767
Madaripur Bil Route ...	149,719	958,426	1,166	9,011	33,857	2,30,282
Total ...	219,614	1,514,667	28,056	306,181	78,186	5,22,066
Magrahat Channels ...	9,834	52,644	290	8,300	2,666	18,562
Orissa Coast Canal	1,934	34,451	1,329	11,797	928	13,297
Nadia Rivers	...	16,065	...	365,215	...	5,119
Grand Total ...	231,382	1,617,827	29,675	691,493	81,780	5,59,044

Canals.	1922-23.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Major Works.						
Midnapore Canal	2,480	47,786	5,350	11,800	3,837	28,525
Hijili Tidal Canal	2,947	57,392	80	2,937	2,558	58,227
Total ...	5,427	105,178	5,430	14,737	6,395	86,752
Minor Works and Navigation.						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	47,342	351,044	84	5,724	28,654	2,08,856
Tolly's Nala	20,224	184,838	24,700	275,579	6,125	54,284
Madaripur Bil Route ...	102,557	1,069,462	762	14,584	23,504	2,36,317
Total ...	170,123	1,605,344	25,546	295,887	58,283	4,99,457
Magrahat Channels ...	7,153	40,096	659	43,091	2,141	16,879
Orissa Coast Canal	2,532	34,993	601	5,794	1,091	13,562
Nadia Rivers	2,302	32,665	12,850	789,170	1,092	10,008
Grand Total ...	182,110	1,713,098	39,656	1,140,738	62,607	5,39,906

T. C. BHATTACHARYA,

Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 12th February 1924.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 2nd February 1924.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
27th January ...	7 A.M.	39·15	39·15	37·35	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet above Kidderpore old dock sill.
28th „ ...	7 „	39·15	39·15	37·35	
29th „ ...	7 „	39·10	39·10	37·30	
30th „ ...	7 „	39·05	39·05	37·30	B. M. on Rajshahi College step 64·93.
31st „ ...	7 „	39·00	39·00	37·20	
1st February ...	7 „	39·00	39·00	37·15	Value of zero = 0·00 P. W. D.
2nd „ ...	7 „	38·95	38·95	37·05	

		Old value.		According to P. W. D. datum.
The previous year's	Highest water-level ...	on 27th August 1923	...	61·05
Do.	Lowest „ ...	on 4th May 1923	...	35·80
Record	Highest „ ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879	...	64·44
Do.	Do. „ ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885	...	64·27
Do.	Do. „ ...	68·30 on 25th August 1906	...	63·47
Do	Do. „ ...	68·21 on 26th August 1890	...	63·40
Do	Lowest „ ...	37·63 on 25th April 1884	...	32·82
Do.	Do „ ...	38·13 on 14th and 15th April 1883	...	33·32
Do.	Do. „ ...	39·02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	...	34·21
Do.	Do. „ ...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	...	34·47
Do.	Do. „ ...	on 9th May 1922	...	34·70

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAMPUR BOALIA *the 2nd February 1924.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement of weekly gauge readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 9th February 1924.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
3rd February ...	7 A.M.	38·95	38 95	37·00	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet above Kidderpur old dock sill.
4th „ ...	7 „	39·00	39·00	36 90	
5th „ ...	7 „	39·00	39 00	36·80	
6th „ ...	7 „	39·00	39 00	36·75	B. M. on Rajshahi College step 64·93.
7th „ ...	7 „	38·95	38·95	36·70	
8th „ ...	7 „	38·95	38 95	36·70	Value of zero = 0·00 P. W. D.
9th „ ...	7 „	38 90	38 90	36·70	

		Old value.		According to P. W. Datum.
The previous year	... Highest water-level ...	on 27th August 1923	...	61·05
Do.	... Lowest „ ...	on 4th May 1923	...	35·80
Record	... Highest „ ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879	...	64·44
Do	... Ditto „ ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885	...	64·27
Do.	... Ditto „ ...	68·30 on 25th August 1906	...	63·47
Do.	... Ditto „ ...	68·21 on 26th August 1890	...	63·40
Do.	... Lowest „ ...	37·63 on 25th April 1884	...	32·82
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Do.	... Ditto „ ...	39·02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	...	34·21
Do.	... Ditto „ ...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	...	34·47
Do.	... Ditto „ ...	on 9th May 1922	...	34·70

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAMPUR BOALIA, *the 9th February 1924.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 9th February 1924.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1924					
3rd February ...	7 A.M	6·5	6·5	7·0	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
4th " ...	7 "	6·6	6 6	7·2	
5th " ...	7 "	6 6	6·6	7·4	The bench mark for this gauge is marked on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
6th " ...	7 "	7·0	7·0	7·4	
7th " ...	7 "	7 1	7·1	7·3	
8th " ...	7 "	7·2	7 2	7·1	
9th " ...	7 "	7·2	7 2	6·9	

Highest water level of the year ... ... 24·1.
Lowest water level of the year ... ... 5·7.
Highest recorded flood ... ... 24 1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood ... ... 25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Lowest recorded water-level ... ... 5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923.
Previous recorded low water-level ... ... 1 0 on the 8th February 1914.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

C. H. DE, for *Subdivisional Officer*,
P. W. D., Faridpur.

RAJBARI, *the 11th February 1924.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 2nd February 1924.

Date.	At 7 A M	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1924.							
27th Jan.	52·25	17-20	52·95	11-5	51·55	52·9	E. T. at 17 30. F. T. at 11-10.
28th " ...	52·3	18-5	52·9	12-0	51·5	52 75	E. T. at 18-12. F. T. at 12-7.
29th " ...	52·45	Dark		12-55	51·15	52·7	F. T. at 13-2.
30th " ...	52·65	6-30	52·9	13-35	51·38	52·5	E. T. at 6-36. F. T. at 13-40.
31st " ...	52·45	7-25	52·825	14-30	51·3	52·1	E. T. at 7-35. F. T. at 14-39.
1st Feb.	52 05	8-25	52·75	15 20	51 28	51·8	E. T. at 8-35. F. T. at 15-28.
2nd " ...	51 9	9-36	52·8	16-10	51·35	51·6	E. T. at 9-44. F. T. at 16-16.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

		High			Low.	
27th August	1906	... 70·5		23rd February	1907	... 51·06
5th September	1909	... 67·86		18th "	1908	... 51·06
10th August	1910	... 69·86		12th March	1912	... 51·06
1st "	1911	... 68 46		6th "	1914	... 50 60
18th "	1912	... 67·16		22nd February	1915	... 50 80
31st "	1915	... 69·7		16th "	1916	... 50 60
18th "	1916	... 68·1	Taken at high tide.	3rd March	1917	... 51·0
12th "	1917	... 67·1		21st February	1918	... 51 40
31st "	1918	... 69·12		20th "	1919	... 50·4
2nd "	1919	... 66 8		18th "	1920	.. 50·9
8th September	1920	... 66·9		19th "	1921	... 50 9
28th July	1921	... 68 4		8th March	1922	... 51·05
10th August	1922	... 68·00				

Taken at low tide

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48·51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

S. C. MUKHARJI, for *Executive Engineer*,
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 16th February 1924.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 576L., dated Calcutta, the 20th February, 1924.—His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the power conferred upon him by clause (*2*) of rule 33 of the Bengal Legislative Rules, 1920, having directed that the Committee on Public Accounts shall consist of nine members, nominates the following three members as members of the said Committee, viz. :—

The Hon'ble the Finance Member	...	Chairman (*ex officio*).
Mr. T. Emerson, C.I.E.	...	Nominated.
Babu Debi Prosad Khaitan	...	

2. The following six members were, on the 28th January, 1924, elected by the non-official members of the Bengal Legislative Council to be members of the said Committee for the remainder of the year ending 31st March, 1924 :—

(1) Dr. Pramatha Nath Banerjea,
(2) Babu Satya Kishore Banerjee,
(3) Sir Willoughby Carey,
(4) Mr. D. J. Cohen,
(5) Mr. Syed M. Masih, and
(6) Dr. H. W. B. Moreno.

C. TINDALL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal and
Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 3541A.—The 25th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 26 (2) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Edward Farley Oaten, an official, to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council, *vice* Dr. T. O. D. Dunn, deceased.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 3557A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3379A.—The 18th February 1924.*—The orders of the 8th February 1924, appointing Khan Bahadur Asad-uz-Zaman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to have charge of the Madaripur subdivision of the Faridpur district, are cancelled.

Faridpur.

No. 3393A.—The 18th February 1924.—Maulvi Adiluzzaman Khan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tippera, is appointed to have charge of the Madaripur subdivision of the Faridpur district.

Tippera. Faridpur.

No. 3405A.—The 19th February 1924.—Babu Surendra Nath Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is appointed to have charge of the Ramgarh subdivision of the Chittagong Hill Tracts.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 3408A.—The 19th February 1924.—The orders of the 2nd January 1924, transferring Babu Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakhali, to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district, are cancelled.

Noakhali. Chittagong.

No. 3450A.—The 20th February 1924.—Mr. Banamali Sen, officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tippera and Chittagong.

Dinajpur. Tippera. Chittagong.

No. 3459A.—The 20th February 1924.—Mr. H. C. Liddell, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, and as Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Judicial Department.

Calcutta.

No. 3491A.—The 14th February 1924.—Babu Upendra Chandra Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Madaripur, Faridpur, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision.

Faridpur.

No. 3484A.—The 22nd February 1924.—Babu Jitendra Chandra Mazumdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manikganj, Dacca, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Tippera district.

Dacca. Tippera.

No. 3504A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Babu Rash Behari Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Burdwan Division.

Burdwan.

POLICE.—*No. 3416A.—The 19th February 1924.*—Mr. S. H. H. Mills, officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Asansol, Burdwan, is appointed to act as a Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.

Burdwan. Calcutta.

No. 3420A.—The 19th February 1924.—Mr. S. H. H. Mills, officiating Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is appointed, under the provisions of section 22 of Act V of 1898, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the limits of the town of Calcutta.

Calcutta.

No. 3423A.—The 19th February 1924.—Mr. W. Murray, officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police, Asansol, Burdwan, and under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to act as a Superintendent of Police in that district.

24-Parganas. Burdwan.

No. 3425A.—The 19th February 1924.—Mr. W. E. Duckfield, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the police work of the sub-section of the Eastern Bengal and Assam Bengal Railways, Chittagong, is appointed to act temporarily as Additional Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 3427A.—The 19th February 1924.—Mr. P. D. L. Kelly, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Chandpur, Tippera, is transferred to Chittagong and appointed to have charge of the police work on the Assam-Bengal Railway and the Dacca section of the Eastern Bengal Railway to the east of the river Jamuna.

Tippera. Chittagong.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3379A.—The 18th February 1924.*—Khan Bahadur Asad-uz-Zaman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on average pay for three months (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 16th February 1924.

No. 3388A.—The 18th February 1924.—Babu Binod Bihari Das Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for one month and ten days, viz., leave on average pay for fifteen days and leave on half average pay for the remaining period, under articles 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders dated the 19th October 1923.

No. 3390A.—The 18th February 1924.—Mr. P. E. Cammiade, I.C.S., has been granted by the High Commissioner for India an extension of leave on average pay for fourteen days.

No. 3410A.—The 19th February 1924.—Babu Bagala Prasanna Chakrabatti, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ramgarh, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is allowed leave on average pay for four months, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules. with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 3444A.—The 19th February 1924.—Babu Phanindra Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is allowed leave on average pay for fifteen days, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd February 1924.

Mymensingh.

No. 3454A.—The 20th February 1924.—Babu Surendra Mohan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, is granted leave on average pay for one month, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders dated the 14th January 1924.

No. 3590A.—The 23rd February 1924.—In modification of the orders contained in notification No. 1731A., dated the 12th January 1924, Maulvi Anwarul Haq, Sub-Deputy Collector, Julpaiguri, is allowed leave on average pay for four months (of which three months and thirteen days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 18th December 1923.

Jalpaiguri.

POLICE.—*No. 3413A.—The 19th February 1924.*—Mr. F. W. Kidd, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave for eight months, viz., leave on average pay for six months and fifteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st April 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Calcutta.

No. 3512A.—The 25th February 1924.—Mr. G. H. Mannooch, Superintendent of Police, Rajshahi, is allowed leave on average pay for two days, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd January 1924.

Rajshahi.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 944A.R.—The 15th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 15 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Regulations published with notification No. 1627A.R., dated the 11th August 1923, namely :—

In sub-regulation (*5*) of regulation LXXXV *for* the word "destroyed" the words "sold as waste paper" shall be *substituted*.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2017P.—The 19th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 28 of the Auxiliary Force Act, 1920 (XLIX of 1920), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. A. A. R. Cope to be a member of the Advisory Committee for the Calcutta military area, *vice* Mr. N. F. Paton, resigned.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3558A.

POWERS.

No. 3439A.—The 19th February 1924.—Babu Nripendra Nath Roy, Deputy Magistrate, Contai, Midnapore, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Midnapore.

No. 3441A.—The 19th February 1924.—Babu Nripendra Nath Roy, Deputy Magistrate, Contai, Midnapore, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Midnapore.

No. 3489A.—The 22nd February 1924.—Babu Jitendra Chandra Mazumdar, Deputy Magistrate, Tippera, is vested with powers under sections 133, 186 and 190 (*i*) (*c*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Tippera.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1686J.—The 18th February 1924.—Babu Manmatha Chandra Basu, munsif of Jalpaiguri, in the district of Dinajpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Chittagong.

Dinajpur.

No. 1689J.—The 18th February 1924.—Babu Atul Bihari Mallik, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Jalpaiguri, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Manmatha Chandra Basu, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

No. 1772J.—The 23rd February 1924.—Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, munsif of Malda, in the district of Rajshahi and Malda, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of Asansol in the district of Burdwan, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. Nalini Kanta Basu, or until further orders.

Malda.
Rajshahi.
Burdwan.

No. 1774J.—The 23rd February 1924.—Babu Suresh Chandra Ghosh, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a munsif in the district of Rajshahi and Malda, to be ordinarily stationed at Malda, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, or until further orders.

Rajshahi.
Malda.

No. 1776J.—The 23rd February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 628 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to appoint Mr. Satyendra Nath Basu, Barrister-at-Law, to act as Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Nagendra Nath Gupta, or until further orders,

Calcutta.

(*b*) to prescribe the Town Hall, Calcutta, as the place, and 11 A.M. to 2 P.M. on Saturdays and 11 A.M. to 5 P.M. on the other days of the week (except Sundays), as the times, respectively, at which the said Magistrate shall sit for the despatch of business.

No. 1812J.—The 23rd February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*3*) of section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), as amended by the Code of Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Act, 1923 (XVIII of 1923), the Governor in Council is pleased to fix the term of appointment of the gentlemen, named below, who were appointed Presidency Magistrates in Calcutta by notifications Nos 326J. and 328J., dated the 12th January 1924, to a period of three years with effect from the date of their respective appointment :—

Calcutta.

1. Babu Hiralal Banarji.
2. Mr. Sri Gopal Bhattacharji.
3. Rai Priya Nath Mukharji Bahadur, I.S.O.
4. Babu Ashutosh Ghosh.
5. Maulvi Gholam Hossain Shah.

No. 1813J.—The 23rd February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*3*) of section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), as amended by the Code of Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Act, 1923 (XVIII of 1923), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the term of appointment of an Honorary Presidency Magistrate shall be fixed for a period of three years from the date of his appointment unless a different term is specified in the order under which he is appointed.

LEAVE.

No. 1779J.—The 23rd February 1924.—Mr. Nagendra Nath Gupta, Barrister-at-Law, Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 11th March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

H. P. DUVAL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1809J.—The 23rd February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 55 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union boards mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be union benches within the jurisdiction of the union boards of which they are respectively members, for the purposes of that section.

2. This notification will take effect from the date of the first meeting of the reconstituted union boards at which a quorum is present :—

Names of members of union boards to constitute union benches in the Munshiganj subdivision, district Dacca.

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
1. Srinagar ...	1. Maulvi Rokanuddin Khan. 2. Babu Jogesh Chandra Basu. 3. „ Binode Behari Guha Thakurta. 4. „ Sudhangshu Kanta Ghosh. 5. Munshi Jamir Khan.
2. Bajrajogini ...	1. Rai Romesh Chandra Guha Bahadur. 2. Babu Adinath Chakrabarty. 3. „ Ambika Charan Ghosh, B.A. 4. „ Lal Mohan Chatterji. 5. Munshi Jigir Ali Halder.
3. Outsahi ...	1. Babu Jnanendra Mohan Mitra. 2. „ Upendra Nath Banerji. 3. Munshi Easin Khan. 4. Babu Abinash Chandra Banerji. 5. Munshi Cheragali Sikdar.
4. Sonarang ...	1. Babu Tarak Chandra Chakrabarty, M.A. 2. Munshi Muhammad Bewa Bepari. 3. Babu Binoy Bhusan Sen Gupta. 4. „ Mahendra Chandra Chanda.
5. Malkhanagar ...	1. Babu Binoy Chandra Basu Thakur. 2. „ Rakhal Chandra Chakrabarty. 3. „ Annada Charan Ganguli. 4. „ Jogendra Nath Chatterji. 5. Munshi Nazimuddin Chaudhuri.
6. Ichhapur ...	1. Babu Dinesh Chandra Ganguli. 2. „ Tarani Mohan Ganguli. 3. Munshi Munammad Rajjabali Sarker. 4. „ Muhammad Jyosh.
7. Haldia ...	1. Babu Lalit Mohan Chatterji. 2. „ Nasiram Saha Poddar. 3. „ Rai Mohan Saha. 4. „ Upendra Lal Sarkar. 5. Munshi Serajal Haque.
8. Bezgaon ...	1 Babu Sasanka Mohan Mukherji. 2. „ Debendra Chandra Sen. 3. Munshi Jiaruddin Molla. 4. „ Easin Howlader.
9. Banari ...	1. Babu Jatindra Mohan Chakrabarty. 2. „ Ashutosh Sen Gupta. 3. Munshi Sultanuddin Ahmed. 4. Gahur Munshi.

No. 1810J.—The 23rd February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members of the union boards mentioned below, during their term of office as such members, to be union courts within the jurisdiction of the union boards of which they are respectively members, for the purposes of that section.

2. This notification will take effect from the date of the first meeting of the reconstituted union boards at which a quorum is present :—

Names of members of union boards to constitute union courts in the Munshiganj subdivision, district Dacca.

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
1. Srinagar	...	1. Maulvi Rokanuddin Khan. 2. Babu Jogesh Chandra Basu. 3. „ Benode Behari Guha Thakurta. 4. „ Sudhanshu Kanta Ghosh. 5. Munshi Jamir Khan.
2. Bajrajogini	...	1. Rai Romesh Chandra Guha Bahadur. 2. Babu Adinath Chakrabarty. 3. „ Ambika Charan Ghosh, B.A. 4. „ Lal Mohan Chatterji. 5. Munshi Jigir Ali Halder.
3. Outsahi	...	1. Babu Jnanendra Mohan Mitra. 2. „ Upendra Nath Banerji. 3. Munshi Easin Khan. 4. Babu Abinash Chandra Banerji. 5. Munshi Cheragali Sikdar.
4. Sonarang	...	1. Babu Tarak Chandra Chakrabarty, M.A. 2. Munshi Muhammad Bewa Bepari. 3. Babu Binoy Bhusan Sen Gupta. 4. „ Mahendra Chandra Chanda.
5. Malkhanagar	...	1. Babu Binoy Chandra Basu Thakur. 2. „ Rakhal Chandra Chakrabarty. 3. „ Annada Charan Ganguli. 4. „ Jogendra Nath Chatterji. 5. Munshi Nazimuddin Chaudhuri.
6. Ichhapur	...	1. Babu Dinesh Chandra Ganguli. 2. „ Tarani Mohan Ganguli. 3. Munshi Muhammad Rajjabali Sarker. 4. „ Muhammad Jyosh.
7. Haldia	...	1. Babu Lalit Mohan Chatterji. 2. „ Nasiram Saha Poddar. 3. „ Rai Mohan Saha. 4. „ Upendra Lal Sarkar. 5. Munshi Serajal Haque.
8. Bezgaon	...	1. Babu Sasanka Mohan Mukherji. 2. „ Debendra Chandra Sen. 3. Munshi Jiaruddin Molla. 4. „ Easin Howlader.
9. Banari	...	1. Babu Jatindra Mohan Chakrabarty. 2. „ Ashutosh Sen Gupta. 3. Munshi Sultanuddin Ahmed. 4. Gahur Munshi.

H. P. DUVAL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 1816J.—The 25th February 1924.—In the lists of members of the Dogach union board, published under notifications Nos. 8483J. and 8484J., dated 24th December 1923, at page 16, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 2nd January 1924, *for* "Babu Upendra Nath Gossain" *read* "Babu Upendra Narain Gossain."

H. P. DUVAL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1738J.—The 20th February 1924.—Under rule 4 (*3*) of the rules regarding the management and discipline of the House of Detention in Calcutta, published with notification No. 8033 J., dated the 12th December 1923, and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned ladies and gentlemen as members of the Visiting Board for the control and management of the House of Detention at 85, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta, for a period of two years :—

(1) Mrs. K. C. De, O.B.E.
(2) „ F. Stanley.
(3) „ E. M. James.
(4) Mr. H. P. Duval, C.I.E., I.C.S.
(5) Rev. Father Carberry.
(6) Dr. D. N. Maitra.
(7) Shamsul Ulama M. Hedayet Husain Khan Bahadur, PH. D., M.R.A.S.
(8) Mr. S. Mahboob Aley, M.L.C.

W. ISLAM,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 696M.—The 19th February 1924.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government), in exercise of the power conferred on them by section 86 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Brahmanbaria Municipality, in the district of Tippera, made at a meeting, propose to make the following order.

Tippera.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 7th April 1924, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 86 (*a*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Brahmanbaria Municipality, in the district of Tippera, made at a meeting, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) sanction the levy, by the Commissioners of the said Municipality, of a tax, under section 131 of the Act, on carriages, horses and other animals.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 709M.—The 20th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Debhatta Municipality, in the district of Khulna, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Tarak Nath Modak to be Chairman of that municipality.

Khulna.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 719M.—The 20th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Babu Barada Prasanna Maitra, M.B., to be a Commissioner of the Sherpur Municipality, in the district of Bogra, *vice* Babu Syama Kishore Munshi, resigned.

Bogra.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 727 M.—The 21st February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*3*) of section 72 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to re-appoint Mr. D. C. Ghose, Barrister-at-Law, to be an Assessor of the Tribunal constituted under the said section for the purpose of performing the functions of the Court in reference to the acquisition of land for the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, with effect from the 8th March 1924.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Murshidabad.

No. 743M.— The 22nd February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend to the Azimganj Municipality in the district of Murshidabad all the provisions of the said Act except sub-section (*1*) of section 6.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Murshidabad.

No. 744M.—The 22nd February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 84 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the Commissioners of the Azimganj Municipality in the district of Murshidabad to exercise and perform in the said municipality the same powers and duties as are conferred or imposed by the said Act on the Corporation of Calcutta and the Commissioner of Police, respectively.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Murshidabad.

No. 745M.—The 22nd February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 71 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make for the Azimganj Municipality in the district of Murshidabad the by-laws which were published for information with notification No. 4621M., dated the 8th December 1923.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Hooghly.

No. 754L.S.-G.—The 23rd February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the election by the members of the Hooghly District Board of Babu Satis Chandra Mukherjee to be their Chairman.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas.

No. 771M.—The 25th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Maulvi A. F. M. Abdur Rahaman to be a Commissioner of the Basirhat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Maulvi A. K. M. Siddiq, resigned.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ERRATA.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Badangunj.

No. 694L.S.-G.—The 19th February 1924.—In the table appended to notification No. 1067L.S.-G., dated the 31st March 1920, published at pages 196-209 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 14th April 1920, make the following correction :—

Page 205, column 3 of the table, *for* 'Badangunj' *read* 'Goghat.'

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 704M.—The 19th February 1924.—In notification No. 124M., dated the 9th January 1924, published at page 91, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 16th January 1924, appointing certain gentlemen as Commissioners of the Bhatpara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *read* Mr. Alex Keay Thoms *for* Mr. Alex Keay Thomas.

24-Parganas.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MEDICAL.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 684Medl.—The 22nd February 1924.—Major A. Denham White, M.B., F.R.C.S.E., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, is transferred from Chittagong to Midnapore.

Chittagong. Midnapore.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 644Medl.—The 19th February 1924.—The following draft of a notification which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to issue in exercise of the power conferred by clause (*ii*) of section 69B of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and clause (*k*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th May 1924, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned on or before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*ii*) of section 69B of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and clause (*k*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make the following amendment in the latter part of the first sentence of the concluding paragraph of rule 47 (*iv*) (*b*) of the rules for the establishment and management of hospitals and dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, published under Government notification No. 138T.—Medl., dated the 7th June 1915, at pages 1052-1066 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, as subsequently modified :—

For "the local body concerned should move the District Officer to convene the committee"

substitute "the Chairman of the local body concerned shall convene the committee."

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

PUBLIC HEALTH.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 325P.H.—The 23rd February 1924.—It is hereby notified for general information that Basrah, Mohammerah and Abadan are declared free from cholera and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of cholera by sea, which were imposed in the ports of Calcutta and Chittagong against vessels arriving from Basrah, Mohammerah and Abadan, are hereby withdrawn.

Calcutta. Chittagong.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

No. 368P.H.—The 25th February 1924.—Under rule 7 of the Local Authorities Loans Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended, it is hereby notified for general information that the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) intend to sanction the following application from the Chairman of the Birbhum District Board for a loan of Rs. 50,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and repayable in twenty equal yearly instalments of Rs. 4,719-10-4 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said District Board.

Birbhum.

Application from the District Board, Birbhum, for a loan of Rs. 50,000.

The work or works for which the loan is required and an estimate of the cost thereof.	The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The law or laws under which the said fund or funds is or are levied, received or held.	RECEIPT OF LOAN. (a) The period for which the loan is required.	(b) The rate of interest at which it is proposed to borrow.	(c) The number of instalments in which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The date proposed for receiving each such instalment.	REPAYMENT OF LOAN. (f) The number of instalments in which the loan is repayable and the dates of payment thereof.	(g) The amount of each instalment.	FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE DISTRICT BOARD. REVENUE (DETAILS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS). Sources from which the revenue is derived.	Amount for— 1920-21.	1921-22.	1922-23.	EXPENDITURE (DETAILS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS). Objects on which the expenditure is incurred.	Amount for— 1920-21.	1921-22.	1922-23.	The normal surplus which may be expected in future, i.e., the difference between the average ordinary income and the average ordinary expenditure, calculated on the figures in columns 13 to 15 and 17 to 19, respectively.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
For improvement of water-supply in the district.	Rs. 50,000.	District Fund.	Act III (B. C.) of 1886.	Twenty years.	7 per cent.	One instalment.	Rs. 50,000.	29th March 1924.	Twenty yearly instalments payable on the 29th March each year commencing from the 29th March 1926.	Rs. 4,719-10-4.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	- Rs. 4,842.	
											Land revenue	...	...	...	Refunds and drawbacks ...	...	...	...		
											Local rates	1,53,869	1,56,059	1,57,941	Land revenue	...	...	...		
											Interest	...	...	...	Local rates	...	...	...		
											Law and Justice	214	248	168	Interest on loans	...	...	...		
											Police	10,656	12,162	1,028	General administration ...	12,038	15,264	15,498		
											Education	49 713	49,323	49,474	Law and justice	131	217	638		
											Medical	33,930	8,436	10,333	Police	947	180	35		
											Scientific and other minor departments.	178	89	221	Ports and pilotage... ...	...	...	...		
											Contribution for pensions and gratuities.	...	...	...	Education	69,486	75,588	79,858		
											Stationery and printing ...	...	...	...	Medical	52,466	33,812	22,616		
											Miscellaneous	794	827	678	Scientific and other minor departments.	5,104	3,879	5,054		
											Railways	...	...	...	Superannuation allowances and pensions.	1,745	2,165	2,250		
											Local canal receipts ...	...	...	...	Stationery and printing ...	2,257	2,661	3,500		
											Civil works	22,091	22,495	22,468	Miscellaneous	130	2,615	6,786		
											Total ordinary income ...	2,71,435	2,49,639	2,42,261	Famine relief	...	...	500		
											Extraordinary and debt ...	19,251	31,251	20,566	Railways	...	...	...		
											Receipts of abnormal character.	...	...	...	Minor Works and Navigation.	...	...	...		
											Total ...	19,251	31,251	20,566	Civil Works	1,10,201	1,33,203	1,09,855		
											Opening balance ...	1,10,682	1,11,909	46,299	Repayment of loans ...	...	...	...		
											GRAND TOTAL ...	4,01,368	3,92,799	3,09,126	Total ordinary expenditure	2 54,615	2,69,864	2,53,660		
															Extraordinary and debt (excluding repayment of loans).	34,844	60,253	31,688		
															Expenditure from loan funds and from grants included under the head "Receipts of abnormal character."	...	16,663	...		
															Total ...	34,844	60,253	31,688		
															Deposits ...	48,680	20,215	14,376		
															Closing balance ...	...	...	...		
															Actual balance ...	63,229	26,084	9,402		
															GRAND TOTAL ...	4,01,368	3,92,799	3,09,126		

In addition to the details required on the reverse, clear information should be given below under the following heads:—

(*a*) If the ordinary surplus is insufficient to meet the charges of the proposed loan the particular steps which the District Board has taken, or has agreed to take, in order to make good the deficiency.	It is proposed to make good the deficiency from the usual annual allotment of about Rs. 10,000 for water-supply.
(*b*) Possible means of increase in the revenues of the District Board.	(*a*) The imposition of cess on mines: this may develop to more than Rs. 3,000 in the next few years; the income from this source has already risen by Rs. 1,300 or thereabout in course of the last two or three years; (*b*) and a revaluation of the cess which is likely to be taken up after the settlement operations in the district are over.
(*c*) A statement of all outstanding loans specifying in respect of each loan the date when taken, the purpose (very briefly), the amount, the annual charges involved and the amount still payable.	Nil.
(*d*) Any explanations in regard to receipts and expenditure to show the true financial position of the District Board when such position is otherwise than the ordinary surplus would indicate.	The expenditure for the year 1921-22 shewed a heavy increase under the sub-head "Miscellaneous" owing to the refund of Rs. 10,000 on account of the contribution paid by the Raja of Hetampur for construction of the Bakreswar bridge and of about Rs. 6,500 for the balances of union committees whose accounts were incorporated with the District Board accounts but were separated from the same on the formation of union boards in the district. This heavy outlay reduced the balance at the credit of the Fund.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 3094, dated Calcutta, the 19th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Bankim Chandra Banarji of the Barasat subdivision and dispensary, 24-Parganas, is appointed to be Second House Surgeon, Ophthalmic Ward, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Prafulla Kumar Banarji.

No. 3097, dated Calcutta, the 19th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Manomohan Chakravarti of the Asansol subdivision, Burdwan district, is posted to the Barasat subdivision and dispensary in the 24-Parganas, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Bankim Chandra Banarji.

No. 4000, dated Calcutta, the 19th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Mithilesh Chandra Ghosh is posted to the Asansol subdivision, Burdwan district, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Monomohan Chakravarti.

No. 4003, dated Calcutta, the 19th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Abdul Majed, officiating Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, is appointed to be Emergency Officer, Medical College Hospitals, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Monoj Nath Gupta.

No. 4005, dated Calcutta, the 19th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Rash Behari Datta (on leave) is appointed to be Resident Assistant Surgeon, Sambhunath Pandit Hospital, Bhowanipur, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Sita Nath Ghosh.

No. 4008, dated Calcutta, the 19th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Bon Behari Mukherji, House Surgeon, Surgical Out-patient Department, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, is appointed to be Registrar of surgical cases in that hospital, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Amulya Ratan Chakravarti.

No. 4010, dated Calcutta, the 19th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Rajendra Chandra Dutt of the Madaripur subdivision and dispensary, Faridpur district, is posted to the Noakhali dispensary, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Prafulla Ranjan Das Gupta.

No. 4035, dated Calcutta, the 19th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Bisseswar Chakrabatti, officiating at the Ghatal subdivision and dispensary, district Midnapore, is posted to the Midnapore dispensary, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Jitendra Nath Ghosh.

No. 4037, dated Calcutta, the 19th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Nath Roy is appointed to be Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, Amingaon, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Manmatha Nath Chatarji.

No. 4061, dated Calcutta, the 19th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Ghosh (II) of the Ghatal Subdivision and Dispensary, Midnapore district, is granted leave on average pay for one month, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd February 1924.

No. 4471.—The 21st February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Pramathes Kumar Bhattacharji, Additional Assistant Surgeon, Sambhu Nath Pandit Hospital, Bhowanipore, is granted leave on average pay for two months (the entire period on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81(*b*)(*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 15th January 1924.

No. 4606, dated Calcutta, the 22nd February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Srish Chandra Sarkar is granted leave on average pay for one month (entirely on account of privilege leave at his credit) under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 25th January 1924.

B. H. DEARE,
Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Appointment by the Chancellor.

Calcutta.

No. 621Edn.—The 18th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6, sub-section (*3*) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), as amended by the Calcutta University Act, 1921 (VII of 1921), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to approve of the following elections of Ordinary Fellows by the Registered Graduates of the University with effect from the dates mentioned against their names :—

(1) Mr. Pramathanath Banerjee, M.A., B.L., with effect from the 29th March 1924.
(2) Mr. Mahendranath Ray, C.I.E., M.A., B.L., with effect from the 29th March 1924.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Murshidabad.

No. 624Edn.—The 20th February 1924.—Mr. T. G. Barker, head master, Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad, was allowed combined leave for two months, under article 232 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th September 1923, viz., privilege leave on full pay for fifteen days under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, and commuted furlough for the remaining period on medical certificate under the Government of India, Finance Department resolution No. 2099C.S.R., dated the 27th November 1920, and article 301 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations (New).

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Rajshahi Divn.
Presidency Divn.

No. 627Edn.—The 20th February 1924.—Mr. J. W. Gunn, officiating Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, with effect from the date on which he joined the appointment, *vice* Dr. T. O. D. Dunn, on deputation.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Dacca Divn.
Rajshahi Divn.

No. 628Edn.—The 20th February 1924.—Mr. Matloob Ahmad Khan Chaudhuri, Second Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, now on leave, is appointed to act as Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Mr. E. E. Biss, on leave, or until further orders.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 636Edn.—The 25th February 1924.—Mr. E. F. Oaten, Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, is appointed temporarily to act, until further orders, as Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, *vice* Mr. W. W. Hornell, C.I.E., on leave.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Darjeeling.

No. 618Edn.—The 19th February 1924.—Mrs. H. A Nugent is appointed to act as a teacher, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, with effect from the beginning of the next school session in March 1924, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. E. E. Sharp, or until further orders.

T. O. D. DUNN,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

Education.

CALCUTTA, THE 25TH FEBRUARY 1924.

RESOLUTION—No. 635Edn.

By the death of Dr. Theodore Oliver Douglas Dunn, M.A., D. Litt., the State has lost the services of a capable public servant, and the Governor and his Minister (Education Department) desire to place on record an expression of their regret at this grave loss and their sympathy with his widow. Dr. Dunn was born at Haldane, Cambuslang, Scotland, on the 9th of October 1881, and entered the Indian Educational Service on the 7th December 1908. He assumed charge of the office of the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, on the afternoon of the 23rd of January 1924. He had acted in this capacity on a previous occasion in 1919, and during that period of officiating service showed that he was possessed of considerable administrative ability. During the brief period that has elapsed since he assumed charge of the department for the second time, he carried out his duties with energy and marked capacity.

Dr. Dunn had served Government prior to his promotion to officiate as Director of Public Instruction in various important capacities in Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam. He had occupied the posts of Inspector of Schools and Assistant Director of Public Instruction with credit and had made a special study of the problem of primary education in Calcutta, and his knowledge in this respect proved of great value to the Corporation of Calcutta. As an administrator he was energetic and forceful, endowed with sound judgment and the power of rapid decision.

At the time of his death he was establishing for himself a recognised position in India as a literary critic and man of letters. His own University of Glasgow honoured him with a doctorate in literature. Of late years he had devoted much of his leisure to the task of making better known the work of British Indian authors, both English and Indian, and had also established himself as a force in the revived Calcutta Historical Society. The literary world of Calcutta is the poorer for his loss.

The Governor and his Minister (Education Department) desire to record their high appreciation of Dr. Dunn's valuable services to the State and to the cause of education in Bengal.

By order of the Government of Bengal
(Ministry of Education),

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Birbhum.

No. 355Mis.—The 20th February 1924.—Notification No. 2629Mis., dated the 30th December 1922, published at page 33, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th January 1922, as amended by the erratum No. 197Mis., dated the 3rd February 1923, published at page 166, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th February 1923, declaring the two mounds to the north of the village Bhadisvar, in the district of Birbhum, in the Burdwan Division, to be protected monuments, is hereby confirmed under section 3 (*3*) of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904).

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Birbhum. *No. 359Mis.—The 19th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Quazi Shamser Ali temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Nalhati and Muraroi, in the district of Birbhum, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Quazi Abdul Ghafur, or until further orders.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Birbhum. *No. 360Mis.— The 19th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Quazi Shamsher Ali temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Nalhati and Muraroi, in the district of Birbhum, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Quazi Abdul Ghafur or until further orders.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Burdwan. *No. 375Mis.—The 21st February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Molla Abdul Hai temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar, within police-station Mongolkot, in the district of Burdwan, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Ismail, or until further orders.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Burdwan. *No. 376Mis.—The 21st February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Molla Abdul Hai temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Mongolkot, in the district of Burdwan, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Ismail, or until further orders.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Dacca. Pabna. *No. 383Mis.—The 20th February 1924.*—Babu Manoranjan Das, Sub-Registrar in charge of the Sadar Registration office at Dacca, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar in charge of the Sadar Registration office at Pabna.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Pabna. Bogra. *No. 385Mis.—The 20th February 1924.*—Babu Satish Chandra Gupta, Sub-Registrar, now officiating as Sub-Registrar in charge of the Sadar Registration office at Pabna, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar in charge of the Sadar Registration office at Bogra.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Bogra. Dacca. *No. 387Mis.—The 20th February 1924.*—Maulvi Saiyid Masun-us Salihin, Sub-Registrar, now officiating as Sub-Registrar in charge of the Sadar Registration office at Bogra, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar in charge of the Sadar Registration office at Dacca.

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

Jalpaiguri. *No. 95.—The 18th February 1924.*—Babu Karun Chandra Chatarji, Sub-Registrar of Alipur-Duars, in the district of Jalpaiguri, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Chittagong. *No. 96.—The 19th February 1924.*—Maulvi Mujibul Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Banskhali, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for two months (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 48, dated the 25th January 1924.

No. 97.—The 19th February 1924.—Babu Mahendra Lal Barua, Sub-Registrar of Rangania, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for three months (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st March 1924, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Chittagong.

No. 98.—The 21st February 1924.—Maulvi Abul Hassan Choudhury, probationer of Calcutta, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, with effect from the 30th January 1924, until further orders.

Calcutta. Rangpur.

No. 99.—The 21st February 1924.—Babu Amod Lal Barman, Sub-Registrar, on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Potashpur, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

This cancels this department notification No. 554, dated the 18th December 1923, appointing Babu Amod Lal Barman as Sub-Registrar of Mohanpur, in the district of Midnapore.

J. N. RAY,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal (offg.).

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 27Marine.—The 18th February 1924.—Mr. W. M. Taylor, Acting Senior Master Pilot, is granted leave on average pay for eight months, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he avails himself of it.

No. 28Marine.—The 18th February 1924.—The following by-law framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta in exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Howrah Bridge Act, 1871, is published as required by section 24 of the said Act :—

Fee for passes permitting motor lorries and other heavy vehicles to cross the bridge.

The fee for each pass issued under by-law 2 of the by-laws for the safe and convenient use of the Howrah Bridge published under this Department notification No. 132Marine, dated the 29th December 1922, shall be Re. 1 yearly.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 4.—The 19th February 1924.—Babu Khitis Chandra Moitra, Upper Subordinate, Hijli Division, is granted, under rule 81 (*b*) and the note thereunder of the Fundamental Rules, leave on average pay for a period of six months (entirely on account of privilege leave at his credit), with effect from the 1st March 1924, or any subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

G. G. DEY,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 5.—The 20th February 1924.—Mr. H. F. D. Jacob, Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, is granted, under article 81 (*c*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, leave "not due" on half average pay for four days in extension of the leave notified in Bengal Government notification No. 59, dated the 5th November 1923.

G. G. DEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Fourth publication.]

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 81.—The 28th January 1924.—The following draft of revised rules and rates of tolls for the Calcutta and Eastern Canals, Tolly's Nala and Sundarbans Steamer Route, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Revised Rules and Rates of Tolls.

The rules shall apply to the following navigable channels which are included under the designation "Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala" and the "Sundarbans Steamer Route."

I. The Circular Canal comprising the still-water canals between the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks and the New Cut Canal from Ultadingi to Dhapa Lock, together with its junction with the river Hooghly and Orange Soorah at Dhapa.

II. The Central Lake Channel from its junction with the Circular canal at the Dhapa Lock to its junction with the Bidyadhari at Bamunghatta.

III. The Nowbhanga khal extending northwards for a mile from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock.

IV. The Soorah from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock and extending to the fish market situated adjacent to, and to the west of, the Dhapa Inspector's residence.

V. Tolly's Nala extending from a line drawn across the Nala 25 feet west of the Hastings Bridge at Kidderpore to the Bidyadhari river at Samukpota.

VI. The Kristopore Canal extending from a point in the New Cut Canal, 1 mile 4,700 feet from the Chitpore Lock to a point where it joins the Bhangore khal at Kantatala.

VII. The outfall channel of the Thakurdhari sluice, 4,180 feet in length, extending from a point in village Thakurdhari near the 5th mile-post of the Kristopore Canal to the Thakurdhari sluice on the Paran Chaprasi's khal.

VIII. The Sundarbans Steamer Route as defined in notification No. 71 of the 22nd July 1922.

1. Every vessel on entering the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala shall be liable to measurement for the purpose of ascertaining the tolls payable ; in case of any reasonable doubt arising, the persons appointed by the Governor in Council to collect tolls and officers to whom such persons are subordinate shall have authority to enter upon and again measure a vessel notwithstanding that it was measured on entering the canals.

2. Vessels for the purposes of the determination of tonnage shall be divided into two classes as below :—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build, including *saltees* and *hapars* (fish cages).

Class II.—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and other square built vessels.

The net tonnage of every vessel, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of Act V (B.C.) of 1864 and of these rules, be determined by the following measurements :—

Class I.—

A.—The product of one quarter the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches : the measurement of breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting any remainder of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which the amount of toll is calculated shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 12½ maunds, any remainder of less than 12½ maunds being rejected. In the case of vessels exceeding 500 maunds by measurement, the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 50 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 50 maunds.

D.—**Saltees.**—The product of one quarter of the inside length of the vessel measured along the centre line from stem to stern, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the greatest depth measured from the top to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which tolls shall be levied.

Class II.—

For vessels of class II the number of maunds obtained by the system of measurement prescribed for vessels of class I, shall be increased by one-half. For vessels of this class above 5,000 maunds measurement the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 500 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 500 maunds. In the case of steamers, the maundage determined as above shall be reduced by one-third as an allowance for engine space.

For vessels of class II which are furnished with reliable way-bills, the gross maundage of cargo shown by the way-bills, or in the case of steamers, the maundage obtained from multiplying the registered tonnage of the steamer by 27, may, at the option of the employer of the vessel or the steamer (as the case may be), be taken as the maundage on which toll will be charged :

Provided that firms or individuals, who wish to make use of this rule, must be approved by the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle, and that such approval may be withdrawn for any just cause.

3. Every vessel entering the canals shall be furnished with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the cargo it contains, the amount of toll charged, and the number of days for which the ticket remains current, shall be entered.

4. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed : Provided that the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle may at his direction permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognised standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

5. The ticket must be kept on board the vessel and must be produced for inspection when demanded by any person authorised to collect tolls, or by any officer to whom such person is subordinate. If on demand the ticket is not produced, such person or officer shall assess the tollage as provided in rule 2 and shall require payment of toll, and unless and until the toll is paid, or the original ticket or a duplicate is produced as evidence that toll has already been paid, the vessel shall be liable to seizure and detention under the provisions of section IX of the Act.

6. Duplicates of lost tickets, of which the numbers and dates can be satisfactorily established, will be granted by the collector of tolls on payment of a sum of one rupee and annas eight. Provided that for tickets on which the total tollage is less than six rupees the fee to be charged for a duplicate shall be one quarter of the total tollage. The minimum fee will be eight annas per ticket.

7. A vessel which has been detained under these rules or under section IX of the Act may not be removed from the canals without the order of the collector of tolls until the toll due has been paid and a ticket obtained for presentation at the exit station. During such detention the manjee, owner or agent must make arrangements for the safety of the vessel and cargo.

8. All vessels, whether the property of Government or of private owners, are liable for toll except those specially exempted under any Government orders in force for the time being.

9. Vessels may be hauled up for repairs on the banks of the canals with the previous written permission of the supervisor appointed by the Governor in Council under section XIII. A rent calculated at one-sixth the rate of ordinary demurrage will be charged for the time the vessel occupies the bank. No vessel may be launched in the canal without the previous written permission of the supervisor.

10. At places where mooring posts have been provided by the supervisor, vessels desiring to moor shall be made fast in single line along the banks to such posts in such manner as the supervisor may direct and shall not be moored in any other manner.

11. The Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle, may fix the limit within which vessels are permitted to remain free of toll, and may also define the limits within which no loading or unloading shall be permitted.

12. No vessel whose extreme breadth including overhanging cargo exceeds 35 feet will be permitted to enter the locks at Chitpore or Dhapa : in the case of the Kulti and Bamunghatta Locks the maximum width allowable is 29 feet.

13. The supervisor may, by written notices to be posted at the toll offices, prohibit the dropping of anchors or the putting up of bamboos or *luggees* in any specified part of the canals or on the banks.

14. Vessels shall be allowed to make fast in single line along the canal banks in such manner as may be directed by the supervisor, and no vessel shall be made fast or be placed outside of vessels so secured. No vessel or raft shall be placed in such a position as to endanger the safety, or obstruct the passage, of other vessels. Every vessel shall at all times have some responsible person on board when the vessel is within the locked canals between toll stations or on Tolly's Nala.

15. Vessels passing through the canals shall keep in separate lines, in accordance with the rules in force as laid down by the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle from time to time.

16. No person shall deposit goods of any description on the berms of the canals between the frontage roads or towpaths and the canals, except during the actual process of loading or unloading vessels, without the previous permission of the supervisor.

17. Iron built cargo boats, with outside angle irons projecting beyond the wooden fenders, will not be allowed to enter the locks unless permanent fenders are fixed over the edges of the angle irons so as to prevent them from causing damage to the lock.

18. No fire or open or unprotected light of any description shall be used on vessels containing petroleum, jute, hay or straw while in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala ; and no fire or open or unprotected light (except in the case of steamers, the galley and engine-room fires and the electric light) shall be used on any vessel while in a lock basin.

19. No person shall wilfully or negligently allow a vessel to sink in the canals. No vessel which is obviously overloaded or unseaworthy will be permitted to proceed along any part of the canals until made safe to the satisfaction of the supervisor or his staff.

20. In every case of a sunken vessel, whether due to negligence or otherwise, the supervisor and his subordinates shall offer every assistance in removing the same.

If three days after the occurrence of a wreck, it is seen that prompt measures are not being taken by the owner to remove the sunken vessel from the line of navigation, the supervisor and his subordinates shall make their own arrangements for the removal of the same at the expense of the owner, provided that when the wreck obstructs the fairway they shall take immediate steps to remove the same.

21. When a sunken vessel has been recovered, the supervisor shall cause notices to be posted at the locks, toll-offices, or other prominent places, calling on those concerned to pay to the collector of tolls all toll or demurrage which may be due, as well as the expenses incurred in the recovery of the vessel and cargo ; should the sum due be not paid within fifteen days of the date of notice, the boat and its furniture, or so much of it as may be necessary for the recovery of the dues, will be sold under the procedure directed in section IX of the Act.

22. The purchaser of a vessel sold under the provisions of section IX of the Act shall have the right to take it out of the canals on the day of purchase, or within such time as may be allowed by the collector of tolls, without payment of tolls.

23. When any laden vessel which has sunk has been recovered or when, any laden vessel has been seized under the provisions of the Act, or of these rules, the supervisor shall give immediate notice of the recovery or seizure to the owner of the cargo or his agent, requiring the removal of the cargo without delay, and informing him that he will be required to pay all expenses necessary for the proper custody and storage of the cargo until removed.

24. If the supervisor be unable to ascertain the name and place of business or the abode of the owner of the cargo of such vessel, the notice prescribed in rule 23 shall be effected by a notice exhibited in his office, and by advertisement in at least one English and one vernacular Calcutta newspaper.

25. Steamers are not allowed to tow flats or cargo boats in the Circular Canal, but may tow one flat or barge at a time astern in the New Cut Canal or Kristopore Canal within toll limits.

26. **Lights and signals.**—All vessels, whether travelling or moored in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala, must, between sunset and sunrise, carry a white light properly protected from the weather on the forepart of the vessel where it can be distinctly seen from all sides. All steam vessels in motion shall carry the lights prescribed by the Board of Trade Regulations. Barges or boats attached to a steam vessel, whether in motion or moored, shall carry the light prescribed above.

27. **Speed of vessels.**—Every vessel proceeding through the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala must, between sunset and sunrise, limit her speed to three miles per hour.

28. For any contravention of rules 7, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 25, 26 and 27 the person in charge of the vessel or other person in fault shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 or Rs. 5 a day for any continuing infringement.

29. No boats will be allowed to remain in the entrance channels to the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks.

30. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given ; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained.

SCHEDULE OF TOLLS.

Tolly's Nala.

No.	Description of vessels.	ENTERING AT KIDDERPORE.		ENTERING AT RUSSA.	
		Not proceeding beyond Russa and returning *via* Kidderpore.	Proceeding beyond Russa.	Not proceeding beyond Kidderpore and returning *via* Russa.	Proceeding beyond Kidderpore.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
2	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber.	0 4 0	0 6 0	0 4 0	0 6 0
3	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
4	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred.	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
5	On *saltees* under 25 maunds, each *saltee* ...	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0
6	On *saltees* of 25 maunds and less than 50 maunds, each *saltee*.	0 12 0	1 0 0	0 12 0	1 0 0
7	On *saltees* of 50 maunds and less than 75 maunds, each *saltee*.	1 2 0	1 8 0	1 2 0	1 8 0
8	On *saltees* of 75 maunds and not exceeding 100 maunds, each *saltee*.	1 8 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	2 0 0
9	Minimum toll on all vessels	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0

NOTE 1.—Loaded vessels entering the Nala and again leaving by the station of entry will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement and when leaving will again pay tolls in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty they will be passed out free of any further charge. A boat returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the Nala.

NOTE 2.—Empty vessels entering "to load" and again leaving by the station of entry will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion, and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 3.—Through vessels entering at Kidderpore and leaving at Russa or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 4.—The tollage rates for items 2, 3 and 4 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 5.—The tollage charged for items 5, 6, 7 and 8 includes the return journey; *saltees* over 100 maunds will pay the tolls prescribed under item 1.

Calcutta Canals.

No.	Description of vessels.	ENTERING AT CHITPORE.		Entering from the east at Kristopore or Dhapa and leaving at either Chitpore, Dhapa or Kristopore.
		Not proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.	Proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels except those loaded with fire-wood per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 12 0	2 12 0
2	On all boats, steamers or other vessels laden with fire-wood per hundred maunds	1 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0
3	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber ...	0 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
4	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber ...	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
5	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
6	Minimum toll on all vessels	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0

NOTE 6.—Loaded vessels entering the canal at Chitpore and again leaving *via* Chitpore will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement, and when leaving will again pay toll in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty, they will be passed out free of any further charge. A vessel returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the canal.

NOTE 7.—Empty vessels entering at Chitpore "to load" and again leaving *via* Chitpore will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 8.—Through vessels entering at Chitpore and leaving at Dhapa or Kristopore or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving, according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry: if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 9.—The tollage rates for items 3, 4 and 5 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 10.—Vessels entering at Dhapa and Kristopore will be passed out free at the station of entry, provided the maundage does not exceed that when entering; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 11.—(1) Monthly tickets are, at the option of the payers, issued to boats carrying passengers, grass or perishable articles going to the Orphangunj Bazar or proceeding outside the Dhapa Lock. The cost of these tickets is at six times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the supervisor's office, and at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the toll stations at Dhapa or Kidderpore.

(2) Monthly tickets at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated under item 1 of the Schedule for entering the canals from the eastward will be issued to boats carrying passengers, vegetables and perishable goods for plying within the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals. These tickets will not entitle the boats to pass through the Dhapa or Chitpore Lock, but they will be allowed to pass the Kristopore toll-station.

NOTE 12.—*Demurrage.*—Every vessel, raft or float, which has paid toll, shall be allowed three days for passing through the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals and two days for Tolly's Nala between Russa and Kidderpore, and three days for the reach outside Dhapa Lock, the days of entering and leaving being both included. In addition to these periods, they may, without further payment, remain in the canals for the additional undermentioned periods, that is to say—

Vessels—Two days for the first hundred maunds and one day for every hundred maunds above the first hundred maunds.

Floats.—Two days for any number of timbers not exceeding fifty, and one day for every additional fifty.

Rafts.—Two days for any number of bamboos not exceeding five hundred and one day for every additional five hundred.

Every vessel, raft or float remaining in any part of the aforesaid canals longer than the period allowed under the foregoing rules shall, for each day in excess of such period, be charged demurrage equal to one-half of the toll payable under the schedules above, provided that the demurrage charged shall in no case exceed Rs. 7-8 per diem.

(Open *dinghies* accompanying large boats are entitled to the same demurrage allowance of time as the parent boats.)

NOTE 13.—Steamers or flats passing through the Lower Sundarbans channels must pay tolls at the rate of Rs. 20 each per single trip.

NOTE 14.—*Additional toll.*—All boats, steamers and flats, after passing out of the Dhapa Lock must proceed outside the toll limit at Bamunghatta within 48 hours; otherwise a fresh toll will be levied in accordance with the rules in force.

NOTE 15.—(1) During the period of closure of Tolly's Nala at Samukpotta, vessels laden with firewood will be permitted to proceed from the Bidyadhari or Bhangore khal to Tolly's Nala and back through the Circular, New Cut and Kiderpore Canals *viâ* Kidderpore on payment of three rupees per hundred maunds by canal measurement. Vessels plying under this concession will not be permitted to unload their cargo except in Tolly's Nala and must return empty. Infringement of this rule will render such vessels liable to the ordinary tollage in force.

(2) Vessels laden with cargo other than firewood will be allowed a similar concession for journeys mentioned in the foregoing rule on payment of Rs. 2-12 per hundred maunds. On the return voyage only they may load in the Hooghly or any of the canals including Tolly's Nala and will pay in accordance with the following schedule :—

(*a*) If vessels accomplish the return trip empty, no further toll will be levied.

(*b*) If vessels leave Tolly's Nala with a load not exceeding that on entry and proceed out at Dhapa or Kristopore without taking in extra cargo on the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals, no further toll will be levied.

(*c*) Vessels leaving Tolly's Nala with a load exceeding that on entry will be charged for the additional cargo at Rs. 4 per hundred maunds.

(*d*) Vessels picking up cargo in the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals will pay the ordinary schedule tolls on all cargo thus loaded.

NOTE 16.—Tolls will be levied at the toll offices at Russa and Kidderpore on Tolly's Nala and at Chitpore, Kristopore, Dhapa and Bantolla on the Circular Canals.

[Fourth publication.]

No. 91.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix for the inner main channel, branch channels and outlets, viz., the Gouri khal, Kedar khal, and Matler khal and for the outfall channel on the river side of the Sarenga sluice of the Burrojolla drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessel along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying toll.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls —

(*a*) For the inner channel—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

		A.	P.
Per trip either way ..	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage ...	12	0
	For each 12½ maunds ...	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

		A.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage ...	4	0
	For each 12½ maunds ...	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Sarenga near the sluice.
(2) Ghoraghata at the junction of an old side khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(3) Dhulagori at the junction of Matler khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(4) Kushadanga at the junction of Gouri khal outlet with the branch channels leading to the bridge at Joyrampur.

[Fourth publication.]

No. 101.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix, for the inner channels, as well as the outfall channel on the river side of the Nazirganj sluice, in the Howrah drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessels along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying tolls.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls—

(*a*) For the inner channels—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

		As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage	12	0
	For each 12½ maunds	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

		As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage	4	0
	For each 12½ maunds	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Panchpara (Nazirganj).
(2) Chamrali.
(3) Tentulkuli.
(4) Unshani.

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ERRATUM.

No. 121.—The 26th February 1924.—In paragraph 1 of *amendments*, published in notification No. 4-I., dated the 10th January 1924, at pages 96 and 97, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th *idem*, making amendments in the rules and schedules of rates of tolls for the Midnapore Canal with branch to Naraingar, *for* "any remainder of less than 12 maunds being rejected" *read* "any remainder of less than 12½ maunds being rejected."

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES.

VETERINARY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 792.—The 20th February 1924.—Babu Jnanendra Nath Mitra, Chief Glanders Inspector, is appointed to act as Lecturer, Bengal Veterinary College, *vice* Maulvi Saiyid Sultan Ahmad while acting as Vice-Principal of the College.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

EXCISE.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmad Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 850Ex.—The 25th February 1924.—The orders of the 21st January 1924 granting leave on average pay for fifteen days from the 20th idem or any subsequent date, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, to Babu Gunendra Nath Ray Chaudhuri, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Tippera and Noakhali, are hereby cancelled.

Tippera. Noakhali.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

No. 1712.—The 18th February 1924.—Babu Kshitish Chandra Guha, in class I of the Subordinate Agricultural Service, is allowed leave as detailed below :—

Privilege leave for one month and twenty-nine days from the 3rd November 1921 to the 31st December 1921, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with leave on half average pay for one year, seven months and twenty-seven days from the 1st January 1922 to 27th August 1923 under Fundamental Rule 81 (*d*); leave on half average pay (not due) under Fundamental Rule 81 (*c*) (*ii*) for six months from the 28th August 1923 to 27th February 1924; and thereafter extraordinary leave for six months under Fundamental Rule 85 (*b*), subject to the condition that the officer returns to duty on the expiry of leave.

This cancels this office notifications Nos. 11900A., dated the 7th November 1922, and 15910, dated the 18th December 1923.

No. 1999A.—The 21st February 1924.—Mr. Surendra Nath Bose, Bacteriological Assistant under the Fibre Expert to the Government of Bengal, is granted leave on average salary for six days, in extension of the leave sanctioned in this office notification No. 81T. A., dated the 26th January 1924.

No. 2015.—The 22nd February 1924.—Babu Pramatha Nath Chakravarty, District Agricultural Officer, Dacca, is appointed to be District Agricultural Officer, 24-Parganas.

Babu Kshitish Chandra Banerjee, District Agricultural Officer, on deputation under the Fibre Expert to the Government of Bengal, is appointed to be District Agricultural Officer, Dacca, *vice* Babu Pramatha Nath Chakravarty, transferred.

R. S. FINLOW,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1721L.R.—The 20th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*3*) of section 158A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint, for the purposes of that section, Babu Bhabani Prasad Neogi, Deputy Collector, Malda, to perform the functions of a certificate officer under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, for the recovery of arrears of rent (including cesses) due to the Mathurapur estate in that district.

Malda.

No. 1724L.R.—The 20th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 18 of the Chittagong Hill Tracts Regulation, 1900 (Regulation I of 1900), as amended by the Chittagong Hill Tracts (Amendment) Regulation, 1920 (Regulation IV of 1920), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules (for the administration of the

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

Chittagong Hill Tracts) framed under notification No. 123P.D., dated the 1st May 1900, and published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 2nd May 1900, as subsequently amended, namely :—

For rule 34 *substitute* the following :—

34. (1) No lessee shall, in future, be permitted to hold more than 25 acres of land in all, whether under one lease or more than one. Leases may be granted only to hillmen, provided that non-hillmen of the cultivating classes actually resident in a village may be given leases in that village, but no other up to the maximum of 25 acres.

(2) (*a*) Sub-leases of whatever grade in existence on 3rd December 1920 and still in existence will be recognized as valid : provided that the lessee of every holding in which sub-leases were in existence on that date is required to submit to the Deputy Commissioner within three months of the date on which these rules come into force the name of every sub-tenant of whatever grade who then held land within his tenancy and the rent then payable in respect of it. Sub-leases not reported will be liable to be treated as unauthorized and dealt with under rule 34 (*5*) below. No sub-tenant recognized under this rule shall be evicted except in accordance with rule 34 (*7*) below, nor shall his rent be enhanced except with permission of the Deputy Commissioner.

(*b*) Whenever any recognized sub-lease terminates for whatever reason, the immediate landlord of the sub-lessee shall not again sublet the land without permission of the Deputy Commissioner, and if the sub-lessee had a tenant under him that tenant shall have the option of continuing on the terms on which he holds, or of taking over the entire sub-lease which has terminated at the rent formerly payable in respect of it.

(3) As from 3rd December 1920 no lessee is allowed to sublet the whole or any part of his land except with the sanction of the Deputy Commissioner, which shall be given only in cases of temporary incapacity such as minority, illness or temporary absence. The rent of such sub-tenants duly authorized by the Deputy Commissioner shall be a money-rent and shall not exceed by more than 50 per cent. the rent paid by the lessee to Government for the area sublet. In no case shall the sub-lessee be entitled to sublet. So-called labourers, who are remunerated by a share of the produce, shall be treated as sub-tenants, and if they are recognized by the Deputy Commissioner their rents shall be regulated by the principles stated above.

(4) No lessee or sub-lessee shall be allowed to transfer by sale, gift or mortgage the whole or any part of his holding without the previous sanction of the Deputy Commissioner, who may not sanction any mortgage other than usufructuary mortgage, such mortgage to extend for a period not exceeding seven years and to provide for the extinction of the whole debt including principal and interest within that period subject to the condition that the mortgage will not, in any event, be extended beyond that period. Unauthorised transfers will, in no instance, be recognised unless the transferee has obtained a prescriptive right by 12 years' possession, the burden of proving which will lie on him.

(5) In all cases of unauthorized lease or transfer the Deputy Commissioner shall resume the land sublet or transferred and may either hold it khas or resettle it with the lessor or transferor, or with the lessee or transferee, or with another hillman raiyat according to circumstances.

(6) No partition of a holding shall be made without the consent of the Deputy Commissioner.

(7) A sub-tenant recognized by the Deputy Commissioner is not liable to ejectment except by his order. A sub-tenant will ordinarily be ejected—

(*a*) if he sublets or transfers any part of his holding or fails to show diligence in bringing or keeping the holding under cultivation ;

(*b*) if he fails to pay an arrear of rent recorded or fixed by the Deputy Commissioner ;

(*c*) if he uses the holding in any manner that renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy ;

(*d*) if he enhances the rent of a recognized sub-tenant under him without permission of the Deputy Commissioner.

(8) If in any case of unauthorized subletting between 3rd December 1920 and the date on which these rules come into force the Deputy Commissioner considers it inequitable to eject a tenant or sub-tenant, he may allow him to retain his tenancy for a limited period but not beyond the time fixed for the reassessment of the original holding, and any tenancy so allowed to continue shall terminate on the death of the holder.

No. 1747 L.R.—The 21st February 1924.—Babu Makhan Lal Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Contai, Midnapore, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Nadia, with effect from the date on which he joins his settlement duties in that district.

Midnapore.
Nadia.

No. 1748L.R.—The 21st February 1924.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Makhan Lal Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is authorised to discharge, in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Hooghly and the 24-Parganas, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Nadia. Murshidabad. Burdwan. Hooghly. 24-Parganas.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 1844L.R.—The 25th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 108A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Quazi Muhammad Sudrul Ola, Assistant Settlement Officer, Jessore, to make corrections in the records-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands in the district of Jessore as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by notification No. 3666Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions of the said section.

Jessore. Faridpur.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

No. 1646L.A.—The 19th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of Act I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from acquisition of land measuring, more or less, 138 bighas and 14 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to 45·8511 acres, bounded as described below, which was notified for acquisition under declaration No. 1248L.A., dated the 31st January 1922, published at pages 251-252, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st February 1922, and was required by the Calcutta Improvement Trust for the extension of the Paikpara Road Re-housing Scheme in Cossipore-Chitpore Municipality, in village Belgachia, district 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Boundaries.

North—By the Wooma Kanta Sen Lane, Beerpara Lane and Kalidaha Road,
East—By premises Nos. 3, 1B and 1C, Kalidaha Road, remaining portion of premises No. 22, Paikpara Road and Kalidaha Road,
South—By the Paikpara Road,
West—By a portion of premises No. 16, Paikpara Road, and the land belonging to the Calcutta Improvement Trust.

No. 1754L.A.—The 21st February 1924.—Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh, Sadar Subdivisional Officer, in the district of Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Burdwan.

No. 1766L.A.—The 21st February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the quarters of the Assistant Sub-Inspector of Police, Nayagram, in the village of Nayagram, pargana Khelarh Nayagram, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·18 of an acre, bounded on the—

Midnapore.

North—By khas patit land of Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad (portion of settlement plot No. 217),
East—By Nayagram thana compound (settlement plot No. 220) and portion of settlement plot No. 217,
South—By village pathway (settlement plot No. 222),
West—By village pathway (settlement plot No. 222) and portion of settlement plot No. 217,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Nayagram.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Midnapore.

No. 1770L.A.—The 21st February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a piece of land measuring ·0035 of an acre out of the area declared for acquisition under notification No. 3836L.A., dated 20th April 1923, published at page 546, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem and required by the Dacca Municipality for an additional approach to the newly opened burial ground at Jurain, Dacca, in the village of Jurain, parganas Jahangirnagar, Sibpur, Syampur and Durgapur, zilla Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 1773L.A.—The 22nd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Assam-Bengal Railway for a public purpose, viz., for water-supply scheme in the village of Pahartali, thana Double-Moorings, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 332 acres, bounded on the—

Chittagong.

North—By remaining portions of cadastral survey plots Nos. 2208, 5618 and 5557,

East—By remaining portions of cadastral survey plots Nos. 5618, 1214, 5615, 5614, 5611, 5602, 102, 5613, 5603, 5606, 5330, 1211 and lot No. 9,

South—By the Khulshi road *alias* Tippera Pass road and remaining portions of lot No. 9 and cadastral survey plots Nos. 5604, 5322, 5319, 5615, 5336, 5351, 508, 5582, 5350, 5346 and 5347,

West—By remaining portions of cadastral survey plots Nos. 5346, 5347, 405, 5349, 1159, 1190, 1001, 525, 526, 5653, 5652, 27, 588, 580, 73, 1123, 5557 and 2208,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Pahartali.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Chittagong.

No. 1791L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Corporation of Calcutta for a public purpose, viz., for widening a portion of Kasi Nath Bose Lane, in the town of Calcutta, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·0103 of an acre, bounded on the—

Calcutta.

North and East—By the remaining portion of 5, Kasi Nath Bose Lane,

South and West—By Kasi Nath Bose Lane,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid town of Calcutta.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Second Land Acquisition Collector, Calcutta, at No. 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

No. 1794L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for second extension of the pumping station at Dhopakhola in the mahalla of Naraindia, pargana Jafaruzial, tappas Naraindia and Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·3182 of an acre, bounded on the—

Dacca.

North and West—By the pumping station compound,

East—By the Eastern Bengal Railway land,

South—By the Municipal lane,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid mahalla of Naraindia.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 1797L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for dumping depot No. 11 at Singtola in the mahalla of Singtola, pargana Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·6072 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the cadastral survey plot No. 218,
East—By the cadastral survey plot No. 202,
South—By the remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 195,
West—By the municipal passage,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid mahalla of Singtola.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition, thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

Noakhali.

No. 1800L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Noakhali for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of Kazirhat Road on the 19th mile in the village of Char Sahabhikari, thana Feni, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·70 acres, bounded on the—

North—By portion of cadastral survey plots Nos. 586, 195, remaining portion of cadastral survey plots Nos. 166, 165, 163, 162, 155, 186, 188, 189, 193, 194, 226, 206 and 208,
East—By portion of cadastral survey plot No. 893 and remaining portion of cadastral survey plots Nos. 186, 188 and 189,
South—By portion of cadastral survey plots Nos. 167, 178, 265, 260, and remaining portion of cadastral survey plots Nos. 166, 265, 185, 260, 188, 189, 192, 193, 194, 227, 224, 220, 219, 209, and by cadastral survey plots Nos. 179, 180, 181 and 183,
West —By cadastral survey plot No. 167, portion of cadastral survey plot No. 151 and remaining portion of cadastral survey plots Nos. 185, 188, 189 and 192,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Char Sahavikari.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector, Noakhali.

Calcutta.

No. 1803L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by the Government at the expense of the Calcutta Improvement Trust for a public purpose, viz., for alignment No. XII (Ballygunge Main Road), in ward No. XXI of the Calcutta Municipality, a plan of which has been sanctioned by the Governor in Council under section 63 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land being premises No. 91, Karaya Road, measuring, more or less, 8 cottahs 7 chitaks and 27 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to ·1400 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By premises No. 90, Karaya Road,
East—By premises Nos. 45 and 44, Jhowtala Road,
South—By premises No. 92, Karaya Road,
West—By Karaya Road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid ward No. XXI in the town of Calcutta.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the First Land Acquisition Collector, Calcutta, at No. 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

No. 1806L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Corporation of Calcutta for a public purpose, viz., for a primary school at Naba Raha Lane, in the town of Calcutta, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·1785 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By premises No. 25, Shampukur Street,
East and South—By the remaining portion of premises No. 25, Raja Naba Kissen Street,
West—By Naba Kumar Raha Lane,

is likely to be required in the aforesaid town of Calcutta.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Second Land Acquisition Collector, Calcutta, at 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

Noakhali.

No. 1809L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Noakhali for a public purpose viz, for the proposed dispensary at Daganbhuiya in the village of Daganbhuiya, thana Feni, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·24 acres, bounded on the—

North—By portion of cadastral survey plot No. 128,
East—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 153, 152 and remaining portion of cadastral survey plot No. 151,
South—By portion of cadastral survey plot No. 247 and remaining portion of cadastral survey plots Nos. 150, 146, 133 and 132,
West—By cadastral survey plot No. 131 and portion of cadastral survey plot No. 130,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Daganbhuiya.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Noakhali.

Bakarganj.

No. 1812L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bakarganj for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of the inspection hut at Nalchity, in the village of Nalchity, pargana Buzrugumedpur, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·08 of an acre, bounded on the—

North and West—By settlement plot No. 133,
South—By settlement plot No. 131,
East—By settlement plot No. 140,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Nalchity.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Bakarganj.

Dacca.

No. 1819 L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dacca for a public purpose, viz., for diversion of Outshahi Dhankonia *halat* at Chhota Baraigaon, in the village of Chhota Baraigaon, pargana Rajnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 0·075 of an acre, bounded on the—

BLOCK I :

North—By the remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 102,

East—By the cadastral survey plot No. 101,

South—By the cadastral survey plot No. 75,

West—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 102 and 46,

BLOCK II :

Noth and West—By the cadastral survey plot No. 75,

South—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 76 and 74,

East—By the remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 76,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Chhota Baraigaon.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

Noakhali.

No. 1822L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Noakhali for the doctor's and compounder's quarters attached to Ramganja dispensary in the village of Ratanpur, pargana Bhulua, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·247 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By remaining portions of cadastral survey plots Nos. 292 and 796,

East—By portion of cadastral survey plot No. 290,

South—By cadastral survey plot No. 291 and portion of cadastral survey plot No. 796,

West—By remaining portion of cadastral survey plot No. 796,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Ratanpur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Noakhali.

Tippera.

No. 1826L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas 5 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, which was notified for acquisition under declaration No. 10374L.A., dated the 29th November 1922, published at page 2150, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th December 1922, and required by the District Board of Tippera for dispensary building with doctors' and compounders' quarters and for accommodation for the officers of Local Board and Union Board with sub-overseer's quarters at Hajiganj, in the village of Toragar, pargana Ibrahimpur, district Tippera.

No. 1832L.A.—The 23rd February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Noakhali for a public purpose, viz., for the approaches of the bridge over the Dadpur khal on the 30th mile of Karaiya road, in the villages of Sripur and Bhalukia, in thana Feni, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, ·92 of an acre, bounded on the—

Noakhali.

BLOCK A:

North—By the remaining portions of cadastral survey plots Nos. 662, 663, 664, 665, 666 and 667 and total of 681 of Sripur,

East—By cadastral survey plot No. 686 of Sripur,

South—By portion of cadastral survey plot No. 688 of Sripur.

West—By portion of cadastral survey plot No. 661 of Sripur,

BLOCK B:

North—By cadastral survey plots No. 1115 of Bhalukia and cadastral survey plot No. 702 and a portion of cadastral survey plot No. 757 of Sripur,

East—By remaining portion of cadastral survey plot No. 617 of Bhalukia,

South—By remaining portion of cadastral survey plots Nos. 591 and 617 and total of cadastral survey plots Nos. 592 and 1122 of Bhalukia.

West—By cadastral survey plot No. 589 and portion of cadastral survey plot No. 590 of Bhalukia,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Sripur and Bhalukia.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector, Noakhali.

No. 1835L.A.—The 25th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Munshiganj union board for a public purpose, viz., for connecting road from Deobhog road to Deobhog Kalibari road in the village of Deobhog, pargana Tappa-Haydrabad, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·065 of an acre bounded on the—

Dacca.

North—By the khal,

East—By the remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 1030,

South—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 1030, 1031 and 1035,

West—By the Deobhog road and remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 1035,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Deobhog.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

No. 1838L.A.—The 25th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dacca for a public purpose, viz., for improvement of Haziganj Baidyarbazar road, in the villages of Lal Krishnadi, Lal Alapdi, Alapdi, Chotta Deobhog and Ramchandi, parganas Sonargaon,

Dacca.

Uttar Shahapur and Raipura, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose four pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 1·14 acres, bounded on the—

BLOCK "A" (area=0·32 of an acre in mauza Lal-Krishnadi).

North—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 80, 79, 78, 77, 74, and 75,
East—By the cadastral survey plot No. 17 of mauza Kaikartek,
South—By the cadastral survey plot No. 76,
West—By the river Brahmaputra,

BLOCK "B" (area=0·33 of an acre in mauza Lal Alapdi).

North—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 44 and 20,
East—By the cadastral survey plot No. 66,
South—By the lands of mauza Lal Krishnadi No. 361,
West—By the cadastral survey plot No. 62,

BLOCK "C" (area=0·24 of an acre in mauza Alapdi).

North—By parts of cadastral survey plot No. 64,
East—By the lands of mauza Alapdi No. 357,
South—By the district board road,
West—By the cadastral survey plot No. 63.

BLOCK "D" (area=0·25 of an acre in mauzas Chotta Deobhog No. 468 and Ramchandi No. 469).

North—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 245, 244 and 35,
East—By the cadastral survey plot No. 30,
South—By the district board road,
West—By the cadastral survey plot No. 247,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Lal Krishnadi, Lal Alapdi, Alapdi, Chotta Deobhog and Ramchandi.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

FOREST.

No. 1049For.—The 19th February 1924.—The following rules, passed by the Governor of Bengal under section 75 (*d*) of the Indian Forest Act, VII of 1878, are hereby published for general information. These rules apply to the Forest Divisions of Chittagong and Cox's Bazar in the Chittagong district, and will hold good during the season in which fires may be expected to occur from the 15th January to the 1st June in each year :—

1. Any person living in the vicinity of a Government Forest Reserve, or occupying or using land in such vicinity, and desirous of clearing by fire any standing forest or grass land near that Reserve, in a locality from which such fire would be likely to endanger the reserve, shall observe the following rules :—

(1) He shall give notice in writing of at least one week to the nearest Forest Officer, Ranger or Forester, of his intention.

(2) He shall clear a belt of land at least twenty feet broad on the side of the land he proposes to burn nearest to the Forest Reserve.

(3) He shall choose for such burning a day or time when a high wind is not blowing.

(4) He shall light the fire in a direction contrary to the prevailing wind.

2. Any such person desirous of burning, on land adjoining a Forest Reserve, wood, grass or weeds, or other cut material, shall collect that material into heaps, and burn it separately in such a way that the fire may not endanger the Forest Reserve.

3. Any person collecting inflammable forest produce such as grass and bamboos, on land adjoining a Forest Reserve, and any holder of a permit to collect such material from the Forest Reserve, shall stack the material so collected in an open space, as far removed as possible from the forest.

4. All persons travelling on roads passing through or along the boundary of a Forest Reserve shall camp only at such places as may be cleared and set apart for the purpose of camping grounds by the Forest Officer, who shall yearly publish a list of such grounds in the vicinity of the Reserves. Camping at other localities other than those so set apart is forbidden; and all persons so camping shall light any fires they make for cooking or other purposes in such a way as not to endanger the Forest Reserve, or the buildings or property on the camping ground; and they shall extinguish all such fires before leaving the camping ground.

5. The carriage of burning wood, fire-brands, or torches, through or along the boundary of any Reserved Forest is prohibited.

6. All persons travelling along the boundaries of the Reserves, or through the *dhala* paths which pass through or along the Reserves, are strictly prohibited from smoking in any form within or adjacent to the boundaries of the Reserves, within one hundred yards of the same.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

EMIGRATION.

No. 1841Emi.—The 25th February 1924.—Mr. F. E. James, O.B.E., General Secretary to the Young Men's Christian Association, is appointed to be Chairman of the Visiting Committee for the town of Calcutta, formed under rule 20 (2) of the Indian Emigration Rules, 1923, during the absence of Mr. J. W. A. Bell, M.L.C., who was appointed Chairman of the said Committee in this Department Resolution No. 1285T.R., dated the 10th October 1923.

Calcutta.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

No. 6For.—The 13th February 1924.—On being relieved of the Working Plan duty Mr. J. M. Cowan, Deputy Conservator of Forests, is, with effect from the 23rd December 1923, attached to the Jalpaiguri Division on special duty, with headquarters at Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri. Direction.

With effect from the 9th January 1924 he is attached to the Direction Division and placed on special duty, with headquarters at Calcutta.

R. C. MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

No. 2788, dated Calcutta, the 23rd February 1924.—Major N. S. Simpson, I.M.S., made over charge of the Alipore Central Jail to Military Assistant Surgeon H A. Young, on the forenoon of the 8th February 1924.

W. G. HAMILTON, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal (offg.).

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 573L., dated Calcutta, the 19th February, 1924.—It is hereby notified, in pursuance of rule 14 (9) of the Rules for the election and nomination of members to the Bengal Legislative Council, that Mr. S. N. Haldar has been declared under rule 14 (7) of the aforesaid rules to have been duly elected by the Calcutta South (Non-Muhammadan) Constituency to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

C. TINDALL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, and
Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 354S.R.—The 20th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Board of Revenue, Bengal, makes the following amendment to the table appended to the rules published with notification No. 388A., dated the 15th February 1913, namely:—

In item 7 of the said table *insert* the following, namely—

ORDINARY DAYS.		ORDINARY HOLIDAYS.		SPECIAL HOLIDAYS.		SUNDAY.		Fees by whom payable.
Hours.	Fees.	Hours.	Fees.	Hours.	Fees.	Hours.	Fees.	
1		2		3		4		5
Before 9 A.M. and after 6 P.M.	Bonding Inspector Re 1 per hour per application.	9 A.M. to 6 P.M.	Bonding Inspector Re. 1 per application.	Not permitted.	...	Not permitted.	...	Bonder.

F. W. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal.

Orders by the Controller of the Currency.

IN continuation of this office notification, dated the 19th January 1924, it is notified that the rate at which contributions to the Indian Civil Service and Indian Military Service Family Pension Funds and the Indian Military Widows' and Orphans' Funds are recoverable during the month of March 1924 is 1*s.* 5*d.* the rupee. *This rate also applies to the payment of leave salaries, pensions, and annuities fixed in sterling.*

2. The percentage admissible as Exchange Compensation Allowance on salary paid during the same month is Rs. 2-15-1 per Rs. 100. The allowance is subject to the maximum of Rs. 65-6.

H. DENNING, *Controller of the Currency.*

THE TREASURY, CALCUTTA, *the 20th February 1924.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

IT is ordered that the following rules to be numbered Chapter XXXVII (*a*)—Crown Side Rules be added to "The Rules of the High Court, 1914" and have come into effect from the 11th February 1924:—

CHAPTER XXXVII (*a*).

CROWN SIDE RULES.

1. In all cases coming before the Court the evidence shall be taken down in shorthand.

The shorthand note shall also contain any questions put to or answers made by the accused or any of them and any statements made by any accused person in the course of the trial.

It shall likewise be the duty of the shorthand writer to take down in shorthand the charge to the jury and any questions that may be put to the jury together with answers given by them.

2. Shorthand writers shall be appointed from time to time as required by the Chief Justice under the Letters Patent for such periods and on such conditions as he may determine.

3. The shorthand writer shall sign the shorthand note taken by him of any trial or proceeding or of any part of such trial or proceeding and certify the same to be a complete and correct shorthand note thereof as required by these rules and shall lodge the same with the Clerk of the Crown.

4. The shorthand writer shall, as he may be directed by any general or special orders, furnish to the Clerk of the Crown a transcript of the whole or any part of the shorthand note taken by him.

5. In the case of any transcript which shall be required for the use of the Court in any appeal proceeding or application the same shall be type-written and verified by the person or persons making the same by a signed statement that the same is a correct and complete transcript of the shorthand note taken by himself or of the shorthand note purporting to have been taken, signed and certified by the shorthand writer or writers who took the same.

6. The following shall, upon the conclusion of a trial, be entitled, on payment of such sums as may be prescribed from time to time, to obtain from the Clerk of the Crown a copy of the transcript of the whole or any part of the shorthand note :—

(*a*) The prosecutor.
(*b*) A person convicted.
(*c*) The Local Government.
(*d*) The Government of India.
(*e*) Any other person who shall have obtained leave from the Trial Judge or the Chief Justice.

L. SANDERSON.
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IT is ordered that Crown Side Rules of "The Rules of the High Court, 1914" be amended by inserting at the end of Chapter XXXVII the following rules as to return of documents, with effect from the 1st day of March 1924 :—

RETURN OF DOCUMENTS.

33. In all cases the Clerk of the Crown shall keep the property and documents produced in the Court of Sessions until the expiration of thirty days from the date of final disposal of the case and shall, unless the Court or a Judge otherwise orders, deliver them to the owner thereof, or to the person who produced the same, or to the person from whose custody they were produced.

34. In cases where no application has been made by any person requesting the return of property or documents which are in the custody of the Clerk of the Crown, the Clerk of the Crown shall, as soon as possible after the expiry of thirty days from the last date of each Sessions, send the same or such of them as in his descretion he thinks proper to the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, or to the Chief Presidency Magistrate, to be dealt with by him according to law, unless the Court or a Judge otherwise orders.

35. Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore mentioned, the Clerk of the Crown may, at his discretion, retain in his custody money, jewellery, valuable securities, forged notes, counterfeit coins, machines or instruments and materials for forging notes and counterfeiting coins and any other articles, unless the Court or a Judge shall pass special orders for their disposal.

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CIVIL.

The 19th February 1924.

No. 2366A.—Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, officiating Subordinate Judge of Asansol, in the district of Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Asansol munsifi.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—CIVIL.

The 25th February 1924.

No. 2591A.—The senior munsifs of (1) Arambagh in the district of Hooghly and (2) Malda in the district of Rajshahi and Malda are appointed *ex officio* to be District Delegates under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of their respective jurisdictions.

Any previous orders appointing any of the munsifs of the above stations to be District Delegates by name are hereby cancelled.

By order of the High Court,
J. D. V. HODGE, *Registrar.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 577G.—Babu Kshitish Chandra Ganguly, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Tippera, is granted leave on average pay, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for thirty days from the 9th of January to the 7th February 1924.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 18th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 692J.—Babu Achong Sring, Sub-Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is allowed leave on average pay for twenty days, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from 21st January 1924 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 18th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 890J.—Babu Naba Gopal Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted on general duty to the headquarters station of the Mymensingh district.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 18th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 951J.—Babu Naba Gopal Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, Netrokona, on leave, was attached to the Dacca Commissioner's office on the 18th February 1924.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 854G.—Maulvi Kafiluddin Ahmed, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Noakhali, is granted leave on average pay under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules for five weeks, with effect from the 22nd January 1924.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 21st February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 858G.—Babu Jyotish Chandra Aich, Sub-Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is appointed to act as Chaukidari Circle Officer at the same station during the leave of Maulvi Kafiluddin Ahmed or until further orders.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 21st February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 859G.—Babu Kshitish Chandra Ganguli, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer at Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is granted leave on average pay under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules for four weeks, with effect from the 12th February 1924 or any other subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 21st February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 860G.—Babu Satcowri Lal De, Sub-Deputy Collector at Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to act as Circle Officer under the Village Self-Government Act in place of Babu Kshitish Chandra Ganguli, on leave.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 21st February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 737J.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Rangpur Jail :—

1. Rai Sahib Panchanan Barman, M.A., B.L., M.L.C.
   For the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative Council.
2. Babu Nagendra Narayan Roy, B.L., M.L.C.
   For the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative Council.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 743J.—It is hereby notified for general information that Khan Bahadur Maulvi Choin Uddin Ahmed, M.L.C., is appointed to be non-official visitor of the Nator Sub-Jail in the district of Rajshahi, for the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative, Council.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 748J.—It is hereby notified for general information that Babu Romesh Chandra Bagchi, M.L.C., is appointed to be non-official visitor of the Malda Jail for the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative Council.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 753J.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Rajshahi Central Jail :—

1. Babu Sudarsan Chakrabatti, M.L.C.

For the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative Council.

2. Hazi Lal Muhammad Sardar, M.L.C.

For the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative Council.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 758J.—It is hereby notified for general information that Maulvi Mahiuddin Khan, M.L.C., is appointed to be non-official visitor of the Gaibandha sub-jail, in the district of Rangpur, for the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative Council.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 762J.—It is hereby notified for general information that Maulvi Bashar Muhammad, M.L.C., is appointed to be non-official visitor of the Nilphamari sub-jail, in the district of Rangpur, for the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative Council.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 767J.—It is hereby notified for general information that Babu Nagendra Narayan Ray, B.L., M.L.C., is appointed to be non-official visitor of the Kurigram sub-jail, in the district of Rangpur, for the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative Council.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 438M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the next general election of the Commissioners of the Nator Municipality, in the district of Rajshahi, will be held on Monday, the 9th June 1924.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 18th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 942J.—In supersession of this office notification No. 486J., dated the 30th January 1924, published at page 243, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 6th February 1924, it is hereby notified for general information that by-elections will be held on the 26th April 1924 in wards Nos. II, III and IV of the Dacca Municipality to elect Commissioners for those wards, *vice* Babu Sitanath De Sarkar, Babu Nabendra Nath Bysak and Maulvi Alla Bux Sarkar, respectively, removed.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 177M.—It is hereby notified for general information that, at the last general election held on the 10th February 1924, the undermentioned gentlemen have been elected Commissioners of the Bhadreswar Municipality in the district of Hooghly :—

WARD No. I —BHADRESWAR.

Babu Chandi Charan Chatterjee.
„ Atul Chandra Banerji.

WARD NO II.—NORTH SHAMNAGAR.

Babu Jatindra Nath Banerji
„ Sideswar Chakravarty.

WARD No. III.—TELINIPARA.

Babu Hriday Chandra Banerji.

WARD NO. IV.—VICTORIA.

Babu Nilmoni Ganguly.
„ Kanailal Banerjee

WARD NO. V.—MANKUNDA.

Babu Chuni Lal Khan.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5147J.G.—It is hereby notified for general information that as the term of office of the members of the district and local boards of the Nadia district will shortly expire, the following dates are fixed for the election of members of the undermentioned local boards under rule 32 of the Local Board Election Rules framed under section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Act III B.C. of 1885), and published under Government notification dated the 15th December 1885, as amended up to date :—

Name of local board.	Name of thana.	Date of election			
		1924.			
Sadar ...	Krishnagar and Nabadwip	9th June		...	Monday.
	Kaligunj ...	10th	„	...	Tuesday.
	Nakashipara ...	11th	„	...	Wednesday.
	Chapra ...	11th	„	...	Ditto.
	Hanskhali ...	10th	„	...	Tuesday.
	Kissengunj ...	11th	„	...	Wednesday.
Ranaghat ...	Ranaghat ...	9th	„	...	Monday.
	Santipur ...	10th	„	...	Tuesday.
	Chakdah and Haringhata ...	11th	„	...	Wednesday.
Chuadanga ..	Chuadanga ...	9th	„	...	Monday.
	Damurhuda ...	10th	„	...	Tuesday.
	Alamdanga ...	11th	„	...	Wednesday.
	Jibannagar ...	13th	„	...	Friday.
Kushtia ...	Kushtia ...	9th	„	...	Monday.
	Kumarkhali and Khoksa ...	10th	„	...	Tuesday.
	Mirpur and Bheramara ...	11th	„	...	Wednesday.
	Daulatpur ...	13th	„	...	Friday.
Meherpur ...	Meherpur ...	9th	„	...	Monday.
	Tehatta ...	10th	„	...	Tuesday.
	Karimpur ...	11th	„	...	Wednesday.
	Gangni ...	13th	„	...	Friday.

M. A. MOMEN, *District Magistrate.*

NADIA MAGISTRACY, KRISHNAGAR, *the 15th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 949J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), Babu Hem Chandra Dutt Roy has been duly elected to be a member of the Madyapara union board in Kathiadi police-station in the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district, *vice* Babu Ram Kumar Guha, deceased.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 780G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the South Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

Chandina police-station.

Suhilpur Union Board.

1. Askarali Bhuya.
2. Altafali Miah.
3. Munshi Warish Hossain Meah.
4. Md. Abdul Gafur.
5. Isamaddi Molla.
6. Rajjabali Munshi.

Mahichali Union Board.

1. Rajani Kanta Kar.
2. Aftabaddi Bhuya.
3. Jafarali Master.
4. Amiraddi.
5. Akramali.
6. Abedali Master.

Barera Union Board.

1. Munshi Sadat Ali Khondakar.
2. Munshi Alimaddi Bhuiya.
3. Babu Akshay Kumar Chakravarty.
4. Babu Ambika Charan Chakravarty.
5. „ Kali Kumar Barnasarma.
6. Munshi Hason Ali.

Chandina Union Board.

1. Sasi Bhusan Buxi.
2. Md. Ali Ahamad.
3. Karim Bux Sircar.
4. Md. Sadatali Bhuya.
5. Altafali Bhuya.
6. Chandra Nath Poddar.

Bhawnipur Union Board.

1. Munshi Ali Ahmed Khondakar.
2. „ Asad Ali Bhuya.
3. „ Baksha Ali Sircar.
4. Munshi Ali Ahmed Bhuiya.
5. „ Ali Ahmed Bhuiya.
6. „ Hason Ali Bhuiya.

Khoshbosh Union Board.

1. Purna Chandra Chakravarti.
2. Tamijaddi Sircar.
3. Serajal Haque Bhuiya.
4. Kali Kumar Sircar.
5. Mabarak Ali Bhuiya.
6. Jainalabdi Bhuiya.

Maijkhar Union Board.

1. Mahim Chandra Majumdar.
2. Abdul Rahaman.
3. Sarbari Kanta Banerjee.
4. Lalit Mohan Majumdar.
5. Ramani Mohan Majumdar.
6. Banga Chandra Pal.

Deora Union Board.

1. Munshi Muhammad Abu Ali Meah.
2. „ Syed Abdul Kader Meah.
3. „ Muhammad Shujat Ali Meah.
4. Munshi Muhammad Misir Bhuiya.
5. Babu Aswini Kumar Dutta.
6. Munshi Abdul Ohab Khondakar.

Shilimuri Union Board.

1. Babu Krishna Mohan Majumdar.
2. Munshi Asgar Ali.
3. Babu Mahim Chandra Majumdar.
4. Munshi Bazlur Bahman Khondakar.
5. Babu Madhu Sudan Majumdar.
6. „ Abhoya Charan Dutta.

Payalgachha Union Board.

1. Munshi Katu Mea Kazi.
2. „ Ashrafali.
3. „ Fazleali Meah.
4. Munshi Siddiqulla Meah.
5. Babu Ishan Chandra Lodh.
6. Munshi Ahmedulla Patari.

Laksam police-station.

Mudafarganj Union Board.

1. Munshi Alimaddi Majumdar.
2. Babu Har Chandra Dam.
3. Munshi Amjad Bhuiya.
4. Munshi Mahammad Taim Mea Chaudhury.
5. Munshi Samiraddi Majumdar.
6. Babu Kali Kumar Chanda.

Paschimgaon Union Board.

1. Asadali.
2. Iswar Chandra Sinha Hazari.
3. Aziulla.
4. Fazle Ali.
5. Altafali.
6. Safarali.

Laksam Union Board.

1. Babu Atul Krishna Ray Chaudhury.
2. Munshi Sekh Arfanaddin Majumdar.
3. „ Golam Kader Khan.
4. Babu Nabin Krishna Ray Chaudhury.
5. „ Chandra Kumar Ray Chaudhury.
6. „ Sarada Kumar Dutta.

Jhalam Union Board.

1. Munshi Amjad Ali Howladar.
2. Babu Goshai Charan Nath Bepari.
3. Munshi Abdussamad Pandit.
4. Munshi Samireddin Patari.
5. Babu Gopi Charan Nath Kirtania.
6. „ Bipin Chandra Bal.

Balshgaon Union Board.

1. Munshi Ali Ahmed Mea.
2. Maulvi Imamoddin.
3. „ Aktorerzzoman.
4. Babu Krishna Sundar Bhaumik.
5. „ Kshetranath Roy Chaudhury.
6. „ Jagat Bandhu Chaudhury.

Uttar Howla Union Board.

1. Munshi Amjad Ali Mojumdar.
2. „ Abbas Ali Haji.
3. „ Muhammad Noorer Rahman.
4. Munshi Chand Mea.
5. „ Azizulla Mea.
6. „ Amiruddin Molla.

Natherpatua Union Board.

1. Babu Bhubanjoy Bhattacharyya.
2. „ Girish Chandra Sarma.
3. Munshi Abdul Gani.
4. Munshi Chand Mea Bhuiya.
5. Babu Jay Chandra Datta.
6. „ Raj Chandra Sil Kaviraj.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Tippera to be members of the aforesaid union boards :—

Chandina police-station.

Suhilpur Union Board.

1. Babu Bepin Chandra Chakrabertty.
2. „ Mahim Chandra Choudhury.
3. Babu Nabin Krishna Das.

Mahichail Union Board.

1. Babu Ramani Mohan Roy.
2. „ Chandra Kanta Das.
3. Munshi Yakub Ali.

Barera Union Board.

1. Babu Krishna Kisore Mahalanabis.
2. Munshi Aptabaddin Mozumdar.
3. Munshi Ramjaddin Khondakar.

Chandina Union Board.

1. Babu Jitendra Kumar Banerji, Sub-Registrar.
2. „ Dhirendra Narayan Sen Gupta, B.A.
3. Babu Baikuntha Chandra Nath Bhomik.

Bhawnipur Union Board.

1. Munshi Roshanali Bhuiya.
2. Babu Madhab Chandra Choudhury.
3. Babu Gadadhar Sarkar.

Khoshbosh Union Board.

1. Babu Purna Chandra Bhowmik.
2. „ Nityananda Bhowmik.
3. Munshi Chand Mea.

Maijkhar Union Board.

1. Munshi Sobhan Boux.
2. Babu Hari Kumar Banerjee.
3. Munshi Abdul Karim.

Deora Union Board.

1. Munshi Asgar Ali.
2. Babu Asiram Saha.
3. Babu Dinanath Bhowmik.

Shilimuri Union Board.

1. Babu Mohendra Chandra Saha.
2. Munshi Abdul Rahman Mojumdar.
3. Munshi Saber Mahmed.

Payalgachha Union Board.

1. Babu Kshitish Chandra Ganguli.
2. Munshi Baksha Ali Patari.
3. Babu Tarak Chandra Chakrabertty.

Laksam police-station.

Mudafarganj Union Board.

1. Maulvi Syed Sadat Hossain, B.A.
2. Babu Ramratan Banikya.
3. Munshi Badsha Mia.

Paschimgaon Union Board.

1. Babu Sarat Chandra Gupta.
2. Maulvi Ayubali Choudhury.
3. Babu Priya Mohan Chakrabertty.

Laksam Union Board.

1. Babu Sri Krishna Saha.
2. Munshi Rahamat Ali Mojumdar.
3. Munshi Alimoddi Bhuiya.

Jhalam Union Board.

1. Babu Pyari Krishna Roy.
2. Kalimaddi Amin.
3. Babu Ram Gopal Bhowmik.

Balshgaon Union Board.

1. Munshi Mahammad Mea.
2. Babu Aswini Kumar Mojumdar.
3. Munshi Nasiroddi Bhuiya.

Uttar Howla Union Board.

1. Maulvi Muhammed Mea.
2. Babu Debendra Kumar Mojumdar.
3. Babu Purna Chandra Sarma.

Natherpetua Union Board.

1. Munshi Asrab Ali Molla.
2. „ Hamidulla Patari.
3. Babu Kali Krishna Saha Ray.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 19th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 783G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

Police-station Nabinagar.

Birgaon Union Board.

1. Cheragali.
2. Rayasat Ali.
3. Ashraf Khan,
4. Sobod Ali Bepari.
5. Abdul Rezak.
6. Sadat Ali Hazi,

Krishnanagar Union Board.

1. Mukunda Mohan Roy Choudhury.
2. Bharat Chandra Ray Choudhury.
3. Surendra Mohan Roy Choudhury.
4. Shekh Abdul Sobhan.
5. Shafar Ali.
6. Azam Ali.

Sharippur Union Board.

1. Golam Sarwar.
2. Rajani Kumar Choudhury.
3. Ijjat Ali.
4. Chandra Kumar Chaudhury.
5. Abdur Rahman Myan.
6. Subdar Ali.

Araishidha Union Board.

1. Abdul Karim.
2. Shuruz Myan.
3. Amjad Ali.
4. Amiruddin Ahmed.
5. Abdul Rahim.
6. Chand Ali Sarkar.

Police-station Rasullabad.

Junedpur Union Board.

1. Durga Prasanna Bidyaratna.
2. Nurujjama *alias* Taru Mia.
3. Sondha Mia.
4. Ansar Ali.
5. Reasat Ali Chaudhury.
6. Sashi Bhusan Bhattacharjee.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Tippera to be members of the aforesaid union boards in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

Police-station Nabinagar.

Birgaon Union Board.

1. Abdul Farek Khan.
2. Mahammad Ismail.
3. Iswar Chandra Das.

Krishnanagar Union Board.

1. Rama Nath Ray Chaudhury.
2. Harish Chandra Shaha.
3. Jainuddin.

Harishpur Union Board.

1. Shahib Ali.
2. Khurshed Ali Meah.
3. Basanta Kumar Chaudhury.

Araishidha Union Board.

1. Amjad Ali.
2. Shabud Ali.
3. Ananda Chandra Deb.

Police-station Rasullabad.

Junedpur Union Board.

1. Rajani Kanta Datta.
2. Guru Dayal Roy.
3. Muhammad Abdur Rahim.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 19th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 797G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

Brahmanbaria police-station.

Majilshpur Union Board.

1. Abharsaram Sarkar.
2. Mathura Nath Chakravarti.
3. Pitambar Shaha.
4. Mahananda Shaha.
5. Prabhat Chandra Sarkar.
6. Abul Khair Samsuddin Ahmed.

Singerbeel Union Board.

1. Mahammad Jaharul Haque.
2. Mujafar Bhuiya.
3. Safar Chand Bhuiya.
4. Nabi Noaj Bhuiya.
5. Abdul Jabbar Sarkar.
6. Amir Hussein Chaudhuri.

Budhanti Union Board.

1. Alaur Rahman Mia.
2. Ram Sundar Kapali Choudhuri
3. Satish Chandra Chaudhuri.
4. Nasim Bhuiya.
5. Kafiluddin Mia.
6. Joadulla.

Suhilpur Union Board.

1. Munsar Ali Munshi.
2. Abdul Mannan Chaudhuri *alias* Tara Mia.
3. Rohini Kishore Bhattacharjya.
4. Imamulla Kazi.
5. Aminuddin Chaudhuri.
6. Jamiruddin Munshi.

Chandura Union Board.

1. Prabhakar Kritiratna.
2. Bepin Chandra Rai.
3. Lakshmi Kanta Das Chaudhuri.
4. Mahammad Nazim.
5. Surendra Mohan Rai Chaudhuri.
6. Fakaruddin Chaudhuri *alias* Titan Mia.

Kasba police-station.

Binanty Union Board.

1. Kamini Kumar Ghosh.
2. Tota Mia Chaudhuri.
3. Kamini Kumar De.
4. Barada Charan Chakrabarty.
5. Jamini Mohan Das.
6. Chand Mia.

Kasba Union Board.

1. Abdul Hafez.
2. Abdul Gani.
3. Akhil Chandra Rai.
4. Dwip Chand De.
5. Prakash Chandra Bhattacharjee.
6. Ramesh Chandra Chakrabarty.

Manlanda Union Board.

1. Bharat Chandra Das.
2. Altaf Ali Chaudhuri.
3. Jogendra Kumar Das.
4. Maniruddin Mirdha.
5. Hriday Chandra Chaudhuri.
6. Ohimuddin Bhuiya.

Akhaura Union Board.

1. Anwaruddin Ahmed *alias* Shurujmeah.
2. Dina Kanta Chakrabarty.
3. Golap Khan Khadim.
4. Jinnat Ali Munshi.
5. Lalit Mohan Datta.
6. Mazarall Haque Khadim.

Brahmanberia police-station.

Ichapura Union Board.

1. Rohini Kumar Chaudhuri.
2. Manindra Chandra Chaudhuri.
3. Jaynaddin.
4. Jogendra Krishna Dey.
5. Swarup Chandra Pal.
6. Sadir Hossain.

Natai Union Board.

1. Subedali.
2. Abdus Sobhan.
3. Sharafat Ali.
4. Biram Ali.
5. Abdul Gaffur.
6. Sabdar Ali Kari.

Ramrail Union Board.

1. Majib Ali Mia.
2. Eusaf Ali.
3. Farasat Ali.
4. Abdul Latif Khan.
5. Kailash Chandra Tarkaratna.
6. Emdad Bari Khan.

Pattan Union Board.

1. Debendra Chandra Bhattacharjee.
2. Hussain Ali Ahmed.
3. Surendra Chandra Choudhuri.
4. Tarini Charan De.
5. Mia Chand Bhuiya.
6. Mahendra Chandra Chakraborty.

Urshiura Union Board.

1. Mondi Ali.
2. Manendra Lal Datta.
3. Bepin Behari Bardhan.
4. Mahim Chandra Kapali.
5. Gobinda Lal Datta.
6. Chittatosh Bardhan

Machhihata Union Board.

1. Kafiluddin Maulvi.
2. Abdul Aziz.
3. Aliulla.
4. Serajul Islam.
5. Radha Mohan Sarma Bidyaratna.
6. Abdul Rahim *alias* Rahimuddi.

Barisal Union Board.

1. Rehanuddin Ahmed Bhuiya.
2. Sarafat Ali Bhuiya.
3. Abdul Mowla.
4. Mahammad Hafez Bhuiya.
5. Mizanur Rahman Bhuiya.
6. Reazaddin Hazi.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Tippera to be members of the aforesaid union boards :—

Brahmanbaria police-station.

Majlishpur Union Board.

1. Bepin Chandra Pal.
2. Afswaruddin.
3. Abhoy Charan Namasudra.

Singerbeel Union Board.

1. Jagat Bandhu Acharjya.
2. Mohiuddin Ahmad.
3. Rasik Lal Mudi.

Budhanti Union Board.

1. Purna Chandra Chakrabarty.
2. Suresh Chandra Dam.
3. Jagat Chandra Rai.

Suhilpur Union Board.

1. Tarani Mohan Sen.
2. Jogendra Chandra Bhattacharjee.
3. Sarada Charan Datta.

Chandura Union Board.

1. Suresh Chandra Bhattacharjee.
2. Abdul Jabbar Choudhuri *alias* Agdu Mia.
3. Nagarbashi Kaibarta Das.

Kasba police-station.

Binanty Union Board.

1. Mahammad Sadir Bhuiya.
2. Megnath Choudhuri.
3. Azizur Rahaman.

Kasba Union Board.

1. Prasanna Kumar Gupta.
2. Saiyad Ahmed Kabir.
3. Nishi Kanta Dutta.

Maniarda Union Board.

1. Girish Chandra Bardhan.
2. Nishi Kanta Gupta.
3. Abdul Latif Choudhuri *alias* Kuly Choudhuri.

Akhaura Union Board.

1. Girija Nath Chakrabarty.
2. Kedar Nath Chakraberty.
3. Ali Noaz Choudhury.

Brahmanbaria police-station.

Ichapura Union Board.

1. Srish Chandra Dutta.
2. Bhagaban Chandra Kapali.
3. Nazaraddin Bhuiya.

Natai Union Board.

1. Jageswar Bhattacharji.
2. Gobinda Chandra Bhattacharji.
3. Nezamatulla.

Ramrail Union Board.

1. Rajani Kanta Chakraverty.
2. Gagan Chandra Nath Bhowmick.
3. Nejamat Ali.

Pattan Union Board.

1. Abdul Wahed.
2. Haridas Namasudra.
3. Kunja Mohan Bhattacharji.

Urshiura Union Board.

1. Mujaffar Ali.
2. Gangagati Chakrabarti.
3. Kali Kumar Sen Gupta.

Machhihata Union Board.

1. Maulvi Saiyad Muhammad Idris.
2. Jagat Bandhu Gope.
3. Rehanuddin Bhuiya.

Barisal Union Board.

1. Aditya Kumar Bhattacharji.
2. Jagat Chandra Dutta.
3. Jay Chandra Das.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 19th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 8006.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the following union boards in the Sadar (South) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

Chauddagram police-station.

Kashinagar Union Board.

1. Munshi Altaf Ali.
2. „ Ahmad Ali.
3. „ Raizzuddin.
4. Munshi Pear Muhammad Mazumdar.
5. „ Abdul Sobahan Kazi.
6. „ Razzab Ali.

Uzirpur Union Board.

1. Munshi Jalfakar Haidar.
2. „ Khalilar Rahman.
3. Babu Prasanna Kumar Chaudhury.
4. Munshi Abdul Majid Chaudhury.
5. Mazi Azizar Rahman.
6. Babu Jnanada Kumar Chakrabarty.

Kalikapur Union Board.

1. Babu Chandra Mohan Chaudhury.
2. Munshi Golam Mortuza Mazumdar.
3. Babu Atul Chandra Chaudhury.
4. Munshi Muhammad Rafi Mazumdar.
5. Babu Brindaban Chandra Nath.
6. Maulvi Faizer Rahman.

Sripur Union Board.

1. Babu Chandra Kumar Mazumdar.
2. Munshi Abdul Rahman.
3. „ Altaf Ali.
4. Munshi Basarat Ali Mazumdar.
5. Babu Bagala Prasanna Datta.
6. Munshi Kalimuddin Mazudar.

Subapur Union Board.

1. Munshi Abdul Gani.
2. „ Akan Ali.
3. „ Fazul Ali Bepari.
4. Munshi Jamiruddin Mazumdar.
5. „ Faizuddin Mazumdar.
6. „ Tarab Ali.

Golpasha Union Board.

1. Babu Mahim Chandra Chakrabarty.
2. Munshi Atwar Rahman.
3. „ Salamatulla Mazumdar.
4. Babu Gour Chandra De.
5. „ Sarat Chandra De.
6. Munshi Muhammad Yasin.

Chauddagram Union Board.

1. Babu Bhuban Mohan Sen Chaudhury.
2. „ Anath Bandhu Chaudhury.
3. Maulvi Najumuddin Ahmed.
4. Babu Mahim Chandra Sen Chaudhury.
5. „ Jadab Chandra Chaudhury.
6. „ Satis Chandra Sen Chaudhury.

Munshirhat Union Board.

1. Munshi Aftabul Islam.
2. „ Ashraf Ali Mazumdar.
3. „ Rangu Mia Mazumdar.
4. Munshi Basarat Ali.
5. „ Sona Mia
6. „ Muhammad Osman Gani.

Roykot Union Board.

1. Munshi Nawab Ali.
2. „ Abbas Ali Malla.
3. „ Ajafar Ali Bhuiya.
4. Munshi Abdul Hakim Hazari.
5. Babu Rajani Kanta Datta Chaudhury.
6. Maulvi Abdul Rahman.

Kankapait Union Board.

1. Munshi Abdul Karim.
2. Babu Gagan Chandra Chaudhuri.
3. Munshi Takku Miah.
4. Munshi Abdul Rahim.
5. Babu Girish Chandra Das.
6. Munshi Hasan Ali Chowdhury.

Batisha Union Board.

1. Munshi Fazlur Rahman.
2. Babu Bipin Chandra Chakrabarty.
3. Munshi Basarat Ali Bhuiya.
4. Munshi Akamat Ali Mazumdar.
5. „ Mansar Ali.
6. Babu Annada Kumar Gupta.

Chiorah Union Board.

1. Kazi Mafizar Rahaman.
2. Munshi Sultan Ahmad Mazumdar.
3. Babu Krishna Mohan Shaha.
4. Munshi Aktarezaman.
5. „ Amjad Ali Kazi.
6. Kazi Julfakkar Hossain.

Dhalua Union Board.

1. Munshi Altaf Ali Mia.
2. „ Golam Kadder.
3. „ Asharafali Bhuiya.
4. Munshi Abid Ali Bhuiya.
5. „ Salamatulla.
6. Babu Bhuban Chandra Shaha.

Monkora Union Board.

1. Munshi Abdul Gani Mazumdar.
2. Babu Kailash Chandra Bhaumik.
3. Munshi Maniruddin Mazumdar.
4. Babu Ram Chandra Das.
5. Munshi Atoar Rahaman.
6. „ Ajgar Ali Mazumdar.

Jodda Union Board.

1. Munshi Mahammed Iddris Mia.
2. Babu Dwarika Nath Mazumdar.
3. „ Ram Dulal Shil.
4. Munshi Mahammed Raja Mia.
5. „ Shirajuddin Ahmed.
6. „ Hafez Mahammed Diam

Doulkhar Union Board.

1. Munshi Tamijuddin Mollah.
2. „ Sayed Mahammad Yusufali.
3. „ Abdul Kadder Mazumdar.
4. Munshi Rajjabali Mazumdar.
5. „ Aktarezzama Mia.
6. „ Emdad Ali Bhuiya.

Satbaria Union Board.

1. Munshi Atarali Bhuiya.
2. „ Hasanali Mia.
3. „ Altap Ali Mia.
4. Babu Mahesh Chandra Bhattacharjee.
5. Munshi Makalasar Rahaman.
6. „ Nazimaddin Mia.

Gunabati Union Board

1. Munshi Akamatulla.
2. Babu Radha Charan Pal.
3. Munshi Abdul Rahaman Bhuiya.
4. Munshi Abdul Matin.
5. „ Majuddin Ahmed.
6. „ Dewan Ali.

Jagannath Digi Union Board.

1. Babu Jasoda Kumar Mazumdar.
2. Munshi Aftabuddin Ahmed.
3. Babu Kailash Chandra Pal.
4. Munshi Sayed Akamatali.
5. „ Badsha Mia.
6. Abdussamad.

Alkora Union Board.

1. Munshi Badiyazaman Chaudhury.
2. „ Shirazal Islam Chaudhury.
3. „ Abdus Sobhan.
4. Munshi Alimaddin Bhuiya.
5. „ Jan Baksh Amin.
6. „ Farhatuddin Ahmed.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Tippera to be members of the aforesaid union boards :—

Chauddagram police-station.

Kashinagar Union Board.

1. Babu Raj Kumar Majumdar.
2. „ Girish Chandra Das.
3. Munshi Hamid Ali.

Uzirpur Union Board.

1. Babu Sarat Chandra Chakraborty.
2. „ Subal Chandra Chaudhury.
3. Maulvi Hason Ali.

Kalikapur Union Board.

1. Babu Tarak Chandra Chanda.
2. Munshi Ali Ahmed Choudhury.
3. Munshi Baksha Ali Mazumder.

Sripur Union Board.

1. Babu Kailash Chandra Das.
2. Munshi Mohabat Ali Mazumdar.
3. Munshi Tamijudnin Ahmed Mazumdar.

Subapur Union Board.

1. Munshi Mokbul Ahmed.
2. Babu Lakshi Kanta Das.
3. Babu Mohesh Chandra Mazumdar.

Golpasha Union Board.

1. Munshi Shekendar Ali.
2. Babu Girish Chandra Chakraverty.
3. Munshi Mofizaddin Mia.

Chauddagram Union Board.

1. Maulvi Abdul Bari.
2. Babu Chandra Kumar Chakraberti.
3. Maulvi Korbat Ahmed.

Munshirhat Union Board.

1. Babu Gobinda Chandra De.
2. Munshi Golbox Bhuiya.
3. Munshi Maniruddin Mazumdar.

Roykot Union Board.

1. Munshi Abdul Aziz.
2. Babu Nabin Chandra Shaha.
3. Babu Monoranjan Datta Choudhury.

Kankapait Union Board.

1. Munshi Afsaruddi Ahmed.
2. „ Mahammad Ibrahim.
3. Babu Kamini Kumar Roy Choudhury.

Batisha Union Board.

1. Munshi Mahammad Aslam Mazumdar.
2. Babu Dwarka Nath Bhattacharji.
3. Munshi Abidali.

Chiorah Union Board.

1. M. Sayder Rahaman.
2. Babu Chandra Kanta Chakravarty Kabiraj.
3. Maulvi Kazi Asadazzaman.

Dhalua Union Board.

1. Maulvi Korban Ali.
2. Babu Basanta Kumar Majumdar.
3. Babu Mohesh Chandra Chakrabarty.

Monkora Union Board.

1. Babu Jadab Chandra Majumdar.
2. Maulvi Hazi Bande Ali Mozumdar.
3. Babu Basanta Kumar Majumdar.

Jodda Union Board.

1. Munshi Aku Bhuiya.
2. „ Abdul Aziz.
3. Munshi Ibrahim Mia.

Doulkhar Union Board.

1. Babu Kailash Chandra Majumdar.
2. Maulvi Basirullah.
3. Mahammad Ali Nawab.

Satbaria Union Board.

1. Munshi Kamtar Ali.
2. „ Atwar Rahman.
3. M. Abdul Karim Choudhury *alias* Tanu Mia.

Gunabati Union Board.

1. Munshi Abdul Hakim.
2. „ Abdur Rahaman.
3. Babu Iswar Chandra Chakrabarty.

Jagannath Dighi Union Board.

1. Babu Ram Chandra Saha.
2. Munshi Mahabbat Ali Choudhury.
3. Munshi Hamid Ali.

Alkora Union Board.

1. Munshi Abdul Mazid.
2. Babu Hara Chundra Rudrapal.
3. Munshi Abdul Aziz.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 19th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 298L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Jagatballavpur police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	Jagatballavpur Union Board.
I	1. Babu Debendra Nath Chakrabarty. 2. „ Debendra Nath Nandi. 3. Munshi Afsuddin Mullik.
II	4. Babu Narendra Nath Barman. 5. „ Sadhan Chandra Ghosh. 6. „ Satya Charan Khara.
	Bargachi Union Board.
I	1. Babu Manik Chandra Sheet. 2. „ Nani Lall Khara. 3. Munshi Abdul Rasid Molla.
II	4. Babu Girish Chandra Koyal. 5. Munshi Mafizaddin Mallik.
	Patihal Union Board.
I	1. Babu Mani Lall Dey. 2. Sheik Syed Ali.
II	3. Babu Satish Chandra Khara. 4. „ Nitai Charan Dhang. 5. „ Sudhir Chandra Banerjee.
	Sikrahati Union Board.
I	1. Babu Barada Prosad Nandi. 2. „ Jatindra Nath Mallik. 3. Munshi Golam Rahaman Mallik.
II	1. Babu Lakhi Narayan Mazumdar. 2. „ Indu Bhusan Neogi. 3. „ Panna Lal Banerjee.

Number of wards.		Names of members.
		Maju Union Board.
I	...	1. Babu Anil Chandra Sen. 2. „ Rajindra Nath Some. 3. „ Bibhuti Bhusan Mandol.
II	...	1. Babu Hari Pada Chakrabarti. 2. „ Haridas Kar. 3. „ Rajendra Nath Mukherjee.
		Hatal Annantabati Union Board.
I	...	1. Babu Srinath Chandra Bera. 2. „ Surendra Nath Chakrabarty. 3. „ Upendra Nath Mal.
II	...	4. Babu Surendra Nath Maji. 5. „ Dhirendra Nath Maji. 6. „ Ananta Kumar Manna.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Jagatballavpur		1. Kazi Abdul Aziz. 2. Babu Haridas Ghosh. 3. „ Ananta Nath Chakravarty.
Bargachi	...	1. Babu Nani Lall Sheet. 2. „ Chuni Lall Kar. 3. Sheikh Aminuddin Mirdhay.
Patihal	...	1. Sheikh Elahi Bux. 2. Babu Gostha Behary Pal. 3. „ Shasi Bhusan Dutt.
Sikrahati	...	1. Haji Bakaulla Mallik. 2. Babu Manik Chandra Chatterjee. 3. „ Satya Prasanna Sinha.
Maju	...	1. Sheikh Mobarak Mirdhay. 2. Babu Surendra Nath Chatterjee. 3. „ Sarada Prasad Acherjee.
Hatal Annantabati.		1. Munshi Ishaq Mridhay. 2. Babu Ashutosh Sadhkhan. 3. „ Haradhan Pramanik.

Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Number of wards.		Names of members.
		Patihal Union Board.
I	...	Babu Tarini Charan Mukherji.
		Bargachi Union Board.
II	...	Shaikh Abdul Hai.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 301 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), he following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned

union boards in the Jogacha police-station, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	Jogacha Union Board.
I	1. Munshi Momtazuddin Mirdhay. 2. „ Golam Rahman Mistry. 3. „ Rabial Hossain Mollik. 4. Babu Nafar Chandra Dey.
II	5. Babu Shib Chandra Pal. 6. „ Hari Charan Mukherji.
	Santragachi Union Board.
I	1. Babu Gobinda Prosad Datta. 2. „ Satish Chandra Chatterji. 3. „ Narain Chandra Chatterji.
II	4. Babu Mohit Lal Chowdhury. 5. „ Keshab Chandra Kundu. 6. „ Mihir Lal Mukherjee.

2. Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Jogacha	1. Babu Durlabh Chandra Sen Gupta. 2. „ Probodh Chandra Banerji. 3. „ Rakhal Chandra Mitra.
Santragachi	1. Babu Manmatha Nath Sett. 2. „ Probodh Chandra Aru. 3. „ Paritosh Dey.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 311L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Goghat police-station, in the Arambagh subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	Bengal Union Board.
I	1. Babu Chandra Bhusan Mandal. 2. „ Sarat Chandra Mukherjee.
II	3. Babu Bimal Chandra Ghosh. 4. „ Trilochan Chaudhury.
III	5. Babu Mati Lal Roy. 6. „ Dinanath Ghosh.
	Kumarganj Union Board.
I	1. Babu Bhusan Chandra Mondal. 2. „ Rasik Chandra De.
II	3. Babu Annoda Prosad Chakrabarty. 4. Sheikh Golam Ibrahim.
III.	5. Babu Jotindra Mohan Ghosh. 6. „ Udhab Chandra Bhanja.

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	Raghubati Union Board.
I	1. Babu Satish Chandra Mondal. 2. „ Ramtosan Mondal.
II	3. Babu Tincori Mukherjee. 4. „ Probodh Chandra Chatterjee.
III	5. Babu Ram Chandra Mukherjee. 6. „ Santosh Kumar De.
	Goghat Union Board.
I	1. Babu Radha Madhab Dutt. 2. „ Baroda Prasad Bhattacharjee.
II	3. Babu Mati Lal Mukherjee. 4. „ Jatindra Nath Sen Bakshi.
III	5. Babu Probharanjan Ghosh. 6. „ Kamakshyapada Roy.
	Kamarpukur Union Board.
I	1. Babu Satish Chandra Roy.
II	2. Babu Trideb Chandra Chatterji
III	3. Babu Radha Shyam Chatterji.
IV	4. Babu Pramatha Nath Roy.
V	5. Babu Ashutosh Gupta. 6. Babu Bhudeb Chandra Laha.
	Mandaran Union Board.
I	1. Babu Dibakar Roy. 2. Munshi Muhammad Ehia.
II	3. Sheik Badre Alam.
III	4. Babu Hem Chandra Panja.
IV	5. Babu Jatindra Nath Chakrabarty.
V	6. Babu Baburam Laha.
	Hajipur Union Board.
I	1. Babu Ashutosh Roy. 2. „ Haridas Das.
II	3. Babu Kartick Chandra Santra. 4. „ Rajendra Nath Chakrabarty
III	5. Babu Kirtibash Betal. 6. „ Satish Chandra Pal.
	Nakunda Union Board.
I	1. Babu Triguna Charan Chatterjee. 2. „ Nil Madhab Pal.
II	3. Babu Gopal Chandra Roy. 4. „ Ishan Chandra Bhunia.
III	5. Babu Ashutosh Mahantamoni. 6. „ Annoda Prosad Roy.
	Kumarsha Union Board.
I	1. Babu Sarup Das Kundu. 2. „ Heramba Chandra Roy.
II	3. Babu Kalipada De. 4. „ Natobar Bose.
III	5. Babu Hrishikesh Ghanteswari. 6. „ Adhar Chandra Paikar.

No. of wards.	Names of members.
	Bhadur Union Board.
I	1. Babu Satya Charan Sarkar. 2. „ Jotindra Mohan Chakrabarty.
II	3. Babu Kishori Mohan Mondal. 4. „ Fakir Chandra Chakrabarti.
III	5. Babu Debendra Nath Mandal. 6. Sheik Korban Ali.
	Sheora Union Board.
I	1. Babu Keshab Chandra Mandal. 2. „ Dharmadas Dutta.
II	3. Babu Surja Kumar Mandal. 4. „ Ashutosh Pal.
III	5. Babu Upendra Nath Panja. 6. „ Jatindra Nath Bhandari.
	Bali Union Board.
I	1. Babu Fakir Chandra Pal. 2. „ Shyamapada Dawn.
II	3. Babu Tinkari Lahiri. 4. „ Tincori Charan Pal.
III	5. Babu Dharanidhar Mukharjee.
IV	6. Sheikh Mahammad Ali Khan.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members' of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Bengai	1. Babu Sarat Chandra Roy. 2. „ Bibhuti Bhusan Acharjee. 3. „ Rash Behari Mondal.
Kumarganj	1. Babu Saroda Prasad Roy. 2. „ Dibakar Roy. 3. Munshi Abdul Majid Molla.
Raghubati	1. Babu Sanukul Pan. 2. Munshi Tansikal Islam. 3. Babu Bagata Charan Chatterjee.
Goghat	1. Babu Mrigendra Nath Roy. 2. „ Rajani Kanta Manna. 3. Munshi Pasudar Rahaman.
Kamarpukur	1. Babu Sital Chandra Banerjee. 2. „ Amrita Lal Ghosh. 3. Sheik Bhulu.
Mandaran	1. Munshi Syed Ali Ahmed. 2. „ Tahsil Ahmed. 3. Babu Bholanth Chakrabarty.
Hajipur	1. Babu Surja Kumar Santra. 2. „ Bhupendra Nath Biswas. 3. Chaudhury Zahural Haque.
Nakurda	1. Sheik Golam Kader. 2. Munshi Sahadat Ali. 3. Babu Rakhal Das Dutta.
Kumarsha	1. Babu Satish Chandra Mukherjee. 2. „ Manindra Bhusan Bose. 3. Munshi Manik Khan.
Bhadur	1. Babu Adhar Chandra Bhattacharjee. 2. Sheik Fazley Rahaman. 3. Babu Upendra Nath Mondal.
Sheora	1. Babu Rajendra Nath Bose. 2. Haji Taher Ali. 3. Babu Kali Prosanna Singha.
Bali	1. Babu Kenaram Kundu. 2. „ Chakrapani Dutt. 3. „ Adhar Chandra Paladhi.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 14th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 314L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Goghat police-station in the Arambagh subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

No. of wards.	Names of members.
	Shyambazar Union Board.
I	1. Babu Mati Lal Chandra. 2. „ Sashi Bhusan Dutta.
II	3. Babu Khudiram *alias* Ramgobinda Mukherji. 4. „ Ramnarayan Goswami.
III	5. Babu Satya Prosad Ghosh. 6. „ Jnanendra Nath Ghosh.
	Paschimpara Union Board.
I	1. Babu Satish Chandra Dutta. 2. „ Mihir Lal Dutt.
II	3. Sheik Kiamuddin Paramanik. 4. „ Nazir Molla.
III	5. Babu Behari Lal Singha. 6. „ Shyama Charan Ghosh.
	Badangunj-Fului Union Board.
I	1. Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Mukherji. 2. „ Kunja Behari Ghose.
II	3. Babu Sital Chandra Sarkar. 4. „ Dharamdas Dalal.
III	5. Babu Johor Lal Kolay. 6. „ Annada Prasad Chakrabarti.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Shyambazar	1. Babu Prabodh Chandra Chatterji. 2. „ Mahendra Nath Dass. 3. „ Haradhan Goswami.
Paschimpara	1. Babu Mrigendra Nath Panja. 2. „ Bankim Chandra Ghose. 3. „ Keshab Chandra Mandal.
Badangunj-Fului	1. Babu Akhoy Chandra Sarkar. 2. „ Gokul Chandra Bhakta. 3. Munshi Nababdi Khan.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 14th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 335L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Arambagh police-station in the Arambagh subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

No. of wards.	Names of members.
	Tirole Union Board.
I	1. Sheik Eyakub Ali. 2. „ Amulya Ratan Hati.
II	3. Babu Chandi Charan Bose. 4. „ Kalipada Mitra.
III	5. Babu Nityananda Ghosh. 6. Molla Golam Ali.

No. of wards.	Names of members.
	Batanal Union Board.
I	1. Sheik Raja Mia. 2. Babu Nibaran Chandra De.
II	3. Babu Trilochan Nath. 4. Sheik Abdul Waheb.
III	5. Babu Sarbeswar Pal. 6. „ Manmatha Nath Chatterjee.
	Malaypur Union Board.
I	1. Babu Haripada Samanta. 2. Maulvi Rasid Bakth Khan Chaudhury.
II	3. Babu Panna Lal Roy. 4. „ Atul Chandra Bhattacharjee.
III	5. Babu Jotindra Mohan Bose. 6. Mia Kazi Mofizuddin.
	Harinkhola Union Board.
I	1. Babu Charu Chandra Mitra. 2. „ Surendra Nath Kundu.
II	3. „ Girish Chandra Chatterjee. 4. Khondokar Taubir Ahammad.
III	5. Babu Atul Chandra Ghose. 6. „ Bhusan Chandra Ghose.
	Mayapur Union Board.
I	1. Babu Rash Behari Pal.* 2. „ Nagendra Nath Pal.
II	3. „ Anukul Chandra Sarkel. 4. „ Satish Chandra Chakrabarty.
III	5. „ Churamoni Koley.
IV	6. „ Rakhal Das Roy.
	Madhabpur Union Board.
I	1. Babu Arun Chandra Roy. 2. Sheik Tauhid Rahim.
II	3. Babu Kshetra Mohan Talapatra. 4. „ Abani Mohan Roy.
III	5. „ Surendra Nath Bhattacherjee. 6. „ Chandra Shekhar Mal.
	Shalepur Union Board.
I	1. Babu Surendra Nath Chatterjee. 2. „ Bepin Behari Koley.
II	3. Babu Anantadeb Chakrabarty. 4. „ Becharam Bhattacharjee.
III	5. „ Saroje Ranjan Kundu. 6. „ Rajani Kanto Hait.
	Gourhati Union Board.
I	1. Babu Sudhir Chandra Acharjee. 2. „ Atul Chandra Roy.
II	3. Babu Atul Chandra Kundu. 4. „ Rajani Kanta Bose.
III	5. Babu Sarada Prasad Sirkar. 6. „ Surja Kumar Chakrabarty.
	Arandi Union Board.
I	1. Babu Hari Sadhan Sirkar. 2. „ Kalipada Roy.
II	3. Munshi Abdul Odud. 4. Babu Sudeb Chandra Nandi.
III	5. Babu Bishnupada Nandi. 6. „ Mohendra Nath Ghosh.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Tirole ...	1. Babu Kalipada Chakrabarty. 2. „ Jugal Kishore Bose. 3. Sheik Dalu *alias* Delwar Hossain.
Batanal ...	1. Babu Matilal Ghatak. 2. Shaik Tanzilar Rahaman *alias* Aolad Ali. 3. Babu Sashi Bhusan Nandi.
Malaypur ...	1. Babu Panchkori Banerjee. 2. „ Pramatha Nath Samanta. 3. Mia Manik Mallik.
Harinkhola ...	1. Kazi Abdul Rezzak. 2. Munshi Wazedar Rahaman. 3. Babu Gopal Chandra Ghosh.
Mayapur ...	1. Babu Girish Chandra Roy. 2. Munshi Himmat Ali. 3. Babu Bamapada Neogi.
Madhabpur ...	1. Sheik Sajjad Karim. 2. Babu Panchanan Roy. 3. „ Amulya Ratan Ghosh.
Shalepur ...	1. Babu Nagendra Nath Chatterjee. 2. „ Rakhal Chandra Bag. 3. Sheik Kori.
Gourhati ...	1. Babu Kunja Behari Roy. 2. Kazi Wasel Ali. 3. Babu Sarada Prasad Singh.
Arandi ...	1. Babu Amrita Lal Sirkar. 2. Munshi Sheik Taleb Ali. 3. Babu Anukul Chandra Haldar

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 18th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 338 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Khanakul police-station in the Arambagh subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	Kishorepur Union Board.
I ...	1. Babu Mukunda Behari Roy. 2. „ Karali Charan Roy.
II ...	3. Babu Rajani Kanta Adak. 4. „ Surendra Nath Chaudhury.
III ...	5. Babu Nibaran Chandra Mandal. 6. „ Rampada Jana.
	Ghosepur Union Board.
I ...	1. Munshi Sakawat Hossain Kaji. 2. „ Khoda Buksh Chaudhury.
II ...	3. Babu Suresh Chandra Bhattacharjee. 4. „ Ambica Charan Bera.
III ...	5. Babu Susil Chandra Kundu. 6. „ Fakir Chandra Banerji.

Number of wards.		Names of members.
		Pole Union Board.
I	...	1. Babu Surendra Nath Chatterjee. 2. Munshi Robial Hossain.
III	...	3. Babu Jatindra Kumar Chaudhury. 4. „ Satish Chandra Chaudhury.
		Ataghara Union Board.
I	...	1. Babu Mahadeb Kundu. 2. „ Indra Narain Acharjee.
II	...	3. Babu Lalit Mohan Dutta. 4. „ Saroshi Mohan Roy.
III	...	5. Babu Nibaran Chandra Roy. 6. „ Kali Das Roy.
		Balipur Union Board.
I	...	1. Babu Hrishi Kesh Porey. 2. Munshi Muhammad Fazle Haque.
II	...	3. Babu Chandra Kumar Bera. 4. „ Beni Madhab Adak.
III	...	5. Babu Shyama Charan Singh Roy. 6. „ Benode Behari Roy.
		Chingra Union Board.
I	...	1. Babu Kalipada Roy. 2. „ Nalin Chandra Chakrabarty.
II	...	3. Babu Basanta Kumar Dalui. 4. „ Nagendra Nath Galui.
III	...	5. Babu Amulya Nath Roy. 6. „ Amulya Ratan Roy.
		Khanakul Union Board.
I	...	1. Babu Ramani Mohan Goswami. 2. Munshi Aminuddin Muhammad.
II	...	3. Munshi Zabed Ali Molla. 4. „ Waezuddin Ahmed.
III	...	5. Babu Adhar Chandra Mukherji. 6. „ Peary Mohan Batabyal.
		Thakurani Chak Union Board.
I	...	1. Babu Sashadhar Paladhi. 2. „ Dharanidhar Bag.
II	...	3. Babu Kishori Mohan Banerjee. 4. Munshi Sheik Based Ali.
III	...	5. Babu Debendra Nath Chakrabarty. 6. Munshi Dilbar Hossain Kazi.
		Rajhati Union Board.
I	...	1. Babu Markunda Lal Laha. 2. „ Haripada Parial.
II	...	3. Munshi Khondokar Khadem Ali. 4. „ Hossain Ali.
III	...	5. Babu Amrita Lal Bose. 6. „ Bhuban Mohan Banerjee.
		Jagatpur Union Board.
III	...	1. Babu Barada Prasad Manna. 2. „ Mahesh Chandra Mandal.

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	Sabalsingpur Union Board.
I	1. Munshi Badaruddin Ahmed. 2. „ Serajul Haque.
II	3. Babu Kedar Nath Ghora. 4. Munshi Sheik Darbari.
III	5. Munshi Abdul Latif. 6. Babu Sashi Bhusan Santra.
	Natibpur Union Board.
I	1. Babu Rakhal Das Adhikari. 2. „ Mahendra Nath Chakrabarty.
II	3. Babu Bejoy Gopal Bose. 4. Munshi Golam Chand Tarafdar.
III	5. Babu Akhoy Kumar Haij. 6. Munshi Nur Muhammad.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Kishorepur	1. Babu Abinash Chandra Mitra. 2. „ Satish Chandra Chakrabarty. 3. Munshi Erad Ali.
Ghosepur	1. Babu Gopal Chandra Bhattacharjee. 2. „ Kangali Charan Samanta. 3. Munshi Pear Ali Mullick.
Ataghara	1. Babu Brahmo Mohan Roy. 2. „ Ganesh Chandra Sett. 3. Munshi Mohiuddin Dargai.
Balipur	1. Babu Jogendra Nath Ghosh. 2. Munshi Golam Mowla. 3. „ Moyuzuddin Mondal.
Chingra	1. Babu Trailokhya Nath Adhikari. 2. Munshi Harastulla Molla. 3. Babu Nanda Lal Dalui.
Khanakul	1. Babu Jamini Mohan Mukherjee. 2. „ Gosta Behari Singh. 3. „ Kuber Das Bose.
Thakurani Chak	1. Haji Basiruddin Mallick. 2. Babu Haripada Singh Roy. 3. „ Khetra Mohan Mondal.
Rajhati	1. Babu Jagendra Chandra Bhanja. 2. Munshi Khondakar Abdul Khalique. 3. Babu Batakrishto Mitra.
Jagatpur	1. Babu Rup Chand Bhukta. 2. „ Ram Narayan Roy. 3. „ Abharan Hazra.
Sabalsingpur	1. Munshi Haji Taleb Ali. 2. Babu Nabakumar Adhikari. 3. Munshi Abdul Wahad Mondal.
Natibpur	1. Babu Rajendra Nath Singha. 2. Munshi Abdul Sardar. 3. Babu Bhabataran Bose.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Pole Union Board.

Number of wards.	Names of members.
II	1. Babu Sarat Chandra Roy. 2. Munshi Abdul Hamid Mullick.

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	Jagatpur Union Board.
I	1. Babu Manmatha Nath Chakrabarty. 2. „ Panchanan Mukherjee.
II	3. Babu Hari Charan Bag. 4. „ Sribash Dwari.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 13th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 971J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Radhanagar union board in police-station Raipura in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Janabali Bhuya.
2. Brajanath Chakraverty.
3. Asmat Ullah.
4. Beni Madhab Saha.
5. Ismail.
6. Surendra Chandra Das.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Nasiruddin Ahmed.
2. Subud Ali Prodhan.
3. Samiruddin Ahmed.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 972J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Narsingdi union board in police-station Narsingdi in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Nripendra Kumar Roy.
2. Protap Chandra Das.
3. Promode Kumar Roy.
4. Harendra Chandra Saha.
5. Madhu Shudhan Saha.
6. Ayet Ali Mollah.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Anukul Chandra Chakraverty.
2. Munshi Abdul Razzaque.
3. Easin Bepari.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 973J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Adiabad union board in police-station Shibpur in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Jahiruddin Munshi.
2. Kalai Hussain Sirkar.
3. Bhik Chand Bhuya.
4. Nayaebali Sirkar.
5. Afseruddin.
6. Sheik Abdulali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Maulvi Abdil Aziz.
2. Munshi Dilwarali.
3. Mafizar Rehaman Khandaker.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 974J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Narainpur union board, police-station Raipura, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Chakraverty.
2. ,, Chandra Kishore Das.
3. ,, Khetra Mohan Ray.
4. Omedali Sirkar.
5. Shahebali Master.
6. Taleb Hussain Sirker.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Mahim Chandra Das.
2. Ohadali Prodhan.
3. Mohammed Prodhan.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 975J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Shilmandi union board, police-station Narsingdi, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Har Kishore Paul.
2. Md. Sabu Sirkar.
3. Babu Upendra Narain Ray.
4. Samiruddin Bhuya.
5. Kalai Hussain.
6. Babu Pairi Mohan Shaha.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Jagot Chandra De.
2. Nayebali Mridha.
3. Joharali Munshi.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION

No. 976J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Hazipur union board, police-station Shibpur, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Sadek Ali Sirker.
2. Ramizaddin Sirker.
3. Pearali Bhuya.
4. Mohesh Chandra Saha.
5. Baikuntha Chandra Saha.
6. Abdur Rahman Bhuya.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Munshi Abdul Aziz.
2. Abdul Gani.
3. Abdul Hussain Bhuya.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 977J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Polashtali union board, police-station Raipura, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Dudu Bhuya.
2. Md. Aboo Sirker.
3. Nayebali Sirker.
4. Abbasali Sirker.
5. Nowabali Bhuya.
6. Amiruddin Ahmed.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Mohammed Sundarali Bhuya.
2. Kafiluddin Bhuya.
3. Sadaruddin.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 978J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Baznaba union board, police-station Manohardi, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Aboo Ahmed Maulvi Abdul Hye.
2. Fazlor Rehaman Bhuya.
3. Maulvi Elahi Baksha Sarker.
4. Babu Hari Dayal Pal.
5. Md. Sobedali.
6. Ahad Baksha Khandaker.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Maulvi Subedali.
2. Ramzan Prodhan.
3. Mohesh Chandra Kar.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 979J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Sallabad union board, police-station Raipura, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Md. Janabali.
2. Maulvi Sabiruddin Ahmed.
3. Alladi Sirker.
4. Maulvi Abdul Gofur.
5. Elahi Baksha.
6. Nowabali Khan.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Hazi Nizamuddin.
2. Nayeb Ullah Master.
3. Shaheb Ali Sirker.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 980J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Karimpur union board, police-station Narsingdi, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Kalimuddin Master.
2. Abdul Wahab Master.
3. Eakubadi Sirker.
4. Nasibulla Sirker.
5. Ramizaddin Sirker.
6. Mukshudali Sirker.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Maulvi Minnatali.
2. Abu Prodhan.
3. Maulvi Tamizaddin.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 981J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Amirganj union board, police-station Raipura, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Sadoruddin Bhuya.
2. Abdul Gofur Bhuya.
3. Ramizauddin Ahmed.
4. Dudu Miah.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Dr. Waris Ali.
2. Ahmed Ali Master.

3. Under sub section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Mohendra Chandra Saha.
2. Jinnatali.
3. Motalib Prodhan.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 90L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Magura union board in police-station Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Aga Muhammad Abdul Bari Khan *alias* Abdul Bari Molla.
2. Munshi Muhammad Syed-uddin Laskar.
3. „ Muhammad Saber.
4. „ Muhammad Osman Biswas.
5. Maulvi Syed Abdur Rauf.
6. Babu Jatindra Chandra Das Gupta.

2. It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Jessore, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Rebati Kanta Sarkar.
2. „ Kiran Chandra Sinha.
3. „ Pramatha Bhusan Mitra.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 23rd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 734J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Madarihat, in the district of Jalpaiguri :—

1. J. Mackie, Esq.
2. O. D. Leyde, Esq.
3. Babu Girija Prosad Chaudhury.
4. „ Manbir Lama.
5. Munshi Khidir Bux
6. Babu Golab Ray Agarwala.
7. „ Ambica Charan Sirkar.
8. The Sub-Inspector of Police, in charge of Madarihat police-station ... ... *Ex officio.*
9. Muhammad Abdus Sukkur.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 89L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committees for the management of District Board dispensaries in the district of Khulna noted below :—

1.—Bagerhat Charitable Dispensary.

1. Subdivisional Officer, Bagerhat ... ... } *Ex officio.*
2. Senior Munsif, Bagerhat ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Assistant Surgeon, Bagerhat Dispensary ... ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Kazi Shams Uddin Ahmad.
5. Babu Kshetra Nath Mitra.
6. „ Mahendra Nath Biswas.
7. „ Rajendra Kumar Nag.
8. „ Ambika Charan Bakshi.
9. „ Banka Behary Roy.
10. „ Abani Mohan Roy Choudhury.
11. „ Suk Lal Nag.
12. „ Hem Chandra Roy Choudhury.
13. „ Kamakhya Charan Nag.
14. Munshi Abdus Rashid, B.L.
15. Babu Bisweswar Chakravarty.

2.—Chitalmari Charitable Dispensary.

1. Subdivisional Officer, Bagerhat ... ... } *Ex officio.*
2. Circle Officer, Bagerhat ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Babu Indu Bhushan Shaha.
4. „ Ananta Kumar Shaha.
5. Munshi Yusuf Khan.
6. Bazle Rahman Biswas.
7. Babu Manindra Nath Roy Choudhury.
8. „ Aswini Kumar Hui.
9. „ Khetra Nath Ghose.
10. „ Gopal Chandra Pal.

3.—Daibajnahati Charitable Dispensary.

1. Subdivisional Officer, Bagerhat ... ... *Ex officio.*
2. Babu Janki Nath Biswas.
3. „ Nakuleswar Biswas.
4. „ Tarini Charan Kar.
5. „ Kasiswar Chakravarty.
6. Munshi Elemuddi Hazi.
7. „ Nader Hossain Howaldar.
8. Babu Manmotha Nath Ghosh, B.A.
9. „ Gagan Chandra Biswas.

4.—Shibbati Charitable Dispensary.

1. Subdivisional Officer, Bagerhat ... ... } *Ex officio.*
2. Circle Officer, Bagerhat ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Thana Officer, Fakirhat ... ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Babu Ram Chandra Roy Choudhury.
5. „ Rajani Kanta Mitra.
6. M. Abdul Samad.
7. M. Abdul Gani Mia.
8. Babu Pramatha Nath Raha.
9. „ Jatindra Nath Raha.
10. „ Mahesh Chandra Bhattacharya.
11. „ Jatindra Nath Basu.

5.—Kalaroa Charitable Dispensary.

1. Subdivisional Officer, Satkhira ... ... } *Ex officio.*
2. Sub-Registrar, Kalaroa ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Thana Officer, Kalaroa ... ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Babu Bejay Krishna Bose.
5. „ Ram Gopal Banerji.
6. „ Rash Behari Sakar.
7. „ Banka Bihari Kundoo.
8. „ Annada Prosad Ghose.
9. M. Moksed Dalal.
10. Mohammad Azizar Rahaman.

6.—Kaliganj Charitable Dispensary.

1. Subdivisional Officer, Satkhira ... ... } *Ex officio.*
2. Sub-Registrar, Kaliganj ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Thana Officer, Kaliganj ... ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Babu Amrita Lal Mitra.
5. „ Ashutosh Roy.
6. „ Amulya Krishna Das.
7. „ Rasik Lal Roy.
8. M. Khater Mandal.
9. Babu Kishori Mohan Sardar.
10. „ Shirish Chandra Chatterjee Adhikari.
11. M. Elias Khan.

7.—Assasuni Charitable Dispensary.

1. Subdivisional Officer, Satkhira ... ... } *Ex officio.*
2. Sub-Registrar, Assasuni ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Thana Officer, Assasuni ... ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Babu Hira Lal Sardar.
5. „ Janaki Nath Chakravarty.
6. Mohammad Dhonai Sardar.
7. Maulvi Sohailuddin Ahmad.
8. Babu Probodh Kumar Mitra.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information under rule 4 read with rule 3 of the rules for Managing Committees of Government High Schools that Babu Prosad Das Mullick, B.L., has been appointed a member of the managing committee of the Hooghly Collegiate School in place of Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur, ceased to be a member of the Committee under rule 17 for the remaining period of the term of office.

J. G. DUNLOP, *District Magistrate.*

HOOGHLY MAGISTRACY, *the 18th February 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the returns of election expenses and declaration made in respect thereof under rule 19 of the Bengal Electoral Rules were lodged with the Returning Officer by the undermentioned candidate on the 8th February 1924. The returns and declarations may be inspected at the office of the District Magistrate of Mymensingh on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of rupee one only:— .

By-election.

Mr. Altaf Ali ... Mymensingh East Muhammadan Constituency.

J. R. BLAIR, *Returning Officer*
(*District Magistrate*).

MYMENSINGH, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that Maulvi Shah Abdur Rauf and Munshi Muhammad Ashrafuddin, two defeated candidates of the Rangpur West-Mahomedan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, have, on the 15th and 22nd January 1924, respectively, lodged with me returns of election expenses together with a declaration required under rule 19 of the said rules; and that the same can be inspected in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day when the offices will remain open, on payment of the prescribed fees.

S. K. HALDAR, *Returning Officer*
(*District Magistrate*).

RANGPUR, *the 18th February 1924.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 16th February 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

STAMPS.

Delhi, the 16th February 1924.

No. 352.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 20, sub-section (*2*) of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce, No. 348, dated the 13th January 1923, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In the third column of the second item of the table for the words and figures "$\frac{3}{16}$ of a rupee, *i.e.*, francs 80 = Rs. 15", the words and figures "$\frac{1}{4}$ of a rupee, *i.e.*, francs 90 = Rs. 15" shall be substituted.

A. C. MCWATTERS,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Labour, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 16th February 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

POST OFFICE.

Delhi, the 16th February 1924.

No. 95-P.T.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the rules published with the notification of the

Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 2883-45, dated the 26th April 1913, namely :—

1. In sub-rule (*l*) of rule 62 of the said rules, after the words "coloured borders" the words "or transparent panels" shall be inserted.

2. In rule 64 of the said rules after the words "actual cover of the article", the following shall be added, namely :—

"Letters addressed to initials or directed in pencil or bearing at the time of posting erasures or corrections in the address shall not be forwarded."

3. In sub-rule (*l*) of rule 66 of the said rules—

(*i*) for the words beginning with "There shall be payable to the sender" and ending with "a refund of the insurance fee paid" the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"When a foreign letter or a foreign parcel not being a parcel addressed to a prisoner of war has been insured by the Post Office and posted in India, there shall, in the event of such letter or parcel or the contents thereof being lost or damaged in the course of transmission by post, be payable to the sender—or in default, or at the request of the sender, to the addressee—of such letter or parcel, compensation on account of such loss or damage not exceeding the amount for which such letter or parcel has been insured; and in the following cases, namely—

(*a*) when the contents of such letter are lost or wholly destroyed;

(*b*) when the whole of the contents of such parcel are lost, destroyed or abstracted;

(*c*) when by reason of damage attributable to the postal service, the addressee refuses delivery of such parcel;

the sender of such letter or parcel shall be further entitled to a refund of the expenses of transmission, and, when an error on the part of the Post Office gives rise to enquiry as to the disposal of such letter or parcel, to a refund of any fee paid on account of such enquiry; but the sender of such letter or parcel shall in no case be entitled to a refund of the fee paid for insurance."

(*ii*) in the first proviso, after the words "the damage caused" the words "and that loss of profits or other indirect loss shall not be taken into consideration in the assessment of compensation" shall be inserted.

(*iii*) in clause (*d*) of the second proviso, for the words "twelve months from the date of posting" the words "one year following the day of posting" shall be substituted.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE Beereshur Mitter Medal for 1924 will be awarded to the author of the best essay in English in the following subject :—

Housing Problems in Calcutta.

The competition for the medal is limited to candidates who have, at any time, been admitted to a degree in this University. Each candidate for the medal is required to send his essay to the undersigned in a sealed cover under a distinguishing motto. The name of the candidate must also be forwarded at the same time in a sealed cover bearing the motto outside.

The essay in competition for the medal must reach the undersigned not later than the 1st of October 1924.

The medal will not be awarded to the author of any essay unless such essay furnishes evidence of research or special investigation or embodies useful suggestions relating to the subject.

The successful candidate will be required to publish his essay.

By order of the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate,

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 19th February 1924.*

Bengal Veterinary College.

CANDIDATES for admission into the Bengal Veterinary College should be present at the College at Belgachia, Calcutta, with necessary certificates, in original as required in the rules, at 9 A.M. on 22nd April 1924. Rules will be supplied free on application.

A. D. MACGREGOR, I.V.S.
Principal, Bengal Veterinary College

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2C.T.B.C.—It is hereby notified for general information that on the representation from the Book-sellers and Publishers' Association, the 31st March 1924 is fixed as the last date for submission of books for the consideration of the Calcutta Text-book Committee instead of 20th February 1924, as already announced by the notification No. 1C.T.B.C., dated the 12th January 1924, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th January 1924 and two subsequent issues thereof.

J. W. GUNN,
Secretary, Calcutta Text-book Committee.

40-1A, FREE SCHOOL STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 15th February 1924.*

Rules for Half-yearly Examination in the Art of Teaching.

MEMORANDUM.

THE half-yearly examination in the Art of Teaching for the teachers of boys' schools teaching through the medium of English, in the Rajshahi Division, will be held at the Jalpaiguri Zilla School, on Wednesday, the 23rd April 1924, and the day following, if necessary. The examination of teachers of vernacular and classical subjects will also be held on that day at the same school.

2. The examination will consist of—

(*a*) A practical examination of class management.

(*b*) A practical test of ability to teach by giving two lessons to a class. The subject and the scope of the lesson will be communicated to each candidate later on.

(*c*) An oral examination in which the candidate will have to answer some questions on the art of teaching, object lessons, class control, organization and discipline.

3 The following books on the art of teaching are recommended :—

(*a*) For teachers of vernacular and classical subjects—

1. Uchcha Siksha Sahachar, by D. N. Neogi.
2. Nimna Siksha Suhrid, by P. Mukherjee.
3. Uchcha Siksha Suhrid, by P. Mukherjee.
4. Bidyalaya Bidhayak Bibidha Bidhan, by A. N. Adhicari.
5. Bhugol Siksha Pranali, by Imdadul Haque.
6. Teachers' Manual, by Macmillan & Co.

(*b*) For Matriculate teachers—

1. D. Salmon's Art of Teaching.
2. Wren's Indian Teachers' Guide.
3. Wren's Direct Method of Teaching English.
4. Yate and Rajagopalchari's Direct Method.
5. Imdadul Haque's Bhugol Siksha Pranali.

(*c*) For graduates and I.A. passed teachers—

1. The books recommended under (*b*).
2. Landon's Principles and Practice of Teaching and Class Management.
3. Raymont's Principle of Teaching.
4. Suggestions for the Consideration of Teachers (Board of Education, Whitehall).
5. Talks to Teachers (James).

Intending candidates from high schools, Government, aided and unaided, are directed to send in their applications, through the headmasters of the schools in which they are employed, to this office at least a fortnight before the date of examination, and teachers of middle schools, through the Deputy Inspectors, at least three weeks before the date. Every candidate will be required to produce his University or other certificates at the time of examination. A statement containing information on the following points should accompany the applications :—

1. Name.
2. Father's name.
3. Age on the 31st March 1922.
4. Name of the candidate's native district, subdivision and village.
5. The last examination which the candidate passed, and the year in which the candidate passed it.
6. Period of service as a teacher.
7. Name of the appointment which the candidate now holds, and the date from which he has been holding it.
8. Signature of the candidate.

M. SOLAIMAN,

Second Inspector of Schools in charge, Rajshahi Division.

JALPAIGURI, *the 20th February 1924.*

BOARD OF INTERMEDIATE AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, DACCA.

NOTIFICATION.

IN continuation of this office notification, dated the 30th June 1923, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th July 1923, the following selections are prescribed for the Intermediate Examinations, 1925 :—

Intermediate Examination.

I. VERNACULAR.

(*i*) Assamese.

1.	Satyanath Borah	...	Sarathi.
2.	Rajanikanta Bardolai	...	Monomati.
3.	Padmanath Barooah	...	Nitisiksha, Part III.

(*ii*) Hindi.

1.	Harishchandra	...	Charitabali.
2.	Gadadhar	...	Kadamvari.

GROUP "A" (Arts Course).

(*a*) English Literature.

Selections from Modern English Essays, Vol. IV (J. M. Dent & Sons) —

1. A Philosopher that Failed (E. V. Lucas).
2. The Grey Kirk (R. B. Cunninghame Graham).
3. Of Comfort (Henry W. Nevinson).
4. The Pilgrim Fathers (John Masefield).
5. The Rose (Logan Pearsall Smith).
6. The Hill-Tarn (Fiona Macleod).
7. The Inn (Edward Thomas).
   The Castle of Carbonek (Edward Thomas).

(*b*) Classical Language.

(*i*) Bengali (for female candidates).

Selections from Chayanika :—

Katch-o-Devajani (Vidaya-Abhishap) ...	...	...	220-239. Third edition.
Jete-nahi-deba	...	...	102-110.
Shomudrer-Proti ...	...	...	111-115.
Dui-Pakhi	...	...	99-101.
Nirjharer-Shapnabhanga ...	...	...	1-6.
Parash-Pathar	...	...	94-98.
Badhu	...	...	54-58.

Selections from Chaturdasapadi Kavita :—

Kashiram Das.	Sree-Panchami.
Krittibash.	Srishti-Karta.
Jaidev.	Sita-Devi.
Kalidas.	Kalpana.
Jasher-mandir.	Ishwarchandra Gupta.

K. AHMED, *Secretary (offg.)*.

DACCA, *the 5th February 1924.*

Mymensingh Sadar Hospital.

NOTICE.

THE next qualifying examination of Dressers will be held at the Mymensingh Sadar Hospital, on Monday, the 10th March 1924, at 8 A.M. A fee of Rs. 2 shall have to be paid by each candidate. The Examination Committee will consist of the Civil Surgeon, Mymensingh, as President, and Assistant Surgeon attached to the Sadar Dispensary, and Teacher, Compounder Class, as members.

H. N. BAKSHI, for *Civil Surgeon.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 12th February 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	724 13 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5 June and September 1923.	...	Revenue— 7 3 5 Cess— 32 3 7

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue (for the kist ending 12th January 1924).

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abul Fasel.	643 3 7	Whole ...	.....	Fazar Ali Sowdagar ...	...	291 7 10	...
746	Thana Jaraiganja, C. S. Miraswari, taraf Chifi Daulat.	2,906 7 5	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdurani, manager for (a) Saitha Khan.	...	1,316 15 5	...
1242	Thana Satkania, C. S. Banskhali, Patya, C. S. Anwara, taraf Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Do. ...	.....	Wahed Ali ...	...	315 13 7	...
1285	Thana Miraswari, taraf Jarip Mahamad.	783 12 6	Do. ...	.....	Bidhu Bhusan Ray Chowdhuri, Jogendra Nath Ray, and others.	...	121 13 6	...
1407	Thana Town Fatikchari, Patiya, Satkania, Rouzan and Hathazari, taraf Jiban Khan.	1,654 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdhurani, manager for (a) Aboo Bashar, and others.	...	456 9 10	...
1885	Thana Hathazari and Rouzan, taraf Mahamad Rafee Khansama.	924 0 6	Do. ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Abdul Khalek, and others	...	292 3 8	...
2099	Thana Sitakunda, Hathazari, Banskhali, Satkania, town Patiya, Miraswari and Anwara, kismat Murari Dhar Kanu and Nil Kamal Sen Babaite, taraf Gouri Shankar Kanungoe.	1,230 3 1	Share ...	Residue	Bidhu Bhusan Ray and Srimati Sashi Kumari Ray.	976 2 6	...	442 0 10
3054	Thana Rouzan, Hathazari Town and Fatikchari, taraf Shib Durga Charan Chaudhuri.	2,042 2 0	Do. ...	Share No. 3	Srimati Lakshmi Kumari Sen.	514 3 4	...	233 0 0
93916	Thana Ramoo, mahal Rajakul, taluk Obedullah Sheik, Badeozama, father of Makbul Ali, Dewan Bibi and Asalat Khan.	963 11 3	Do. ...	Residue	Prasanna Kumar Ray, Binode Lal Ray and others.	662 9 2	...	289 14 11

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924.

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
34611 8	Mauza Dhopachari, thana Patiya.	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	...
1-6749 392	Noabad taluk Keramatali Kamalafrue.	844 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sarfuddin Sikdar, son of Mosharaf Ali Sikdar, of Pakua, thana Chakaria.	...	211 0 0	...
		Cess— 177 8 0					Cess— 44 6 0	

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924.

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
1 159/3	Mauza Teknaf, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Fatey Choudhuri.	1,374 1 2 83 15 9	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Chewa Choudhuria, daughter of Alathoni Choudhuri, Keokhain and Kenjapra Choudhuri, sons of Chaillafru Chaudhuri of Teknaf.	.....	426 11 0 33 8 0	.....
2 509/5	Mauza Longurbil, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Thow Choudhuria.	798 0 0 44 4 6	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	300 0 0 16 2 4	.....
4 460/876 560	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Lahan Chandra Choudhuri.	2,321 6 0 195 13 3	Do. ...	.....	Mongjai Choudhuri and Keojai Choudhuri, sons of Repoy Choudhuri of South Nilla.	.....	763 13 0 66 14 0	.....
5-1035	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluk Srimati Khosmay.	1,621 8 0 153 8 9	Do. ...	.....	Fateh Choudhuri, Angia Choudhuri, sons of Kohoong Choudhuri, and others of South Nilla.	.....	546 4 0 64 10 0	.....
303 294/307	Mauza Harbang, thana Chakaria, mahal Noabad, taluk Mobarakali.	929 14 0 85 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Sherali Khan, son of Ajamullah Khan, of Harbung.	.....	232 8 0 31 0 0	.....

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924. L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
3/403	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Puichari, mahal Noabad, taluk Moberak Ali Bakshally.	3,125 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Makbul Ali Chowdhury, son of Md. Sharif Miaji, of Chota Sauna. Bosharatali Chowdhury, son of Jafarali Chowdhury, of Puichari.	.....	Road— 162'12 0 Cess— 24 1 3	...
4051/35000	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Burmana Chara, mahal Noabad, hal taluk Ramdia-Hazari.	1,942 5 6	Do. ...	.....	Sm. Mathuria Debya and on behalf of her minor son Rajnarayan Hazari, of Anderkilla.	.....	Cess— 83 5 9	...
5674/5069	Thana Satkania, mauza Paharchunda, mahal Noabad, taluk Nilmani.	651 10 0	Do. ...	.....	Md. Aktar Kamal Chowdhury, son of Maulvi Nesamaddin, of Joarianala.	.....	Road— 162 14 6 Cess— 27 4 2	...
6329/5617	Thana Satkania, mauza Charamba, mahal Noabad, taluk Kalikinkar.	1,965 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Pran Hari Chowdhury, son of Haradas Chowdhury, of Charambe and others.	.....	Road— 178 4 6 Cess— 36 14 8	...

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924. L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
409	Estate Shyampur, pargana Gilahabari.	1,745 3 6	No ...	5 annas residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rahimuddin Chaudhury, Mahatapuddin Chaudhury, Kasirannesa Bibi, Mahamed Mufizuddin, Mahamed Serajuddin Chaudhury, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Karimonnesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Abijonnesa Chaudhurany, Shahebannesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kalimonnesa Chaudhurany, Hason Banu Chaudhurany and Gafurannesa Chaudhurany.	345 6 1	...	88 14 0

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J. DE, Collector.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
161	Estate Ramdebpur, pargana Fulbari.	3,187 13 4	No	3 annas residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rahimuddin Chaudhury, Kasiran Bibi, Asimonnesa Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Amironnesa Chaudhurany, Safiannesa Chaudhury, herself and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salimonnesa Chaudhurany, Safiannesa Chaudhurany and Latifannesa Chaudhurany, themselves and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salemannesa Chaudhurany, Nehaluddin Chaudhury, Ismail Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Osmanuddin Chaudhury, Jabeda Khatun, Khodeja Khatun and Chhara Khatun; Saban Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Imanuddin Chaudhury, Ikramuddin Chaudhury and Abeda Khatun; Nezamuddin Chaudhury, Saban Bibi Chaudhurany, Kasirannesa, Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Kasirannesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Abirannesa Chaudhurany; Sahebannesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kalimannesa Chaudhurany, Hasan Banu Chaudhurany, Gafurannesa Chaudhurany.	597 8 9	...	162 11 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
469/2	Estate Shyampur, pargana Gilahabari.	1,745 3 6	No	5an. 6g. 2c. 2kr. share S. A. No. 2. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sarafuddin Chaudhury and Dalmudin Chaudhry.	581 11 10	...	77 13 4

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
126	Estate Sidhore, pargana Baragaon.	4,757 2 5	No ...	2 annas residue share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Meherali Sarkar] ...	594 10 4	...	159 4 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
201	Estate Agra, pargana Panjra.	1,705 10 4	Yes ...	.....	Krishna Prasad Sanyal, B.L., common manager under section 94 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, for Giribala Debi Chaudhurany, Mahendra Nath Talukdar Chaudhury, Manindra Nath Talukdar Chaudhury.	.....	162 0 0	.....

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
372	Estate Bhawanipur, pargana Nurpur.	2,572 4 9	No ...	8 as. 8 g. 3 c. 1 kr. 2 d. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Janaki Nath Mazumdar, Kedar Nath Saha, Hemlata Dasya, Kumuda Sundari Dasya, Prafulla Kumari Khajanchi, Trailakya Nath Khajanchi.	1,357 9 7	...	372 1 11

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
196 / 2	Estate Inaitpur, pargana Gilahabari.	1,745 3 6	No ...	8as. 6g. 2c. 2kr. share of separate account No. 2. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sarafuddin Chaudhury and Daimuddin Chaudhury.	581 11 10	...	78 2 8

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
48	Estate Kajaltair, pargana Gilahabari.	1,849 2 4	Yes ...	.....	Surendra Chandra Rai Chaudhury.	.....	419 15 10	.....

J. DE, Collector.

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th February 1924.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
6278	Taluk char Soula, pargana Rajnagar.	671	Whole ...	.....	Svarna Moyee Debi ...	...	202 4 0	...
6448	Taluq Taspur, pargana Jalalpur.	960	No ...	Residuary 10 annas share. The following share is exempted from sale:—Separate account No. 1 for 6 annas share of the estate.	Krisnadas Roy and others.	600 0 0	...	115 0 0
6797	Taluq surplus land of thak of Koyaria, pargana Kasimpur Sehalapatti.	849	Whole ...	.....	Baroda Kanta Ghosh	...	2 5 4	...

Faridpur, the 12th February 1924. D. H. WARES, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th of March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2381	Kaligadu, Kalisafa, pargana Kalisafa.	549 4 0	Yes ...	.....	(1) Krishna Gopal Sanyal, (2) Ram Gopal Sanyal.	...	105 3 0 Cess— 137 4 0	...

Rajshahi, the 13th February 1924. F. B. BRADLEY-BIRT, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
2709	Joar Gauripura Meadi Pattani, taluq pargunah Bardakhat.	1,868 11 0	Whole ...	.....	Aswini Kumar Pal and others.	...	28 15 3	...
2714	Joar Maheshpur Meadi pattani, taluq pargunah Bardakhat.	1,265 6 0	Do. ...	.....	Hari Das Rakshit and others.	...	25 2 9	...

Comilla, the 15th February 1924. A. J. DASH, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Birbhum, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
10	Dheka, pargana Swarupsing.	16,707 4 0	Whole ...	.....	Bonowari Mukunda Deb, Sebait.	...	7,314 0 0	...
12	Saipa, pargana Serpur ...	4,675 10	Do. ...	.....	Bonowari Mukundo Deb.	...	2,188 0 0	...
13	Chahata, pargana Fatehpur	11,929 10 1½	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	5,578 7 3	...
24	Madanpur, pargana Allnagar.	2,830 14 0	...	8 as. share in residuary share except separate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Bhupendra Bala, guardian of Nirode Mohan and Khirode Mohan Ghosh Maulik.	1,410 7 0	...	610 8 0
31	Purandarpur, pargana Purandarpur.	6,299 6 0	...	3 as. share of separate account No. 2. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Kisori Lal Sing and others.	1,181 2 6	...	510 10 9
58	Rajshpur, pargana Sahasalampur.	928	...	9 as. 12 g. 2 cr. share in residuary share. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Bisombhar Chatterji and others.	358 13 0	...	69 15 1
81	Paharpur, pargana Allnagar.	2,842 5 0	...	9 as. 16 g. 2 cr. share in residuary share except separate account Nos. 1, 2 and 3. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Mohendra Nath Ghosh Maulik and others.	1,763 1 10	...	159 0 5
148	Gomai, pargana Kutabpur	1,238 15 10	Whole ...	.....	Srechatan Lal Banarji and others as Sebait.	...	542 0 10	...
1246 with police.	Huda Kutabpur, Fatehpur, pargana Kutabpur, Fatehpur.	2,216 0 9	...	14 as. 2 g. 3 cr. share in separate account No. 1. All other share than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Nirode Mohan Ghosh Maulik and others, Sebait.	1,946 4 7	...	844 5 10

Suri, the 16th February 1924. A. REZA, *for* Collector.

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NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Jessore, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 2 P.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
168	Mallikpur, pargana Mallikpur.	1,467 11 3	Yes ...	.....	Nagendra Nath Banerjee...	...	408 14 1	...

Jessore Collectorate, the 16th February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
				S. A. No. 1—				
276	Pargana Tappa Ballaita, mahal Bhitor Benode, 4 annas share.	1,688 14 10	...	8 as. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ratnakar Das ...	819 7 5	...	285 0 6
312	Pargana Batitaki, mahal Palgerya.	630 1 7	Entire ...	.....	Kedar Nath Pal and others, Sebait of Lakshi Janardan Jeu Thakur.	...	153 12 7	...
				S. A. No. 5—				
333	Pargana Birkul, mahal Rampur *alias* Rampur and Sanpur, 7 annas share.	5,174 2 9	...	1 a. 16 gds. 3 ch. 2 kags 12½ til share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Srimatya Rajeswari Dasi.	596 14 1	...	12 14 9
				S. A. No. 7—				
333	Ditto ...	5,174 2 9	...	1 a. 16 gds. 3 ch. 2 kags 12 tils 2 cora share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Achiuta Nath Sasmal and another.	594 14 1	...	31 2 6
964	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Harijhama.	2,136 3 6 (including police).	...	Residuary share excluding separate account No. 1. 11 as. 14 gds. 3 c. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sarat Chandra Banerjee and others executors of the estate of late Bhuban Chandra Banerjee.	2,302 5 3 (including police).	...	380 8 3
				S. A. No. 7—				
2051	Pargana Protapvan, mahal Kotebar.	6,229 9 9	...	2 as. 10 gds. share of each of the following mauzas will be sold :— Mauza Adam chak. ,, Aliadi chak. ,, Anna. ,, Bignibarh. ,, Ibrahim chak. ,, Beli chak. ,, Bhairabdandi. ,, Farid chak. ,, Gangra. ,, Gobardhanpur. ,, Gobinda chak. ,, Gokulpore. ,, Gopal chak. ,, Ghoramulya chak. ,, Husen chak. ,, Jambur. ,, Joki chak. ,, Kaukai. ,, Kalika chak. ,, Keshab chak. ,, Kotebar. ,, Krishnapur. ,, Kharan. ,, Lochhibar. ,, Narasingpur. ,, Nyamtalya. ,, Oyad chak. ,, Oladpur chak. ,, Paschimsai. ,, Purusottampore. ,, Rangi chak. ,, Rambar. ,, Satsanda. ,, Sultan chak. ,, Raja chak. ,, Teghari. ,, Raghunathpore. ,, Unuan. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Choudurl Surendra Nath Pahari and others.	973 6 1	...	252 6 8

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2376	Pargana Shahapur, mahal Baragor.	3,190 12 4 (including police).	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 4, 6, 7, 9 to 16 only. 10 annas share in each of mauzas will be sold— Mauza Baragarh. ,, Delera Kismat. ,, Ramgere. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Muchi Ram Maity and others.	1,035 2 4 (including police).	...	42 14 8 (January 1923 to January 1924).
2681	Pargana Uttar Behar, mahal Bastupur *alias* Dhaneswarpur.	4,675 4 9	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3 only. 16 annas share in each of the following mauzas will be sold— Mauza Agarbar chak. ,, Kamal chak. ,, Pahari chak. ,, Patpore. ,, Purusattampur Patna. ,, Mahammad Jana chak. ,, Bansi chak. ,, Lachi chak. ,, Barobatia. ,, Deulbar. ,, Haripur. ,, Suria. ,, Kotebar. ,, Lalpore. ,, Nokibar. ,, Sarifabad. ,, Sukarbar. ,, Akilabad. ,, Uriapara *alias* Turiapara. ,, Kanakpur. ,, Shamsundarpur. ,, Damodarpur. ,, Moni chak. ,, Mirzapur. ,, Purusottampur. ,, Deulbar. ,, Dasrul. ,, Agar. ,, Dhalukar. ,, Chandpara. ,, Daobetya. ,, Kharikar. ,, Masurya. ,, Napara. ,, Rashra. ,, Sanasiri. ,, Asti kismat. ,, Dhaneswarpur. ,, Khanderpur. ,, Mrijabeg. ,, Beparhsai. ,, Ambi. ,, Bhadua. ,, Behala. ,, Paikhola. ,, Gamarya. ,, Palania. ,, Barobetyasana, 5 as. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Gobinda Chandra Pal and others.	4,585 7 9	...	11 0 2
				PART II.				
2889	Pargana Patashpur, mahal Naipur.	1,789 0 0	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3 only. 9 as. 18 gds. 1 c. 1 kt. share in each of the following mauzas will be sold— Mauza Ajodhyapore. ,, Gopal chak. ,, Madhupur. ,, Marulia chak. ,, Naipur. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Jotindra Nath Das Pattanaik and others.	1,108 12 11	...	17 10 1

Midnapore, the 16th February 1924

N. C. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Dacca, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
9069	Pargana Khalilabad, diara mahal char Kukurhati.	1,788 8 0	16 annas	.....	Swarnamoyee Debya and others.	...	233 3 0	...
9070	Pargana Shahaunial, diara mahal char Singair.	961 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Kripamoyee Debi and others.	...	60 0 0	...
9422	Pargana Sinduri, diara mahal char Baghutia.	6,841 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Sarat Chandra Biswas	3,500 0 0	...	...
9965	Tappe Ran Bhowal, Zemindari Marium Begum. 4 annas 15 gandas.	1,719 8 0	...	Residue—	Kunja Mohan Pal and others.	1,416 8 11	...	124 9 4
				Part I—13 annas 10 gandas 2 karas share of mauza Airmara, Patehpur.	Maulvi Abu Ahmed and others.			
				Part II—15 annas 15 gandas share of mauza Ghop-Dakhin and others.	Ditto.			
				Part III—13 annas 3 gandas 1 kara 1 kranti share of char Sakhipur and others.	Dwarka Nath Saha.			
				Part IV—12 annas 14 gandas 3 karas 2 krantis share of mauza Uttarkandi and others.	Maulvi Abu Ahmed, Abdul Basid and others.			
				Part V—7 annas 14 gandas 2 krantis 11 tils share of mauza Jaipur (Tippera).	Radha Kanta Poddar and others.			
				Part VI—9 annas 6 gandas 2 krantis 13 tils share of mauza Borar char (Tippera).	Surendra Chandra Poddar and others.			
				Part VII—15 annas 3 gandas 2 karas 2 krantis share of mauza Sendi (Tippera).	Abu Ahmed, Abdul Basid and others.			
				Part VIII—15 annas 15 gandas share of remaining mauzas.				
				All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale.				
				Part I—Separate account Nos. 5, 11, 16, 43—hissya 2 annas 9 gandas 2 karas.				
				Part II—Separate account No. 5—hissya 5 gandas.				
				Part III—Separate account Nos. 5, 15, 28—hissya 2 annas 16 gandas 2 karas 2 krantis.				
				Part IV—Separate account Nos. 5, 20, 21-26, 31 and 37—hissya 3 annas 5 gandas 1 kranti.				
				Part V—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27, 39, 40, 38, 1, 42—hissya 8 annas 5 gandas 3 karas 9 tils.				
				Part VI—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27, 46, 39, 43, 44—hissya 6 annas 13 gandas 3 karas 7 tils.				
				Part VII—Separate account Nos. 5, 24, 27 and 21—hissya 16 gandas 1 kara 1 kranti.				
				Part VIII—Separate account No. 5—hissya 5 gandas.				

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
10622	Pargana Sinduri, diara mahal char Gobindapur.	2,904 0 0	...	Residue hissya 8 annas— All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale. Separate account No. 1—hissya 8 annas.	Surendra Krishna Datta Barma and others.	1,452 0 0	...	400 0 0
				Separate account No. 1—hissya 8 annas. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale. Residue hisya 8 annas.	Satya Charan Datta Barma.	1,452 0 0	...	200 0 0
10946	Pargana Jahangirnagar, diara mahal char Kamarta.	649 0 0	16 annas	.....	Swarnamoyee Debi and others.	...	40 12 0	...
11037	Pargana Makimpur, taluq char Binodepur.	953 5 0	16 ,,	.....	K. B. Datta, receiver for (a) Srish Chandra Das.	...	71 2 8	...
13546	Pargana Bikrampur, diara mahal char Saidpur.	864 8 0	16 ,,	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakrabarty and others.	...	37 10 9	...
15730	Pargana Jahangirnagar, diara mahal Ruhitpur.	1,665 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Swarnamoyee Debi and others.	...	100 0 0	...

Dacca, the 14th February 1924.

B. N. GUPTA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Nadia, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
44/1	Boalia, pargana Asrafabad.	...	No ...	8 annas ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Siva Das Mukherjee and others.	891 8 8	...	89 4 0
534	Talberia, pargana Krishnagar.	8,510 14 10	Whole ...	.....	Dharani Mohan Roy ...	...	74 7 9	...
3554	Tinkari, pargana Pajnour.	1,213 5 4	Do. ...	.....	Debendra Prosad Ghose and another.	...	364 10 8	...
867	Char Manikdihi, pargana Rajpur.	541 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Brojeswari Dasi and another.	...	135 0 0	...
3635/0	Deara taluk Pramatho Nath Roy and others, pargana Hapania.	...	No ...	10 as. 11 gds. 1 kr. and 1 kt. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Nilmoni Roy Choudhury and others.	811 10 6	...	33 14 10

Krishnagar, the 16th February 1924.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
39 A	Bahirgorra, pargana Baligori.	7,830 12	...	1 anna 12 gandas ...	Sailaja Nath Rai Chowdhury and 11 others.	784 0 8	...	61 7 11
			Temporary settled estates.					
2026 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Rampur char, pargana Raipur.	858 0	Whole ...	.....	Settled with Khagendra Nanda Asram, Sebait of Brindaban Chandra Thakur.	...	214 8	...
2027 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati new char, pargana Raipur.	2,105 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	526 4	...
2035 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati char, pargana Raipur.	1,639 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	409 12	...
2092 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati Chhera char, pargana Raipur.	2,266 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	566 8	...
3479 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1923.	Rasulpur char, pargana Patmahal.	568 0	Do. ...	.....	Settled with Kalipada Banerjee and another.	...	71 0	...

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Chinsura, the 15th February 1924.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
47	Kismat Raipur and others, Magura.	2,053 8 0	Whole ...	.....	Amrito Lal Chakravarty, Upendra Krishna Mandal, Gopi Krishna Mandal.	...	20 0 1½	.....
335	Pargana Sahanagor, mauza Iswaripur and others.	6,444 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Atul Ch. Mukerji and Sahayaram Chakravarty, Trustee to the estate of Gopi Nath Jew Thakur and other deities.	...	1,971 15 4½	.....

Alipore, the 18th February 1924

H. CHATTERJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the Sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	"	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
19	Gidhagram, etc., pargana Arsha.	7,308 12 11	...	Residuary share 2-2-0-3-2 is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Priyatama Dubi, sebait of Annapurna Thakurani and executrix to the estate of late Hari Charan Banerji and others.	963 2 11	...	236 15 11

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
157	Pilkhundi, etc., pargana Ajmatshi.	8,140 1 0	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Anadi Nath Dutt and others as sebait of Radhaballav Jew Thakur and others.	.....	635 13 3	.....

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and share of estate, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
5170	Dahukadanga, etc., pargana Sahabad.	6,421 15 3	.....	Residuary share as. 8 is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Monmohini Dasi ...	3,210 15 3	.....	1,197 14 8

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 25th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lot No. 16, tauzi No. 1676.	Nilakhi dcara tenure No. 84.	941 13 0	Whole ...	.....	Hari Preya Saha ...	...	Land revenue— 382 8 0 Cess— 18 7 6 400 15 6	...
Lot No. 28, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 1.	2,999 7 0	Do. ...	.....	S. M. Azamaleruesa Chandhurani.	...	Land revenue— 608 9 6 Cess— 78 0 0 686 9 6	...
Lot No. 29, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 24.	777 6 0	Do. ...	.....	Aptarali and others ...	...	Land revenue— 315 13 0 Cess— 23 4 0 339 1 0	...
Lot No. 34, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 48.	559 8 0	Do. ...	...	Jul Fakkar Haider ...	...	Land revenue— 227 4 9 Cess— 14 11 2 241 16 11	...
Lot No. 43, tauzi No. 1656.	Baugahi, kismat Lakhi, tenure No. 671.	883 11 0	Do. ...	...	Hara Lal Bhuya ...	...	Land revenue— 92 2 11 Cess— 0 1 0 92 3 11	...
Lot No 66, tauzi No. 1672.	Naichira Choudhurir katta, tenure No. 90.	773 3 0	Do ...	.....	Munshi Mozaharuddin Ahmed.	...	Land revenue— 386 9 0 Cess— 23 1 11 409 10 11	...
Lot No. 103, tauzi No. 1672.	Naichira Shahebor katta, tenure No. 172.	912 6 0	Do ...	.....	Shamsul Haq ...	...	Land revenue— 326 10 0 Cess— 50 15 3 377 9 3	...
Lot No. 120, tauzi No. 1673.	Char Bharat Sen, tenure No. 49.	707 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Badiar Rahman	...	Land revenue— 35 3 0 Cess— 22 8 6 57 11 6	
Lot No. 121, tauzi No. 1686.	Char Alexander, tenure No. 1.	940 15 8	...	.....	Serazul Haq and others ...	...	Land revenue— 382 5 0 Cess— 20 0 0 402 5 0	

Noakhali, the 18th February 1924.

S. C. RAY, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rangpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
108 Residiary.	Musarat Madati, mauza Cheronga, pargana Chakla Kazirhat.	2,611 7 5	No ...	16as. share of Madati Musarat, mauza Group "B" residuary share. (NOTE.—All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.)	Rajendra Narain Choudhuri, sebait, on behalf of Raghunath Bigraha.	1,822 9 6	...	107 5 2
184-2	Khupi O'gayraha, pargana Bagduar, 9as.	26,183 7 2	No ...	16as. share of Anantarampur and 110 other mauzas, Group "B", separate account No. 2. (NOTE.—All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.)	Banawari Mukunda Deb.	12,183 7 11	...	4,119 13 8
218	Hari Narainpur O'gayraha, pargana Barabila.	5,801 14 4	Whole ...	16as. share of whole estate	Ditto ...	...	1,571 3 3	...

Rangpur Collectorate, the 18th February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

See Rule 161.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the proprietary right of Government specified in the condition of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate at 12 noon, on Monday, the 27th March 1924, corresponding with 14th Chaitra 1330, Bengali era. The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue-free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
Tauzi No. 3610	Estate Mandra, pargana Jahangirabad ...	·465	Rs. A. P. 0 11 0	

Collector's Office, Burdwan, the 13th February 1924. J. YOUNIE, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua ...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situated in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Manikganj, on the 24th day of March 1924, corresponding with 11th Chaitra of 1330 (Bengali Era).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Subdivisional Officer at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As.	
11656	Myadi mahal Jala Maharpur, pargana Shujabad Kutubpur.	·26	10 (rental).	

J. G. DRUMMOND, Collector.

Collector's office, Dacca, the 11th February 1924.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Imperial Bank of India on the 15th February 1924.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS				4 PER CENT.		INDIAN WAR LOAN.		
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan, 1939-47.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.
Balance of 31st January 1924	21,67,800	59,34,200	2,91,59,100	1,23,80,600	35,40,900	17,61,850	23 900	2,40,27,400	29,44,850	100	500
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 8th February 1924	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	21,67,800	59 34,200	2,91 59,100	1,23 80,600	35,40 900	17,61,850	23 900	2,40,27,400	29,44,850	100	500
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	56,000	29,400	1,96,600	23,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 15th February 1924 ...	21,11,800	59,04,800	2,89,62,500	1,23,56,800	35,40,900	17 61,850	23,900	2,40,27,400	29,44,850	100	500

Particulars.	SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN.			5 per cent. Loan, 1945-55	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1930.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1926.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1931.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1927.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1932.	Ten year 5 per cent. Bonds, 1933.	Total.
	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1928.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1929.	5½ per cent War Bonds 1928.								
Balance of 31st January 1924 ...	4,100	49,600	2,30,075	4,85,400	23,25,000	51,08,500	66,34,300	25,57,300	45,38,100	100	10,38,73,375
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 8th February 1924	.....	.....	1,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	2,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	4,100	49,600	2,31,575	4,85,400	23 25 000	51,08,500	66,34 300	25,57,300	45,39,100	100	10 38 75 875
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	6,500	2,000	.....	.....	.....	3,19,300
Balance on 15th February 1924 ..	4,100	49,600	2,31,575	4,85,400	23,24 000	51,02,000	66 32,30	25,57,300	45,39,100	100	10,35,60,575

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th December 1923—Enfaced from India 13 181 lacs re-transferred from London 13,477 lacs.
" 16th December 1923 to 31st " 1923 " " " " " " " 2 lacs.
" 1st January 1924 to 15th January 1924 " " " 1 lac " " " " 9 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " 3 lacs " " " " 14 "
" 1st February " to 15th February " " " " " " " " 3 "

13,185 lacs. 13,505 lacs.

F. E. DALTON,
Superintendent (offg.).

D. S. MCCLURE,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA
Calcutta, the 20th February 1924

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order *ex* the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 118 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and, if not cleared on or before the 12th April 1924, on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 8.		
	SS. "City of Benares."		
21st Jan. 1924 ...	B. H. U. Dept. Geol. Min. Metal in a block, Benares below.	1	Case apparatus.
21st ,, ,, ...	The Director of First Bacteriologist Muktesar Dist. Nainital.	1	Case chemical.
19th ,, ,, ...	M P 50210 ... ... M N D and A C D	11	Cases merchandise.
	SS. "City of Chester."		
25th Jan. 1924 ...	177 in a triangle, F C on sides ...	1	Case merchandise.
25th ,, ,, ...	P R K S W Padraona ... ... Gorakpur	4	Packages machinery.
	SHED No. 9.		
	SS. "Meerkirk."		
29th Jan. 1924 ...	Portugal A K D	9	Bales corks.
30th ,, ,, ...	Extra in a triangle, H D on sides, S below	2	Cases marchandise.
30th ,, ,, ...	F G Z Assam, Bengal	1	Case marchandise.
30th ,, ,, ...	C Rodriquizy Co	1	Cask rum.
30th ,, ,, ...	= Do = ...	2	Cases rum.
30th ,, ,, ...	144 in a triangle, H D on sides, S below	3	Cases glassware.
30th ,, ,, ...	= 158 = ...	2	Ditto.
30th ,, ,, ...	= 444 = ...	3	Ditto.
2nd Feb ,, ...	= 446 = ...	1	Case glassware.
1st ,, ,, ...	H B in a diamond	2	Cases laces.
1st ,, ,, ...	R E	1	Case merchandise.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 9—*concld.*		
	SS. "Meerkirk"—*concld.*		
30th Jan. 1924 ...	144 in a triangle, H D on sides, 8 below, 717.	1	Case merchandise.
2nd Feb. „ ...	Nil	2	Bags merchandise.
2nd „ „ ...	Nil	1	Bag dry fish.
2nd „ „ ...	Nil	1	Bag rivets.
	SS. "Strathlorne."		
5th Feb. 1924 ...	=0=, 42911	1	Case medicine.
4th „ „ ...	Benares Hindu University Department Geology, Benares.	3	Cases fossils.
4th „ „ ...	C S & N	72	Cases condensed milk.
5th „ „ ...	I C & P W	4	Bags drugs.
8th „ „ ...	The Lahore Store Supplying Co, Lahore	1	Case machinery.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Japan".		
6th Feb. 1924 ...	R. Fsuquost Barhaj Bazar District Gorakhpur, 11-13.	3	Cases missionary goods.
6th „ „ ...	F. Henriksson Barhaj Bazar District Gorakhpur, 1-7.	7	Packages missionary goods.
6th „ „ ...	N T A C sample	1	Cask cement.
6th „ „ ...	O. Norberg Barhaj Bazar District Gorakhpur, 8-10.	3	Cases missionary goods
7th „ „ ...	A H V	1	Case machinery.
11th „ „ ...	X L in a figure	1	Keg steel.
	SHED No. 14 (K. P. D.)		
	SS. "Dumana."		
10th Nov 1923 ...	Messrs. Grossman Import Ltd ...	1	Case wine.
	Unclaimed goods of Inland Vessels Wharves.		
...	I G N R Co	4	Kegs paint.
...	Ditto	1	Tin paint oil.
	Unclaimed goods of Kidderpore Docks.		
...	Nil	6	Bars flat iron.

W. A. BURNS Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 27th February 1924. (351—1)

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 15th February 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	16,49,21,000	0	0
Other Deposits	70,50,15,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act, against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	12,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	69,55,000	0	0
	1,09,76,43,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,54,00,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,22,42,000	0	0
Loans	22,76,96,000	0	0
Cash credits	41,60,59,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	15,86,73,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	36,43,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,48,07,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries	42,11,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	1,34,34,000	0	0
	96,61,65,000	0	0
Cash	13,14,78,000	0	0
	1,09,76,43,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London ... ... £ 1,189,400

Advances in London ... ... £ 454,000

Cash and balances at other Banks in London ... £ 890,500

Percentage 10·16.

Bank Rate 9 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M. MURRAY (offg.),
Managing Governors.

(337—1)

EXECUTION CASE No. 4 OF 1923.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Hajee Moah Mohamed *versus* Sudhamoyee Dabee and another.

Sheriff's Proclamation of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction dated the 10th day of May 1923 and made in execution of a decree of the Calcutta Court of Small Causes dated the 6th day of June 1922 in Execution Case No. 4 of 1923 (Hajee Moah Mohamed against Sudhamoyee Dabee and another) by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room on the ground floor of the Court House by public auction on Friday the 28th day of March 1924 at the hour of 12 o'clock noon the undermentioned property belonging to the estate of Ram Lall Thakur deceased.

All that divided southern portion of the bustee land and premises lying situate at block No. 15, holding No. 249, in the North Division of the town of Calcutta and being No 4, Marcus Square, Calcutta, containing by estimation 6 cottahs a little more or less and bounded on the north by the divided northern portion of the said premises No 4, Marcus Square belonging to Shaik Karim, on the east by Balak Dutt Lane, on the south by Marcus Square and on the west by Marcus Square. The annual revenue payable to the Calcutta Collectorate in respect of the entire holding is Rs. 11-15 only

It appears from the search made in the office of the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, that the above property was purchased by Ram Lal Mistry *alias* Thakur, husband of Sudhamoyee Debee, the judgment-debtor abovenamed, at a sale held on the5th of July 1902 by the Registrar of the High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, in suit No. 349 of 1900 (wherein Bonode Lal Roy and others were the plaintiffs and Bangshidhar Byssack and others were the defendants).

It further appears from the searches made in the office of the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, from the year 1865 to 1923 that the property is affected by the following incumbrances, viz.:—

(1) Mortgage, dated 15th May 1893, executed by Sreemutty Hurro Sundari Dasi and Nirmal Chand Bysack in favour of Rakhal Chandra Hazra for Rs. 1,000 with interest at 3 per cent per mensem.

(2) Mortgage, dated 28th April 1894, executed by Sreemutty Hurro Sundari Dasi and Nirmal Chand Bysack in favour of Sidheswar Hazra for Rs. 450 with interest at 24 per cent. per annum.

No reconveyances could be found in respect of the above two mortgages.

(3) An indenture of lease dated 1st October 1919 granted by the judgment-debtor Sudhamoyee Debi in favour of Hurdoyal Didwania and Rameswar Didwania for 51 years commencing from 1st October 1919 at a monthly rent of Rs. 250.

(4) An indenture of mortgage dated 8th May 1920 executed by the said judgment-debtor Sudhamoyee Debi in favour of Hurdoyal Didwania and Rameswar Didwania for Rs. 12,000 carrying interest at 12 per cent. per annum.

(5) The amount for the recovery of which the sale is ordered is Rs. 2,065-15 besides costs of execution.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the Sheriff's office on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. N. MITRA, Attorney for the plaintiff.

W. L. CAREY, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 22nd day of February 1924. (350—1)

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be sold pursuant to an order made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction and dated the 7th day of December 1923 in execution of decree in suit No. 912 of 1920 of the said Court and dated the 18th December 1922 wherein Nagendra Nath Dutt was the plaintiff and Dwijendra Nath Dutt was the defendant by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room on the ground floor of the Court-house by public auction on Friday the 28th day of March 1924 at 12 o'clock the undivided half share of the said Nagendra Nath Dutt in the undermentioned properties belonging to the estate of Jyotish Kumari Dassee, deceased.

Lot No. 1.—All that piece or parcel of land by estimation 1 cottah 6 chittacks 17 square feet be the same a little more or less with a two storied building thereon lying at and being premises No. 6, Goranhatta Street, Sutanuty, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded as follows :—On the north by Goranhatta Street, on the east by premises No. 7, Goranhatta Street, on the west by premises No. 5, Goranhatta Street, and on the south by the tenanted land of Hari Mohan Dutt.

2. All that piece or parcel of land containing by estimation 2 cottahs 3 chittacks 4 square feet be the same a little more or less with a three storied building standing thereon lying at and being premises No. 7, Goranhatta Street, Sutanuty, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded as follows :—On the north by Goranhatta Street, on the east by a Municipal bye-lane, on the west by premises No 6, Goranhatta Street, and on the south by land belonging to Hari Mohan Dutt.

It appears from a search made in the office of the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, from 1865 up to 30th November 1923 that an undivided one-half share of the said premises Nos. 6 and 7, Goranhatta Street was mortgaged by the said Nogendra Nath Dutt to one Upendra Mohan Pal Chowdhury for Rs. 8,000 carrying interest at 12 per cent per annum which is registered in book No. 1, Volume 97, pages 198 to 205 being No. 4885 of 1921. The said premises No. 6, Goranhatta Street is subject to an attachment made by the Sheriff of Calcutta for Rs. 504-8 in addition to the costs of execution.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 3,783-10-6 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the 21st day of August 1923 until realization besides the costs of the execution proceeding herein and the Sheriff's poundages and charges.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on any day before the sale and will be produced at the time of the sale.

S. N. Mukherjee, Attorney-at-law.

W. L. CAREY, Sheriff.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 22nd day of February 1924. (348—1)

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremporily sold pursuant to an order of the High Court of Calcutta in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction dated the 23rd day of January 1922 made in the execution Case No. 18 of 1917 (wherein the Corporation of Calcutta is the plaintiff and Shaik Makuram Hossein and another are the defendants) by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale room in the Court house on Friday the 28th day of March 1924, at 12 o'clock the following property of the defendant Jaffer Hossein :—

All that piece or parcel of bustee land containing by estimation 5 cottahs and 4 chittacks be the same a little more or less situate lying at and being premises No 84, Collin Street, being holding No. 53, in block No. 15 in the south division of the town of Calcutta and bounded, on the north by a common passage, on the south by sewered ditch, on the east by Collin Street and on the west by the premises Nos. 83, 85 and 88-1, Collin Street. The annual Government revenue payable n respect of the entire holding is Rs. 2-9-8.

The amount for the recovery of which the above property is to be sold is Rs. 861-11-9 being the amount of the claim and costs under the decree but not including subsequent costs incurred in this Honourable Court.

From the searches made in the office of the Registrar of Assurances from 1865 to 1923 it appears that the above property is mortgaged by two deeds of mortgage dated the 6th June 1914 and the 14th August 1914, respectively, for the sum of Rs. 200 each respectively in favour of Muhammad Eyaseen and others of No. 89-1, Collin Street, with interest at 6 per cent. and subject to the following agreement and leases : —

(1) Bengali Instrument of Agreement of Lease dated 31st March 1918 between Muhammad Jaffor Hossein and Shaik Mogal Jan for 25 years at a monthly rent of Rs. 25-5.

(2) Bengali Instrument of Pattah or Lease dated 31st March 1918 between Muhammad Jaffer Hossein and Shaik Attatoor Rahaman for 12 years at a monthly rent of Rs. 21-5-3

(3) Instrument of Lease dated 16th February 1921 between Muhammad Jaffer Hossein and David Jacob Cohen for 99 years at a monthly rent of Rs 65

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta or at the Central Municipal Office, Law Department, at No. 5, Corporation Street, on any day before the sale and will be placed at the sale.

Manilal Sen, Plaintiff's Attorney.

W. L. CAREY, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, High Court, the 22nd day of February 1924. (349—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Rangpur.

PRESENT :

Babu Baman Das Mukerjee, Subordinate Judge.

ORDER EXECUTION No. 507 OF 1923.

North Bengal Bank, Limited, Rangpur, decree-holder,

versus

Sailesh Chandra Roy and two others, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Rangpur, in Court premises, on the 5th March 1924, at 12 o'clock, or any subsequent date at the same hour if the sale is postponed by the Court for any sufficient reason the schedule properties for Rs 59,847-13 6 *plus* subsequent interest and cost.

1. Properties included within the Rangpur Collectorate, tauzi No. 642, in the pargana of Paika within the police-station Govindagange, hishya 4 annas (annual land revenue Rs. 1,162-8-1 standing in the name of the judgment-debtor's father late Kumar Chandra Kishore Roy).

Approximate value Rs. 12,000.

1 (Ka) Properties included in the Rangpur Collectorate, tauzi No. 644, in the pargana of Paika within the police-station Govindagange, hishya 1 anna (annual land revenue Rs. 278-15-10 standing in the name of the judgment-debtor's father late Kumar Chandra Kishore Roy).

Approximate value Rs. 1,500.

2. Properties included within the Rangpur Collectorate, tzuzi No. 178 in the pargana of Perikhalisha (annual land revenue Rs. 647-8 8 standing in the name of the judgment-debtor's father late Kumar Chandra Kishore Roy).

Approximate value Rs. 6,500.

B. D. MUKERJEE, Subordinate Judge.

Rangpur, the 15th February 1924. (304—1)

NOTICE.

Sub-Judge, First Court, Midnapore.

TITLE SUIT No. 31175 OF 1923-24.

Notice to the tenants of mauza Changra, thana and pargana Moyna.

(1) BAIDYANATH DAS, (2) Upendra Nath Jana, (3) Parameswar Jana, (4) Baikuntha Nath Jana, (5) Panchanan Jana, (6) Nimai Maiti, (7) Naba Kumar Maiti, (8) Udai Chand Guriya, (9) Rajnarain Ray, (10) Kailas Chandra Das, (11) Bhagbat Garga, (12) Gopal Chandra Bhuia, (13) Durgaram Ghara, (14) Baikuntha Nath Jana, (15) Prosanna Kumar Jana, (16) Dinabandhu Jana, (17) Nitai Jana, (18) Prosanna Kumar Jana, (19) Sitanath Das, (20) Titu Sasmal, (21) Chandhari Das, (22) Kailas Ch. Patra, (23) Chhota Sibaprosad Maiti, (24) Chandhari Das, (25) Baikuntha Nath Guria, (26) Dharanidhar Ray, (27) Prio Nath Ray, (28) Adhar Chand Ray, (29) Bhim Ray, (30) Nagen Ray, (31) Nehal Ray, (32) Bhim Tamli, (33) Satya Tamli, (34) Jogi Tamli, (35) Bhuban Tamli, (36) Bipin Tamli, (37) Bhuban Chandra Tamli, (38) Biswanath Tamli, (39) Gagan Chandra Tamli and others, tenants of mauza Changra, under thana and pargana Moyna, are hereby informed that Srijut Jogendra Nath Jana and others, the landlords of the said mauza, have instituted the present suit (Title Suit No. 31-175 of 1923-24) in the Court of the First Sub-Judge, Midnapore, against them praying for a declaration that the entry in the miscellaneous interest No. 768, thana No. 186 of the said mauza, made during the recent district settlement which states that in case of drought the tenants are entitled to proportionate reduction of rent for the land affected by drought is wrong and illegal.

The above case is fixed for hearing on 29th February 1924 next.

Prayers of the plaintiffs in this case are—

(ka) To hold that in case of drought the tenant defendants of the aforesaid mauza Changra are not entitled to claim proportionate reduction of rent for the land affected by drought and to declare that the entry in the miscellaneous interest No. 768 to this effect made during the district settlement is bad, wrong and illegal and beyond jurisdiction.

(kha) That cost of the suit may be granted to the plaintiff.

(ga) That other reliefs, if any, to which the plaintiffs may be entitled, may be granted to them.

If any tenant possessing any land in the said disputed mauza be willing to appear and contest the said suit shall make appearance on the date fixed for hearing of the abovementioned suit, failing which *ex parte* decree will be passed against him.

N. G. MUKHERJI, Sub-Judge, First Court.

Midnapore, the 18th February 1924. (325—1)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Sub-Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 356 OF 1923.

To Jagat Mohini Debi.

WHEREAS Ijaradars of town Basouri Mahals, Rohini estate, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 11-4 and cost (arrears of rent from 1326-1328) you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 6th day of March 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 30th day of January 1924.

M. SAHAI, Sub-Deputy Collector.

(271—2—241)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Sub-Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 361 OF 1923.

To Syed Mohammad.

WHEREAS Ijaradars of town Basouri mahals, Rohini estate, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 19-5-6 and cost (arrears of rent from 1326-1328) you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 6th day of March 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 30th day of January 1924.

M. SAHAI, Sub-Deputy Collector.

(272—2—242)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 37 OF 1924.

Re Lankapat Sing Srimal, residing at No 40, Beadon Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately residing at No 9, Russa Road, North, and carrying on business at Royal Exchange Place in Calcutta aforesaid as a dealer and a broker in stocks and shares but at present of no occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

T. C. Rudra, debtor's Solicitor.

ON the 12th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 16th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 40 OF 1924.

Re Moti Lal Biswas, lately carrying on business as a dealer in oilman stores, as an order-supplier and commission agent under the firm and style of Moti Lall Monindra Mohan Biswas, at No. 42, Clive Street, in the town of Calcutta.

Ex parte the creditor.

ON the 13th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 16th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 41 of 1924.

Re. Adolphus William Perot, residing at No. 5, Chowringhee Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and lately residing and carrying on business at No 11-2, Lindsay Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, as an Electrical Engineer under the name and style of the Reliance Fan Regulator Manufacturing Company but at present out of employment, *ex parte* the debtor.

Arnowitz & Co., debtor's Solicitors.

ON the 13th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 15th day of February 1924.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 42 of 1924.

Re Joseph Stanislaus Galbraith, residing at No. 72, Elliot Road, in the town of Calcutta, formerly an assistant employed in the firm of Messrs. Burn and Company, at present out of employment, *ex parte* the debtor in person.

On the 15th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Dated this 18th day of February 1924.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 43 of 1924.

Re Baidyanath Dutt residing at 43-1, Corporation Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business at No. 11 Indian Mirror Street in Calcutta aforesaid, as livery stable keeper under the name and style of B. N. Dutt, at present without occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

A. Bose & Co., debtor's Solicitors.

ON the 15th day of February 1924, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 20th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 44 of 1924.

Re Monohar Lall Khettry, of No. 28, Upper Chitpur Road, in the town of Calcutta, and formerly carrying on business at No. 105, Cotton Street, and afterwards at No. 76, Cotton Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid, as dealer in cloths under the name and style of Sham Sundar Lall Monohar Lall, but at present doing nothing, *exparte* the debtor.

H. B Dutt and Co., debtor's solicitor.

ON the 15th day of February 1924, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 20th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 45 of 1924.

Re Khimji Pragji *alias* Gocouldas Pragji, residing at No. 24A, Central Avenue, in the town of Calcutta, formerly a clerk, at present without occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

Sarat Chandra Ghose, debtor's Solicitor.

ON the 16th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 20th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 47 of 1924.

Re George Edward Gough, residing at No. 1, Marquis Street in the town of Calcutta, and lately employed as Timber yard Superintendent of Bengal Stone Company, Limited, at present out of employment, *ex parte* the debtor.

M. H. Haq, debtor's Solicitor.

ON the 18th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Calcutta, the 20th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 53 OF 1923.

[*Notice under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to their creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtors Fagu Ram Sawo and Sew Pujan Sawo, of Asansol, thana Asansol, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that 8th March 1924 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

A. M AHMAD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 20th February 1924. (338—1—258)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1924.

[*Notice under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Panchanan Kundu, son of late Baburam Kundu of Khojanarber, in the town of Burdwan, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that 15th March 1924 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

A. M. AHMAD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 20th February 1924. (339—1—259)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 5 OF 1924.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th January 1924, filed by Abdul Rahim, son of Osimaddin Chowdhury of Chandgaon, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent and directed to apply for discharge within six months.

Dated this 15th day of February 1924.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

(326—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Golock Kanta Seal, son of Rashraman Seal, 7-1, Gour Dey's Lane, Bowbazar, thana Pudmapukur, Calcutta, ordinarily residing at Sadarghat Road, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 12th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 8th day of March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 21st February 1924. (343—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Golock Kanta Seal, son of Rashraman Seal, of 7 1, Gour Dey's Lane, Bowbazar, police-station Puddapukur, Calcutta, ordinarily residing at Sadarghat Road, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 12th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 8th day of March 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 19th February 1924. (340—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1923.

RAJKISHORE BURMAN, son of Kripal Burman, deceased, resident of Raipur, police-station Raiganj, district Dinajpur, adjudicated insolvent on the 17th January 1924. He must apply for discharge within six months.

BANAMALI SEN, Additional District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 20th February 1924.

(334—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 19 OF 1924.

BADAL SARKAR, son of late Bhoda Sarkar, resident of Jhanjharipara, police-station Kusmandi, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent. The 15th day of March 1924 has been fixed for the examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

BANAMALI SEN, *for* District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 22nd day of February 1924. (344—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Banku Behari Pramanik, of Naskarparah Lane, Ghoosoory, thana Malipanchghora, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 1 of 1924 and that the 5th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 13th February 1924. (321—1—254)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 87 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Gosto Behari Basu, son of late Sashi Bhusan Basu, of Maju, thana Jagatballavpur, district Hooghly, was on the 2nd February 1924 adjudged an insolvent. The 11th March 1924 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

G. B. MUMFORD, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 13th February 1924. (322—1—253)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1924.

Petitioner Srish Halder, son of late Trailakhya Haldar, of Jatarpur, Malopara, police-station Meherpur, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 15th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 18th February 1924. (316—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1924.

Petitioner Khitis Chandra Halder, son of late Sribari Halder, of Nutanpara, police-station Kotowali, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 8th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 18th February 1924. (317—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1924.

Petitioner Satish Chandra Halder, son of late Sribari Halder, of Nutanpara, police-station Kotowali, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 8th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 18th February 1924. (318—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 7 OF 1924.

Petitioner Satya Charan Halder, son of late Sribari Halder, of Nutanpara, police-station Kotwali, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 8th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 18th February 1924. (319—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1924.

Petitioner Kanai Halder, son of late Rakhal Chandra Halder, of Jatarpur Malopara, police-station Meherpur, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 8th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 18th February 1924. (320—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1924.

Petitioner Shahay Ram Hore, son of late Nalin Chandra Hore, of Nutangram, police-station Chakdan, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above-named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 15th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 22nd February 1924. (345—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Tarak Chandra Saha, son of late Kanai Lal Saha, of Putigara, police-station Santhia, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition dated the 5th February 1924 to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 7th March 1924 for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

H. P. MAJUMDAR, Sub-Judge in charge.

Pabna, the 14th February 1924. (315—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Najibulla Pramanik, of Baguni, police-station Singra, district Rajshahi, has applied to this Court under Act V of 1920 to be adjudicated an insolvent and 1st March 1924 is fixed for hearing of the application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 16th February 1924. (313—1—252)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 48 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Kutub Uddin Sarkar, of Rajubagha, police-station Bagha, district Rajshahi, has been adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on 26th January 1924 and is directed to come up for discharge within six months.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 16th February 1924. (314—1—251)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 19 OF 1922.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

SHONA-UDDIN SARKAR, son of late Sneta Mamud Sarkar, of Jhunagachh Chapani, police-station Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 2nd day of February 1924, adjudged an insolvent by this Court. He must apply for his final discharge within three months.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 18th February 1924. (331—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 20 OF 1922.

PRESENT:

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

NAZMUDDIN SARKAR, son of late Miajan Sarkar, of Jhunagachh Chapani, police station Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 2nd day of February 1924, adjudged an insolvent by this Court. He must apply for his final discharge within three months.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 18th February 1924. (332—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 221 OF 1923.

Shaikh Ajujulla, of Dhopapara, thana Metebruz applicant.

To Esahak Ostagar, of Panchpara, thana Metebruz, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 15th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 20th December 1923. (36—1—262)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 222 OF 1923.

Brojolal Nanda Kisore, of 12, Madanpal Lane, Bhawanipur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Hardayal Jumnalal, of Bowria, district Howrah, and others, creditors.

ON the 15th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 20th December 1923. (37—1—263)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 233 OF 1923.

Jatindra Nath Dey, of 48, Benepuker Lane, Calcutta, applicant.

To Abdul Ajan Khan, of 63-1, Mechuabazar Street, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 15th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub Judge.

Alipore, the 20th December 1923. (38—1—264)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 269 OF 1923.

Shaikh Kobad, of Ayma, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Bhagabati Sing, of Bowali, thana Budge Budge, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 19th day of December 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 7th February 1924. (283—1—265)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 271 OF 1923.

Syam Lal Dhopi, of Narikelbagan, Cossipur, thana Cossipur, applicant.

To Raj Kumari Dassi, of Narikelbagan, thana Cossipur, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of December 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 7th February 1924. (284—1—266)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 272 OF 1923.

Mongal Kahar, of Khordah, thana Khordah, 24 Parganas, applicant.

To Gorak Sing, of Khordah, thana Khordah, 24-Parganas, and others creditors.

ON the 20th day of December 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 24th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 7th February 1924. (285—1—267)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 273 OF 1923.

Upendra Nath Ray Chaudhuri, of 12, Kedar Bose's Lane, thana Bhawanipur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Srimati Nalini Bala Debi, of 121-3, Dhakuria Road, thana Tollygunge, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors

ON the 21st day of December 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 24th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 7th February 1924. (286—1—268)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 274 of 1923

Sisir Kumar Nag Mazumdar, of 62A, Talpukur Road, thana Beleghatta, applicant.

To Bagerhat Union Bank, thana Bagerhat, district Khulna, and others, creditors.

ON the 19th day of December 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 24th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 7th February 1924 (287—1—269)

Bengal Public Health Department.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS, in duplicate, in sealed covers are invited for the weekly supply of cattle-food, including chaff, bran, mustard cake, during the nine months from the 1st April to 31st December 1924. They will be received by the Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Health, Bengal, at his office in Writers' Buildings up to the 15th March 1924. Prior to delivering their tenders, intending contractors must deposit with the Superintendent of the Bengal Vaccine Depôt at Intally two sealed samples of each of the articles proposed to be supplied under the contract.

2. Forms and conditions of tender are obtainable free on application to the undersigned. Tenders must abide by the prescribed conditions.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, M B., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H.,
Director of Public Health, Bengal.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924.

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

TEACHERS' TRAINING COLLEGE, DACCA.

STUDENTS are admitted from all parts of Bengal to non-stipendiary vacancies, but application should be made *early*, as the number of applicants greatly exceeds the available accommodation. Students from other provinces are admitted by arrangement with their Department of Education.

No Tuition fee; total cost of everything (text books, library deposit, examination fee) Rs. 60—70 for the whole course. Hostel (inclusive charge, except tiffin) charge, Rs. 14 per month. Residence in the hostel is optional.

The B. T. is a one year course, commencing on July 1st, ending on April 15th. It comprises the Psychology of Learning, Methods of Teaching, Educational Measurement, Hygiene; also instruction in subjects selected from the following:—Geography, English (including English pronunciation and colloquial idiom), Bengali Literature, Mathematics, etc.

The L. T. is a course for Intermediate pass men; the subjects (except Educational Measurement) are the same.

The M. T. is a two years Research course. Further residence in Dacca is not compulsory for the M. T. in case of B. T.'s of Dacca University

Selections for admission to all courses are made on March 31st. Form of application may be had from the Principal or from any Divisional Inspector of Schools.

There are vacancies for twenty-five non-stipendiary outside candidates.

One vacancy in Government service will be filled from non-stipendiary outside candidates who obtain a First-Class B. T. in 1924-25.

M. WEST, Principal.

Dacca, the 10th January 1924.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION No. 49.

IT is hereby notified for general information under the provisions of section 107 of the Calcutta Port Act and with the sanction of Government, that in supersession of the rent charges on import goods landed at a Heavy Lift Yard specified in section 4 (*a*) of the scales of charges published under notification No. 38, dated the 20th March 1922, in the *Calcutta Gazette*, Part II, pages 408 to 417, dated the 22nd March 1922, the following revised charges will have effect from 1st January 1924:—

		Rent per diem for first three days after free time.	Rent per diem thereafter.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
All goods on which freight is charged by weight by the 8 eamer Companies.	Per cwt. or part of a cwt.	0 0 9	0 1 6
All goods on which freight is charged by measurem nt by the Steamer Companies.	Per c. ft.	0 0 5	0 0 10

By order of the Commissioners,

C. W. T. HOOK, Secretary (offg.).

Calcutta, the 16th February 1924. (347—1)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 46 of Act III (B. C.) of 1885, the District Board of Bogra at their adjourned special meeting held on the 7th February 1924, determined that as usual the road cess for the year 1924-25 shall be levied at the maximum rate, *i.e.*, six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc.

ALTAF ALI, Chairman, District Board.

Bogra, the 12th February 1924. (323—1)

Road Cess Notification.

THE District Board of 24-Parganas, at a special meeting held on the 16th February 1924, declared, under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885, that the road cess should be levied during the year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of all lands, etc.

S. BASU, Chairman, District Board.

Alipore, dated the 22nd February 1924.

(352—3)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 219970, 250877, 250679 and 250836 of 1900-1 for face values of Rs. 400, Rs. 500, Rs 1,000 and Rs. 500 respectively, purchased through the Bank of Bengal by late Banka Behari Haldar by whom they have not been known to have been endorsed to any person, have been missing from the estate of the said deceased and no explanation has as yet been obtained as to their disappearance. Notice is therefore hereby given that payment of the above notes and interest thereof has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and the application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of my client Ratan Lal Haldar of Kalinga, police-station Chapra, district Nadia, who is heir of the said Banka Behari Haldar, deceased. The public are hereby cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above securities.

Name of the advertiser :—P. K Haldar, Pleader.

Address :—Krishnagar, Nadia. (238—3—211)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 35805, dated the 21st December 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
185078	3½ per cent., 1854-55.	4,000	Khetter Nath Mitter, Sailendra Nath Mitter, Executors of Omritalal Banerjee.
187740	Ditto ...	500	

Names of the proprietors—Khettor Nath Mitter, Sailendra Nath Mitter, Executors of Omritalal Banerjee.

Residence—Raypara Lane, Konnagar, district Hooghly.

(312—1—271)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 494, dated 8th March 1922, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount Rs.	Holder's name.
D021574	5 per cent. 1945-55	100	Haripada Nandi.

Name of the Proprietor—Haripada Nandi.

Residence—Landholder, Bankura.

Bankura, the 9th February 1924. (274—1—261)

Lost Receipt.

A RECEIPT numbered 7626, dated 11th December 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security.

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
G 028351	5½ per cent. 1928.	1,000	Onkermull Shroff.

Name of the Proprietor—Onkermull Shroff.

Residence—180, Cross Street, Calcutta.

(341—1—270)

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 279217 and 279206 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-1 for Rs. 900 and Rs. 600, respectively, originally standing in the name of the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs, and last endorsed to Manilal Kaviraj, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of the Advertiser—Manilal Kaviraj.

Residence—1, Baniapuker Lane, Entally, Calcutta.

(257—3—194)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Calcutta Decorating Company, Limited (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the abovenamed Company duly convened and held at Standard Buildings in the town of Calcutta, on the 6th day of February 1924, the resolution below mentioned was passed as an extraordinary resolution :—

"That the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue to carry on its business and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. W. McPherson be appointed as liquidator."

W. McPHERSON, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 6th February 1924. (263—1—247)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Calcutta Decorating Company, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed Company, which is being wound up voluntarily, are required, on or before the 1st day of March 1924, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names of their Solicitors (if any) to the undersigned the Liquidator of the said Company and, if so required by notice in writing from the Liquidator, to come in and prove the said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will not be admitted.

W. MoPHERSON, Liquidator.

32-1, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 6th February 1924.

(264—1—249)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Calcutta Decorating Company, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 209 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a meeting of creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at 32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Thursday, the 6th day of March 1924, at 11 A.M.

W. MoPHERSON, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 6th February 1924. (265—1—248)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Indian Industrial and Agricultural Association, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the abovenamed Company duly convened and held at No. 19, Sambhu Mallik Lane, in the town of Calcutta, on the 8th day of February, 1924, the resolution below mentioned was passed as an extraordinary resolution.

"It is resolved, owing to financial difficulties, that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Babu Jagadish Ch. Chakravarty, B.A., of 35, Guru Prasad Chaudhuri Lane, Calcutta, be and he is hereby appointed liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

J. C. CHAKRAVARTI, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 14th February 1924. (308—1—256)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Indian Industrial and Agricultural Association, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 209 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at No. 19, Sambhu Mallik's Lane, Calcutta, on the 15th day of March 1924, at 5 P.M.

J. C. CHAKRAVARTI, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 14th February 1924. (309—1—257)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Edwards Steamship Co., Ld. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the abovenamed Company, duly convened for and held at the registered office of the Company, F-1, Clive Buildings, Calcutta, on Monday, the 4th day of February 1924, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the said Company duly convened for and held on Tuesday, the 19th day of February 1924, at the same time and place, the said resolution was duly confirmed as a special resolution :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and accordingly that Mr. Lionel Edwards of D-1, Clive Buildings, No. 8, Clive Street, Calcutta, be and he is hereby appointed liquidator for the purpose of such winding up without remuneration."

By order of the Board,

VILLIERS, LIMITED,

R. C. TIDDY, Director, Managers.

Calcutta, the 19th February 1924. (333—1—260)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Powell Newton, Ltd., Calcutta (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a creditors' meeting will be held at 180, Cross Street, Calcutta, on Friday, the 29th instant, at 1 P.M.—

To consider over the suit instituted by the Company against its debtors Messrs. Harsukhdas Doolychand of Calcutta.

To consider over the proposal of B. Basu Deo, Shroff, of 61, Cross Street, Calcutta, for purchasing the Company's rights in the above suit.

U. N. BASU, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 21st February 1924 (336—1—255)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Assam Products and Lime, Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Assam Products and Lime, Ld., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 16th February 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of the Indian Export and Engineering Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Indian Export and Engineering Co., Ld., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 22nd February 1924.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Tosh, Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the abovenamed Company by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal was, on the 8th day of February 1924, presented to the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Pearson by Satis Chunder Mitter, a creditor of the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Judge in Chambers on the 10th day of March 1924; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company, desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Act, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for the purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Dated the 11th day of February 1924.

SANDERSON & Co., Attorneys for the petitioners.

26, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta. (353—1)

Descriptive Catalogue of Sanskrit Manuscripts.

PARTS I, II, and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College, are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 28 parts the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

Publication of Advertisements in the Bengal Quarterly Civil List.

THE Government of Bengal are prepared to consider applications for the insertion of advertisements in the quarterly issue of the Bengal Civil List which is published early in January, April, July and October of each year. Twenty pages of the publication, which is octavo in size, are available at the following rates :—

		Per annum. Four issues.	Single issue.
		Rs.	Rs.
Full page in print	...	100	30
Half page	...	60	20
Quarter page	...	40	15
One-eighth page	...	25	10

No advertisement extending over less than one-eighth of a page will be accepted, and payment must be made before the date of publication.

Applications for insertion of advertisements in the next issue must reach the undersigned not later than the 15th March 1924, and must in all cases be accompanied by a copy of the advertisement which it is proposed to insert.

UNDER-SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, POLITICAL AND APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENTS, WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA.

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :—

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs 25

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs., ...	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*" which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post.

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs. Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Re. 2.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

Government reserve the right to alter the price without notice.

GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS FOR SALE.

At the Bengal Secretariat Book Depot, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, and by the following Agents:—

AGENTS IN INDIA.

BENGAL.

Messrs. A. H. Wheeler & Co., Calcutta.

Messrs. B. Banerjee & Co., 25, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.

Messrs. Butterworth & Co. (India), Ld., Calcutta.

Mr. G. N. Haldar, Calcutta.

The Indian School Supply Depôt, 309, Bowbazar, Calcutta.

The Proprietor, International Buddhist Book Depôt, 4, Chandney Chowk, 1st Lane, Calcutta.

Messrs. Lall Chand & Sons, 76, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.

Rai M. C. Sarkar Bahadur & Sons, 90-2A, Harrison Road, Calcutta.

Messrs. Newman & Co., Calcutta.

Messrs. R. Cambray & Co., Calcutta.

Messrs. S. K. Lahiri & Co., Printers and Booksellers, College Street, Calcutta.

The Standard Literature Company, Limited, 13-1, Old Court House Street, Calcutta.

Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., Calcutta.

The Weldon Library, 18-5, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta.

The Young Men's Christian Association Press, Calcutta.

Babu Jadunath Haldar, Muktear and Revenue Agent, Gorabazar, Murshidabad.

Babu S. C. Talukdar, Proprietor, Students & Co., Cooch Behar.

BOMBAY.

Messrs. A. H. Wheeler, Bombay.

Messrs. A. J. Combridge & Co., Bombay.

Messrs. D. B. Taraporevalla & Sons, Booksellers, 190, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

Messrs. Gopal Narayan & Co., Bombay.

Mrs. Radhabai Atmaram Sagoon, Bombay.

Messrs. Ramchandra Govind & Son, Booksellers and Publishers, Kalbadevi, Bombay.

Mr Ramnath Sunder, Bombay.

Messrs. Thacker & Co., Ld., Bombay.

The Standard Bookstall, Karachi.

The Proprietor, New Kitabkhana, Poona.

Messrs. Karsandas Narandas & Sons, Surat.

Mr. Mangaldas Harkisandas, Surat.

MADRAS.

Messrs. G. A. Natesan & Co., Madras.

Messrs. Higginbotham & Co., Madras.

Messrs. S. Murthy & Co., Madras.

Messrs. Temple & Co., Madras.

Messrs. Thompson & Co., Madras.

Messrs. V. Kalyanarama Iyer & Co., Booksellers, etc., Madras.

M. R. Ry. E. M. Gopalakrishna Kone, Madura.

Messrs. Vas & Co., Madura.

CENTRAL PROVINCES.

The Manager, "Hitavada," Nagpur.

UNITED PROVINCES.

Messrs. A. H. Wheeler & Co., Allahabad.

The Proprietor of the Newal Kishore Press, Lucknow.

Munshi Seeta Ram, Managing Proprietor, Indian Army Book Depôt, Juhi, Cawnpore.

Manager, Imperial Book Depôt, Delhi.

Oxford Book and Stationery Co., Delhi.

PUNJAB.

Rai Sahib M. Gulab Singh & Sons, Proprietors of the Mufid-i-am Press, Lahore, Punjab.

Messrs. Rama Krishna & Sons, Anarkali Street, Lahore.

Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., Simla.

BURMA.

The Superintendent, American Baptist Mission Press, Rangoon.

CEYLON.

Messrs. A. M. and J. Ferguson, Ceylon.

AGENTS IN GREAT BRITAIN.

Messrs. A. Constable & Co., 10, Orange Street, Leicester Square, London, W.C.

Messrs. Grindlay & Co., 54, Parliament Street, London, S.W.

Messrs. Kegan, Paul, Trench, Trübner & Co., 66-74, Carter Lane, London, E.C.; Oriental Department, 39, New Oxford Street, London, W.C.

Mr. B. Quaritch, 11, Grafton Street, New Bond Street, London, W.

Messrs. W. Thacker & Co., 2, Creed Lane, Ludgate Hill, London, E.C.

Messrs. P. S. King & Son, 2 & 4, Great Smith Street, Westminster, London, S.W.

Messrs. H. S. King & Co., 65, Cornhill, London, E.C.

Messrs. East and West, Ltd., 3, Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.

Mr. B. H. Blackwell, 50-51, Broad Street, Oxford.

Messrs. Deighton Bell & Co., Ld., Trinity Street, Cambridge.

Messrs. Luzac & Co., 46, Great Russell Street, London W.C.

Messrs. Oliver and Boyd, Tweeddale Court, Edinburgh.

Messrs. E. Ponsonby, Limited, 116, Grafton Street, Dublin.

Mr. T. Fisher Unwin, Limited, 1, Adelphi Terrace, London, W.C.

Messrs. J. Wheldon and Wesley, Limited, 2, 3 and 4, Arthur Street, New Oxford Street, London, W.C. 2.

AGENTS ON THE CONTINENT.

Mr. Ernest Leroux, Rue Bonaparte, Paris, France.

Mr. Otto Harrassowitz, Leipzig.

Mr. Martinus Nijhoff, The Hague, Holland.

Messrs. R. Friedländer & Sohn, Berlin.

NOTICE.—Books required for private use can be purchased. Applications should be accompanied by remittance in each case.

All remittances on account of subscriptions to or prices of Gazettes, Indian Law Reports or other Government publications available for sale at the Bengal Secretariat Book Depôt, or for cost of advertisements published in the Gazette should be made payable to the "Treasurer, Bengal Secretariat, Calcutta." Advices of such remittances, if separately sent, should be addressed to the "Accountant, Bengal Secretariat." All advertisements intended for publication in the *Calcutta Gazette* should be sent direct to the Superintendent, Government Printing, Bengal, Alipore, 24-Parganas.

Books required for the Public Service should be obtained through the Heads of Departments.

NEW PUBLICATIONS ISSUED DURING THE CURRENT QUARTER.

Acts, Bills and Legislative Council Proceedings.

Bengal Act III of 1923 (Calcutta Municipal) as modified by the Calcutta Municipal (No. II) Act, 1923 (Bengal Act XI of 1923). Re. 2. (7a.)

MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS.

Boiler—

The Bengal—Rules, 1924. As. 2. (1a.)

Cinchona—

Annual Report of the Government—Plantations and Factories in Bengal for the year 1922-23. As. 8 (1½a.)

Companies—

Annual Report on the Administration of the Indian—Act, 1913, and other Acts in Bengal for 1922-23. Re. 3. (4a.)

Dictionary—

English-Nepali—, 1923. Rs. 9. (12a.)

Emigration—

Report on Inland—for the year ending 30th June 1923. Re. 1. (2a.)

Jails—

Administration Report on the—of the Bengal Presidency for the year 1922. Rs. 5-14. (8½a.)

PUBLICATIONS ISSUED BETWEEN 1st JULY and 31st DECEMBER 1923.

Acts, Bills and Legislative Council Proceedings.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council—

For the meetings held on the 12th, 14th to 16th and 19th to 23rd February 1923, Vol. XI, No. 2. Rs. 2-8. (9a)

For the meetings held on the 26th to 28th February and 1st March 1923, Vol. XI, No. 3. Re. 1. (4½a.)

For the meetings held on the 2nd, 5th to 7th March 1923, Vol. XI, No. 4. Re. 1-2. (4a.)

For the meetings held on the 14th to 17th, 19th to 23rd and 26th and 27th March 1923, Vol. XI, No. 5. Rs. 2-6. (9a.)

For the meetings held on the 2nd to 5th July 1923, Vol. XII. Re. 1. (4a.)

For the meetings held on the 15th to 18th, 20th and 21st August 1923, Vol. XIII. Rs. 2-4. (8 a.)

Calcutta Suppression of Immoral Traffic Bill, 1923. In English. As. 2 (1a.) In Bengali. As. 10 (1a.)

Bengal Act II of 1866 [Calcutta Suburban Police] as modified up to 1st June 1923. English As. 8 (1½a.)

Bengal Act I of 1923 [Goondas]. English 9p. (6p); Bengali As. 4 (6p.); Nagri As. 4 (6p.); Urdu. As. 6 (6p.)

Bengal Act II of 1923 [Calcutta Rent (Amendment)]. 3p. (6p.)

Bengal Act IV of 1923 (Smoke Nuisance). 3p. (6p)

Bengal Act V of 1923 (Children, Amendment). 3p. (6p.)

Bengal Act VI of 1923 (Calcutta Port Amendment). 6p. (6p.)

Bengal Act VII of 1923 (Bengal Aerial Ropeways). As. 2 6. (1a.)

Bengal Act VIII of 1923 (Village Chaukidari Amendment). 3p. (6p.)

Bengal Act IX of 1923 [Calcutta Improvement (Amendment)]. 3p. (6p.)

Bengal Act X of 1923 [Bengal Tenancy (Utbandi Amendment)]. 6p. (6 p.) In Bengali. 6p. (6p.)

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council—*concld.*

Bengal Act XI of 1923 [The Calcutta Municipal (No. II)]. 9*p.* (6*p.*)

Bengal Act XII of 1923 (The St. Thomas' School). 9*p.* (6*p.*)

Bengal Act XIII of 1923 (The Calcutta Suppression of Immoral Traffic). 6*p.* (6*p.*)

India Act, IV of 1923 (Indian Mines). In Bengali. Re. 1-4. (1*a.*)

India Act, V of 1923 (Indian Boilers). In Bengali. Re. 1. (1*a.*)

India Act, VIII of 1923 (Workmen's Compensation). In Bengali. Re. 1-2. (1*a.*)

India Act, IX of 1923 [Indian Factories (Amendment)]. In Bengali. As. 1-6. (6*p.*)

India Act, X of 1923 (Indian Paper Currency). In Bengali. As. 12. (1*a.*)

India Act, XV of 1923 (Indian Income-tax (Amendment)]. In Bengali. As. 1-6. (6*p.*)

India Act, XVI of 1923 [Government Savings Bank (Amendment)] In Bengali. As. 1-6. (6*p.*)

India Act, XX of 1923 [Indian Penal Code Amendment (Suppression of Traffic in Women and Children)]. In Bengali. As. 4. (6*p.*)

India Act XXVII of 1923 [Indian Income Tax (further amendment)]. In Bengali. As. 2. (6*p.*)

MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS.

Accounts—

Report of the Committee appointed to investigate the present system of—and Routine work in the Public Works Department offices in Bengal. Re. 1 (3*a.*)

Administration—

Report on the—of Bengal for 1921-1922. Foolscap, board, paper cover. Rs. 3. (12*a.*)

Boards—

Resolution reviewing the Reports on the working of District—in Bengal, 1921-22. As. 12-6. (2½*a.*)

Chaukidari—

A—Manual with the Village—Act, 1870, and the Bengal Village—Act, 1871, as modified up to October 1922. Super Royal 8vo, board, paper cover. Re. 1-4. (4*a.*)

Census—

Bengal—of India, 1921, Vol. V, Part I (Report). Rs. 8. (Re. 1-2.)

Bengal—of India, 1921, Vol. V, Part II (Tables). Rs. 13. (Re. 1-2.)

Calcutta—of India, 1921, Vol. VI, Part I (Report). Rs. 5-8. (9*a.*)

Calcutta—of India, 1921, Vol. VI, Part II (Tables). Rs. 7-8. (10*a.*)

Co-operative—

List of—societies in the districts of Chittagong and Chittagong Hill Tracts corrected up to 31st December 1922. Foolscap, paper cover. Rs. 3-8. (3*a.*)

List of—societies in the district of Bakarganj, corrected up to 31st December 1922. Foolscap, paper cover. Rs. 4. (5*a.*)

List of—societies in the district of Dacca, as corrected up to 31st December 1922. Rs. 4-12. (8*a.*)

Electoral—

Legislative Assembly—Rules and Regulations, 1923. As. 8. (2½*a.*)

Bengal—Rules and Regulations, 1923 [contains Government of India Notification No. F.-213V., dated the 30th July 1923 (Bengal Electoral Rules) and Government of Bengal Notification No. 1627A.R., dated the 11th August 1923 (Bengal Electoral Regulations)]. Foolscap, paper cover. As. 8 (2½*a.*)

Council of State—Rules and Regulations, 1923. As. 4. (1½*a.*)

Engineering—

Elementary notes on—for survey classes in Bengal. Rs. 2-12. (4*a.*)

Examination—

Question papers set for the Bengal Provincial Services—1922. Re. 1. (2*a.*)

Executive and Judicial—

Report of the Committee appointed to elaborate a practical working scheme for the separation of—Functions in the Administration of Bengal and to report on the cost thereof, 1922. Foolscap, paper cover. Re. 1-4. (4*a*.)

Forest—

Annual Progress Report on—Administration of the Presidency of Bengal for the year 1921-22. Foolscap, paper cover. Re. 2-4. (3*a*.)

Food crops—

Price list of Staple—in the local areas in Bengal for 1922. Re. 1-12. (2*a*.)

Industries—

A summary of the cottage—in the districts of Bengal. Published 1923 Foolscap, paper cover. Re 1. (4*a*.)

Irrigation—

Classified List and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 1st July 1923 (Irrigation Department). Re. 1-4. (2*a*.)

List—

Classified—and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 1st July 1923 (Roads and Buildings). Re 1. (3*a*.)

—of recent books on Education, compiled from the Library of the Teachers' Training College, Dacca, also short list of books on Education giving the names of 46 books specially recommended. As. 6. (1½*a*.)

List, Civil—

Quarterly—for Bengal, corrected up to 1st October 1923. Re. 3. (11*a*.)

Mines—

Rules framed by the Governor-General of India in Council under section 20 of the Indian—Act (VIII of 1901) for the working of Mica, Manganese and Limestone. In Bengali. In pamphlet or sheet form. Published 1921. As. 2. (1*a*.)

Government of India, Industries Department, Notification No. 498M., dated the 29th June 1922, amending the General Rules under section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, applicable to Mica, Manganese and Limestone. In Bengali. In pamphlet or sheet form. As. 2-6. (1*a*.)

Municipalities—

Resolution reviewing the Reports on the working of the—in Bengal. Foolscap, paper cover, for 1921-22. Re. 1-1. (3½*a*.)

Pilot Service—

Report of the Bengal—Reorganisation Committee, Vol. I. Super Royal 8vo Re. 1-2. (2*a*.)

Report of the Bengal—Reorganisation Committee, Vol. II. Re. 1. (2*a*.)

Police—

Annual Report on the—Administration of the Town of Calcutta and its Suburbs. For 1922. Rs. 3. (5*a*.)

Rebates—

Prevention of Deferred Bill, 1923. In Bengali. As. 14. (1½*a*.)

Records—

Supplement to the Bengal District—Rangpur, Vol. I, 1770, 1777-1779. As. 12. (1*a*.)

Salt—

Report on the Administration of the—Department in Bengal. For 1922-23. As. 8. (1*a*.)

Schools—

List of High—and Colleges in Bengal, corrected up to 31st December 1922. As. 12. (2½*a*.)

Track—

Lectures on—Construction and Design by G. Chestney. Foolscap, limp paper cover. Rs. 2-8. (4*a*.)

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NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Saturday.

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APPENDIX.

Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The 16th February 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—ANDAMAN ISLANDS—PORT BLAIR.

Ross Island—Buoy removed, westward of.

No. 47 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 9M of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ cables south-westward of pier end of Ross Island.

Lat. 11° 40½′ N.
Long. 92° 46′ E. } approx.

Details.—The mooring buoy painted black and white in checks, for the Government Vessel, stationed approximately in the above position, has been removed.

Charts affected.—No. 514, Port Blair.

„ 1398, Port Blair to Little Andaman Island.

„ 1419, Long Island to Port Blair.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 420.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, R. I. M. S. "Minto" Hydrographic Note, dated 7th January 1924.

STRAIT OF MALACCA—MALAY PENINSULA.

North Klang Strait—Amended Position of Light-Buoy.

No. 48 (first publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 57 of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1770 of 1923. (*This office No. 417 of 1923.*)

Position.—At a distance of about 4½ cables north-westward of the position quoted in former Notice.

Lat. 3° 04′ 30″ N., long. 101° 20′ 00″ E., on chart No. 3453.

Description.—A light-buoy, exhibiting a *flashing white* light *every ten seconds.*

Charts affected.—No. 3453, Klang strait and approaches.

„ 794, Pulo Berhala to Cape Rachado.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 210,

Authority.—The Harbour Master, Selangor. (*H. 8791-23.*)

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—AUCKLAND HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Rangitoto Channel—Alteration in Light on Light-Buoy.

No. 49 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 58 of 1924), are republished :—

Position—At a distance of about 9½ cables north-eastward of North head flagstaff.

Lat. 36° 49′ S., long. 174° 50′ E. (approx.).

Details.—The character of the light on the light-buoy, painted red, in the above position has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every five seconds*, thus :—Flash 1 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.

„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.

„ 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour, and Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1919, page 186.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 72 of 1923. (*H. 8813-23.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, SOUTH COAST.

Salayar—Rock westward of.

No. 50 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 77 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—In the channel between Salayar and Pasi (Varkens) island, at a distance of 9 cables 251° from Salayar flagstaff.

Lat. 6° 07′ S., long. 120° 27′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—3 feet (0m9), rock.

Note.—The Symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1m 8) is to be inserted on the charts.

Chart affected.—No. 2674, Plan of channel between Salayar and Pasi or Varkens island.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 450.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 3165 of 1923. (*H. 8729-23*).

CHINA SEA—FRENCH COCHIN CHINA.

Vung Moe Bay Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 51 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 78 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Westward of Nuok islet.

Lat. 14° 15′ N., long. 109° 10′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—**Fl. ev. 7 sec. 167 ft. 16 M.**

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every seven seconds*, thus:—Flash 1 sec., eclipse 6 sec.

Remarks.—The visibility of the light is now 16 miles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1342, Fan rang bay to Tong king gulf.
„ 2661*a*, China sea, northern portion—western sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 1429.

Authority.—Paris Notice No, 2295 of 1923. (*H. 8779-23.*)

STRAIT OF MALACCA—MALAY PENINSULA.

Klang Strait, Dredged Channel—Wreck marked by Buoy.

No. 52 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 85 of 1924), are republished:—

(*a*) Wreck:

Position.—In the centre of the dredged channel, at a distance of 6·5 cables 103½° from Tanjong Sau (Deepwater point) lighthouse.
Lat. 3° 00′ N., long. 101° 21′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—Wreck of a junk, sunk in the year 1923.

(*b*) Buoy:

Position.—Marking the above wreck.

Description.—Not stated.

Remarks.—The dredged channel, referred to above, is unsafe for navigation owing to this wreck.

Charts affected.—No. 2153, Port Swettenham.
„ 3453, Klang strait and approaches.

Authority.—The Harbour Master, Selangor. (*H. 8793-23.*)

INDIA, WEST COAST—BEIT HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Samani Island Light—Error in sectors corrected.

No. 53 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 11M. of 1924), are republished:—

Former Notice.—No. 80M. of 1923 (this Office No. 379 of 1923) hereby cancelled.

Position.—Lat. 22° 29′ N.
Long. 69° 05′ E. } approx.

Details.—The limits of the white and red sectors of the above light have been altered, and now shows as formerly detailed in the Admiralty List of Lights, viz.:—

White from 057°, through east to 217°; red, thence to 247° over Chinri reef; white thence to 260°; red thence to 290° over Paga Bank; white thence to 009°.

Charts affected.—No. 47, Beit Harbour.
„ 43, Gulf of Cutch.
„ 39, Coasts of Sind and Cutch.

Publication.—Admiralty List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 339.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, R.I.M.S. "Palinurus," dated 26th January 1924.

The 8th February 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA, BASSEIN RIVER ENTRANCE.

Diamond Island—W/T. Station in operation.

No. 39 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 5M of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 4-M. of 1923 (*This Office No. 29 of 1923*); hereby cancelled.

Position.—Lat. 15° 52′ N. } approx.
Long. 94 17′ E. }

Details.—The W/T Station at Diamond Island has not been dismantled. It is still maintained in working order and carries out a considerably reduced service for local purposes only.

Charts affected.—No. 834, Bassein River and approaches.
„ 3772, Calventuras to Bassein River.
„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.
„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.
„ 748b, Indian Ocean, northern portion.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 447.

Authority.—The Director of Wireless, Simla, dated Simla, 11th January 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—ANDAMAN ISLANDS.

Port Blair—Sesostris Shoal Buoy adrift.

No. 40 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 6M of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 11° 39′ N. } approx.
Long. 92° 47′ E. }

Details.—The black conical buoy, which was moored on the eastern edge of the Sesostris Shoal, is reported to have broken adrift and now lies in South Corbyns Cove.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 514, Port Blair.
„ 1398, Port Blair to Little Andaman Islands.
„ 825, Andaman Islands.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 421.

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, dated Rangoon, 7th January 1924.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Malvan Bay—Ordinary buoy replaced by a new Buoy.

No. 41 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 8M of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 16° 03′ N. } approx.
Long. 73° 28′ E. }

Details.—The Ordinary, flat topped black No. 2 Port hand Malvan Harbour buoy was removed on the 15th December 1923, and a new buoy of the following description has been placed in its position.

Description of new buoy.—A Conical buoy surmounted with a perch and globe. The upper part of the buoy and the perch and globe are painted white.

Chart affected.—No. 902, Malvan to Vengurla, with inset.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1919, page 191.

Authority.—The Commissioner of Customs, Salt and Excise, Bombay, dated 17th January 1924.

BRITISH POSSESSIONS.

Caution when approaching British Ports.

No. 42 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1 of 1924), are republished :—

PART I.

Closing of Ports.

Former Notice.—No. 1 of 1923 (*This office No. 34 of 1923*) ; hereby cancelled.

(1) My Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, having taken into consideration the fact that it may be necessary to forbid all entrance to certain ports of the Empire, this is

to give notice that on approaching the shores of the United Kingdom, or any of the ports or localities of the British Empire, a sharp look-out should be kept for the signals described in the following paragraph, and for the vessels mentioned in paragraph (5), Part II, of this Notice, and the distinguishing and other signals made by them. In the event of such signals being displayed, the port or locality should be approached with great caution, as it may be apprehended that obstructions may exist.

(2) If entrance to a port is prohibited, three *red* vertical lights by night, or three *red* vertical balls by day, will be exhibited in some conspicuous position, in or near to its approach, which signals will also be shown by the vessels indicated in paragraph (5), Part II, of this Notice.

If these signals are displayed, vessels must approach the port with the greatest caution and implicitly obey all orders or signals given them by the Examination vessel or signal station.

(3) At some ports or localities at home or abroad, search-lights are occasionally exhibited for exercise.

Instructions have been given to avoid directing movable search lights during practice on to vessels under way, but mariners are warned that great care should be taken to keep a sharp look-out for the signals indicated in paragraph (2) above, when search-lights are observed to be working.

PART II.

Examination Service.

(4) In certain circumstances it is also necessary to take special measures to examine vessels desiring to enter ports or localities at home or abroad.

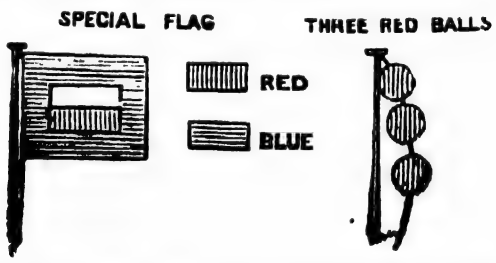
(5) In such case, vessels carrying the distinguishing flags or lights mentioned in paragraph (7) will be charged with the duty of examining ships which desire to enter the port and of allotting positions in which they shall anchor. If Government vessels, or vessels belonging to the local port authority, are found patrolling in the offing, merchant vessels are advised to communicate with such vessels with a view to obtaining information as to the course on which they should approach the port. Such communication will not be necessary in cases where the pilot on board has already received this information from the local authorities.

(6) As the institution of the Examination Service will probably be unknown to vessels desiring to enter the port, especial care should be taken in approaching the ports, by day or night, to keep a sharp look-out for any vessel carrying the flags or lights mentioned in paragraph (7) and to be ready to "bring to" at once when hailed by her or warned by the firing of a gun or sound rocket.

In approaching by night any British port in the United Kingdom or abroad, serious delay and risk will be avoided if four efficient all-round lanterns, two *red* and two *white*, are kept available for use.

(7) By day the distinguishing flag of the Examination Steamer will be a special flag (white and red horizontal surrounded by a blue border).

Also, three red vertical balls if the port is closed.



Usually the Examination Steamers will fly the blue ensign, but in certain circumstances they may fly the white ensign.

By night the steamer will carry :—

(*a*) Three *red* vertical lights if the port is closed.

(*b*) Three *white* vertical lights if the port is open.

The above lights will be carried in addition to the ordinary navigation lights, and will show an unbroken light around the horizon.

(8) Masters are warned that, when approaching a British port where the Examination Service is in force, they must have the signal letters of their vessel ready to hoist immediately the Examination Steamer makes the signal : "What ship is that ?"

(9) Masters are warned that, before attempting to enter any port when the Examination Service is in force, they must in their own interests strictly obey all instructions given to them by the Examination Steamer.

Whilst at anchor in the Examination Anchorage, Masters are warned that it is forbidden, except for the purpose of avoiding accident, to do any of the following things, without permission from the Examining Officer :—

To lower any boat.

To communicate with the shore or with other ships.

To move the ship.

To work cables.

To allow any person or thing to leave the ship.

(10) In case of fog, Masters are enjoined to use the utmost care, and the port should be approached with caution.

(11) When the Examination Service is in force merchant vessels when approaching ports are especially cautioned against making use of private signals of any description, either by day or night ; the use of them will render a vessel liable to be fired on.

(12) The pilots attached to the ports will be acquainted with the regulations to be followed.

PART III.

Mine-Sweeping operations.

H.M. Vessels engaged in mine-sweeping operations or exercises are hampered to a considerable extent in their manœuvring powers.

With a view to indicating the nature of the work on which they are engaged, these vessels will show the signals hereinafter mentioned. For the public safety all other vessels, whether steamers or sailing craft, should endeavour to keep out of the way of vessels flying these signals and not approach them inside the distances mentioned herein, specially remembering that it is dangerous to pass between the vessels of a pair or group sweeping together.

1. SIGNALS THAT WILL BE SHOWN BY DAY.

(*a*) By vessels working singly :

A black ball at the foremast head, and a similar ball at the yard-arm or where it can best be seen on that side on which it is dangerous to pass. (If a ball is shown at each yard-arm it is dangerous to pass either side.)

Vessels showing this signal should not be approached nearer than 900 yards (822^{m}9).

(*b*) By vessels working in pairs or groups :

A black ball at the foremast head and, a similar ball at the yard-arm or where it can best be seen, on that side on which it is dangerous to pass.

Vessels should not pass within a distance of 400 yards (365^{m}8) astern of a pair or group of sweepers, or when more than one pair or group are working in company within a distance of 400 yards (365^{m}8) astern of the rear pair or group. They should on no account attempt to pass between pairs or groups working in company.

2. SIGNALS THAT WILL BE SHOWN BY NIGHT.

As for day, except that all-round green lights will be used in a similar manner to and in place of the black balls.

Note.

This Notice is a repetition of Notice No. 1 of 1923. (This Office No. 34 of 1923.)

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 7789-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Kilimán River Entrance—Information re Depths and Fairway-Buoy.

No. 43 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 10 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) Caution re depths :

Position.—Southern end of Tangalane banks.
Lat. 18° 06′ S., long. 36° 58′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The caution shown near the lower margin, on the right hand side of the plan quoted, concerning the bar, banks and buoys, is to be deleted.

The following caution is to be inserted below the title of the same plan :—

CAUTION.

The Bar and Banks are subject to constant change, the Leading Beacons and Buoys are moved accordingly. No confidence can be placed on the depths shown on this chart.

8½ feet reported on the Bar (1923).

The words "*See Caution*" are also to be inserted on the plan near the outer end of the entrance leading line "Beacons in line 313°."

(*b*) Alteration in position of Fairway-buoy :

New position.—At a distance of about 8 cables northward of charted position and 5·2 miles 096° from Vilhena lighthouse.

Description.—A fairway-buoy, painted in black and white horizontal stripes, with topmark.

Remarks.—The note "(*posn. approx.*)." is to be re-inserted against the new position of this buoy.

Chart affected.—No. 650, Plan of Kilimán river.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 253, 255, 256 ; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 49 of 1923. (*H. 8223-23.*)

NEW GUINEA, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Waigeo, North Coast—Information re Shoal and Rocks.

No. 44 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 17 of 1924), are republished :—

(1) Existence of shoal :

Position.	Depth.
Lat. 0° 05′ 00″ N., long. 130° 51′ 30″ E.	7 fathoms (12m8).

(2) Non-existence of rocks, which are to be expunged from the charts :

Position.	Description.
(*a*) Lat. 0° 04′ 30″ N., long. 130° 57′ 00″ E.	A rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1m8).
(*b*) Lat. 0° 03′ 00″ N., long. 130° 59′ 30″ E.	Two rocks, each with a depth of less than 6 feet (1m8).

Remarks.—The positions quoted refer to chart No. 942*b*.

Charts affected.—No. 942*b*, Eastern Archipelago—sheet 4.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. III, 1921, page 222.

Authority.—Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 8474-23.*)

TASMANIA—River Derwent Entrance.

Port Hobart—Works in Progress.

No. 45 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 18 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Queen's pier, Sullivan's cove.
Lat. 42° 53′ S., long. 147° 21′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The note "*Works in Progress (1923)*" is to be inserted on the chart against the outer end of Queen's pier.

Chart affected.—No. 105, Port Hobart.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 374.

Authority.—Hobart Notice, dated 27th October 1923. (*H. 8628-23.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Mindanao, North-East Coast.

Bukas Island—Rocks and Shoals eastward and south-eastward of.

No. 46 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 35 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Close eastward of Bukas island.
Lat. 9° 35′ 40″ N., long. 125° 59′ 10″ E.

Depth.—4¼ fathoms (8m7).

(*b*) *Position.*—Between Bukas and Anahauan islands.

Lat. 9° 35′ 45″ N., long. 126° 04′ 40″ E.

Depth.—6 fathoms (11^{m}0), rock.

(*c*) *Position.*—Close southward of Anahauan island.

Lat. 9° 34′ 45″ N., long. 126° 09′ 05″ E.

Depth.—7 fathoms (12^{m}8), rock.

(*d*) *Position.*—Close south-eastward of Anahauan island.

Lat. 9° 35′ 55″ N., long. 126° 10′ 00″ E.

Depth.—1½ fathoms (2^{m}7).

(*e*) *Position.*—Close westward of Lahanosa island.

Lat. 9° 38′ 00″ N., long. 126° 09′ 45″ E.

Depth.—3½ fathoms (6^{m}4).

(*f*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 3½ miles north-eastward of Point Kauit lighthouse.

Lat. 9° 19′ 25″ N., long. 126° 16′ 15″ E.

Depth.—8 fathoms (14^{m}6), rock.

Remarks.—The positions quoted refer to chart No. 2578.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, pages 426, 427.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 8634-23.*)

The 2nd February 1924.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, EAST COAST.

Homalig Island—Amendments to Chart re Shoals and Depths.

No. 35 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2501 of 1923), are republished :—

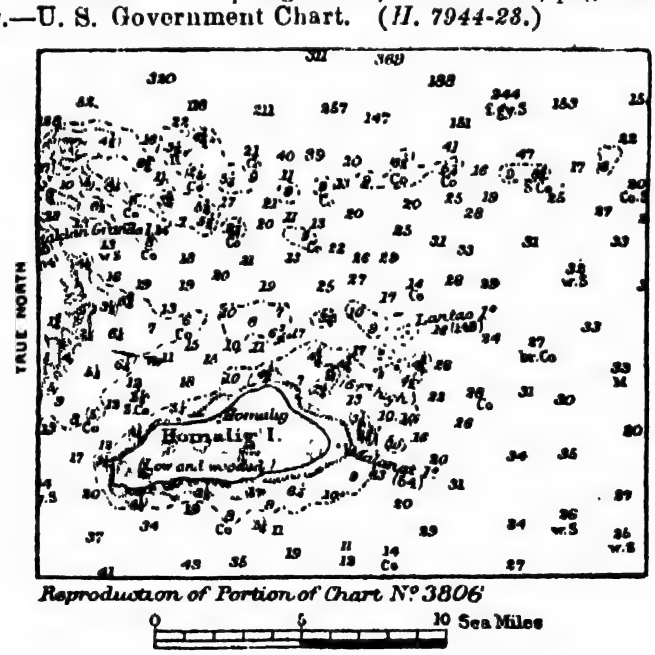
Position.—Malanat islet, lat. 14° 42′ N., long. 122° 26′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No 3806 shows the necessary amendments with regard to shoals and depths northward, eastward and south-eastward of Homalig island. It will be observed from the reproduction that the name " Homalig " has been substituted for " Jomalig " on the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 3806, Cabra island to San Fernando point, and Dilasak bay to San Miguel bay.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 542.

Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 7944-23.*)



JAVA, NORTH-EAST COAST—SURABAYA STRAIT.

Tanjongan—Shoal south-eastward of.

No. 36 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2057 of 1923), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2½ miles south-eastward of Tanjongan.
Lat. 7° 11′ 35″ S., long. 112° 42′ 41″ E., on the plan quoted.

Depth.—1½ fathoms (2m7).

Chart affected.—No. 934, Plan of Surabaya strait.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 128.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 3079 of 1923. (*H. 8518-23.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip Entrance Fairway—Information re Leading Lines and Depths.

No. 37 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2075 of 1923), are republished :—

(1) Leading line to be inserted on charts :

Position.—Shortland bluff high lighthouse.
Lat. 38° 16′ S., long. 144° 40′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—A leading line is to be drawn in a 038° direction on the charts, to the Obelisk (situated close eastward of low light) in line with Shortland bluff high light. This leading line is to be drawn as a single line for a distance of one mile south-westward of low light, thence as a double line for a distance of 3·2 miles. The leading line is to be marked at its outer end :—

"*Obelisk in line with High l.t. 38° (N. 30° E. Mag.).*"

The word "Fairway" shown against the leading line "Two lights in line 42° (*N. 34° E. Mag.*)," on chart No. 2747, is to be erased and re-inserted midway between the outer ends of the two leading lines.

(2) Depth in dredged channel to be inserted on chart No. 2747 :

Position.—At a distance of about 9¼ cables south-eastward of Point Lonsdale lighthouse.

Details.—The following note is to be inserted between the two leading lines, on the chart quoted :—

"*Channel dredged to 43 ft. (1923).*"

The depths below 43 feet (13m1), six in number, on or between the above leading lines, south-eastward of Point Lonsdale, are to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Pilot. Vol. II, 1918, page 88.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 9 of 1923. (*H. 8303-23.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA, PORT PHILLIP ENTRANCE.

South Channel—Alterations in positions of light-buoys and buoy.

No. 38 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 2076 of 1923), are republished :—

(*a*) *New position.*—At a distance of about 1¼ cables westward of charted position and 5·33 cables 300° from "Pile" lighthouse.
Lat. 38° 20′ S., long. 144° 50′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—No. 10 light-buoy exhibiting a *group flashing red* light.

(*b*) *New position.*—At a distance of about half a cable south-eastward of charted position and 3·83 cables 073° from "Pile" lighthouse.

Description.—No. 11 buoy, painted black.

(*c*) *New position.*—At a distance of about half a cable westward of charted position and 2·33 cables 077° from "Pile" lighthouse.

Description.—No. 12 light-buoy, exhibiting a *flashing green* light.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 107.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 8 of 1923. (*H. 8319-23.*)

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1924.

BALANCE SHEETS AND STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE CALCUTTA PORT TRUST AND HOWRAH BRIDGE FOR THE YEAR 1922-23 AND THE AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

General Balance Sheet

ACCOUNT

Account No.	Liabilities.	Amount.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
II	**Capital Account—**		
	Credits	...	20,45,56,724 13 9
III	**Revenue Account—**		
	Balance	...	3,41,676 5 7
IV	**Sundry Outstandings—**		
	Fixed general deposits	17,571 4 0	
	Ordinary deposits of Importers and Exporters	4,01,978 7 5	
	Marine dues payable to Government ...	23,109 3 0	
	Security and other deposits ...	7,63,683 12 1	
	Miscellaneous credits pending disbursement	17,728 9 0	
	Demands payable	16,08,012 12 3	
	Pension and leave allowances payable in England	189 12 3	
	Unclaimed wages and miscellaneous bills	52,047 1 3	
	Outstanding balances of matured Debenture Loans	14,700 0 0	
	Materials purchase account ...	3,19,507 0 10	
			32,18,527 14 1
IV	**Debenture Interest Account—**		
	Unclaimed interest on debentures ...	...	3,18,285 3 8
IV	**Funds—**		
	Revenue Reserve Fund	47,88,118 12 4	
	Vessels Replacement Fund ...	9,41,107 9 8	
	Fire Insurance Fund	8,65,612 6 6	
	Fines Fund	719 9 4	
			65,95,558 5 10
V	**Imperial Bank of India—Overdraft against Drawing power** ...	...	9,09,313 10 6
	Total ...	...	21,59,40,086 5 5

N. G. PARK, C.A.,
Chief Accountant.

A. C. MUKERJEE,
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

The 30th June 1923.

THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

as at 31st March 1923.

No. I.

Account No.	Assets.	Amount.	Total.
II	**Capital Account—**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Debits	...	19,70,59,776 5 2
IV	**Outstanding Bills Recoverable—**		
	Coal, Petroleum and Marine charges ...	2,50,663 11 1	
	Rent and other miscellaneous charges ...	2,09,451 13 7	
			4,60,115 8 8
IV	**Outstanding Earnings**	...	74,395 11 3
IV	**Sundry Outstandings—**		
	Debits pending adjustment	28,20,750 9 10	
	Debits pending recovery	1,19,713 0 7	
	Police charges recoverable from Government	8,525 8 7	
	Advances on imprest account ...	12,590 0 0	
	Rangoon Passenger Shed—Debits recoverable	736 13 10	
	Advances to employees for investment in Indian War Loan	241 6 9	
	Unadjusted workshop charges (pending completion of works)	85,602 1 4	
	Imperial Bank of India, Debenture-holders' Interest Account	2,89,434 3 8	
	National Bank of India, Ld., sterling Debenture loan of £700,000 Interest Account	720 0 0	
	Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, sterling Debenture loan of £500,000 Interest Account ...	540 0 0	
	P. & O. Banking Corporation, Ld., 7% sterling Debenture Loan of £1,000,000 Interest Account	7,476 0 0	
	P. & O. Banking Corporation, Ld., 6% sterling Debenture Loan of £1,250,000 Interest Account	20,115 0 0	
	Outstanding Balances of matured Debenture Loans	14,700 0 0	
	Short notice deposit in Imperial Bank of India, on account of B. L. Hargobind Female Bathing Ghat at Salkea ...	10,500 0 0	
	Coutts & Co., London	21,912 13 0	
	London Agent	12,680 5 0	
			34,26,237 14 7
IV	**Investments of Funds—**		
	Revenue Reserve Fund	14,24,089 12 0	
	Vessels Replacement Fund	3,22,135 0 0	
	Fire Insurance Fund	5,15,329 0 0	
			22,61,553 12 0
IV	**Stock Account—**		
	Stores in hand	23,92,858 3 4	
	Stores in transit	1,56,379 9 11	
			25,49,237 13 3
...	**Howrah Bridge Account**	...	4,23,402 11 8
...	**Imperial Bank of India—Drawing power in respect of 6½% Debenture Loan of Rs. 175 lakhs of 1921**	...	94,30,200 0 0
...	**Cash in hand**	...	2,55,166 8 10
	Total ...	...	21,59,40,086 5 5

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THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

Capital Account

Dr. ACCOUNT

	Balance at 31st March 1922.	Expenditure during 1922-23.	Balance at 31st March 1923.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
I.—To Block -			
Cost price of land, works, etc., closed to Block Account ...	12,12,65,773 0 0	83,24,705 4 4	12,95,90,478 4 4
II.—To Works in Progress—			
Expenditure on works completed but not fully paid for and works under construction.	5,22,94,510 13 2	1,17,53,849 11 8	6,40,48,360 8 10
Total ...	17,35,60,283 13 2	2,00,78,555 0 0	19,36,38,838 13 2
III.—To Discount on Debenture Loans	16,00,000 0 0	Cr. 3,75,000 0 0	12,25,000 0 0
IV.—To Stamp duty and incidental charges on Debenture Loans	7,10,000 0 0	14,85,987 8 0	21,95,987 8 0
	17,58,70,283 13 2	2,11,89,492 8 0	19,70,59,776 5 2
V.—To Balance—	.....	.....	74,96,948 8 7
Total ...	.....	.....	20,45,56,724 13 9

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The 30th June 1923.

THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

to 31st March 1923.

No. II.

	Balances at 31st March 1922.	Receipts during 1922-23.	Payments during 1922-23.	Balances at 31st March 1923.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
I.—By Government Loans—					
Loan for Port (Book Debt not repayable)	17,65,000 0 0	.....	.....	17,65,000 0 0	17,65,000 0 0
Loans for Docks	2,87,70,565 14 8	.....	.....	2,87,70,565 14 8	
Less—Repaid ...	41,96,026 9 1	.....	4,35,246 6 5	46,31,272 15 6	
	2,4 ,74,539 5 7	.....	4,35,246 6 5	2,41 39,292 15 2	2,41,39,292 15 2
II.—By Debenture Loans—					
Debenture Loans to end of 1922-23	12,46,55,200 0 0	1,87,50,000 0 0	.....	14,34,05,200 0 0	
	12,46,55,200 0 0	1,87,50,000 0 0	.....	14,34,05,200 0 0	
Less—At credit of Sinking Fund	1,76,05,773 7 6	29,65,026 8 6	.....	2,05,70,800 0 0	
	10,70,49,426 8 6	1,57,84,973 7 6	.....	12,28,34,400 0 0	12,28,34,400 0 0
III.—By Temporary Loan in connection with Budge-Budge Petroleum Depot extension	1,32,916 10 1	.....	1,32,916 10 1	.....	.. ...
IV.—By Contributions and Transfers from Government—					
Contribution for 3rd suction Dredger "Ganga"	.....	11,81,285 0 0	.....	11,81,285 0 0	
Contribution for road north of Aheeritollah	74,584 0 0	.....	.....	74,584 0 0	
Transfer of landing stage at Prinsep's Ghat	10,000 0 0	.....	.....	10,000 0 0	
Transfer of Port Approaches Block	2,35,461 0 0	.....	.....	2,35,461 0 0	
	3,20,045 0 0	11,81,285 0 0	.....	14,51,280 0 0	14,51,280 0 0
V.—By Contributions from Revenue—					
Repayment of Consolidated Loan	60,25,100 0 0	.....	.....	60,25,100 0 0	
Repayment of Debenture Loans	1,74,80,400 0 0	.....	.....	*1,74,80,400 0 0	
New Works	35,40,568 2 6	14,578 10 7	19,000 0 0	35,36,246 13 1	
Sinking Fund for Debenture Loans	1,76,05,773 7 6	29,65,026 8 6	.....	2,05,70,800 0 0	
Repayment of Kidderpore Dock Loan	41,96,026 9 1	4,35,246 6 5	.....	46,31,272 15 6	
	4,87,97,868 3 1	34,14,951 9 6	19,000 0 0	5,21,93,819 12 7	5,21,93,819 12 7
VI.—By Vessels Replacement Fund—					
Amount contributed to Capital Account for new works ...	21,25,130 10 2	.....	10,591 14 8	21,14,538 11 6	21,14,538 11 6
VII.—By Deposits—					
Amount received from the public for special works	58,393 6 6	.....	.....	58,393 6 6	58,393 6 6
TOTAL ...	18,49,28,819 11 11	2,03,31,160 1 0	5,97,754 15 2	20,15,56,724 13 9	20,15,56,724 13 9

* Out of this amount debentures to the extent of Rs. 1,14,80,400 were taken up by the sinking fund and cancelled.

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THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

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Expenditure.	Amount. Rs.	A.	P.
To I.—Control and General—			
(*a*) Offices of Chairman, Chief Accountant, Chief Engineer, Traffic Manager, Deputy Conservator and Store-keeper	11,25,456	12	7
(*b*) Pensions and Leave Allowances	4,02,190	3	8
(*c*) Miscellaneous including London Agency	3,40,406	12	9
	18,68,053	13	0
„ II.—Jetties	20,78,134	1	7
„ III.—Tea Warehouse	2,32,142	8	6
„ IV.—Petroleum Wharf	61,464	1	0
„ V.—Inland Vessels Wharves	3,82,544	14	11
„ VI.—Rentable Lands and Buildings	2,50,707	15	9
„ VII.—Port	15,31,535	8	1
„ VIII.—Port Approaches	20,47,213	6	6
„ IX.—Railway	25,57,138	5	9
„ X.—Wet Docks	52,66,111	14	10
„ XI.—Dry Docks	1,54,020	13	9
„ XII.—Ferry Service	7,64,337	7	5
Carried over ...	1,71,93,404	15	0

THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

Account for 1922-23.

No. III. **Cr.**

Income.	Amount. Rs. A. P.	Total. Rs. A. P.
By Opening Balance—		
Balance carried forward from 1921-22 ...	.....	13,625 1 10
„ I.—Control	61,227 10 6	
„ II.—Jetties	33,58,937 10 10	
„ III.—Tea Warehouse	2,79,300 4 10	
„ IV.—Petroleum Wharf	4,89,680 1 1	
„ V.—Inland Vessels Wharves	7,01,978 3 9	
„ VI.—Rentable Lands and Buildings ...	23,89,269 14 7	
„ VII.—Port	8,50,319 6 7	
„ VIII.—Port Approaches	7,52,840 1 3	
„ IX.—Railway	30,45,493 5 5	
„ X.—Wet Docks	58,95,488 6 1	
„ XI.—Dry Docks	4,89,582 5 0	
„ XII.—Ferry Service	7,57,704 0 3	
„ XIII.—River Dues	54,58,611 3 2	
„ Sale of unserviceable materials	63,584 1 10	
„ Contribution from Howrah Bridge ...	24,697 0 11	
„ Haulage charge on rolling stock payable by Capital to Revenue	7,508 0 9	
Carried over ...	2,46,26,221 12 10	13,625 1 10

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

Revenue Account

Dr. **ACCOUNT**

Expenditure.				Amount.			Total.		
				Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Brought forward ...				1,71,93,404	15	0			
	Rs.	A.	P.						
To Interest & Sinking Fund Charges—									
Interest on Government Loans—									
On Loan for Port (Book-Debt) ...	79,425	0	0						
On Loan for Docks	9,78,672	3	3						
	10,58,097	3	3						
Interest—									
On the Outstanding balance of the purchase price of the Royal Indian Marine Dockyard	70,440	0	4						
				11,28,537	3	7			
Interest on Debenture Loans—									
On Rupee Loans issued in India...	14,55,085	2	3						
On Sterling Loans issued in London	23,32,500	0	0						
				37,87,585	2	3			
Sinking Fund Charges, &c.—									
On Government Loan for Docks	4,35,246	6	5						
On Debenture Loans	24,02,697	0	0						
				28,37,943	6	5	77,54,065	12	3
„ Appropriation to Revenue Reserve Fund ...							12,00,000	0	0
									2,61,47,470	11	3
„ Closing Balance carried forward to General Balance Sheet									3,41,676	5	7
Total									2,64,89,147	0	10

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The 30th June 1923.

THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

for 1922-23—*concld.*

No. III—*concld.* **Cr.**

Income.		Amount.			Total.		
		Rs	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Brought forward	...	2,46,26,221	12	10	13,625	1	10
	Rs. A. P.						
By Difference on Exchange		2,59,512	0	11			
„ Sinking Fund—							
Excess in the fund at 31st March 1923	22,28,218 11 1						
Less—Credited to Abstract P. ...	8,45,620 11 1						
		13,82,598	0	0			
„ Interest—							
Interest on Revenue Reserve Fund Investments ...	81,679 0 0						
Interest on Deposits with Bank ...	1,25,511 1 3						
		2,07,190	1	3			
					2,64,75,521	15	0
Total ...					2,64,89,147	0	10

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HOWRAH BRIDGE.

Balance Sheet as at 31st March 1923.

Liabilities.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Assets.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Contribution from Revenue—			Block of Howrah Bridge	.....	27,23,091 12 1
For repayment of Capital debt existing at the time of the transfer of the Bridge to the Commissioners ...	21,16,800 0 0		Reserve Fund Investment—	.....	
			3½ per cent. G.P. Notes for Rs. 5,12,500 ...		3,11,984 6 0
For new works ...	61,377 11 10		Reserve Section—		
		21,78,177 11 10	Value of Block ...	.....	75,135 15 7
			Pontoon Renewal Fund Investment—		
Contribution from Reserve Fund—			3½ per cent. G.P. Notes for Rs. 10,000 ...	.....	6,087 8 0
For new works ...	.....	5,23,980 9 3			
			Suspense Account—		
Contribution from Pontoon Renewal Fund—			Stock of battens ...	22,333 4 2	
For new pontoons ...	.....	18,131 7 0	Outstanding Dues from E. I. R. ...	61,208 10 0	
Reserve Fund ...	.....	1,81,936 9 3	Stock of mooring materials ...	40,855 5 6	
Reserve Section Fund	.....	1,25,033 7 0			
Pontoon Renewal Fund	.....	83,870 7 2	Rs. A. P. Preliminary Expenses for New Howrah Bridge 1,31,910 10 6		
Calcutta Port Commissioners ...	.....	4,23,402 11 8	*Less*—Contribution from Govt. 91,251 0 0		
				40,659 10 6	
					1,65,056 14 2
			Balance on Revenue Account at 31st March 1923		2,53,146 7 4
Total ...	.....	35,34,532 15 2	Total ...	.....	35,34,532 15 2

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HOWRAH

Dr. **Revenue Account**

No.	Expenditure.	Revised Estimate.	Actuals.					
	ESTABLISHMENT.	Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1	Supervision	5,586	5,563	1	6			
2	Bridge	56,775	56,807	12	6			
3	Ferry Steamer *Howrah* ...	11,160	11,836	2	9			
4	" " *Buckland* ...	10,952	10,942	10	6			
5	Armenian Ghat Landing Stage ...	864	864	0	0			
6	Howrah Landing Stage ...	864	864	0	0			
7	Leave and Acting Allowances ...	2,500	2,597	5	2			
8	Compassionate Allowances ...	428	426	8	3			
						89,901	8	8
	Total ...	89,129						
	STORES.							
9	Howrah Bridge	6,500	6,393	1	11			
10	Ferry Steamer "*Howrah*" ...	16,000	16,923	4	8			
11	" " "*Buckland*" ...	17,000	19,701	13	2			
						43,018	3	9
	Total ...	39,500						
	MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS.							
	Bridge—							
12	Metalled approaches and abutments.	25,000	20,122	5	9			
13	Chief Officer's and lascars' quarters.	1,000	1,304	1	3			
14	Pontoons, fenders and shieldings.	40,000	40,691	4	7			
15	Superstructure	10,000	9,605	7	7			
16	Roadway surface and footpaths	50,000	54,258	11	2			
17	Watering roadway ...	1,800	1,927	0	2			
18	Electric lamps	1,800	1,713	15	9			
19	Dredging	50,000	25,088	0	0			
20	Bridge openings	3,800	3,801	11	6			
21	Repairs to damages ...	2,000	1,194	0	11			
22	General charges (workshops) ...	3,000	3,449	13	6			
23	Ferry Landing Stage, Howrah Side.	10,000	10,648	8	2			
24	Water Connection to Fire Appliances.	2,420	1,343	12	0			
	Vessels and Boats—							
25	"*Howrah*"	7,000	11,080	4	10			
26	"*Buckland*"	21,000	17,359	12	3			
27	Buoy boat	3,000	3,137	4	2			
28	Workshop Commission ...	9,000	8,583	12	11			
						2,15,309	14	6
	Total ...	2,40,820						
	Carried over ...	3,69,449	.....			3,48,229	10	11

BRIDGE.

For the year to 31st March 1923.

No.	Income.	Revised Estimate.	Actuals.	
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Receipts from East Indian Railway on railway traffic	3,25,000	.....	3,31,095 11 6
2	Contribution from Bengal-Nagpur Railway	26,000	.....	26,000 0 0
3	Earnings of Ferry Steamers ...	60,000	.....	63,800 0 0
4	Interest on Investments ...	17,938	.....	17,937 8 0
5	Rent of Howrah Dockyard Land ...	6,764	.....	5,450 14 0
6	Miscellaneous receipts ...	1,200	.....	1,268 14 2
7	Rent of Bridge Officer's quarters ...	500	.....	501 2 0
	Carried over ...	4,37,402	.....	4,46,054 1 8

HOWRAH

Dr. **Revenue Account**

No.	Expenditure.	Revised estimate.	Actuals.	
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Brought forward ...	3,69,449	.....	3,48,229 10 11
	Miscellaneous.			
29	Contribution to the Calcutta Port Trust for Administration ...	13,000	13,000 0 0	
30	Contribution to the Calcutta Port Trust for use of S L. "*Psyche*"	3,500	3,113 4 0	
31	Lighting	8,600	8,406 4 6	
32	Advertising	3,500	3,767 4 4	
33	Stationery and printing ...	400	570 10 3	
34	Rent of telephone	300	300 0 0	
35	Uniforms	1,550	2,600 7 10	
36	Taxes	823	950 14 0	
37	Sundry charges not classed ...	500	537 3 3	
38	Rent of Howrah Bridge Chief Officer's quarters at Armenian Ghat	1,200	1,200 0 0	
39	Interest on overdraft ...	25,000	28,062 0 8	
		58,373	62,508 0 10	62,508 0 10
	Total Expenditure ...	4,27,822	.....	4,10,737 11 9
	Surplus	.....	.....	35,316 5 11
	Total ...	.....	.....	4,46,054 1 8
				Revenue
	Balance brought forward from last year			2,88,462 13 3
			Total ...	2,88,462 13 3

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The 30th June 1923.

BRIDGE.

for the year to 31st March 1923. **Cr.**

	Income.	Revised estimate.	Actuals.	
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Brought forward ...	4,37,402	.....	4,46,054 1 8
	Total income ...	4,37,402	.....	4,46,054 1 8
			Total ...	4,46,054 1 8

Balance Account.

Surplus for 1922-23	...	...	...	...	35,316 5 11
Balance at 31st March 1923	...	...	...	...	2,53,146 7 4
			Total	...	2,88,462 13 3

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Audit certificate and report on the accounts of the Calcutta Port Trust and of the Howrah Bridge for the year 1922-23.

Certified that the accounts of the receipts and expenditure of the Calcutta Port Trust and of the Howrah Bridge for the year 1922-23 have been audited and examined under our supervision.

2. Certified also that the printed balance sheets and the statement of income and expenditure, prepared from the accounts, have been checked and they have been signed subject to the following remarks :—

Capital Account.

(1) The Royal Indian Marine Dockyard and Graving Dock were taken over from Government during the year under report at a cost of Rs. 48,31,978 payable in instalments over the period 1922-23 to 1931-32. A sum of Rs. 5,14,083 was paid to Government during the year and shewn as expenditure under Capital Works in progress. The full value of the properties, which now belong to the Trust and which are being used by the Commissioners, should have been brought on to the Block account by *per contra* credit to a suitable head to show the liability to Government, this latter head being cleared as the instalments due are paid to Government. It is understood that the necesesary adjustment is being made in the accounts for 1923-24.

(2) No portion of the amounts hitherto met out of capital in respect of the stamp duty and incidental charges on debenture loans has yet been written back to revenue in the accounts of the year 1922-23 in accordance with the recent orders of the Government of India. A small provision has, however, been made in the estimates for 1923-24 for this purpose.

Howrah Bridge—Balance sheet.

(3) The Howrah Bridge account closed with a net debit balance of Rs. 4,23,402-11-8 which has been made good from the Commissioners' accounts.

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RESOLUTION ON THE SURVEY AND SETTLEMENT REPORTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH SEPTEMBER 1923.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Land Revenue.

CALCUTTA, THE 19TH FEBRUARY 1924.

RESOLUTION—No. 1679L.R.

READ—

The Survey and Settlement Reports for the year ending the 30th September 1923.

THE year was remarkable for the consideration or carrying into effect of certain important economical measures. In consequence of the decision of Government to curtail the survey and settlement district programme the office of the Director of Land Records was amalgamated with that of the Director of Surveys, and the combined charge is now held by one officer under

the designation of "Director of Land Records and Surveys." Other economies were effected by the amalgamation of the posts of the officers in charge of the Traverse Party and the Drawing Office, the transfer of the administrative control of the Imperial Standard Mapping Section to the Government of India, and the discontinuance of the annual contribution made by this Government towards the cost of this section. The office of the Department of Land Records has now been transferred to the new buildings at Alipore where the survey office is housed and where the office of the district settlement operations of the 24-Parganas will also be located.

2. The decision to utilize the new survey office in this manner, built originally as it had been to deal with an uncurtailed programme, anticipated a recommendation of the Retrenchment Committee to utilize the spare space in it for other purposes and will save expenditure on buildings which would otherwise have been necessary. The other recommendations of the Retrenchment Committee relating to surveys and settlements were duly considered by Government during the year. The recommendations that the landlords and tenants of a district under settlement should pay 19-20ths of the net cost of a district settlement instead of the present proportion of three-fourths, that those of an area under revision of land revenue should pay a proportion of the costs, and that interest should be charged on the expenditure incurred by Government were rejected after full consideration on the ground that they would entail a burden on the residents of the district or area which could not be justified. At the same time it was decided that only one-fourth and not the full stamp revenue received during a district settlement, which had hitherto been deducted from the costs before recovery as a matter of grace, should be deducted, and that no deduction should be made of the sale proceeds of surplus maps and records. In view mainly of the fact that Government has to bear the brunt of a deficit in the case of deficit recoveries the recommendation that excess recoveries should be credited to the district Board of the district concerned was not given effect to.

3. Traverse work was conducted in accordance with the curtailed programme of district operations, which involves only the employment of two traverse parties. One traverse party completed their programme for the year of 765 square miles in the district of Khulna. This completes the traverse survey of the district, and that party is now at work on the traverse of the first area of the 24-Parganas. The other traverse party was at work in the district of Murshidabad in the combined operation of Murshidabad-Birbhum, traversing 74 square miles and relaying 346 square miles of traverse which had been completed in 1920-21 but which could not be utilized owing to the financial situation. This is a striking illustration of how interference with a sanctioned programme, whether for financial or other reasons, means extra expenditure in the long run, as the relay of the traverse which would otherwise have been unnecessary has cost over Rs. 25,000.

4. The curtailment of the district programme involves the employment of only two settlement cadastral parties. These were at work during the year in the districts of Khulna and Pabna-Bogra, where settlement is in full swing, and completed a programme of 1,806 square miles. The cadastral survey of the district of Murshidabad in the joint operations in the districts of Murshidabad-Birbhum does not commence till the present year, but a small strip of 70 square miles was taken up during the year in order to enable diara resumptions to proceed along the Jalangi river.

The settlement operations of the district of Mymensingh were finally closed during the year, whilst those in the three operations of Jessore, Nadia and Bankura reached their concluding stages. In these three districts records for 2,614 square miles were finally published during the year. This represents the work of a three-party programme, but these settlements which were commenced on the older programme have necessarily to be completed. The work as a whole was kept well up to the programme and performed economically, particularly in the case of Khulna. The conditions in the year were more favourable than those of the previous year. The work of the department was not retarded, as was the case in the previous year, by the

non-co-operation movement, nor was any serious difficulty felt in consequence of sickness amongst the staff. By the end of the year records had been completed in over three-fifths of the area in the province to which the Bengal Tenancy Act relates and were under preparation at some stage or another in a still larger area. In fact there are now only the districts of Rangpur, Hooghly-Howrah, Burdwan (except Asansol), Dinajpur and Malda which have yet to be commenced in the general programme for the completion of the province ; but owing to the curtailment of the yearly programme the total programme will not be completed till the year 1940-41 instead of the year 1931-32 as originally contemplated.

5. Miscellaneous surveys were also carried out by the Survey Department during the year. The work in connection with the survey of the limits of the jurisdiction of the High Court was continued during the year, and a detailed survey of the banks of the river Hooghly from the Hooghly Bridge to Kalna was taken up at the instance of the Port Commissioners. Petty land revenue settlements resulted in an increase of revenue from Rs. 17,871 to Rs. 26,936. Maintenance operations under section 158A of the Bengal Tenancy Act were carried on in the Fatehsingh estate in Murshidabad, the Mahisadal estate in Midnapore, and the Enaitpore estate in Malda ; and the landlords have the privilege of realising their rents by means of the certificate procedure. Two other applications for this privilege from well-known landlords are under consideration.

6. Towards the close of the year an Act was passed to amend the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with a view to convert the *uthandi* tenancies into ordinary raiyati holdings by the commutation of *uthandi* rents into ordinary raiyati rents. It has been extended for the present to the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad and Jessore, where such tenancies mainly exist. Only a few applications under the Act were received during the short period of the year that remained after the passing of the Act, but its provisions are probably not yet widely known.

7. It is gratifying to note the extensive use to which the settlement records and maps are now put. They are freely used in almost every branch of the administration, and during the year under review nearly 9 lakhs of copies of khatians and 1,92, 600 copies of maps were sold to the public.

8. During the year, on the 28th February 1923 and 15th February 1923 respectively, Lieutenant-Colonel F. C. Hirst, lately Director of Surveys, and Mr. F. A. Sachse, I.C.S., lately Director of Land Records, severed their connection with their departments. Lieutenant-Colonel F. C. Hirst went on leave preparatory to retirement after a long period of service in the Survey Department. Since the year 1910 he had been Director of Surveys, first in the province of Eastern Bengal and Assam and then in the province of Bengal as now constituted. His Excellency in Council has therefore much pleasure in taking this opportunity of thanking him for his long and valuable services. The Governor in Council has also much pleasure in thanking Mr. F. A. Sachse for his valuable work as Director of Land Records since the year 1918. Mr. A. K. Jameson, I.C.S., Mr. Sachse's successor in office, took over the dual charge of the Survey Department and of the Department of Land Records and has zealously devoted himself to the work of both departments. His Excellency in Council also appreciates the good work done by Messrs. F. W. Robertson, L. R. Fawcus, H. C. V. Philpot and A. H. Kemm and by Babus Amulya Kumar Guha and Abani Kumar Sen. The good work done by these officers and also by other officers mentioned in the concluding paragraphs of the Survey and Settlement Reports will be noted.

ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Governor in Council,

M. C. McALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL IRRIGATION REVENUE REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1922-23.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 19TH FEBRUARY 1924.

RESOLUTION—No. 11.

READ—

The Annual Irrigation Revenue Report for the year 1922-23.

THE Irrigation and Navigation works in operation in the Bengal Presidency for which both capital and revenue accounts are maintained are (1) the Midnapore Canal, (2) the Hijili Tidal Canal, (3) the Calcutta and Eastern Canals, and (4) the Madaripur Bhil Route. Of these, the Midnapore Canal is used both for irrigation and navigation purposes, whereas the other three are for nagivation only. All these works are now classed as unproductive.

A capital account has also been opened and was maintained during the year under report for the Grand Trunk Canal, although further progress in connection with the project has been held in abeyance for the present on account of financial stringency. A revenue account was formerly maintained for the Orissa Coast Canal, the Nadia Rivers and the Gaighatta and Buxi khal, but it has been abolished with effect from the financial year under review. These are now classed as works for which neither capital nor revenue accounts are kept like other minor works of the department, viz., those in connection with the Eden Canal, the river-training works. the anti-malarial works, and the flood protective works.

2. The financial results of the year and the capital expenditure to date are exhibited in the following statement :—

	Capital expenditure, direct and indirect.		Receipts of the year less refunds.	Expenditure of the year less refunds.	Net revenue of the year.	Net revenue of the previous year.
	Of the year.	To end of the year.				
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
WORKS FOR WHICH CAPITAL AND REVENUE ACCOUNTS ARE KEPT.						
Irrigation (unproductive).						
Midnapore Canal...	.....	84,96,213	2,37,854	1,82,875	54,979	41,190
Navigation (productive).						
G. T. Canal ...	26,25,673*	1,24,29,195*	.....	.....	.....	.....
(*Unproductive.*)						
Hijili Tidal Canal	.....	26,14,318	79,525	27,727	51,798	40,089
Calcutta and Eastern Canals.	(–)41,899	96,37,637	4,22,677	10,24,637	(–)6,01,960	(–)5,24,191
Madaripur Bhil Route.	2,35,060	63,61,065	3,08,326	1,45,877	1,62,449	1,75,956
Total ...	28,18,834	3,95 38,428	10,48,382	13,81,116	(–)3,32,734	(–)2,66,956

* Including cost of purchase of the dredger "Ronaldshay."

	Capital expenditure, direct and indirect.		Receipts of the year less refunds.	Expenditure of the year less refunds.	Net revenue of the year.	Net revenue of the previous year.
	Of the year.	To end of the year.				
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
WORKS FOR WHICH NEITHER CAPITAL NOR REVENUE ACCOUNTS ARE KEPT.						
Irrigation.						
Eden Canal ...	.....	.....	31,313	43,460	(-)12,147	(-)13,358
Navigation.						
Nadia Rivers ...	.....	.....	18,989	64,253	(-)45,264	(-)59,148
Orissa Coast Canal	.....	.....	21,387	14,822	6,563	5,545
Gaighatta and Buxi khal.	.....	.....	3,550	.....	3,550	1,430
Total ...	.....	.....	75,239	1,22,535	(-)47,298	(-)65,531

3. The capital expenditure on the **Grand Trunk Canal** (direct and indirect) during the year was Rs. 26,25,673, and the total capital outlay to the end of the year was Rs. 1,24,29,195. The expenditure during the year was principally incurred to meet payments on account of the dredger *Ronaldshay* and also partly to meet establishment charges.

4. No capital expenditure was incurred during the year on the **Midnapore Canal** which consists of two weirs at Midnapore and Panchkura, 69·75 miles of main and branch canal used both for irrigation and navigation, and 254·5 miles of distributaries. The area irrigated during the year was 81,940 acres as compared with 83,012 acres in 1921-22 and an average of 87,923 for the triennium ending March 1922. The receipts and working expenses (direct and indirect) were Rs. 2,37,854 and Rs. 1,82,875, the result being a net revenue of Rs. 54,979 against a net revenue of Rs. 41,190 in the preceding year. Revised water-rates are being levied on the canal, and the increased rates of tolls that have been fixed will take effect shortly.

5. No capital expenditure was incurred during the year also on the **Hijili Tidal Canal,** which, with the Tarapakia pass khal, Palaboni khal and the khal leading to the Gewankali lock entrance, constitutes a navigation canal of 49¾ miles in length. The receipts and working expenses of the canal during the year were Rs. 79,525 and Rs. 27,727, the result being a net revenue of Rs, 51,798 against a net revenue of Rs. 40,089 in the previous year.

6. **The Calcutta and Eastern Canals** form a series of natural and artificial navigation channels extending for 1,184 miles for the purpose of maintaining communication between Calcutta and Eastern Bengal. The receipts during the year from navigation tolls amounted to Rs. 3,95,256 against Rs. 3,87,457 in the preceding year. A small capital expenditure was incurred on the canal during the year, and this was chiefly on excavating the channel between Kakrabonia khal and channel creek to serve as an alternative to the Doagra channel which is rapidly dying. The result shows that the experiment is not a success and the cut is silting up quickly. The capital expenditure was also partly on completing the demarcation of Government lands along Tolly's Nala.

7. **On the Madaripur Bhil Route** connecting the Madhumati and Kumar rivers in the Faridpur district, a capital expenditure of Rs. 2,35,060 (direct and indirect) was incurred during the year. This was mainly on the work of widening and deepening the main channel of the route. The receipts from navigation tolls during the year amounted to Rs. 3,04,328 against Rs. 2,82.786 in the previous year.

8. **The Orissa Coast Canal** in conjunction with the Hijili Tidal Canal affords communication between Bengal and Orissa, and before the opening of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway it was the only inland route by which food could be conveyed into Orissa in time of famine. This canal is for navigation only and lies partly in the Bengal Presidency and partly in the province of Bihar and Orissa. The receipts and working expenses for the portion within Bengal were, respectively, Rs. 21,387 and Rs. 14,836 against Rs. 14,786 and Rs. 10,280 in the previous year.

9. The work in the **Nadia Rivers** consists in the training of the river channels by bandals with the two-fold object of maintaining by the scouring of shoals a sufficient depth of water for boat traffic and at the same time improving the sanitation of the country. The Hooghly river also depends on these rivers for its head waters. The report of the Committee appointed in 1917 to advise Government on the steps to be taken to carry out systematic observations of the changes in the Nadia rivers and also, if possible, to improve their condition as navigable channels and as feeders for the Lower Hooghly is still under the consideration of Government. The only outcome so far has been the constitution of a permanent board whose duty it will be to examine all important projects which are likely to restrict the free flow of flood water. The receipts and working expenses during the year under review were Rs. 18,989 and Rs. 64,255, respectively. There has been a steady decline in the tollage receipts from the system since the construction of the Eastern Bengal and East Indian Railways on the two banks of the river Bhagirathi, and it has actually been worked at a heavy loss. Accordingly it was decided to throw the Nadia rivers open to free navigation with effect from the 1st September 1923.

10. **The Gaighatta and Buxi khal** is a short channel connecting the rivers Damodar and Rupnarain. This khal has been leased out for a period of six years from the 15th June 1921 to the 14th June 1927 at a rental of Rs. 2,000 per annum on condition that the lessees do all silt clearance at their own cost and maintain the khal to a bed-level of 4·00 feet, subject to the control of the Irrigation Department. The receipts during the year were Rs. 3,550.

11. **The Eden Canal** was originally constructed for sanitary purposes, but it is now used to some extent for irrigation. The supply of water in the canal has become insufficient and uncertain in recent years owing to the precarious nature of the supply in the Damodar river. It is expected that this state of things will improve when the Damodar Canal project is carried out. This project is not, however, going to be taken up shortly, as Government is at present not justified in embarking upon the large expenditure required for it—estimated at Rs. 90 lakhs—unless the people to be benefited finance it under the Agricultural and Sanitary Improvement Act. The opinion of the local public and the district boards has been invited. If the district boards are satisfied that the people to be benefited will accept financial responsibility and the scheme will justify itself, they will make an application under the Act.

The receipts and working expenses of the Eden Canal during the year were Rs. 31,313 and Rs. 43,464, respectively, against Rs. 31,337 and Rs. 36,170, respectively, in the preceding year.

12. **Bidyadhari dredging.**—The Bidyadhari river being the only outlet for the sewerage of Calcutta, it was decided to improve its silted up condition by dredging, the cost being met by Government and the Calcutta Corporation. The dredging was in progress during the year under report.

13. Of the works in connection with the projects for mitigating the effects of the Damodar floods, some were completed and others were in progress during the year.

14. **Training works.**—Training works in connection with the conservancy of the river Ganges between Rajmahal and Goalundo were carried out during the year through the agency of the India General Navigation Company, Limited, under Government supervision. Training works were

also carried out in the channel of the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia by means of bandalling operations for the improvement of sanitation and navigation and water-supply of the town. Bandalling works were also carried out in the Dhaleswari and Buriganga rivers in the Dacca district.

15. **General.**—As stated in the last year's resolution, the important problems with which the Irrigation Department in Bengal have to deal are connected more with the improvement of navigation and sanitary conditions and control of flood water in the province than with irrigation properly so called. As regards the improvement of navigation Government have long been impressed by the necessity for developing the waterways. For this purpose, three dredgers have been brought from England of which one is intended exclusively for the Grand Trunk Canal. This project has been held in abeyance for the present on account of financial stringency. It is expected that if the project is carried out, navigation in the province will be very greatly improved.

The proposals for river improvements at Dacca were under consideration during the year. Of the anti-malarial schemes required for the improvement of the sanitary and drainage condition of the country, some were completed during the year and others were under construction or investigation. The flood embankments and the sluices in them were efficiently maintained during the year.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and a copy thereof and its accompaniments be submitted to the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Labour (P. W. Branch) and circulated to other Governments and to all departments and officers of this Government as usual.

By order of the Governor in Council,

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Statement showing the quantity of Salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of February 1924 and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th February 1924.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas (Bonded).	Quantity afloat.	Total.	Transactions during half-month from the 1st to the 15th February 1924, inclusive.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds. Srs.	Mds.	Mds. Srs.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	1,009,676 0	...	1,009,676 0	29,028	...	...	34,092
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt	511,827 0	...	511,827 0	3,200	...	...	5,300
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	294,679 0	...	294,679 0	6,990	...	...	9,950
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt	699,981 0	...	699,981 0	16,850	...	23,050	5,450
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt	665,918 20	...	665,918 20	54,300	381,464	51,600	25,511
Salif salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt	521,147 26	47,973	569,120 26	52,850	157,889	57,986	9,152
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tuticorin salt	20,250 0	...	20,250 0	400	...	...	400
Kayalpatnam salt ...	32,463 0	...	32,463 0	...	...	...	150
Total ...	(a) 3,755,987 6	47,973	3,803,910 6	163,618	539,353	182,636	90,005

	Mds.
Written off during the half-month—	
Wastage in Sulkea golas	1,476
Abandoned and destroyed	290
In transit—	
Massawah salt	12,330

(a) Besides 12,929 maunds are in the private licensed warehouses at Calcutta.

R. R. SAKSENA,
Assistant Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 21st February 1924.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 20th February 1924.

Summary.—The week was rainless. Ploughing for jute and paddy is proceeding, but rain is needed for the operation. Harvesting of spring crops is in full swing. The prospects of standing crops are fair. The average price of common rice for the province has slightly fallen as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	Nil	6¼	6½	Effects of weather on crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	Nil	7⅝	7⅝	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8	8	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and sugarcane and cultivation of *bhadoi* crops continue. Rain is badly needed. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	7¼	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	8	8	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are poor in the Lalbagh subdivision, and fair elsewhere. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Gokarna thana in Kandi subdivision.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8	8	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Ploughing of lands for the sowing of jute and paddy is going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large import or export.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	9	
	Magura ...	Nil	9¼	8¾	
	Narail ...	Nil	10	10	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc..
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	(*n*)	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Pressing of sugarcane and threshing of *aman* paddy are going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. Export and import of rice continue as usual.
	Asansol ...	(*n*)	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	(*n*)	8	8	
	Kalna ...	(*n*)	7⅞	7⅞	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Threshing of paddy is going on. Pressing of sugarcane has commenced. Fodder is sufficient but water is insufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	Nil	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of potatoes continues. Prospects of sugarcane are good. Export of rice and paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	8½	8½	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	8½	8½	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and transplantation of *boro* paddy are going on. Outturn of winter rice is fair. Import and export are normal. Fodder and water and stock of rice are sufficient.
	Contai ...	Nil	8½	9	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8	8	
	Jhargram ...	Nil	8	7½	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Rain is needed. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Haripal thana.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7	7½	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8½	9½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Threshing of paddy is finished. Condition of standing crops is good.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Drought is apprehended in Nator subdivision. Fodder is sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7⅜	7⅜	Harvesting of mustard is nearly finished. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8	8	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	7	
15	DARJEELING ...	Nil	5	5	Wheat and barley are progressing. Mustard, potatoes and sugarcane are being harvested. Fodder and water are sufficient
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong ...	Nil	5½	5½	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	6½	6½	Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of *rabi* crops is nearly finished. Lands are being prepared for jute and autumn paddy. Cattle-disease is reported from Gaibandha, Palashbari and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	6⅝	7	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	6½	6½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6	6	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	7 1/10	7 1/10	Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are not fair. Preparation of lands for jute and *aus* paddy continues.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	Fodder, water and stock of food-grains are sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	0·11	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of mangoes and *rabi* crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8	7⅞	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for *bitri* paddy and jute and gathering of mustard seeds are going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease exists in the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	Weather seasonable. Rain is needed for the growth of *rabi* crops. Fields are being prepared for *aus* paddy and jute. Harvesting of barley has commenced in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	8	
	Narayanganj ...	Nil	7	7¼	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	(*a*)	7½	7¼	
22	MYMENSINGH ...	(*a*)	7	7	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *rabi* crops is nearly finished. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Preparation of lands for the sowing of *aus* paddy and jute is going on. Fodder and water are available.
	Jamalpur ...	(*a*)	7¼	7¼	
	Tangail ...	(*a*)	6¾	6¾	
	Netrakona ...	(*a*)	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	(*a*)	7	7	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj the rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Cultivation of lands for jute and paddy is in progress. Prospects and state of standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	9½	9½	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	Nil	9½	9½	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	8 7½†	8 7½†	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	8	8	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	8	8	
25	CHITTAGONG ...	Nil	7 6½*	7 6½*	Cultivation of the *rabi* crops is progressing and that of Pania *aus* has commenced. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are good. Water and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Satkania and Banskhali. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	7	7½	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	Prospects of standing crops are fair at Brahmanbaria but good elsewhere.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	6⅜	6⅜	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7 3/11	7 3/11	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Feni and not bad at Sadar. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	8	8	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. *Jhoom* clearing continues and transplantation of *boro* rice is finished. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 20 to Rs. 50 and jute at Rs. 5 to Rs. 10 per maund.

* Burma rice. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridurpur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 23rd February 1924.*

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Monthly Weather and Crop Report of Bengal for January 1924.

I. **Character of the season.**—During the first-half of the month light rain fell all over the province. The precipitation was above normal in Midnapore, Howrah, Pabna and Faridpur. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. **Progress of agricultural operations.**—Reaping of winter paddy was completed and the threshing operations were in full swing. Transplantation of summer rice and preparation of lands for autumn crops in East Bengal continued; more rain was, however, needed. Harvesting of mustard, potatoes, pulses and pressing of sugarcane made favourable progress.

III. **State of standing crops.**—The state of standing crops was generally fair; a little more rain would have improved the prospects.

IV. **The prospects and probable outturn.**—A fair harvest for spring crops is anticipated.

V. **Damage to standing crops.**—No damage to the standing crops was reported from any district.

VI. **Condition of agricultural stock.**—The condition of agricultural stock was reported to be fairly good. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease were, however, reported from 11 districts.

VII. **Failure of pasturage and fodder.**—Insufficiency of fodder was not reported from any part of the province.

VIII. **Prices of food-grains.**—During the second-half of the month under review the price of common rice of the cheapest quality rose in 2 districts, fell in 9 and remained stationary in the rest. It ranged from 7 seers per rupee in the 24-Parganas to 9 seers 8 chitaks per rupee in Burdwan.

IX. **Condition of agricultural population.**—The condition of the agricultural population continued to be fair.

R. S. FINLOW,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

DACCA, *the 20th February 1924.*

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during January 1924.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of January.	Actual district rainfall for the month of January.	Variation from the normal.	Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of January.	Actual district rainfall for the month of January.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency	24-Parganas	0·42	0·29	−0·13	Rajshahi—*concld.*	Rangpur	0·25	0·00	−0·25
	Calcutta	0·34	0·23	−0·11		Bogra	0·33	0·05	−0·28
	Nadia	0·33	0·18	−0·15		Pabna	0·19	0·36	+0·17
	Murshidabad	0·37	0·17	−0·20		Malda	0·41	0·00	−0·41
	Jessore	0·40	0·17	−0·23					
	Khulna	0·45	0·07	−0·38					
Burdwan	Burdwan	0·27	0·11	−0·16	Dacca	Dacca	0·31	0·31	−0·00
	Birbhum	0·41	0·31	−0·10		Mymensingh	0·31	0·18	−0·13
	Bankura	0·40	0·25	−0·15		Faridpur	0·29	0·86	+0·57
	Midnapore	0·33	0·45	+0·12		Bakarganj	0·37	0·17	−0·20
	Hooghly	0·37	0·26	−0·11					
	Howrah	0·42	0·31	+0·39					
						Chittagong	0·21	Nil	−0·21
						Tippera	0·37	0·10	−0·27
						Noakhali	0·24	0·04	−0·20
Rajshahi	Rajshahi	0·41	0·20	−0·21	Chittagong	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	0·14	Nil	−0·14
	Dinajpur	0·28	0·00	−0·28					
	Jalpaiguri	0·44	0·00	−0·44		Cooch-Behar	0·33	Nil	−0·33
	Darjeeling	0·56	0·20	−0·36		Tripura State	0·39	Nil	−0·39

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN BENGAL

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas	Sagar Island	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Diamond Harbour.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Budge-Budge	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·08	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Canning Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipore	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barrackpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dum-Dum	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Baraset*	...																			
		Basirhat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gosaba	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nadia	Ranaghat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Krishnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chuadanga	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Meherpur	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Harinaghata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad.	Kandi	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...
		Berhampore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalbagh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Azimganj	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jangipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalgola	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Akriganj* (*Mursha*).	...																			
		Patkabari	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·58	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumkal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliyaganj (*Ishanpur*).	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore	Narail	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jhenida	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Magura	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bongaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khulna	Satkhira	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagerhat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nakipur	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumuria	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rampal	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalaroa	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Paikgachha	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mollahat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Morelganj	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
BURDWAN.	Burdwan	Kalna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...
		Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...
		Katwa*	...																			
		Asansol	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mankar*	...																			
		Mangalkot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Monteswar*	...																			
	Birbhum	Suri	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hetampur*	...																			
		Rampurhat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bolpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Murarai*	...																			
		Labpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bankura	Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Vishnupur	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Maliara*	...																			
		Khatra	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Indus	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kotalpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Onda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gangajalghati	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...
		Italpur	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·08	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sonamukhi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Taldangra	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saraiga*	...																			
		Indpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Arhra	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darjora	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...
		Simlapal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mejia	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Siromanipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palasdanga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...
		Chatna*	...																			
		Ranibandh	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saltora	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joypur*	...																			
		Ambikanagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jairampur (*Radhanagar*.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1924.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st December, 1923 to 31st January 1924.	Normal rainfall from 1st December, 1923 to 31st January 1924.	Station.	District.	DIVISION.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	0·20	0·30	0·20	0·43	0·56	Saugor Island ...	24-Parganas	PRESIDENCY.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·0	0·24	0·55	0·24	0·32	0·73	Diamond Harbour.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	1·13	0·47	1·06	1·31	0·71	Budge-Budge.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	0·10	0·39	0·10	0·10	0·47	Canning Town.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	0·23	0·34	0·12	0·43	0·61	Alipore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	Nil	0·39	Nil	Nil	0·74	Barrackpore.		
											Nil	0·9	0·05	0·46	0·05	0·38	0·66	Dum-Dum.		
												1·0		0·52			0·73	Barasat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	0·10	0·40	0·10	0·14	0·66	Basirhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·56	(a)	0·56	0·56	(a)	Gosaba.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·40	Nil	Nil	0·58	Ranaghat ...	Nadia ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	Nil	0·44	Nil	Nil	0·55	Krishnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	0·20	0·29	0·17	0·20	0·54	Chuadanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	0·48	0·36	0·43	0·48	0·51	Meherpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	0·34	0·32	0·34	0·34	0·47	Kushtia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	0·06	0·09	0·05	0·05	0·38	Haringhata.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	Nil	0·35	Nil	Nil	0·48	Berhampore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·33	Nil	Nil	0·44	Lalbagh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	Nil	0·7	0·08	0·42	0·05	0·08	0·52	Azimganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	Nil	0·47	Nil	Nil	0·57	Jangipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·0	Nil	0·47	Nil	Nil	0·57	Lalgola.		
												1·0		0·42			0·49	Akriganj (*Maricha*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	1	0·7	0·66	0·22	0·58	0·66	0·30	Patkabari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	0·07	0·33	0·07	0·07	0·47	Dumkal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	Nil	0·7	0·23	0·31	0·09	0·23	0·49	Kaliyanganj (*Ishanpur*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·0	0·12	0·51	0·12	0·15	0·69	Narail ...	Jessore ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	0·02	0·36	0·02	0·02	0·56	Jessore.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	0·03	0·40	0·03	0·07	0·60	Satkhira ...	Khulna ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·49	Nil	0·34	0·67	Bagerhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·0	0·05	0·48	0·05	0·05	0·66	Khulna.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·1	0·04	0·45	0·04	0·09	0·60	kalaroa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·0	0·13	0·37	0·13	0·13	0·71	Paikgachha		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·30	Nil	0·30	0·53	Mollahat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	0·10	0·50	0·10	0·40	0·70	Moreiganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	Nil	0·45	Nil	Nil	0·59	Tala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	0·17	0·39	0·17	0·17	0·56	Kalna ...	Burdwan ...	BURDWAN.
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												1·1		0·43			0·57	Mankar.		
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												0·0		0·00			0·00	Monteswar.		
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												1·1		0·34			0·53	Hotampur.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·41	Nil	Nil	0·47	Bolpur.		
												0·7		0·35			0·41	Murarai.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·30	Nil	Nil	0·35	Labpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·2	0·14	0·51	0·14	0·14	0·64	Bankura ...	Bankura ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·0	0·10	0·37	0·07	0·10	0·52	Vishnupur.		
												1·1		0·47			0·60	Malliara.		
...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	0·51	0·44	0·25	0·51	0·63	Khatra.		
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...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·0	1·46	0·48	1·06	1·46	0·65	Raipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·0	Nil	0·42	Nil	Nil	0·55	Sonamukhi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	0·05	0·33	0·05	0·05	0·35	Taldangra.		
												1·2		0·40			0·40	Satanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·2	0·20	0·30	0·20	0·20	0·30	Indpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·19	(a)	0·19	0·19	(a)	Arura.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(a)	0·31	(a)	0·16	0·31	(a)	Barjora.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·20	(a)	0·20	0·20	(a)	Simlapal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·12	(a)	0·12	0·12	(a)	Mejia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	0·07	(a)	0·07	0·07	(a)	Sitromanipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·40	(a)	0·40	0·40	(a)	Palasdanga.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Ghatua.		
...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	(a)	0·86	(a)	0·45	0·86	(a)	Ranibandh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·17	(a)	0·17	0·17	(a)	Saltora.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Joypur.		
...	...	...	...	0·12	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·20	(a)	0·12	0·20	(a)	Ambikanagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	(a)	Nil	Nil	(a)	Jairampur (*Radhanagar*).		

(a) Not ascertained.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN BENGAL

DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN—contd.	Midnapore	Contai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tamluk	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ghatal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kukrahati	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...
		Amlagora	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·02	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pankura	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	0·38	0·16	...	...	...
		Dantan	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandrakona*	...																			
		Pachet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·52	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhagwanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·79	...	...	...	...	...
		Keshiary*	...																			
		Nayabasan*	...																			
		Silda (*Belpahari*).	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kharagpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Goaltore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Salboni	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narayangarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramnagar	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohanpur	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...
		Henria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...
		Jenka (*Khajri*)	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nandigram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Moyna*	...																			
		Pingla*	...																			
		Narajole*	...																			
		Kolahat (*Daiman*)	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·42	0·19	...	...	...	...	...
		Ballachak*	...																			
		Jhargram	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hooghly ...	Serampore	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hooghly	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Arambagh	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohesreka	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·34	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Uluberia	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI.	Bogra ...	Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nator	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Naugaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sibganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manda*	...																			
		Mahadebpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tanor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dhangram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joari*	...																			
	Dinajpur	Nikhpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj*	...																			
		Gangarampur*	...																			
		Dhuramon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Balurghat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Thakurgaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Setabganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj*	...																			
		Atwari	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Birganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Parbatipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipur Duars	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Falakata*	...																			
		Debiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhagatpur* (*Nagrakata*).																				
		Buxa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kakrihat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kumargram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darjeeling	Siliguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darjeeling	...	*	*	*	*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalimpong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mungpoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurseong*	...																			
		Pedong	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jalpaihar	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangpur	Bhawanigani (*Gaibandha*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurigaon*	...																			
		Gobindganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagdogra (*Nilphamari*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ulipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sundarganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saidpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bogra ...	Sherpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nowkhilla*	...																			
		Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panchbibi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khetlal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pabna ...	Shahzadpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...
		Pabna	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
		Sirajganj	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...
		Sara	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

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21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st December 1923 to 31st January 1924.	Normal rainfall from 1st December 1923 to 31st January 1924.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·46	Nil	Nil	0·72	Contai ...	Midnapore	Burdwan—*contd.*
...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	0·24	0·39	0·10	0·24	0·58	Tamluk.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·1	0·00	0·55	0·08	0·00	0·79	Midnapore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·36	Nil	Nil	0·57	Ghatal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	0·19	0·49	0·14	0·19	0·68	Kukrahati.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	1·02	0·41	1·02	1·02	0·60	Amlagora.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	0·9	0·73	0·49	0·33	0·81	0·68	Panskura.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·2	0·95	0·47	0·60	0·95	0·61	Dantan.		
												0·2		0·21			0·70	Chandrakona.		
...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	1·52	0·27	1·52	1·52	0·35	Pachet.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	0·79	0·27	0·79	1·04	0·47	Bhagwanpur.		
												0·4		0·29			0·37	Keshiary.		
												0·7		0·47			0·47	Nayabasan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·1	0·20	0·39	0 20	0·20	0·58	Silda (*Belpahari*).		
...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(*n*)	0·18	(*n*)	0·18	0·18	(*n*)	Kharagpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	0·50	0·28	0·50	0·50	0·59	Goaltore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·2	0·77	0·02	0·77	0·77	0·33	Palboni.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·1	Nil	0·65	Nil	Nil	1·11	Narayangarh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	0·02	0·33	0 02	0·02	0·38	Ramnagar.		
...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·8	0·69	0·29	0·45	0·79	0·29	Mohanpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·6	0·50	0·17	0·50	0·50	0·22	Henria.		
...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	0·09	0·21	0·05	0·20	0·31	Jenka (*Khajri*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·34	Nil	Nil	0·39	Nandigram.		
												0·5		0·11			0·11	Moyna.		
												0·5		0·17			0·18	Pingla.		
												0·5		0·19			0·47	Narajole.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(*n*)	0·88	(*n*)	0·42	0·73	(*n*)	Kolshat (*Dainan*)		
												(*n*)		(*n*)			(*n*)	Bailchak.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	0·07	0·38	0·04	0·11	0·39	Serampore ...	Hooghly ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	0·40	0·34	0·22	0·40	0·64	Hooghly.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·9	0·32	0·40	0·22	0·32	0·57	Arambagh.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	1·42	0·44	1·34	1·48	0 66	Mohesreka.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·8	1·42	0·42	1·30	1·55	0·59	Uluberia.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	0·08	0·35	0 08	0·08	0·43	Boalia ...	Boalia ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	0·09	0·47	0·09	0·09	0·56	Nator.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·8	0·45	0·35	0·27	0·45	0·45	Naugaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·32	Nil	Nil	0·44	Bilmaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		0·9		0·43			0·45	Manda.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	0·50	0·39	0·50	0·50	0·42	Mahadebpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·58	Nil	Nil	0·69	Tamor.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	1	(*n*)	0·25	(*n*)	0·25	0·25	(*n*)	Chaugram.		
												(*n*)		(*n*)			(*n*)	Joari ...		
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												0·4		0·15			0·15	Nawabganj.		
												0 7		0·25			0·45	Gangarampur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·25	Nil	Nil	0·48	Churaman.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·35	Nil	Nil	0·47	Raiganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·32	Nil	0·05	0·39	Dinajpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·36	Nil	Nil	0·45	Balurghat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	Nil	0 20	Nil	0·05	0·35	Thakurgaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·14	Nil	0·70	0·22	Setabganj.		
												0·5		0·18			0·20	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	0·05	0·14	0·05	0·20	0·16	Atwari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·17	Nil	Nil	0·26	Birganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·10	Nil	Nil	0·15	Purbatipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·30	Nil	Nil	0·42	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·31	Nil	Nil	0·47	Alipur Duars.		
												0·8		0·28			0·41	Falakata.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·25	Nil	0·70	0·40	Debiganj.		
												1·4		0·53			0·86	Bhagatpur (*Nagrakata*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·3	0·02	1·00	0·02	0·18	1·65	Buxa.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·40	Nil		0·72	Kumargram.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·3	0·01	0·55	0·01	0·01	0·79	Darjeeling.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·2	0·04	0·37	0 04	0·06	0·88	Kalimpong.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·2	0·04	0·37	0 04	0·06	0·92	Mungpoo.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·72	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·2	0·72	0·34	0·72	0·78	0·97	Kurseong.		
												1·7		0·67						
...	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·37	0·45	0·36	0·40	1·18	Pedong.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·14	Nil	Nil	0·26	Pirganj.		
												0·7		0·36			0·48	Kurigaon.		
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...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	0·05	0·24	0·05	0·05	0·30	Ulipur.		
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												0·8		0·38			0·50	Nowkhilla.		
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(*n*) Not ascertained.

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Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Rajshahi—*concld.*	Malda ...	Malda ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chanchal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...
		Gazol ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sibganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gomastapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	Dacca ...	Munshiganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...
		Dacca ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
		Narayanganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...
		Narsingdi ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manikganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·24	...	...	...	...	...
		Joydebpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kapasia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	Kishorganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Atia (*Tangail*) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sariabari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mymensingh ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jamalpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Netrokona ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Phulpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Durgapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sherpur (*Town*) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dewanganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nalitabari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Faridpur	Madaripur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·97	...	...	...	...	...
		Faridpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	...	...	...	...	...
		Rajbari (*Goalundo*).	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...
		Haridaspur[*] ...																				
		Takerhat ...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·42	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhanga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	...	...	...	...	...
		Pangsa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·87	...	...	...	...	...
		Baliakandi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhushna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·28	...	...	...	...	...
		Paloug ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	...	...	...	...	...
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barguna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirozpur ...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barisal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...
		Gaurnadi ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·77	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhola ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daulatkhan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bauphal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong	Chittagong	Cox's Bazar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kutubdia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sathania ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kodala[*] ...																				
		Mirsarai ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Brahmanbaria ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramchandrapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nasirnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daudkandi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	...	...	...	...	...
		Kasba ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Laksam ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Noakhali	Noakhali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
		Feni ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
		Hatiya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sonapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...
		Lakhimpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bandarban ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barkal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahalcheri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lama ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramgarh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manikcheri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dighinala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tippera.	Agartala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Cooch Behar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mekhliganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mathabhanga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Fulbari[*] ... (*Tufanganj*).																				

[*] Return not received.

DACCA, *the 20th February 1924.*

FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1924—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st December 1923 to 31st January 1924.	Normal rainfall from 1st December 1923 to 31st January 1924.	Station.	District.	Division.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·0	0·40	0·46	0·40	0·40	0·69	Munshiganj ...	Dacca ...	DACCA.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	1	0·3	0·15	0·39	0·12	0·15	0·50	Atia (*Tangail*).		
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												0·9		0·27	1·42	0·51	0·59	Haridaspur		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	0·91	0·20	0·64	0·64	0·58	Pangsa.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·22	Nil	0·15	0·67	Satkania.		
												0·4		0·23			0·95	Kodala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·10	Nil	0·22	0·64	Mirsarai.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	0·35	0·41	0·35	0·43	0·68	Chandpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	Nil	1·0	0·08	0·49	0·04	0·06	0·75	Brahmanbaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·23	Nil	Nil	0·34	Ramchandrapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·34	Nil	Nil	0·53	Nasirnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	0·41	0·36	0·41	0·41	0·49	Daudkandi.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·44	Nil	Nil	0·69	Laksam.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	0·04	0·33	0·04	0·08	0·80	Noakhali ...	Noakhali	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	0·04	0·33	0·04	0·09	0·91	Feni.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	Nil	0·25	Nil	0·05	0·77	Hatiahpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	0·20	0·25	0·20	0·30	0·50	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·17	Nil	Nil	0·61	Chhagalnaya.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·15	Nil	0·40	0·64	Hatia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	Nil	0·21	Nil	Nil	0·51	Lakhnipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	Nil	0·32	Nil	0·61	0·94	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·19	Nil	0·45	0·78	Bandarban.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·15	Nil	0·05	0·97	Barkal.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·09	Nil	Nil	0·09	Ramgarh		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·28	Nil	Nil	0·37	Mathabhanga.		
												0·7	Nil	0·29			0·47	Fulbaria (*Tufanganj*).		

(a) Not ascertained.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal*

Vital Statistics for the month of December 1923 of the

Division.	No.	Districts.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-Azar.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan	689,282	673,993	1,363,275	3,227	77	10	3	...	2,952	4	...	...	4
	2	Birbhum	422,986	424,584	847,570	2,503	116	31	8	...	1,753	2	...	...	...
	3	Bankura	480,935	483,552	964,487	2,113	1	5	...	...	239	3	4	3	6
	4	Midnapur	1,318,273	1,308,652	2,626,925	6 851	335	51	...	...	2,809	70	10	44	43
	5	Hooghly	468,451	462,093	930,544	2,634	6	10	3	...	2,155	...	...	...	4
	6	Howrah	391,415	387,478	778,893	2,325	6	63	2	...	286	3	...	1	29
Presidency	7	24-Parganas	1,062,266	989,125	2,051,391	4,654	131	377	13	...	2,488	12	2	44	35
	8	Nadia	731,335	693,552	1,424,887	4,964	150	158	1	...	4,277	9	...	...	6
	9	Murshidabad	591,676	599,742	1,191,418	4,424	258	30	1	...	3,021	...	1	6	...
	10	Jessore	887,182	824,898	1,712,080	5,679	452	687	...	...	4,544	1	2	...	32
	11	Khulna	741,741	684,945	1,426,686	4,792	227	544	...	...	3,038	...	3	4	...
Rajshahi	12	Rajshahi	753,539	711,538	1,465,077	5,162	580	41	...	...	6,191	...	...	...	2
	13	Dinajpur	885,437	801,901	1,687,338	5,018	361	83	...	...	5,153	...	...	...	...
	14	Jalpaiguri	494,432	427,317	921,749	3,350	274	5	7	...	2,570	...	...	...	...
	15	Darjeeling	136,217	124,273	260,490	902	44	...	...	...	382	1	...	...	7
	16	Rangpur	1 304,781	1,183,997	2,488,778	7,241	814	177	...	...	7,613	...	...	...	1
	17	Bogra	531,470	504,814	1,036,284	2,302	242	64	3	...	2,704	2	...	19	29
	18	Pabna	682,594	662,039	1,344,633	4,291	493	154	...	...	5,499	...	...	...	...
	19	Malda	478,872	480,103	958,975	3,045	69	102	2	...	3,914	...	...	...	...
Dacca	20	Dacca	1,488,445	1,490,470	2,978,915	11,579	728	1,421	31	...	2,960	258	34	24	189
	21	Mymensingh	2,447,451	2,278,695	4,726 126	15,914	1,003	2,614	4	...	3,594	...	1	22	34
	22	Faridpur	1,124,661	1,085,397	2,210,058	7,760	483	345	...	...	6,864	1	...	4	...
	23	Bakarganj	1,318,064	1,265,107	2,583,171	10,399	...	538	...	...	503	3	...	2	12
Chittagong	24	Chittagong	753,765	821,627	1,575,392	4,949	545	...	31	...	970	46	...	1	...
	25	Noakhali	738,732	734,054	1,472,786	5,141	483	143	4	...	964	1	6	277	104
	26	Tippera	1,367,598	1,311,029	2,678,627	7,792	675	938	6	...	1,200	21	2	41	47
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...										Not under
Total of month for Bengal			23,988,560	21,414,985	43,703,545	139,871	8,554	8,597	121	...	78,739	438	65	492	563
Total of corresponding month of previous year.			...	...	...	122,241	6,498	4,020	240	...	57,209	386	67	562	73
Increase + or decrease -			...	...	...	+17,630	+2,036	+4,571	-116	...	+21,530	+52	-2	-70	+490

REMARKS.—1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana officers and submitted to the Director of Public Health by the Civil Surgeons.
2. The vital statistics of municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been included in this statement with those of the respective
3. Divisional totals and the birth and death ratios per mille per annum have been omitted from the statement according to the Government of

CALCUTTA, *the 21st February 1924.*

Districts excluding Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal.

REGISTERED.

Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Male.	Female.	Total.	No.	Districts.
600	28	19	2	38	12	2	25	...	589	2,139	2,189	4,318	1,425	1,346	2,771	1	Burdwan.
447	3	...	...	13	2	2	9	...	339	1,334	1,295	2,629	977	858	1,835	2	Birbhum.
1 230	13	33	1	30	9	20	11	1	462	1,044	1,014	2,058	964	961	1,925	3	Bankura.
2,336	75	44	19	81	22	17	79	3	1,496	3,638	3,651	7,289	2,986	2,907	5,893	4	Midnapur.
231	70	30	2	89	6	11	32	1	534	1,583	1,604	3,187	1,000	989	1,989	5	Hooghly.
704	37	141	...	37	35	35	29	5	443	967	883	1,850	805	698	1,503	6	Howrah.
2.408	34	31	2	75	21	41	72	5	790	3,350	3,100	6,450	2,549	2,157	4,706	7	24-Parganas.
1,375	20	5	...	29	9	13	56	...	1,009	3,454	3,508	6,967	2,199	2,058	4,257	8	Nadia.
512	6	4	1	6	2	5	20	6	598	2,168	2,051	4,219	1,395	1,315	2,710	9	Murshidabad.
1,422	6	14	...	13	9	13	37	...	766	3,876	3,669	7,545	3,243	3,055	6,298	10	Jessore.
526	19	...	...	6	2	5	26	19	1,116	2,702	2,606	5,308	2,185	2,052	4.237	11	Khulna.
82	2	4	...	4	1	8	33	12	578	3,422	3,559	6,981	3,875	3,090	5,965	12	Rajshahi.
2,269	1	...	...	11	2	2	10	4	239	3,879	3,895	7,774	2,686	2,550	5,236	13	Dinajpur.
207	30	24	19	33	24	4	7	12	142	1,590	1,494	3.084	1,245	1,195	2,440	14	Jalpaiguri.
183	24	2	8	19	5	3	7	...	75	371	325	696	370	335	705	15	Darjeeling.
1 948	5	3	...	1	2	5	21	29	87	4,938	4,934	9,892	4,244	4,026	8,270	16	Rangpur.
607	2	6	11	4	5	3	14	6	184	1,885	1,778	3,663	1,814	1,865	3,679	17	Bogra.
1,381	...	2	...	1	...	1	14	...	182	3,501	3,633	7,134	2,061	1,928	3,989	18	Pabna.
316	5	...	1	...	...	...	10	2	408	2,398	2,362	4,760	983	817	1,800	19	Malda.
4,650	224	17	5	12	3	17	33	12	1,573	5,602	5,845	11,447	4,073	4,049	8,122	20	Dacca.
8,281	153	54	1	12	25	28	32	12	2,045	8,715	8,197	16,912	6,156	5,833	11,989	21	Mymensingh
86	41	2	5	7	3	3	40	...	1,035	4,367	4,049	8,436	2,915	2,794	5,709	22	Faridpur.
5,857	66	17	...	6	8	8	36	7	2,503	4,978	4,891	9,869	4,078	3,745	7.823	23	Bakarganj.
2,437	8	1	...	1	...	3	18	...	144	1,864	1,796	3,660	1,549	1.513	3,062	24	Chittagong.
2,208	22	2	...	1	1	1	36	20	608	2,309	2,089	4,398	1,834	1,727	3,561	25	Noakhali.
2.995	116	24	72	3	10	43	28	10	844	3,401	3,000	6,401?	2,636	2,424	5,060	26	Tippera.
registration.																27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
45,208	1,009	488	149	540	318	293	735	166	18,789	79,490	77,117	156,607	...	...	...		
34,573	964	320	74	486	137	359	760	115	15,176	59,245	56,984	116,229	...	...	...		
+10,635	+45	+168	+75	+52	+81	-66	-31	+51	+3,613	+20,245	+20,833	+41,078	...	...	...		

Taken as a whole, the statement possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate to the actual.
districts as ordered in Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, letter No. 1188an., dated the 8th February 1918.
India Education Department, letter No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Vital Statistics for the month of December 1923 of the

Districts.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.
Burdwan ...	1	Burdwan ...	19,583	15,033	34,616	19	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	7
	2	Raniganj ...	8,040	6,496	14,536	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Asansol ...	15,464	11,035	26,499	35	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bankura ...	4	Bankura ...	13,523	11,889	25,412	30	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
	5	Vishnupur ...	9,736	9,662	19,398	26	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	6	Sonamukhi ...	5,140	5,504	10,644	39	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...
Midnapur ...	7	Midnapur ...	15,734	13,241	28,965	45	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Ghatal ...	5,655	5,115	10,770	38	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hooghly ...	9	Hooghly-Chinsura	16,723	13,215	29,938	90	...	...	...	...	21	...	...	...	...
	10	Serampur ...	20,210	12,987	33,197	57	...	13	...	...	4	...	...	...	1
	11	Rishra-Konnagar	15,030	8,229	23,259	47	...	3	...	...	3	1	...	...	1
	12	Baidyabati ...	9,174	7,297	16,471	47	...	3	...	...	11	...	...	...	...
	13	Bhadreswar ...	14,487	7,594	22,081	32	...	11	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
	14	Champdani ...	17,193	7,450	24,653	17	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Howrah ...	15	Howrah ...	128,472	66,829	195,301	448	37	9	1	...	37	19	2	...	3
	16	Bally ...	15,264	7,945	23,209	36	...	2	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
24 Parganas	17	Cossipur-Chitpur	36,389	20,185	56,474	80	1	14	...	...	7	...	...	...	3
	18	Maniktala ...	40,996	26,376	67,372	77	6	6	...	...	20	...	1	...	...
	19	South Suburban ...	19,063	14,282	33,345	77	3	2	...	...	22	...	...	...	...
	20	Tollygaunj ...	13,326	8,311	21,637	40	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
	21	Garden Reach ...	29,373	16,194	45,567	81	...	1	...	...	5	4	...	...	...
	22	Budge-Budge ...	17,883	7,840	25,723	31	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
	23	Baranagar ...	19,989	13,095	33,084	75	6	51	...	...	7	...	...	...	2
	24	Kamarhati ...	14,965	8,053	23,018	34	...	3	...	...	21	...	...	...	...
	25	Rajpur ...	5,760	5,652	11,412	28	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	2
	26	South Dum-Dum	8,736	5,294	14,030	18	1	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	1
	27	Barrackpur ...	14,877	7,583	22,460	12	1	1	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
	28	Panihati ...	6,148	4,013	10,161	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
	29	North Barrackpur	9,462	5,961	15,423	46	...	...	...	...	7	3	...	...	2
	30	Titagarh ...	36,538	15,918	52,451	77	8	...	6	...	...	...	1	...	...
	31	Garulia ...	9,077	4,019	13,096	15	...	6	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
	32	Naihati ...	15,464	7,822	23,286	45	...	6	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	33	Kanchrapara ...	7,182	3,150	10,332	12	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...
	34	Bhatpara ...	45,723	19,886	65,609	119	...	10	...	...	9	...	...	...	...
	35	Basirhat ...	10,162	9,105	19,267	36	...	7	...	...	2	1	...	...	8
	36	Baduria ...	7,434	6,623	14,057	23	...	22	...	...	25	...	...	...	1
Calcutta ...	37	Calcutta ...	617,590	290,761	907,851	1,680	122	56	5	1	103	21	4	...	50
Nadia ...	38	Krishnagar ...	11,877	10,932	22,809	32	2	1	...	...	16	...	...	...	...
	39	Nadia or Nabadwip	7,291	8,293	15,584	20	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
	40	Santipur ...	11,345	13,450	24,792	54	2	2	...	...	15	2	...	...	...

Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal,

REGISTERED.

Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Male.	Female.	Total.	No.	Towns.
...	4	6	1	2	...	...	2	...	10	30	16	46	34	21	55	1	Burdwan.
1	...	1	...	1	...	5	2	1	8	12	7	19	7	11	18	2	Raniganj.
1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	5	4	5	9	12	5	17	3	Asansol.
2	...	...	...	2	2	1	...	...	11	14	6	20	12	8	20	4	Bankura.
17	...	1	...	2	1	1	1	...	5	16	13	29	19	5	24	5	Vishnupur.
5	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	9	11	13	24	9	11	20	6	Sonamukhi.
34	9	5	...	2	4	3	1	...	39	55	50	105	16	16	32	7	Midnapur.
4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	4	8	12	8	20	8	Ghatal.
...	6	2	...	...	1	11	...	...	29	31	39	70	33	41	74	9	Hooghly-Chinsura.
1	7	6	...	4	1	2	1	1	10	34	18	52	29	24	53	10	Serampur.
3	1	1	...	2	...	3	...	2	10	13	17	30	10	13	23	11	Rishra-Konnagar.
...	...	4	...	...	3	...	...	...	5	13	13	26	7	16	23	12	Baidyabati.
4	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	16	24	16	40	13	12	25	13	Bhadreswar.
4	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	8	5	13	10	5	15	14	Champdani.
92	49	41	...	37	6	80	15	5	144	311	229	540	290	253	543	15	Howrah.
18	6	3	...	8	1	...	...	...	11	32	23	55	19	15	34	16	Baily.
17	7	5	...	14	5	7	...	...	21	53	47	100	58	45	103	17	Cossipur-Chitpur.
16	13	13	2	15	22	39	...	...	84	118	112	230	109	129	238	18	Manicktala.
...	...	2	...	10	...	...	2	...	8	21	32	53	22	36	58	19	South Suburban.
10	4	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	4	13	10	23	8	10	18	20	Tollygunj.
15	5	2	...	5	2	3	...	...	25	42	25	67	39	29	68	21	Garden Reach.
6	1	5	...	2	...	1	...	...	1	7	11	18	11	24	35	22	Budge-Budge.
17	19	4	...	8	1	5	2	...	32	90	58	148	35	29	64	23	Baranagar.
...	12	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	8	29	16	45	10	8	18	24	Kamarhati.
2	1	...	...	2	1	...	2	...	7	10	13	23	19	10	29	25	Rajpur.
8	2	2	...	4	1	1	...	...	9	16	18	34	25	12	37	26	South Dum-Dum.
3	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	9	5	14	10	5	15	27	Barrakpur.
4	2	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	2	10	4	14	9	8	17	28	Panihati.
5	3		...	5	...	...	...	...	9	18	18	36	10	18	28	29	North Barrackpur
54	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	10	45	27	72	35	25	60	30	Titagarh.
...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	9	6	15	3	3	6	31	Garulia.
7	1	2	...	1	4	1	1	...	14	20	18	38	13	8	21	32	Naihati.
...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	8	5	13	13	6	19	33	Kanchrapara
22	3	2	...	5	...	4	2	...	18	43	31	74	22	22	44	34	Bhatpara.
14	1	1	...	6	...	1	1	...	12	37	17	54	25	22	47	35	Basirhat.
10	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	34	31	65	8	6	14	36	Baduria.
164	148	86	24	303	170	317	43	9	922	1,875	1,052	2,427	1,338	1,087	2,425	37	Calcutta.
4	2	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	3	13	18	31	12	9	21	38	Krishnagar.
...	3	4	...	2	2	...	...	...	8	13	14	27	9	11	20	39	Nadia or Nabadwip.
14	...	2	...	5	1	1	...	...	21	29	34	63	22	19	41	40	Santipur.

Vital Statistics for the month of December 1923 of the

Districts.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.
Murshidabad.	41	Berhampur ...	14,719	11,951	26,670	36	1	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	2
	42	Murshidabad ...	5,401	5,268	10,669	26	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	43	Azimganj ...	5,876	5,355	11,231	21	1	...	...	...	17	...	...	...	...
	44	Kandi	5,903	5,884	11,787	13	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
	45	Jangipur	5,167	5,572	10,739	15	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jessore ...	46	Jessore	6,410	3,729	10,139	1	...	10	...	...	9	...	...	...	...
Khulna ...	47	Khulna	10,235	5,814	16,049	18	...	3	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
	48	Satkhira	5,548	4,751	10,299	10	...	6	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi ...	49	Rajshahi ...	13,831	10,767	24,598	53	2	...	...	...	6	12	...	...	1
Dinajpur ...	50	Dinajpur	10,973	7,052	18,025	11	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	3
Jalpaiguri ...	51	Jalpaiguri ...	8,965	5,555	14,520	14	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling ...	52	Darjeeling ...	12,877	9,381	22,258	36	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
Rangpur ...	53	Rangpur	12,059	7,017	19,076	30	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	1
Bogra ...	54	Bogra	7,257	5,065	12,322	21	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Pabna ...	55	Pabna	10,352	8,991	19,343	21	1	...	...	...	24	...	...	...	...
	56	Sirajganj	13,756	11,762	25,518	50	...	...	...	...	46	...	...	...	...
Malda ...	57	English Bazar ...	7,869	6,188	14,057	30	...	1	...	...	20	...	...	...	1
	58	Nawabganj ...	6,081	6,552	12,633	29	1	1	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
Dacca ...	59	Dacca	67,333	52,117	119,450	414	15	27	...	...	...	1	...	...	14
	60	Narayanganj ...	19,442	11,160	30,602	101	2	44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mymensingh	61	Mymensingh ...	16,597	8,690	25,287	28	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	62	Jamalpur	12,566	10,547	23,113	40	3	3	...	...	17	2	...	...	9
	63	Sherpur	9,708	8,045	17,813	41	1	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	64	Kishorganj ...	10,600	8,918	19,518	19	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	65	Bajitpur	5,946	5,522	11,468	37	1	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	66	Tangail	7,542	6,763	14,305	20	1	1	...	...	21	...	...	...	...
Faridpur ...	67	Faridpur	8,772	8,731	14,503	20	1	...	...	...	39	...	...	...	2
	68	Madaripur ...	14,209	10,988	25,297	60	3	3	...	...	17	2	...	2	1
Bakarganj	69	Barisal	17,584	9,160	26,744	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	70	Pirojpur	7,515	6,326	13,841	43	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong...	71	Chittagong ...	24,117	11,913	36,030	72	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...
Tippera ...	72	Comilla	15,533	10,281	25,914	52	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	73	Brahmanbaria ...	12,367	11,047	23,414	93	2	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	74	Chandpur	10,636	4,482	15,118	20	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total of month ...	1,769,376	1,049,372	2,818,748	5,287	230	393	12	1	713	69	26	2	121
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	...	...	...	5,380	201	206	29	...	622	71	3	4	42
		Increase + or decrease —.	...	...	...	-93	-21	+187	-17	+1	+91	-2	+23	-2	+79

REMARKS.—1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the municipalities and submitted to the Director of Public Health by the Civil Surgeons, and in a few instances are obviously incomplete.

2. The vital statistics of municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been excluded from this statement and incorporated

3. The birth and death ratios per mille per annum have been omitted from this statement according to the Government of India,

CALCUTTA, *the 21st February 1924.*

Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal.

REGISTERED.

Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries, including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Male	Female.	Total.	No.	Towns.
2	5	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	14	27	17	44	25	25	50	41	Berhampur
26	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	11	18	29	8	13	21	42	Murshidabad.
...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	11	15	26	10	3	13	43	Azimganj.
12	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	9	11	20	8	4	12	44	Kandi.
8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7	3	10	4	4	8	45	Jangipur.
...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	3	16	10	26	15	11	26	46	Jessore.
2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	7	13	20	10	10	20	47	Khulna.
...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	12	6	18	6	3	9	48	Satkhira.
...	3	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	6	16	16	32	19	17	36	49	Rajshahi
7	...	...	..	2	...	...	...	...	1	10	7	17	5	6	11	50	Dinajpur.
...	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	11	7	18	6	9	15	51	Jalpaiguri.
2	2	4	...	2	2	...	...	...	18	21	14	35	12	22	34	52	Darjeeling.
...	10	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	21	8	29	15	10	25	53	Rangpur.
25	...	1	...	2	...	2	1	...	13	26	18	44	15	11	26	54	Bogra.
...	4	..	1	...	...	...	1	...	9	19	20	39	22	22	44	55	Pabna.
...	4	..	...	...	...	2	...	...	12	36	28	64	35	31	66	56	Sirajganj.
10	2	1	...	7	...	1	1	...	10	25	29	54	7	8	15	57	English Bazar
1	1	...	..	3	...	1	...	...	3	11	12	23	2	10	12	58	Nawabganj.
152	29	9	..	17	10	14	7	5	135	2 7	205	420	155	165	320	59	Dacca.
28	10	1	...	...	2	...	1	2	30	57	61	1.8	53	56	109	60	Narayanganj.
16	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	10	9	19	28	15	17	32	61	Mymensingh.
3	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	8	23	23	46	19	25	44	62	Jamalpur.
17	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	16	25	21	46	19	19	38	63	Sherpur.
3	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	4	6	10	12	14	26	64	Kishorganj.
7	...	3	...	...	2	...	...	1	11	18	21	39	7	8	15	65	Bajitpur.
4	2	1	...	4	4	...	...	...	5	21	21	42	16	22	38	66	Tangail.
17	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	5	29	37	66	18	9	27	67	Faridpur.
8	3	...	...	5	1	...	1	2	12	34	23	57	21	18	39	68	Madaripur.
4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	4	6	8	9	17	69	Barisal.
11	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	7	20	11	31	7	7	14	70	Pirojpur.
...	2	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	25	22	24	46	33	18	51	71	Chittagong.
3	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	5	7	5	12	6	3	9	72	Comilla.
34	6	2	...	1	1	1	...	...	22	42	45	87	28	26	54	73	Brahmanbaria.
6	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	13	11	24	6	6	12	74	Chandpur.
984	411	259	30	526	257	532	96	29	1,947	3,513	2,883	6,396	...	...	...		
784	419	256	54	478	256	498	101	11	1,890	3,023	2,686	5,719	..	...	...		
+200	-8	+3	-24	+53	+1	+34	-7	+18	+57	+490	+197	+677	...	...	...		

Taken as a whole, the statement possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of cases in the returns for districts as ordered in Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, letter No. 118 San., dated the 6th February 1918.
Education Department, letter No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Vital Statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 16th February 1924.

District.	No.	Towns.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1921.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.		DEATHS REGISTERED.																								
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding week of the previous year.			
																										Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Calcutta	1	Calcutta	617,850	290,361	907,851	276	16	20	—	—	19	6	14	—	8	17	31	5	5	81	31	60	7	2	181	297	190	487	274	194	468
Burdwan	2	Asansol Mining Settlement.	176,814	152,539	329,353	127	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	10	—	6	2	—	47	32	38	70	19	14	33
Howrah	3	Howrah	128,472	66,829	195,301	84	6	7	3	—	8	2	—	—	—	21	8	3	—	8	2	18	3	—	36	56	63	119	49	58	107
Dacca	4	Dacca	67,333	52,117	119,450	100	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	16	5	1	—	2	—	8	1	—	19	27	28	55	27	29	56
24-Parganas	5	Maniktala	40,996	26,376	67,372	18	—	1	1	—	6	—	1	—	—	1	2	2	—	6	5	12	—	—	15	29	23	52	11	17	28
	6	Bhatpara	45,723	19,886	65,609	15	—	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	5	6	5	11	2	4	6
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur.	36,789	20,185	56,474	11	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	3	1	—	—	4	2	5	2	—	5	14	10	24	14	16	30
	8	Titagarh	36,533	15,918	52,451	16	3	—	19	—	—	—	2	—	—	10	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	9	34	11	8	19

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd February 1924.*

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of February 1924.

Marts.	PADDY, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	7 2 0	7 2 0	8 8 0
Burdwan ...	2 14 6	2 12 6	2 11 0	2 12 6	2 10 0	2 9 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 15 0	2 9 0	2 9 0	2 8 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0
Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0
Dacca ...	3 8 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	6 4 0	6 2 0	6 6 0
Pabna ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0
Rangpur ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 4 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	RICE, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Burdwan ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	(a)	(a)	(c)	6 12 0	8 0 0	(c)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 1 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0
Chittagong ...	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	6 2 0	5 14 0	5 5 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Pabna ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
Rangpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not available. (c) No transaction. (d) New.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of February 1924.

Marts.	GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.			LINSEED.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	7 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	9 4 0
Burdwan ...	3 4 0	3 12 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	(a)	(a)	(a)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 8 0
Chittagong ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0
Dacca ...	4 8 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0
Pabna ...	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0
Rangpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 4 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	(n)	(n)	....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	8 8 0	8 8 0	9 8 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	20 0 0 to 22 0 0	20 0 0 to 22 0 0	13 0 0 to 15 0 0
Burdwan ...	7 8 0 to 8 8 0	7 8 0 to 8 8 0	8 8 0 to 9 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	8 0 0 to 9 8 0	8 0 0 to 9 8 0	10 0 0 to 11 0 0	13 0 0	13 0 0	10 8 0 to 11 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	8 8 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	9 8 0	10 0 0	7 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 4 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(n) Not reported. (a) Not available

Wholesale prices current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of February 1924.

Marts	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDE (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(1) 12 0 0 (2) (a) (3) 11 0 0	(1) 12 0 0 (2) (a) (3) 11 0 0	(1) 17 0 0 (2) 16 8 0 (3) 14 8 0	85 0 0	85 0 0	88 0 0	335 0 0*	335 0 0*	337 8 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	9 5 6	9 5 0	11 12 0 to 12 13 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	(n)	(n)	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	8 8 0 to 10 4 0	8 8 0 to 10 4 0	15 0 0 to 16 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(1) Price of 1st fours.
(2) Price of district fours.
(3) Weighted average price.

Marts.	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSINE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(a) 11 0 0 to 13 0 0	(a) 11 0 0 to 13 0 0	(d) 10 0 0 to 13 0 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	(e) 120 0 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Per 100 pieces. (a) British mild steel per cwt. (e) No transaction. (d) Per ton. (e) Per 100 maunds ex Golah.
(n) Report not received.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of February 1924.

Marts.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	20 0 0	20 0 0	22 8 0	0 13 0	0 13 0	11 0 0	(n)	(n)	(n)
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(n) Not reported.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first half of February 1924.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar dal or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hât	6 8	6 8	6 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 4	5 8	5 0	{10 0 / 9 8*	10 0 / 9 8*	12 0* / 11 0
	2	Magra Hât	8 6	8 7	7 0	9 8	10 0	7 10	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 5	5 5	5 11	11 0†	11 0†	14 0
	3	Calcutta-Beliaghata ...	5 14	6 4	5 5	7 10	7 0	8 0	6 2	5 4	6 2	5 8	6 4	4 13	8 0†	{9 0† / 8 8	{10 0 / 1010*
		Nadia.															
	4	Goari	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 4	5 0	5 0	4 4	8 14†	8 14†	12 12†
	5	Ranaghat	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	6 8	5 4	5 4	4 8	6 4	5 4	4 0	10 0†	10 0†	10 8†
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampore	7 12	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 12	6 8	6 0	6 0	8 4	7 12	8 0	10 0†	10 0*	{8 0 / 13 0*
	7	Kandi	8 4	8 4	9 8	8 10	8 8	9 12	6 0	8 0	5 8	7 0	7 4	5 8	10 0†	10 0†	13 0*
	8	Jangipur	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 12	9 4	5 4 (b)	4 8	4 10	8 0	8 0	6 0	10 0†	10 0†	13 0*
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	8 8	8 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	4 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	10 0	9 0	{11 0 / 10 8
	10	Bongaon	7 8	7 4	7 8	9 0	8 8	8 8	3 8	4 0	3 8	4 8	5 8	4 8	{10 8 / 11 0*	10 0* / 13 8	12 8 / 12 0*
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	7 8	7 4	7 8	8 4	8 0	9 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 12†	8 12†	{11 8 / 12 0*
	12	Bagerhat	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 0	7 0	5 8	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	{12 8 / 13 0*
		Burdwan.															
Burdwan.	13	Sadar	7 12	7 12	7 8	9 0	9 8	8 8	5 8	5 0	5 0	6 0	5 8	5 0	{10 0 / 10 8*	10 0 / 10 8*	13 0* / 12 0
	14	Kalna	7 4	7 2	7 0	7 10	7 8	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 8	5 12	4 11	10 4†	10 4†	{14 0* / 13 5
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 0	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 8	6 8	5 5	10 0*	10 0*	13 0*
	16	Rampur Hât	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 8	7 0	7 0	5 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	10 0†	10 0†	{14 0* / 12 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	8 2	8 0	8 4	8 12	8 12	9 0	9 0	7 0	5 8	6 4	6 0	4 8	10 0†	10 0†	{13 0 / 14 0*
	18	Vishnupur	9 0	8 0	7 0	9 8	9 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	8 8	6 6	9 8†	{10 0* / 11 0	13 0†
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	8 11	8 11	8 6	9 0	9 0	8 11	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	{9 0* / 10 0	9 0* / 10 0	10 8 / 12 0*
	20	Contai	8 12	10 4	8 8	9 0	11 0	9 4	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	10 0†	9 8†	{13 0 / 9 0*
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	6 12	7 0	5 12	7 12	8 0	7 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	5 12	6 4	5 12	{10 12 / 10 0*	11 0 / 10 0*	11 0* / 13 0†
	22	Arambagh	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	9 0	4 8	4 12	5 0	4 4	4 4	4 2	{9 4* / 10 0	9 4 / 10 0	12 8 / 10 0*
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	7 0	7 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	5 8	5 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	{11 0 / 10 8*	9 0	{14 0 / 13 0*
	24	Uluberia	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 8	8 8	7 8	5 8	5 8	5 12	5 8	5 12	5 12	11 8	11 8*	{11 8* / 14 8
		Rajshahi.															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 8	7 14	7 8	8 8	8 10	8 4	7 14	10 14	5 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 0*	{9 6 / 9 0	{11 7* / 1015
	26	Nator	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 10	8 4	8 4	4 14	4 14	4 14	6 0	6 0	4 14	8 11	8 11	{12 0 / 9 12*
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hât.	7 12	7 3	9 0	7 12	7 3	9 9	4 13	4 13	4 0	5 8	5 8	4 0	{9 / 8 0*	9 0† / 8 0	11 0†
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	7 12	7 8	8 4	8 8	8 0	9 8	5 8	5 12	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	9 0†	9 0†	10 0†

* Karkach (a) Not available. (b) New.

N. B.—The price of karkach and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

Prices current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first half of February 1924.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common rice. Average.			Common rice. Cheapest.			Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar dal or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi—concld.	29	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 4	8 4	7 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 4	7 0 8 0*	7 0 8 0*	9 0†
	30	Siliguri	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0*	8 0*	8 0†
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	5 8	5 8	7 4	6 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	8 0* 7 0	8 0* 7 0	8 0* 7 0
	32	Nilphamari	7 0	7 0	8 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 8	4 8	3 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0*	12 0†
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 11	7 11	8 4	4 13	5 0	4 0	4 13	5 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	8 8 10 0*
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	6 12	6 12	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 4	5 4	5 0	4 0	4 0	3 8	8 0†	8 0 8 0*	10 0 11 0*
	35	Sirajganj	6 0	6 0	6 4	7 10	7 10	7 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 12	4 12	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	9 8 12 0*
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	5 8	10 0†	9 0†	12 0†
	37	Balia—Nawabganj...	8 7	8 12	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 2	9 0	8 0	5 12	6 0	6 0 (b)	6 8	10 0†	9 0†	11 8†
		Dacca.															
	38	Sadar	7 4	7 0	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 8	6 4	8 0	6 0	6 0	4 8	9 8 10 0*	9 0†	10 8
	39	Mirkadim ...	7 12	7 8	7 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	10 0 10 4*	10 0 10 4*	13 0 14 0*
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	6 8	6 6	6 8	7 4	7 9	8 0	7 0	7 10	5 4	6 4	6 6	5 12	8 4 10 0†	10 0†	12 4 11 8*
	41	Netrakona	7 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	5 0	5 0	4 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	9 0 8 0*	9 0 8 0*	11 4 10 0*
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar...	8 0	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	7 8	6 0	(c)	8 0	5 0	(c)	3 8	8 0†	8 0†	13 4*
	43	Rajbari	7 12	7 12	7 4	8 4	8 0	7 12	5 8	5 0	6 0	6 8	6 0	4 10	10 0* 11 0	12 0* 11 0	13 0 12 0†
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	7 3 (b) 8 4	7 0 (b) 8 0	6 8	7 8 (d) 9 8	7 8 (d) 9 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	5 0	5 4	5 4	5 0	9 4 10 0*	9 8 10 0†	13 0†
	45	Pirojpur	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	6 8	6 8	6 8	4 0	4 0	(a)	9 0†	9 0†	12 4†
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	(b) 7 4	7 9	7 8	(b) 8 0	8 0	7 12	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 8	5 8	4 8	9 4	9. 0 8 0*	13 0* 10 0
	47	Chandpur	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	8 12	8 8	7 0	9 0	8 8	5 8	5 8	4 8	10 8* 11 4	10 8 11 0	14 0* 14 8
Chittagong.		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	5 4	5 0	4 0	9 0 8 0*	9 0 8 0†	12 8 8 0*
	49	Feni Hat	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 8	5 0	5 0	4 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	10 0 8 0*	10 0 8 0*	13 0 8 0*
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar...	7 0	7 0	6 4	8 0	8 0	8 12	5 4	5 4	5 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	10 0 8 0	10 0 8 0	13 0 9 0
	51	Cox's Bazar... ...	7 8	7 8	7 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 0	8 0 6 0*	8 0 8 0*	10 8 6 0*
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	(a)	(a)	(a)	7 0	7 8	8 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	3 12	3 12	3 12	10 8 6 8*	10 8 6 8*	11 0 6 8*

(a) Not available. (d) Aus. (c) No sale. (n) Not reported. (b) New. * Karkach.

N.B.—The prices of karkatch and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 22nd February 1924.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 16th February 1924.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
10th February ...	7 A.M.	7·0	7·0	6·7	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
11th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·8	6·8	6·5	
12th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·9	6·9	6·7	The bench mark for this gauge is marked on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
13th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·6	6·6	6·6	
14th ,, ...	7 ,,	6 3	6·3	6·5	
15th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·0	6·0	6 6	
16th ,, ...	7 ,,	5·9	5 9	6·7	

Highest water level of the year	... ...	24·1.
Lowest water level of the year	... ...	5·7.
Highest recorded flood	... ...	24·1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood	... ...	25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Lowest recorded water-level	... ...	5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923.
Previous recorded low water-level	... ...	1·0 on the 8th February 1914.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

C. H. DE, for *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAJBARI, *the 16th February 1924.* *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 16th February 1924.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
10th February ...	7 A M.	38·85	38·85	36·70	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet above Kidderpur old dock sill.
11th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·80	38·80	36 70	
12th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·80	38 80	36·80	
13th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·75	38 75	36·80	B. M. on Rajshahi College step 64·93.
14th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·75	38·75	36·80	
15th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·70	38·70	36·80	Value of zero = 0·00 P. W. D.
16th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·60	38·60	36·75	

			Old value.	According to P. W. Datum.
The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	on 27th August 1923	... 61·05
Do.	... Lowest ,,	...	on 4th May 1923	... 35·80
Record	... Highest ,,	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 64·44
Do	... Ditto ,,	...	69 08 on 9th September 1885	... 64·27
Do	... Ditto ,,	...	68·80 on 25th August 1906	... 63·47
Do.	... Ditto ,,	...	68 21 on 26th August 1890	... 63·40
Do	... Lowest ,,	...	37·68 on 25th April 1884	... 32 82
Do.	... Ditto ,,	...	38·18 on 14th and 15th April 1888	... 33·32
Do.	... Ditto ,,	...	39 02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	... 34·21
Do.	... Ditto ,,	...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	... 34·47
Do.	... Ditto ,,	...	on 9th May 1922	... 34·70

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAMPUR BOALIA, *the 16th February 1924.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 9th February 1924.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1924.							
3rd Feb.	51·85	10-25	53·0	17-0	51·5	51·55	R. T. at 10-35. F. T. at 17-10.
4th ,, ...	51·7	11-15	53·45	17-55	51·75	52·2	R. T. at 11-20. F. T. at 18-0.
5th ,, ...	52·0	12-0	53·85	Dark		52·4	R. T. at 12-8.
6th ,, ...	52·4	12-50	54·0	7-25	52·2	52·7	R. T. at 13-0. F. T. at 7-33.
7th ,, ...	52·55	13-50	54·2	8-0	52·35	52·8	R. T. at 14-0. F. T. at 8-10.
8th ,, ...	52·65	14-43	53·9	8-48	52·25	53·05	R. T. at 14-57. F. T. at 8-55.
9th ,, ...	52·8	15-35	53·5	9 45	51·95	53·1	R. T. at 15-42. F. T. at 9-55.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

High.				Low.			
27th August	1906	...	70·5	23rd February	1907	...	51·06
5th September	1909	...	67·86	18th ,,	1908	...	51·06
10th August	1910	...	69·86	12th March	1912	...	51·06
1st ,,	1911	...	68 46	6th ,,	1914	...	50·60
18th ,,	1912	...	67·16	22nd February	1915	...	50·80
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7	15th ,,	1916	...	50·60
18th ,,	1916	...	68·1	3rd March	1917	...	51·0
12th ,,	1917	...	67·1	21st February	1918	...	51·40
31st ,,	1918	...	69·12	26th ,,	1919	...	50·4
2nd ,,	1919	...	66·8	18th ,,	1920	...	50·9
8th September	1920	...	66·9	19th ,,	1921	...	50·9
28th July	1921	...	68·4	8th March	1922	...	51·05
10th August	1922	...	68·00				

Taken at high tide. Taken at low tide.

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48·51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

M. SINGH, for *Executive Engineer*,

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd February 1924.* *Khulna Division.*

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SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 1924.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1172A.R.—The 1st March 1924.—Under the provisions of section 93 of the Government of India Act, His Excellency the Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. T. C. Crawford of his office of member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 1176A.R.—The 1st March 1924.—Whereas a vacancy has occurred in the Indian Tea Association constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council by reason of the resignation of Mr. T. C. Crawford, His Excellency the Governor is pleased, in pursuance of sub-rule (*1*) of rule 26 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, to call upon the Indian Tea Association constituency to elect a person for the purpose of filling the vacancy before the 10th April 1924.

No. 1179A.R.—The 1st March 1924.—Whereas by notification No. 1176 A.R., dated the 1st March 1924, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to call upon the Indian Tea Association constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council to elect a member to the said Council in place of Mr. T. C. Crawford, resigned ;

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, and in pursuance of sub-rule (*3*) of that rule, to prescribe the 10th March 1924 as the date for the nomination of candidates and for the delivery of nomination papers to the Returning Officer and the 11th March 1924 as the date on which the scrutiny of nominations shall be held.

The Governor in Council is also pleased in exercise of the powers conferred by Regulation LIV of the Bengal Electoral Regulations to appoint the 20th March 1924 as the date on or before which the Returning Officer for the Indian Tea Association constituency shall send out ballot papers.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1924.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 708L., dated Calcutta, the 4th March, 1924.—The following report of the Select Committee on the Calcutta Rent (Amendment) Bill, 1924, with the Bill, as amended by the Committee, is hereby published for general information :—

REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE CALCUTTA RENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1924.

We, the undersigned members of the Select Committee to which the Bill further to amend the Calcutta Rent Act, 1920, was referred, have considered the Bill and have the honour to submit this, our Report, with the Bill, as amended by us, annexed hereto. In reprinting the Bill, all changes made by us have, so far as possible, been underlined.

We consider that, in view of the limited scope of the present Bill, which is for the extension of an Act in the working of which many defects have been found, the extension should only have effect for one year at present and that measures should be taken in the meantime by means of another Bill to remedy the more serious defects in the Act. We have therefore altered the figure " 7 " to the figure " 5 " in clause 2 of the Bill.

Proposals have been placed before us to exclude from the extension of the Act the tenants of premises who sub-let the whole or part of their premises. This proposal has been ruled by the Chairman to be beyond the scope of the present Bill, so we cannot consider it.

The Member-in-charge of the Bill at the time of moving his motion for a reference to Select Committee proposed that the Select Committee do consider whether the extension of the Act should be limited in scope so as to apply only in respect of premises carrying a standard rent of not more than a fixed sum. This proposal has been considered by us and we are of opinion that the extension of the Act should not be made in respect of premises the standard rent of which exceeds one hundred and fifty rupees *per mensem*. A new proviso to sub-section (*4*) of section 1 of the Act has been added to give effect to this recommendation with a purely consequential amendment in the existing proviso.

There has been great difference of opinion as to whether, in view of the limitations on the extension of the Act, clause 3 of the Bill should stand. A proposal to delete clause 3 of the Bill has been rejected only by the casting vote of the Chairman, while we have rejected proposals to increase the percentage contained in that clause. We have therefore left clause 3 as it stood at the time of reference to Select Committee. A proposal that an increase in the landlord's profits should be effected by a change of dates, thus changing the existing basis of the standard rent, has been ruled by the Chairman to be beyond the scope of the Bill.

The Bill was published in English in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th January, 1924.

We do not consider that the Bill has been so altered as to require republication.

We recommend that the Bill, as amended by us, be passed.

A. K. FAZL-UL HUQ, *Chairman.*
G. S. DUTT.
T. EMERSON.
S. C. MUKHERJI.
CHARU CHANDRA DAS.
*K. C. ROY CHAUDHURI.
D. J. COHEN.
BIDHAN CHANDRA ROY.
SURENDRA NATH RAY.
TARAKNATH MUKERJEA.
†RAI HARENDRANATH CHAUDHURI.
N. C. SEN.
J. A. JONES.
*J. CAMPBELL FORRESTER.
‡H. W. B. MORENO.
SATYA KISHORE BANERJEE.
‡PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER.
TARIT BHUSAN ROY.

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* Signed subject to note of dissent appended.

† This member states that he signs the report, but may send in a note of dissent later.

‡ This member has signed subject to his note of dissent to follow later.

NOTE.—Messrs. H. S. Suhrawardy and A. C. Banerjee have not yet signed the report.

Note of dissent by Mr. K. C. Roy Chaudhuri.

I regret to have to disagree with the majority who favoured an extension for one year only instead of three years. The ground given by them, viz., that a fresh Bill will be forthcoming providing for drastic changes of the existing Act, specially on the question of sub-letting; does not carry any weight with me, because it is mere anticipation. In my opinion an extension for three years would act as a damper to the greedy spirit of a good many landlords, whose determined opposition to any form of rent control is well known.

Note of dissent by Mr. J. Campbell Forrester.

I sign the report, as I understand this is the correct procedure. I dissent entirely from its provisions as now drafted. It is iniquitous to bring in a Bill of this kind. It does not in any way deal with the anomalies of the existing Act, particularly sub-letting, and it gives the landlord a gratuitous 15 *per cent.* increase. Furthermore, the Act is only recommended for extension for one year. It makes distinction of class, as it is only to apply to rentals of Rs. 150 *per mensem*. There are many tenants paying rentals of Rs. 500 *per mensem* who find it more difficult to make ends meet than those paying a cheaper rental, because of the necessity of keeping up a respectable appearance suitable to their professions. It will be quite easy for landlords to evade the provisions of the Bill by surreptitiously arranging for the raising of the rent by a nominal figure. The courts will be crowded out with litigation. It would be better to extend the Act as it stands for one year and the matter of rent control gone into thoroughly next year.

THE CALCUTTA RENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1924

(as amended by the Select Committee).

(NOTE.—*All changes made by the Select Committee have, as far as possible, been underlined.*)

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further to amend the Calcutta Rent Act, 1920.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Calcutta Rent Act, 1920, in the manner hereinafter provided; Ben. Act III of 1920.

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General under sub-section (*3*) of section 80A of the Government of India Act, has been obtained to the passing of this Act; 5 & 6 Geo. V, c. 61; 6 & 7 Geo. V, c. 37; 9 & 10 Geo. V, c. 101.

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Calcutta Rent (Amendment) Act, 1924.

Amendment of section 1 of Ben. Act III of 1920.

2. (*1*) In sub-section (*4*) of section 1 of the Calcutta Rent Act, 1920 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act) as amended by the Calcutta Rent (Amendment) Act, 1923, for the figures " 1924 " the figures " 1925 " shall be substituted.

(*2*) In the same sub-section as so amended after the words " until the end of March, 1925," the following shall be inserted, namely :—

" Provided that after the 31st day of March, 1924, this Act shall cease to apply to any premises where—

(*i*) the monthly rent as fixed by the Controller under this Act on or before the 31st day of March, 1924, or,

(*ii*) if the rent has not been so fixed the monthly rent at which the premises were last let on or before that date, or,

(*iii*) in the case of any premises which are first let after the 31st day of March, 1924, the monthly rent at which they are so let

exceeds one hundred and fifty rupees."

(*3*) In the same sub-section as so amended after the word " Provided " where it appears for the second time the word " also " shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 2 of Ben. Act III of 1920.

3. In sub-clause (*i*) of clause (*f*) of section 2 of the said Act, for the words " ten *per cent.*" the words " fifteen *per cent.*" shall be substituted.

C. TINDALL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

during March 1924.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
March.	HOURS.		
1st, Saturday ...	15-15	Leave Sealdah ...	By special train.
	20 35	Arrive Santahar.	
	21-20	Leave Santahar ...	By special train.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
March.	HOURS.		
2nd, Sunday ...	7-36	Arrive Jainti.	
	8-5	Leave Jainti ...	By motor car.
	9-20	Arrive Tiamari Ghat.	
3rd, Monday to 8th, Saturday.	.....	Halt.	
9th, Sunday ...	18-0	Leave Tiamari Ghat	By motor car.
	19-15	Arrive Jainti.	
	21-0	Leave Jainti ...	By special train.
10th, Monday ...	7-36	Arrive Rangpur.	
11th, Tuesday ...	22-10	Leave Rangpur ...	By special train.
12th, Wednesday ...	7-10	Arrive Bogra.	
	17-50	Leave Bogra ...	By special train.
13th, Thursday ...	7-25	Arrive Siliguri.	
	8-30	Leave Siliguri ...	By motor car.
	12-30	Arrive Darjeeling.	
14th, Friday and 15th, Saturday.	.....	Halt.	
16th, Sunday ...	16-15	Leave Darjeeling ...	By motor car and from Ghoom by trolly.
	20-0	Arrive Siliguri.	
	21-0	Leave Siliguri ...	By mail train.
17th, Monday ...	4-55	Arrive Santahar.	
	5-45	Leave Santahar.	
	11-16	Arrive Sealdah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Countess of Lytton* (up to Darjeeling).
Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Private Secretary.
Major E. H. V. Hodge, I.M.S., Surgeon* (up to Darjeeling).
Major H. G. Benton, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain S. B. Horn, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.
Captain G. B. Fyldes, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.
Captain D. W. M. Prinsep, Aide-de-Camp* (up to Darjeeling).
Captain H. Bruce Johnstone, Aide-de-Camp* (up to Darjeeling).

(2) All letters and telegrams should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the name of any post town.*

(3) The arrivals at Rangpur and Bogra will be public; all other arrivals and departures will be private.

* Will not go to Rangpur and Bogra.

J. MACKENZIE, LIEUT.-COL.,
Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 27th February 1924.*

No. 658L., dated Calcutta, the 28th February, 1924.—It is hereby notified, in pursuance of rule 14 (*9*) of the rules for the election and nomination of members to the Bengal Legislative Council, that Babu Jogendra Nath Mitra has been declared under rule 14 (*7*) of the aforesaid rules to have been duly elected by the Jessore South (Non-Muhammadan) Constituency to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

C. TINDALL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal and
Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 1167A.R.—The 29th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules and with reference to notification No. 914A.R., dated the 8th February 1924, the Governor is pleased to appoint the following two persons as Commissioners to enquire into the petition presented by Maulvi Yaquinuddin Ahmed against the election of Maulvi Kader Bux to the Bengal Legislative Council for the Dinajpur Muhammadan constituency, namely :—

Dinajpur.

1. Rai Jadab Chandra Bhattacharji Bahadur, retired Subordinate Judge.
2. Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar, retired Subordinate Judge.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 3759A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3564A.—The 26th February 1924.*—Babu Surendra Mohan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Dacca Division.

Dacca Divn.

No. 3573A.—The 26th February 1924.—Maulvi Mirza Yahya Shirazi, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Presidency Division.

Presidency Divn.

No. 3584A.—The 27th February 1924.—Babu Apurba Ranjan Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, Naogaon, Rajshahi, is transferred to the Chittagong Division

Rajshahi. Chittagong Divn.

No. 3608A.—The 27th February 1924.—Mr. Lal Bihari Chatarji, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Dacca and Tippera, is appointed temporarily to act as District and Sessions Judge, Noakhali.

Dacca and Tippera. Noakhali.

No. 3624A.—The 28th February 1924.—Mr. Durga Prasad Ghosh, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as District and Sessions Judge, Rangpur.

24-Parganas. Rangpur.

No. 3641A.—The 28th February 1924.—Mr. H. C. Liddell, I.C.S., is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly, on relinquishing charge of his duties as a co-opted member of the Civil Justice Committee.

Hooghly.

No. 3658A.—The 29th February 1924.—Mr. Nalini Kanta Basu, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, is appointed temporarily to act as District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 3691A.—The 29th February 1924.—Babu Hari Charan Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Burdwan Division.

Burdwan Divn.

No. 3663A.—The 29th February 1924.—Mr. R. F. Lodge, I.C.S., officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Dacca.

No. 3665A.—The 29th February 1924.—Mr. Satindra Nath Guha, officiating Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Dacca.

No. 3667A.—The 29th February 1924.—Mr. Narendra Nath Lahiri, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Bakarganj, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 3684A.—The 29th February 1924.—Rai Sahib Amal Krishna Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

POLICE.—*No. 3672A.—The 29th February 1924.*—Mr. C. E. Ezechiel, Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Presidency Range, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. F. N. Warden, or until further orders.

No. 3687A.—The 29th February 1924.—The services of Mr. W. Cook, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), for employment in the Eastern Bengal Railway from the 1st March 1924.

Calcutta.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3587A.—The 27th February 1924.*—The Reverend E. J. Young, Additional Chaplain of St. James' Church, Calcutta, is appointed to be Chaplain of St. Peter's Church, Fort William, Calcutta, with effect from the 25th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

No. 3590A.—The 27th February 1924.—The Reverend P. E. Lee, Chaplain of St. Peter's Church, Fort William, Calcutta, is appointed to be Chaplain of St. Stephen's Church, Kidderpore, with effect from the 25th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3548A.—The 25th February 1924.*—Babu Ramani Ranjan Datta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Munshiganj, Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for four months (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and the note thereunder, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Dacca.

No. 3551A.—The 25th February 1924.—Babu Abani Kumar Sen, Deputy Magistrate, and Deputy Collector, on probation, is allowed leave on average pay for four months and ten days (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and note thereunder, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties in the Settlement Department.

No. 3599A.—The 27th February 1924.—Mr. A. G. R. Henderson, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for six months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 20th March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and leave on half average pay up to the Civil Court vacation of 1925, under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Midnapore.

No. 3605A.—The 27th February 1924.—Mr. Paresh Nath Ray Chaudhuri, District and Sessions Judge, Noakhali, is allowed leave for forty-eight days, viz., leave on average pay for one month and two days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st March 1924, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Noakhali.

No. 3622A.—The 28th February 1924.—Mr. Parada Kinkar Mukharji, District and Sessions Judge, Rangpur, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 5th March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Rangpur.

No 3699A.—The 29th February 1924.—Mr. R. W. A. Ashe, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is allowed leave on average pay for two months (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 12th January 1924.

Darjeeling.

No. 3707A.—The 29th February 1924.—Babu Prakriti Nath Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on average pay for four months (of which three months and twenty-one days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 7th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his duties in the Settlement Department.

POLICE.—*No. 3669A.—The 29th February 1924.*—Mr. F. N. Warden, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Presidency Range, is allowed leave for fifteen months and eight days, viz., leave on average pay for one month and eighteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st April 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Presidency Divn.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3760 A.

APPOINTMENT AND TRANSFER.

No. 3660A.—The 29th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Ali Asghar, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Asansol, in the district of Burdwan, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

Burdwan.

POWERS.

No. 3571A.—The 26th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Bijay Krishna Sen, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

Hooghly.

No. 3582A.—The 27th February 1924.—Babu Keshab Chandra Sen, munsif, Hatiya, Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Noakhali.

In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct Babu Keshab Chandra Sen to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 3595A.—The 27th February 1924.—Mr. L. B. Burrows, Deputy Magistrate, Chittagong, is vested with powers under sections 143 and 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. He is also vested, under section 407 (*2*) of the said Code, with power to hear appeals from the decisions of Magistrates of the second and third classes.

Chittagong.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1832J.—The 25th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Khan Sahib Maulvi Muazzam Ali Khan the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Pabna, for a period of three years from the 2nd March 1924, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Serajganj subdivision of the said district, **Pabna.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Shazadpur bench, in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1834J.—The 25th February 1924.—Khan Sahib Maulvi Muazzam Ali Khan, Honorary Magistrate of the Shazadpur bench, Pabna, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. **Pabna.**

No. 1836J.—The 25th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Khan Sahib Maulvi Muazzam Ali Khan, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Pabna, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section. **Pabna.**

No. 1848J.—The 25th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Krishna Das Banarji, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sealdah bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and **24-Parganas.**

(*b*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1850J.—The 26th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Panchanan Mitra, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sealdah bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and **24-Parganas.**

(*b*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1852J.—The 26th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Probhat Chandra Sen, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sealdah bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and **24-Parganas.**

(*b*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1854J.—The 26th February 1924.—In exercise of powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Promode Krishna Deb, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sealdah bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1867J.—The 4th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen named below the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Naihati bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language :—

1. Babu Jogendra Nath Banarji.
2. „ Panchkari Mitra.

No. 1869J.—The 3rd March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Purna Chandra Ray the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Bogra, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and

Bogra.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 1921J.—The 28th February 1924.—Babu Trajendra Kumar Pal, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a munsif in the district of Pabna and Bogra, to be ordinarily stationed at Bogra, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Prafulla Krishna Ghosh, or until further orders.

Pabna and Bogra.

LEAVE.

No. 1872J.—The 13th February 1923.—Babu Surendra Nath Palit, munsif of Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, is allowed leave for thirteen days, viz., leave on average pay for two days under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules, with effect from the 11th February 1924.

Khulna.

No. 1873J.—The 13th February 1924.—In supersession of the orders of the 28th June 1923, Babu Surendra Nath Palit, munsif of Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, is allowed leave for twenty days, viz., leave on average pay for six days (of which two days on account of privilege leave on full pay) under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules, with effect from the 25th June 1923.

Khulna.

No. 1874J.—The 16th February 1924.—Babu Nani Gopal Mukharji, No. II, munsif of Malda, in the district of Rajshahi and Malda, is allowed leave on half average pay for thirteen days, under rule 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 11th February 1924.

Rajshahi.

No. 2152J.—The 21st February 1924.—Babu Praphulla Krishna Ghosh, munsif of Bogra, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is allowed privilege leave on half average pay for twenty-seven days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd March 1924.

Pabna and Bogra.

Rangpur. *No. 2153J.—The 22nd February 1924.*—In modification of the orders of the 4th December 1923, Babu Dwarka Nath De, munsif of Rangpur, is allowed leave for thirteen days with effect from the 12th November 1923, viz., leave on average pay for seven days (including two days on account of privilege leave on full pay at his credit) under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules, with permission to prefix thereto the civil court vacation of 1923 under rule 82 (*d*) of the same rules.

Birbhum. *No. 2154J.—The 25th February 1924.*—Babu Narendrakumar Mukharji, munsif of Bolpur, in the district of Birbhum, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on rule 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for two months, under the proviso to rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 29th November 1923.

H. P. DUVAL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas. *No. 776M.—The 26th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend to the Barasat Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas all the provisions of the said Act except sub-section (*1*) of section 6.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas. *No. 777M.—The 26th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 84 of the Calcutta Hackney carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the Commissioners of the Barasat Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas to exercise and perform in the said municipality the same powers and duties as are conferred or imposed by the said Act on the Corporation of Calcutta and the Commissioner of Police, respectively.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas. *No. 778M.—The 26th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 71 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make for the Barasat Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas the by-laws which were published for information with notification No. 3048M., dated the 15th September 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Malda. *No. 780M.—The 26th February 1924.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Nawabganj Municipality in the district of Malda :—

Babu Ramesh Chandra Bagchi.

„ Srish Chandra Maulik.

Maulvi Muhammad Taher Uddin.

Mir Sikander Ali.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 828 M.—The 1st March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Narainganj Municipality, in the district of Dacca, under section 27 of that Act, electing Mr. P M. Morrison to be Chairman of that Municipality, *vice* Mr. J. A. deLisle, on leave.

Dacca.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 4617, dated Calcutta, the 23rd February 1924.—The following two Sub-Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the selection grade on Rs. 200 per month, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

1.	Jatindra Nath Ghosal	...	... 23rd October 1923.
2.	Harendra Nath Mitra	...	... 16th January 1924.

No. 4688-1S-18-24, dated Calcutta, the 26th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Satish Chandra Das, Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, is granted leave on average pay for six months (on medical certificate), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 28th January 1924.

No. 4684-1B-18-24, dated Calcutta, the 26th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Bidyananda Datta is granted leave on average pay from the 26th to 29th October 1923, and again from the 21st to 26th November 1923, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

No. 4765-1H-16-24, dated Calcutta, the 26th February 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Hemendra Nath Chatarji, on leave, is directed to do supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, until further orders.

No. 4717, dated Calcutta, the 26th February 1924.—This department notification No. 4003, dated the 19th February 1924, appointing Assistant Surgeon Abdul Majed as Emergency Officer, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, is cancelled.

B. H. DEARE,

Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 650Edn.—The 19th February 1924.—Maulvi Sabkatuddin Ahmed, District Inspector of Schools, Rangpur, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate for three months with effect from the 2nd February 1924 under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Rangpur.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 651Edn.—The 19th February 1924. Maulvi Gholam Rabbani Ahmed, Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Kurigram, Rangpur, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as District Inspector of Schools, Rangpur, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Maulvi Subkatuddin Ahmed, on leave, or until further orders.

Rangpur.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 704Edn.—The 29th February 1924.—Babu Adwaita Charan Rakshit, head master, Rangamati Government High School, in the Bengal Educational Service, is appointed to be head master, Noakhali R. K. Zilla School, with effect from the 3rd March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Chandra Kanta Ghosh, about to retire

Rangamati. Noakhali.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 705Edn.—The 29th February 1924.—Babu Brahma Kishore Mukharji, assistant head master, Hindu School, Calcutta, now officiating in the Bengal Educational Service as head master, Howrah Zilla School, is appointed substantively to the Bengal Educational Service, with effect from the 3rd March 1924, *vice* Babu Chandra Kanta Ghosh and appointed as head master, Rangamati Zilla School, *vice* Babu Adwaita Charan Rakshit, but will continue to act as head master, Howrah Zilla School, until further orders.

Howrah.
Rangamati.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 706Edn.—The 29th February 1924.—Babu Amrita Lal Laskar, assistant head master, Hooghly Training School, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as head master, Rangamati High School, with effect from the 3rd March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Brahma Kishore Mukharji, on deputation, or until further orders.

Hooghly.
Rangamati.

Appointment by the Chancellor.

No. 709Edn.—The 28th February 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub-section (*1*), clause (*c*), and section 10 of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), as amended by the Calcutta University Act, 1921 (VII of 1921), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to re-nominate the Hon'ble Mr. Justice G. C. Rankin, M A., to be an Ordinary Fellow of the Calcutta University, with effect from the 4th March 1924.

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 683Edn.—The 26th February 1924.—Miss E. Davies, Principal, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st April 1924, or any subsequent date on which she may avail herself of it.

Darjeeling.

E. F. OATEN,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No 398Mis.—The 26th February 1924.—In pursuance of sub-section (*1*) of section 7 of the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (XVI of 1908), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to establish, as a temporary measure for two months from the 1st March 1924, an office at Paikerdanga, in the registration sub-district of Gopalganj, in the district of Faridpur, to be styled the office of the Joint Sub-Registrar of Gopalganj having concurrent jurisdiction with the Sub-Registry office at that place.

Faridpur.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 422Mis.—The 28th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Qamarazzaman temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Chinsura, Polba, Balagarh and Magra, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 423Mis.—The 28th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Qamarazzaman temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Chinsura, Polba, Balagarh and Magra, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Fazl-ul-Huq, M.A., B.L.

No. 435Mis.—The 29th February 1924.—Babu Nilratan Mukharji, Sadar Joint Sub-Registrar, Barisal, was appointed to act temporarily as Sub-Registrar in charge of the Sadar Registration office at Barisal, in addition to his own duties, from the 29th September 1923 to the 13th October 1923.

Barisal.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Huq, M.A., B.L.

No. 439Mis.—The 1st March 1924.—It is notified for general information that the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to sanction the further retention for one year, with effect from the 1st March 1924, of the office of the second Joint Sub-Registrar of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, the further retention of which up to 29th February 1923 was sanctioned by notification No. 402 Regr., dated the 22nd February 1923.

Tippera.

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 100.—The 27th February 1924.—Babu Khitindra Nath Mukherji, probationer of Nadia, officiating at Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, with effect from the 2nd January 1924, under rule framed by the Local Government on rule 104 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Nadia.
Rangpur.

No. 101.—The 28th February 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Muzzaffarullah, probationary Sub-Registrar, attached to Calcutta, is appointed to act until further orders as Sub-Registrar of Jhargram, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 31st January 1924, during the absence, on military training, of Babu Birendra Krishna Basu.

Calcutta.
Midnapore.

No. 102.—The 28th February 1924.—Maulvi Salamatullah, probationary Sub-Registrar, attached to Noakhali, is appointed to act until further orders as Sub-Registrar of Trisal, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the afternoon of the 1st February 1924, during the absence, on military training, of Babu John Ballav Chaudhuri.

Noakhali.
Mymensingh.

No. 103.—The 28th February 1924.—Babu Binode Bihari Datta, Sub-Registrar of Hathazari, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and fifteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 594, dated the 22nd December 1923.

Chittagong.

No. 104.—The 28th February 1924.—Babu Upendra Lal Deb, Sub-Registrar, under orders of transfer to Fulgazi, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 50, dated the 28th January 1924.

Noakhali.

No. 105.—The 28th February 1924.—Maulvi Ansaruddin, Sub-Registrar of Phulbaria, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave on average pay for two months (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 34, dated the 22nd January 1924.

Mymensingh.

J. N. RAY,

Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal (offg.).

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No 1524Com.—The 27th February 1924.—Whereas certain land was acquired by Government, under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz., for such portion of the extension of the Sripore siding, off the Toposi Baraboni Chord, East Indian Railway, as lies between chainage 0·30 and chainage 34·70 and as is edged with pink on the plan L. A. M. A. No. 473, and whereas coal mines at West Jamuria Colliery, are situate under the said land, and whereas the West Jamuria Coal Co., Ltd., have given notice to Government, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seam known as the Sibpur seam and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by Government for the purpose under section 5 (*1*) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said West Jamuria Coal Co., Ltd., have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (*2*), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said West Jamuria Coal Co., Ltd., in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz. :—

(1) No gallery shall be driven nor shall any coal be extracted where the distance from the natural surface of the ground or the bottom of an artificial cutting to the top of the excavation, if made, is less than 50 feet.

(2) Where the distance from the natural surface of the ground or the bottom of an artificial cutting to the top of the excavation, if made, is 50 feet or more, galleries, not exceeding 12 feet in width by 18 feet in height, may be driven at distances apart not less than 90 feet, centre to centre, forming pillars, not less than 78 feet square, to be left unworked: Provided that main haulaget roads may be not more than 14 feet in width.

(3) Manholes, not exceeding six feet in height by three feet in width by four fee in depth, may be made where required by any rules made under the Indian Mines Act, 1901.

(4) Any inrush of water, quicksand or soft material shall be reported to the Chief Inspector of Mines without delay.

(5) These restrictions apply to the Sibpur seam only at West Jamuria Colliery and to the area edged with pink on the plan, and Messrs. West Jamuria Coal Co., Ltd., shall give notice under section IV of the Land Acquisition (Mines) Act, 1885, of their intention to work any other seam under such area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land and that in all the above cases except to comply with the above conditions no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L. A. M. A. No. 473 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1550Com.—The 1st March 1924.—The following draft of amendments, which, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council and in exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), the Governor in Council intends to make in the rules for regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum, published under the Government of Bengal, Marine Department, notification No. 143Marine, dated the 30th November 1914, and subsequently amended, is published, as required by sub-section (*1*) of section 24 of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft amendments will be taken into consideration on or after the 22nd April 1924 and any objections or suggestions with regard thereto received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft amendments.

In rules 3, 4 and 5 of Chapter II of Part II of the said rules after the words "and its products" *insert* the words "or coal."

A. MARR,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 29Marine.—The 27th February 1924.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 6 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. William C. Currie of the firm of Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., has been elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to be a Commissioner for the Port of Calcutta, in place of Mr. J. W. A. Bell, resigned.

No. 30Marine.—The 27th February 1924.—It is hereby notified in pursuance of section 19 of the Chittagong Port Act, 1914 (Act V of 1914), that Mr. A. B. Slater has been elected in accordance with the provision of section 8 of the said Act, by the Chittagong Chamber of Commerce, to be a Commissioner for the Port of Chittagong, *vice* Mr. H. W. Fox, resigned.

2. The resignation tendered by Mr. Fox has been accepted under section 11 (*3*) of the said Act.

No. 31Marine.—The 28th February 1924.—Mr. A. J. R. Coachafer, Branch Pilot, is granted leave on average pay for fourteen days (of which four days are on account of privilege leave at his credit) under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 5th February 1924.

A. MARR,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 7.—The 29th February 1924.—Mr. G. A. Easson, Superintending Engineer, Presidency Circle, is granted leave on average pay for six months (of which twenty-four days are on account of privilege leave) under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, and leave on half average pay for two months under article 81 (*d*) of those rules, with effect from 1st May 1924 or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 8.—The 29th February 1924.—Babu Madhu Sudan Sen Gupta, Executive Engineer, is appointed to officiate as Superintending Engineer, Presidency Circle, *vice* Mr. G. A Easson proceeding on leave and until further orders.

G. G. DEY,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Fifth publication.]

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 81.—The 28th January 1924.—The following draft of revised rules and rates of tolls for the Calcutta and Eastern Canals, Tolly's Nala and Sundarbans Steamer Route, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Revised Rules and Rates of Tolls.

The rules shall apply to the following navigable channels which are included under the designation "Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala" and the "Sundarbans Steamer Route."

I. The Circular Canal comprising the still-water canals between the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks and the New Cut Canal from Ultadingi to Dhapa Lock, together with its junction with the river Hooghly and Orange Soorah at Dhapa.

II. The Central Lake Channel from its junction with the Circular canal at the Dhapa Lock to its junction with the Bidyadhari at Bamunghatta.

III. The Nowbhanga khal extending northwards for a mile from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock.

IV. The Soorah from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock and extending to the fish market situated adjacent to, and to the west of, the Dhapa Inspector's residence.

V. Tolly's Nala extending from a line drawn across the Nala 25 feet west of the Hastings Bridge at Kidderpore to the Bidyadhari river at Samukpota.

VI. The Kristopore Canal extending from a point in the New Cut Canal, 1 mile 4,700 feet from the Chitpore Lock to a point where it joins the Bhangore khal at Kantatala.

VII. The outfall channel of the Thakurdhari sluice, 4,180 feet in length, extending from a point in village Thakurdhari near the 5th mile-post of the Kristopore Canal to the Thakurdhari sluice on the Paran Chaprasi's khal.

VIII. The Sundarbans Steamer Route as defined in notification No. 71 of the 22nd July 1922.

1. Every vessel on entering the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala shall be liable to measurement for the purpose of ascertaining the tolls payable ; in case of any reasonable doubt arising, the persons appointed by the Governor in Council to collect tolls and officers to whom such persons are subordinate shall have authority to enter upon and again measure a vessel notwithstanding that it was measured on entering the canals.

2. Vessels for the purposes of the determination of tonnage shall be divided into two classes as below :—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build, including *saltees* and *hapars* (fish cages).

Class II.—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and other square built vessels.

The net tonnage of every vessel, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of Act V (B.C.) of 1864 and of these rules, be determined by the following measurements :—

Class I.—

A.—The product of one quarter the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches : the measurement of breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting any remainder of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which the amount of toll is calculated shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 12½ maunds, any remainder of less than 12 maunds being rejected. In the case of vessels exceeding 500 maunds by measurement, the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 50 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 50 maunds.

D.—**Saltees.**—The product of one quarter of the inside length of the vessel measured along the centre line from stem to stern, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the greatest depth measured from the top to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which tolls shall be levied.

Class II.—

For vessels of class II the number of maunds obtained by the system of measurement prescribed for vessels of class I, shall be increased by one-half. For vessels of this class above 5,000 maunds measurement the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 500 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 500 maunds. In the case of steamers, the maundage determined as above shall be reduced by one-third as an allowance for engine space.

For vessels of class II which are furnished with reliable way-bills, the gross maundage of cargo shown by the way-bills, or in the case of steamers, the maundage obtained from multiplying the registered tonnage of the steamer by 27, may, at the option of the employer of the vessel or the steamer (as the case may be), be taken as the maundage on which toll will be charged :

Provided that firms or individuals, who wish to make use of this rule, must be approved by the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle, and that such approval may be withdrawn for any just cause.

3. Every vessel entering the canals shall be furnished with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the cargo it contains, the amount of toll charged, and the number of days for which the ticket remains current, shall be entered.

4. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed : Provided that the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle may at his direction permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognised standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

5. The ticket must be kept on board the vessel and must be produced for inspection when demanded by any person authorised to collect tolls, or by any officer to whom such person is subordinate. If on demand the ticket is not produced, such person or officer shall assess the tollage as provided in rule 2 and shall require payment of toll, and unless and until the toll is paid, or the original ticket or a duplicate is produced as evidence that toll has already been paid, the vessel shall be liable to seizure and detention under the provisions of section IX of the Act.

6. Duplicates of lost tickets, of which the numbers and dates can be satisfactorily established, will be granted by the collector of tolls on payment of a sum of one rupee and annas eight. Provided that for tickets on which the total tollage is less than six rupees the fee to be charged for a duplicate shall be one quarter of the total tollage. The minimum fee will be eight annas per ticket.

7. A vessel which has been detained under these rules or under section IX of the Act may not be removed from the canals without the order of the collector of tolls until the toll due has been paid and a ticket obtained for presentation at the exit station. During such detention the manjee, owner or agent must make arrangements for the safety of the vessel and cargo.

8. All vessels, whether the property of Government or of private owners, are liable for toll except those specially exempted under any Government orders in force for the time being.

9. Vessels may be hauled up for repairs on the banks of the canals with the previous written permission of the supervisor appointed by the Governor in Council under section XIII. A rent calculated at one-sixth the rate of ordinary demurrage will be charged for the time the vessel occupies the bank. No vessel may be launched in the canal without the previous written permission of the supervisor.

10. At places where mooring posts have been provided by the supervisor, vessels desiring to moor shall be made fast in single line along the banks to such posts in such manner as the supervisor may direct and shall not be moored in any other manner.

11. The Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle, may fix the limit within which vessels are permitted to remain free of toll, and may also define the limits within which no loading or unloading shall be permitted.

12. No vessel whose extreme breadth including overhanging cargo exceeds 35 feet will be permitted to enter the locks at Chitpore or Dhapa : in the case of the Kulti and Bamunghatta Locks the maximum width allowable is 29 feet.

13. The supervisor may, by written notices to be posted at the toll offices, prohibit the dropping of anchors or the putting up of bamboos or *luggees* in any specified part of the canals or on the banks.

14. Vessels shall be allowed to make fast in single line along the canal banks in such manner as may be directed by the supervisor, and no vessel shall be made fast or be placed outside of vessels so secured. No vessel or raft shall be placed in such a position as to endanger the safety, or obstruct the passage, of other vessels. Every vessel shall at all times have some responsible person on board when the vessel is within the locked canals between toll stations or on Tolly's Nala.

15. Vessels passing through the canals shall keep in separate lines, in accordance with the rules in force as laid down by the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle from time to time.

16. No person shall deposit goods of any description on the berms of the canals between the frontage roads or towpaths and the canals, except during the actual process of loading or unloading vessels, without the previous permission of the supervisor.

17. Iron built cargo boats, with outside angle irons projecting beyond the wooden fenders, will not be allowed to enter the locks unless permanent fenders are fixed over the edges of the angle irons so as to prevent them from causing damage to the lock.

18. No fire or open or unprotected light of any description shall be used on vessels containing petroleum, jute, hay or straw while in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala; and no fire or open or unprotected light (except in the case of steamers, the galley and engine-room fires and the electric light) shall be used on any vessel while in a lock basin.

19. No person shall wilfully or negligently allow a vessel to sink in the canals. No vessel which is obviously overloaded or unseaworthy will be permitted to proceed along any part of the canals until made safe to the satisfaction of the supervisor or his staff.

20. In every case of a sunken vessel, whether due to negligence or otherwise, the supervisor and his subordinates shall offer every assistance in removing the same.

If three days after the occurrence of a wreck, it is seen that prompt measures are not being taken by the owner to remove the sunken vessel from the line of navigation, the supervisor and his subordinates shall make their own arrangements for the removal of the same at the expense of the owner, provided that when the wreck obstructs the fairway they shall take immediate steps to remove the same.

21. When a sunken vessel has been recovered, the supervisor shall cause notices to be posted at the locks, toll-offices, or other prominent places, calling on those concerned to pay to the collector of tolls all toll or demurrage which may be due, as well as the expenses incurred in the recovery of the vessel and cargo; should the sum due be not paid within fifteen days of the date of notice, the boat and its furniture, or so much of it as may be necessary for the recovery of the dues, will be sold under the procedure directed in section IX of the Act.

22. The purchaser of a vessel sold under the provisions of section IX of the Act shall have the right to take it out of the canals on the day of purchase, or within such time as may be allowed by the collector of tolls, without payment of tolls.

23. When any laden vessel which has sunk has been recovered or when, any laden vessel has been seized under the provisions of the Act, or of these rules, the supervisor shall give immediate notice of the recovery or seizure to the owner of the cargo or his agent, requiring the removal of the cargo without delay, and informing him that he will be required to pay all expenses necessary for the proper custody and storage of the cargo until removed.

24. If the supervisor be unable to ascertain the name and place of business or the abode of the owner of the cargo of such vessel, the notice prescribed in rule 23 shall be effected by a notice exhibited in his office, and by advertisement in at least one English and one vernacular Calcutta newspaper.

25. Steamers are not allowed to tow flats or cargo boats in the Circular Canal, but may tow one flat or barge at a time astern in the New Cut Canal or Kristopore Canal within toll limits.

26. **Lights and signals.**—All vessels, whether travelling or moored in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala, must, between sunset and sunrise, carry a white light properly protected from the weather on the forepart of the vessel where it can be distinctly seen from all sides. All steam vessels in motion shall carry the lights prescribed by the Board of Trade Regulations. Barges or boats attached to a steam vessel, whether in motion or moored, shall carry the light prescribed above.

27. **Speed of vessels.**—Every vessel proceeding through the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala must, between sunset and sunrise, limit her speed to three miles per hour.

28. For any contravention of rules 7, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 25, 26 and 27 the person in charge of the vessel or other person in fault shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 or Rs. 5 a day for any continuing infringement.

29. No boats will be allowed to remain in the entrance channels to the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks.

30. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained.

SCHEDULE OF TOLLS.

Tolly's Nala.

No	Description of vessels.	Entering at Kidderpore.		Entering at Russa.	
		Not proceeding beyond Russa and returning *via* Kidderpore.	Proceeding beyond Russa.	Not proceeding beyond Kidderpore and returning *via* Russa.	Proceeding beyond Kidderpore.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
2	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber.	0 4 0	0 6 0	0 4 0	0 6 0
3	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
4	On rafts of bamboos for each hundred or portion of each hundred.	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
5	On *saltees* under 25 maunds, each *saltee* ...	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0
6	On *saltees* of 25 maunds and less than 50 maunds, each *saltee*.	0 12 0	1 0 0	0 12 0	1 0 0
7	On *saltees* of 50 maunds and less than 75 maunds, each *saltee*.	1 2 0	1 8 0	1 2 0	1 8 0
8	On *saltees* of 75 maunds and not exceeding 100 maunds, each *saltee*.	1 8 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	2 0 0
9	Minimum toll on all vessels	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0

NOTE 1.—Loaded vessels entering the Nala and again leaving by the station of entry will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement and when leaving will again pay tolls in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty they will be passed out free of any further charge. A boat returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the Nala.

NOTE 2.—Empty vessels entering "to load" and again leaving by the station of entry will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion, and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 3.—Through vessels entering at Kidderpore and leaving at Russa or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 4.—The tollage rates for items 2, 3 and 4 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 5.—The tollage charged for items 5, 6, 7 and 8 includes the return journey; *saltees* over 100 maunds will pay the tolls prescribed under item 1.

Calcutta Canals.

No.	Description of vessels.	Entering at Chitpore.		Entering from the east at Kristopore or Dhapa and leaving at either Chitpore, Dhapa or Kristopore.
		Not proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.	Proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels except those loaded with fire-wood per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 12 0	2 12 0
2	On all boats, steamers or other vessels laden with fire-wood per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0
3	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber ...	0 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
4	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber ...	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
5	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred.	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
6	Minimum toll on all vessels	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0

NOTE 6.—Loaded vessels entering the canal at Chitpore and again leaving *via* Chitpore will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement, and when leaving will again pay toll in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty, they will be passed out free of any further charge. A vessel returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the canal.

NOTE 7.—Empty vessels entering at Chitpore "to load" and again leaving *via* Chitpore will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 8.—Through vessels entering at Chitpore and leaving at Dhapa or Kristopore or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving, according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry: if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 9.—The tollage rates for items 3, 4 and 5 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 10.—Vessels entering at Dhapa and Kristopore will be passed out free at the station of entry, provided the maundage does not exceed that when entering; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 11.—(1) Monthly tickets are, at the option of the payers, issued to boats carrying passengers, grass or perishable articles going to the Orphangunj Bazar or proceeding outside the Dhapa Lock. The cost of these tickets is at six times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the supervisor's office, and at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the toll stations at Dhapa or Kidderpore.

(2) Monthly tickets at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated under item 1 of the Schedule for entering the canals from the eastward will be issued to boats carrying passengers, vegetables and perishable goods for plying within the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals. These tickets will not entitle the boats to pass through the Dhapa or Chitpore Lock, but they will be allowed to pass the Kristopore toll-station.

NOTE 12.—*Demurrage.*—Every vessel, raft or float, which has paid toll, shall be allowed three days for passing through the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals and two days for Tolly's Nala between Russa and Kidderpore, and three days for the reach outside Dhapa Lock, the days of entering and leaving being both included. In addition to these periods, they may, without further payment, remain in the canals for the additional undermentioned periods, that is to say—

Vessels—Two days for the first hundred maunds and one day for every hundred maunds above the first hundred maunds.

Floats.—Two days for any number of timbers not exceeding fifty, and one day for every additional fifty.

Rafts.—Two days for any number of bamboos not exceeding five hundred and one day for every additional five hundred.

Every vessel, raft or float remaining in any part of the aforesaid canals longer than the period allowed under the foregoing rules shall, for each day in excess of such period, be charged demurrage equal to one-half of the toll payable under the schedules above, provided that the demurrage charged shall in no case exceed Rs. 7-8 per diem.

(Open *dinghies* accompanying large boats are entitled to the same demurrage allowance of time as the parent boats.)

NOTE 13.—Steamers or flats passing through the Lower Sundarbans channels must pay tolls at the rate of Rs. 20 each per single trip.

NOTE 14.—*Additional toll.*—All boats, steamers and flats, after passing out of the Dhapa Lock must proceed outside the toll limit at Bamunghatta within 48 hours; otherwise a fresh toll will be levied in accordance with the rules in force.

NOTE 15.—(1) During the period of closure of Tolly's Nala at Samukpotta, vessels laden with firewood will be permitted to proceed from the Bidyadhari or Bhangore khal to Tolly's Nala and back through the Circular, New Cut and Kiderpore Canals *viâ* Kidderpore on payment of three rupees per hundred maunds by canal measurement. Vessels plying under this concession will not be permitted to unload their cargo except in Tolly's Nala and must return empty. Infringement of this rule will render such vessels liable to the ordinary tollage in force.

(2) Vessels laden with cargo other than firewood will be allowed a similar concession for journeys mentioned in the foregoing rule on payment of Rs. 2-12 per hundred maunds. On the return voyage only they may load in the Hooghly or any of the canals including Tolly's Nala and will pay in accordance with the following schedule :—

(*a*) If vessels accomplish the return trip empty, no further toll will be levied.

(*b*) If vessels leave Tolly's Nala with a load not exceeding that on entry and proceed out at Dhapa or Kristopore without taking in extra cargo on the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals, no further toll will be levied.

(*c*) Vessels leaving Tolly's Nala with a load exceeding that on entry will be charged for the additional cargo at Rs. 4 per hundred maunds.

(*d*) Vessels picking up cargo in the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals will pay the ordinary schedule tolls on all cargo thus loaded.

NOTE 16.—Tolls will be levied at the toll offices at Russa and Kidderpore on Tolly's Nala and at Chitpore, Kristopore, Dhapa and Bantolla on the Circular Canals.

[Fifth publication.]

No. 91.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix for the inner main channel, branch channels and outlets, viz., the Gouri khal, Kedar khal, and Matler khal and for the outfall channel on the river side of the Sarenga sluice of the Burrojolla drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessel along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying toll.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls —

(*a*) For the inner channel—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

		A.	P.
Per trip either way ..	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage ...	12	0
	For each 12½ maunds ...	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

		A.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage ...	4	0
	For each 12½ maunds ...	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Sarenga near the sluice.
(2) Ghoraghata at the junction of an old side khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(3) Dhulagori at the junction of Matler khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(4) Kushadanga at the junction of Gouri khal outlet with the branch channels leading to the bridge at Joyrampur.

[Fifth publication.]

No. 101.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix, for the inner channels, as well as the outfall channel on the river side of the Nazirganj sluice, in the Howrah drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessels along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying tolls.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls—

(*a*) For the inner channels—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

		As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage	12	0
	For each 12½ maunds	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

		As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage	4	0
	For each 12½ maunds	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Panchpara (Nazirganj).
(2) Chamrali.
(3) Tentulkuli.
(4) Unshani.

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.)

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES.

NOTIFICATIONS.

INDUSTRIES.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1063Ind.—The 1st March 1924.—Major W. W. Winlaw, M.I.E. (Ind.), of the Ordnance Factories, is appointed to be a member of the Board of Control for Apprenticeship Training constituted under this department resolution No. 30T.-Ind., dated the 10th June 1921, as amended by resolution No. 638Ind., dated the 11th February 1922, *vice* Colonel G. C. Sturrock.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

VETERINARY.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 915Vety.—The 27th February 1924.—Mr. P. J. Kerr, M.R.C.V.S., Director, Civil Veterinary Department and Veterinary Adviser to the Government of Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months (of which one month and three days are on account of privilege leave on full pay at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the afternoon of the 23rd February 1924.

This cancels notification No. 449, dated the 30th January 1924.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 916Vety.—The 27th February 1924.—Mr. A. D. Macgregor, M.R.C.V.S., Principal, Bengal Veterinary College, is appointed to act as Veterinary Adviser to the Government of Bengal, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. P. J. Kerr, or until further orders.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

CO-OPERATIVE.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 911Co-op.—The 27th February 1924.—Maulvi Abu Muhammad Arshad Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as Inspector of Co-operative Societies, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 22nd February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he availed himself of it.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

EXCISE.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 866Ex.—The 26th February 1924.—Babu Jagadish Chandra Bose, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, Dacca, is appointed temporarily to be an Inspector of Excise and Salt, and is posted to Calcutta.

Dacca. Calcutta.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2021L.R.—The 28th February 1924.—Mr. J. B. Kindersley, I.C.S., employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Pabna and Bogra, is allowed leave on average pay, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, for eight months (of which two months and seven days on account of privilege leave at his credit), with effect from the 1st April 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Pabna and Bogra.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2028L.A.—The 28th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Rangpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the new road through Panatitari section of the town in the village of Radhaballav, pargana Manthana, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·606 of an acre, bounded on the—

Rangpur.

North—By the land of S. C. Roy, M.L., new road drain, land of Chandi Charan Roy Chowdhury, Panatitari road, Jalad Mistri's house, Abdul Rahman Muktear's house and land of Mowla Bux Mia,
East—By Mulatola road,
South—By the lands of S. C. Roy, Bharat Chandra Dutta Gupta and Mukunda Lal Roy,
West—By S. C. Roy's land,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Radhaballav.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Rangpur.

Bakarganj.

No. 2034L.A.—The 28th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Barisal Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for widening and extending Kaunia branch road in the village of Amanatganj, pargana Chandradwip, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 0·09 of an acre, bounded on the—

BLOCK A :

North—By settlement plot No. 896,
East—By remaining portions of settlement plots Nos. 690-694,
South—By settlement plot No. 941,
West—By settlement plot No. 900 (road),

BLOCK B :

North—By settlement plot No. 890,
East—By settlement plot No. 900 (road),
South—By settlement plot No. 899,
West—By remaining portions of settlement plots Nos. 898 and 895,

BLOCK C :

North—By settlement plot No. 855,
East—By remaining portion of plot No. 858,
South—By settlement plot No. 896,
West—By settlement plot No. 900 (road),

are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Amanatganj.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Bakarganj.

Chittagong.

No. 2037L.A.—The 28th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for excavation of a tank to be reserved for drinking water in the villages of Paikpara and Patiya, thana Patiya, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·81 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 4092 and 4095 of mauza Patiya,
East—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 193 and 194 of mauza Paikpara,
South—By cadastral survey plot No. 213,
West—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 212 and 198 of mauza Paikpara,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Patiya and Paikpara.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Chittagong.

No. 2040L.A.—The 28th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of Bhagyakul union board for a public purpose, viz., for a Primary School in the village of Kamargaon, pargana Narullapur, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·38 of an acre, bounded on the—

Dacca.

North—By the cadastral survey plot No. 1313,
East—By the cadastral survey plot No. 1493,
South—By the cadastral survey plot No. 1367,
West—By the cadastral survey plots Nos. 1363 and 1313,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Kamargaon.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

No. 2054L.A.—The 29th February 1924.—Babu Niranjan Ray, M.B.E., Sadar Subdivisional Officer in the district of Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Khulna.

No. 2060L.A.—The 29th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for widening Sahazada Miah's lane in the town of Dacca in the mahalla of Sachipandaripa, pargana Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose six pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, ·0444 of an acre, bounded on the—

Dacca.

BLOCK I :

North and East—By the remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 74,
South and West—By the Sahazada Miah's lane,

BLOCK II :

North and East—By the Sahazada Miah's lane,
South and West—By the remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 219,

BLOCK III :

North—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 222, 231 and 232,
East—By the Municipal drain,
South—By the Sahazada Miah's lane,
West—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 222, 224, 230, 231 and 232,

BLOCK IV :

North and West—By the Sahazada Miah's lane,
East—By the Municipal acquired land and remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 270,
South—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 271 and 270,

BLOCK V :

North—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 233, 234, 235 and 240,
East and South—By the Sahazada Miah's lane and Municipal drain,
West—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 233, 234, 235, 240, 239, 241, 244, 245 and 246,

BLOCK VI :

North and West—By the Sahazada Miah's lane,
South and East—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plot No. 267,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid mahalla of Sachipandaripa.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with

their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

Tippera.

No. 2068L.A.—The 29th February 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Tippera for a public purpose, viz., for excavation of a tank, in the village of Nij Mehar, pargana Mehar, zilla Tippera, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 11 cottahs and 15 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·85 acres, bounded on the—

North—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 670, 671, 672 and 673,
East—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 670, 858, 3058 and 819,
South—By cadastral survey plot No. 810 and part of plot No. 811,
West—By cadastral survey plot No. 781, parts of plots Nos. 815, 813 and 811,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Nij Mehar.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Tippera.

Burdwan.

No. 2096L.A.—The 3rd March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for second down line from Barakar to Asansol, in the villages of Kumarpur, Gopalpur, Chalbalpur and Dedi, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose four pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 15 cottahs and 9 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·91 acres, bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North—By the lands of Hembarani Debi, Ganesh Majhi, Ramesh Chandra Bhattacherji, Kartic Majhi, Bagan Majhi and Hari Das Mukerji,
East, South and West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,

PLOT B.

North—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,
East and West—By the lands of Panu Garai, Laku Garai and Sufal Garai,
South—By the land of Panu Garai,

PLOT C.

North—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,
East—By the lands of Sibu Garai, Mohan Garai and Babulal Garai,
South—By the land of Sibu Garai,
West—By the local board road to Chalbalpur,

PLOT D.

North—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,
East—By the local board road to Chalbalpur,
South and West—By the land of Lakhi Mondal,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Kumarpur, Gopalpur, Chalbalpur and Dedi.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Burdwan.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

FOREST.

No. 2002For.—The 27th February 1924.—Mr. A. K. Glasson, Deputy Conservator of Forests, in charge of Buxa Division, is allowed combined leave for one year, viz., leave on average pay, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, for eight months (of which one month and five days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), with effect from the 1st May 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and leave on half average pay under article 81 (*d*) of those rules for the remaining period.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JAILS.

No. 2089Jails.—The 1st March 1924.—Major A. Denham White, M.B., F.R.C.S., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Midnapore, is appointed temporarily to be Superintendent of the Midnapore Central Jail, in addition to his own duties, *vice* Major E. B. Munro, I.M.S., transferred.

Midnapore.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

No. 7For.—The 23rd February 1924.—Babu Rameswar Banarji, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, on Working Plan duty in the Jalpaiguri Division, is appointed Instructor, Bengal Forest School, with headquarters at Dow Hill, with effect from the forenoon of the 18th February 1924.

Jalpaiguri, Kurseong.

R. C. MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

No. 3065, dated Calcutta, the 27th February 1924.—Dr. Kali Mohan Sen made over charge of the Khulna Jail to Dr. Rash Behari Bakshi on the afternoon of the 12th February 1924.

No. 3147.—The 29th February 1924.—Dr. Rash Behari Bakshi made over charge of the Comilla Jail to Dr. Surendra Nath Sen Gupta on the afternoon of the 10th February 1924.

No. 3148.—The 29th February 1924.—Major A. Denham White, I.M.S., made over charge of the Chittagong Jail to Dr. J. N. Chatterji on the afternoon of the 20th February 1924.

W. G. HAMILTON, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Accountant-General, Bengal.

IT is notified for the information of the Treasury Officers that the Refund Order Book commencing from No. 1 to 100 in pink colour is being used in the office of the Income-tax Officer, Miscellaneous Salaries Circle, Calcutta, from the 13th February 1924.

K. C. BISWAS,
Deputy Accountant-General, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 25th February 1924.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR Babu Tara Nath Gupta has been placed in charge of the Khulna Treasury, *vice* Babu Parames Prasanna Roy, Deputy Collector, and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

D. GLADDING, *Collector.*

KHULNA, *the 25th February 1924.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—CIVIL.

The 25th February 1924.

No. 2790G.—The following Rule framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal and approved by the Governor General in Council under section 107 of the Government of India Act is published for general information :—

Rule.

I. After Rule 121, Chapter I, at page 43, Volume I, of the Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, *insert* the following :—

"121A. Whenever the post is to be used for the issue of a commission, whether to a court or to a pleader, the papers are to be sent and returned by registered post. The cost of doing this will be part of the regular cost of the commission. When the papers are transmitted to the court or pleader otherwise than by post, such precautions as are possible shall be taken against the loss of any part of the papers"

II. After Rule 122, *ibid*, *insert* the following :—

"122A. If the fees received with a commission from a court outside the jurisdiction of the Calcutta High Court are insufficient to cover the cost of returning the papers be registered post and also, where the commission is issued by post to a pleader or other commissioner, the cost of transmission by registered post to and from the commissioner-the issuing court should be asked to remit the additional fee required before the commission is executed."

III. After Rule 129, Chapter I, at page 47, *ibid*, *insert* the following :—

"129A. A commissioner shall return the papers to the court through which he received them, whether this be the issuing court or not. Proper precautions shall by taken against the loss of any part of them, and if it is necessary to send them by post, they shall be registered."

IV. In line 4, Rule 13, Chapter VI, at page 164, *ibid*, *omit* the word "and", in line 5 after the word "cash" *substitute* a comma for the full stop, and *add* the following :—

"and where the papers are to be sent by post, the costs of sending and returning them by registered post."

V. In line 3, Rule 15, *ibid*, after the word "commission" *insert* the following :—

"and in cases where the post is used, the costs of sending the papers to the pleader and of their return to the issuing court, in each case by registered post."

By order of the High Court,

J. D. V. HODGE,
Registrar.

The 28th February 1924.

IT is ordered that the rules 11, 14 and 21 in Chapter XXXVII relating to Crown Side Rules being the Jury Rules of the "Rules of the High Court, 1914" be amended with effect from 1st March 1924 by substituting for the present rules the following :—

11. On some day not less than six weeks before the commencement of each Session, one of the Judges of the High Court shall cause to be made out lists of the persons to be summoned as Special and Common Jurors, respectively, for such Session, containing the names of so many persons as the Clerk of the Crown deems necessary. The lists shall be respectively called "The Special Jurors' List" and "The Common Jurors' List" for the

particular Session, designating it by the date on which it is to commence, and shall be prepared as follows:—

(1) The names of all persons, if any, ordered to be entered in the list of Special Jurors for such Session under rule 12, 15 or 20 shall be first entered in the said list, unless the Judge shall be satisfied as regards any one or more of such persons that he or they will be unable, from illness or other sufficient cause, to attend at such Session, in which case the name of such person may be set aside in the same manner as it might have been set aside under rule 12, if the name had been drawn by lot for such Session. The Judge shall then cause to be drawn by lot the names of such a number of persons qualified and liable to serve on Special Juries as, with those already on the list, will, subject to the provisions of these rules, make up the required number of persons qualified and liable to serve on Special Juries, and the names of such persons shall be entered upon and form the list of Special Jurors liable to serve and to be summoned as Special Jurors for such Session.

(2) In like manner the names of all persons, if any, ordered to be entered in the Common Jurors' list for such Session under rule 12, 15 or 20 shall be first entered in the said list, unless the Judge shall be satisfied as regards any of them that such person will be unable, from illness or other sufficient cause, to attend at such Session, in which case the name of such person may be set aside in the same manner as it might have been set aside under rule 12, if his name had been drawn by lot for that Session. The Judge shall then cause to be drawn by lot the names of such a number of persons qualified and liable to serve on Common Juries as, with the names already on the list, will, subject to the provisions of these rules, make up the required number of persons qualified and liable to serve on Common Juries, and the names of such persons shall be entered upon and form the list of Common Jurors liable to serve and to be summoned as Common Jurors for such Session.

14. A copy of such lists shall be annexed to a precept to the Sheriff commanding him to summon such number in each list as may be directed in the precept. The Sheriff shall summon the Jurors in the order in which their names appear on the lists until service has been effected on the required number. Special Jurors may be required to attend on the dates notified to them by advertisement published in any public newspaper.

21. Where the Judge shall be of opinion that the number of Jurors named in either of the said lists who shall have been served is not likely to be sufficient, he may cause to be drawn by lot, in the mode provided by rule 12, such further number of names as he may deem necessary.

L. SANDERSON.
N. R. CHATTERJEA.
T. W. RICHARDSON.
H. WALMSLEY.
W. E. GREAVES.
B. B. NEWBOULD.
P. L. BUCKLAND.
Z. SUHRAWARDY.
A. H. CUMING.
H. G. PEARSON.
B. B. GHOSE.
E. PANTON.
ARTHUR PAGE.
M. N. MUKERJI.
A. J. CHOTZNER.
T. THORNHILL.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 of Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act) that during the months of April, May and June 1924, until further orders, the 2nd Additional Sub-Judge of Howrah and Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore and Howrah, will hold his sittings as detailed below :—

April 1924.

1st to 13th as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge, Howrah.
14th to 22nd as Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore.
23rd to 30th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.

May 1924.

1st to 14th as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge, Howrah.
15th to 20th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore.
21st to 31st as Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.

June 1924.

1st to 13th as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge, Howrah.
14th to 19th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore.
20th to 30th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.
(Excluding Sundays and holidays.)

TEJ CHANDRA MITTER, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

HOWRAH, *the 25th February 1924.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 565J.G.—Maulvi Sakhawat Hossain Molla, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Birbhum, acted as Circle Officer of Nalhati, in the same district, from the 13th January to the 11th February 1924, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Harendra Lal Chatarji.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 23rd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 931G.—Babu Kshitish Chandra Ganguly, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Sadar, Tippera, is granted leave on average pay, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for four weeks with effect from the 22nd February 1924.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 926G.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, Brahmanbaria, Tippera, is allowed leave for five weeks, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1035J.—Maulvi Bazlur Rahman (No. II), Sub-Deputy Collector, Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for six weeks, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd March 1924, or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1089J.—Maulvi Abul Huda Sayeedullah, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Netrakona, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave on average pay for eight days (entirely on account of privilege leave), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 28th February 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 26th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 100.—4G-III-14.—Babu Satcori Lal De, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar Tippera, is appointed temporarily to work as Circle Officer from 22nd February 1924, *vice* Babu Kshitish Chandra Ganguli, granted leave.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 27th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1167J.—Babu Pramada Kumar Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dacca, is posted temporarily to the Manikganj subdivision of that district as a Circle Officer under the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, *vice* Babu Ananta Kumar Malakar transferred.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 900G.—It is hereby notified for general information that the gentlemen named below are appointed to be non-official visitors of the District and Subsidiary Jails for the period of their membership of the Bengal Legislative Council :—

CHADPUR SUB-JAIL.

1. Mauvi Asimaddin Ahamed, M.L.C.

BRAHMANBARIA SUB-JAIL.

1. Maulvi Shah Syed Emdadul Haque, M.L.C.

COMILLA DISTRICT JAIL.

1. Babu Akhil Chandra Datta, M.L.C.
2. Maulvi Shah Syed Emdadul Haque, M.L.C.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 23rd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1027G.—It is hereby notified for general information that the gentlemen named below are appointed to be non-official visitors of the district and subsidiary jails for the period of their membership of the Bengal Legislative Council :—

NOAKHALI DISTRICT JAIL.

1. Maulvi Sayadal Haq.
2. Babu Satyendra Chandra Mitra.

FENI SUB-JAIL.

Maulvi Abdur Rashid Khan.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 28th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 917J.—It is hereby notified for general information that Mrs. Viola G. Cover is appointed to a non-official visitor of the Bogra jail for a period of two years.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 922J.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Bogra jail for the periods mentioned against their names :—

1. Maulvi Rajib Uddin Tarafdar, M.L.C.—For the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative Council.
2. Babu Harendra Narain Chakrabarty.—For two years.
3. „ Jogendra Nath Sarkar.—For two years.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 927J.—It is hereby notified for general information that Maulvi Abdul Gafur, M.L.C., is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Pabna jail for the period of his membership of the Bengal Legislative Council.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 154M.—It is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-election held on the 29th January 1924, in Ward No. IV of the Chandrakona Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, Babu Ashutosh De was duly elected as a Commissioner in place of Babu Hari Pada Dass, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 18th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 202M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the last general election held on the 13th January 1924, the following gentlemen have been elected as Commissioners of the Champdany Municipality in the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards		Names of members.
I	...	1. Babu Nitya Prasanna Biswas. 2. „ Kanai Lal Sabui.
II	...	3. Babu Nripendra Mohan Mukherjee. 4. „ Khagendra Nath Biswas.
III	...	5. Babu Pulin Bandhob Mukherji. 6. „ Bibhuti Bhusan Chatterjee.
IV	...	7. Babu Kumood Bandhob Mukherji. 8. „ Nirmal Chandra Mukherji.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 27th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 30M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Halisahar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, at the last general election of Commissioners held on the 5th January 1924 :—

Number of wards.		Names of members.
I	...	Babu Provash Chandra Mitra. „ Basanta Kumar Dutta.
II	...	Babu Jogesh Chandra Ganguly. „ Dhirendra Nath Bhattacharya.
III	...	Babu Rajani Kanta Mitra. „ Monmatha Nath Mukharji.
IV	...	Babu Bijoy Krishna Ray. „ Nripendra Narayan Banerjee.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 225M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the next general election of Commissioners of the Midnapore, Tamluk, Ghatal, Khirpai, Kharar, Chandrakona and Ramjibanpur Municipalities in the district of Midnapore will be held on Saturday, the 26th July 1924.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 228M.—It is hereby notified for general information that in the by-election held on the 12th February 1924 in ward No. III of the Ramjibanpur Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, Babu Dhruba Narayan Piri was duly elected as a Commissioner in place of Babu Bipin Behari Piri, resigned.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 465M.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 11 of the Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29 B of the same Act, I hereby appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the several local boards in the district of Dinajpur :—

Names of Local Boards.		Names of members
Sadar	1.	Babu Purnendu Narayan Roy Deb Barman.
	2.	„ Bhupal Chandra Roy Choudhury.
	3.	„ Gopendra Narayan Roy.
	4.	Maulvi Yaquinuddin Ahmed.
	5.	„ Mohiuddin Ahmed Choudhury.
	6.	„ Bonij Muhammad Choudhury.
Thakurgaon	1.	Rai Sahib Banka Behari Sarkar.
	2.	The Subdivisional Inspector or Schools (*ex-officio*).
	3.	Babu Nagendra Behari Roy Choudhury.
	4.	„ Birendra Kumar Choudhury.
	5.	Maulvi Emdadur Rahman.
Balurghat	1.	Babu Devendra Gati Roy.
	2.	„ Mohit Nath Choudhury.
	3.	Munshi Ishahaque Sarkar.
	4.	Sayed Abdul Latif.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 341L.S.-G.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19 (*2*) of the Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885) and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29B of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Upendra Nath Das, B.L., to be a member of the Contai local board in the district of Midnapore, *vice* Mr. H. Orr, resigned.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 16th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 381L.S.-G.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19 (*2*) of the Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885) and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29B of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Abanti Kumar Maity to be a member of the Contai local board in the district of Midnapore, *vice* H. Greenfield, resigned.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 504M.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19 (*2*) of the Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885) and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 295 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Maulvi Hafizuddin Khandker to be a member of the East Bogra local board in the district of Bogra, in place of Khandker Abdul Maji d, deceased.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 26th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 433L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 19(*1*) of the Local Self-Government Act, Babu Bankim Chandra Bhaumik has been duly elected by the Tamluk Local Board to be a member of the Midnapore District Board, *vice* Babu Mahendra Nath Maity, resigned.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 26th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 456L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that the election by the members of the Rampurhat local board, Birbhum, of Babu Bhupati Bhusan Mukherjee as their Chairman is approved under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 28th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 289L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Lilooah police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

JAGADISHPUR UNION BOARD.

Number of wards.		Names of members.
I	...	1. Babu Upendra Nath Biswas. 2. „ Panchanan Santra. 3. „ Dwijendra Nath Ghosal.
II	...	4. Babu Sitanath Santra. 5. „ Rash Behary Khamaru. 6. „ Karpur Chandra Das.

BALI UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Babu Annada Prasad Ghosh. 2. „ Umesh Chandra Bera. 3. „ Satya Charan Chakraverty. 4. „ Kunja Behary Neogi. 5. „ Abinash Chandra Mandal.
II	...	6. Babu Sarat Chandra Neogi.

LILOOAH UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Maulvi Sufi Kamaruddin. 2. Babu Ram Lall Ghosh. 3. „ Ram Lall Das.
II	...	4. Babu Ashutosh Banerjee. 5. „ Atul Krishna Ghosh. 6. „ Jadu Nath Ghosh.

2. Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Jagadishpur ...	1. Munshi Rowsan Ali Mallik. 2. „ Khaja Ahmad Naskar. 3. Babu Gostha Behari Hati.
Bali ...	1. Babu Siddheswar Ghosh. 2. „ Jogendra Nath Porel. 3. „ Upendra Nath Chakravarty.
Lilooah ...	1. Maulvi Taheruddin Ahammad. 2. Babu Aniruddha Bhatta. 3. „ Ashutosh Ghosh.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 292L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Domjur police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	UTTAR JHAPARDAHA UNION BOARD.
I ...	1. Babu Satish Chandra Mukherjee. 2. „ Rajendra Nath Mondal. 3. „ Sasadhar Ghosal.
II ...	4. Babu Narendra Nath Mukherjee. 5. „ Fakir Das Das. 6. „ Srinibash Ghosal.
	DAKSHIN JHAPARDAHA UNION BOARD.
I ...	1. Babu Jatindra Nath Ghosh. 2. „ Panchanan Mitra. 3. „ Tulsi Das Dutta.
II ...	4. Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh. 5. „ Dhan Krishna Banerjee. 6. „ Dina Nath Mukherjee.
	KOLORA UNION BOARD.
I ...	1. Munshi Golam Mustafa Mallik. 2. Sheik Abdul Bari. 3. Babu Satish Chandra Chatterjee.
II ...	1. Babu Tustu Behary Koley. 2. „ Bhuban Mohan Patra. 3. „ Sashi Bhusan Khara.
	BOIGORI UNION BOARD.
I ...	1. Babu Annada Prasad Das. 2 „ Upendra Nath Sirkar. 3. „ Nali Lall Chatterjee.
II ...	4. Babu Krista Kamal Ghosh. 5. „ Jogendra Nath Mukherjee. 6. Hazi Ahammad Ali.
	DOMJUR UNION BOARD.
I ...	1. Babu Nanda Lall Banerjee. 2. „ Prya Nath Hati. 3. „ Pran Krishna Das. 4. „ Jogendra Nath Mondal.
II ...	5. Babu Upendra Nath Bandopadhya. 6. „ Anukul Chandra Dutta.

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	NANNA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Mahendra Nath Chatterjee. 2. „ Hari Charan Banerjee. 3. „ Jitendra Nath Mukherjee.
II	4. Babu Sarada Prasad Koer. 5. „ Amulya Prasad Chatterjee. 6. „ Ram Chandra Mukherjee.
	MAKARDA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Hari Saran Banerjee. 2. „ Haribar Dutta. 3. „ Chandra Mohan Chatterjee.
II	4. Babu Annada Prasad Mukherjee. 5. „ Sarat Chandra Jalui. 6. „ Manmatha Nath Chakrabarty.
	MAHIARI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Amrita Lall Banerjee (son of late Bissambhar Banerjee). 2. „ Amrita Lal Banerjee (son of late Tarak Nath Banerjee). 3. „ Amrita Lall Banerjee (son of late Nabin Chandra Banerjee).
II	4. Babu Shib Chandra Kundu Choudhury. 5. „ Birendra Nath Mukherjee. 6. „ Kali Das Srimani.
	BANKRA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Syed Abdur Rauf. 2. Sheik Anwar Ali. 3. „ Abdul Malek.
II	4. Munshi Sadiduddin Naskar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members
Uttar Jhapardaha	1. Babu Ashutosh Ghosh. 2. „ Barada Charan Mukherjee. 3. „ Kisori Mohan Mukherjee.
Dakshin Jhapardaha.	1. Babu Harinidhi Bhattacharjee. 2. „ Jiban Krishna Nag. 3. „ Panchcouri Khara.
Kolora	1. Munshi Safkatulla Naskar. 2. Babu Nagendra Nath Pal. 3. „ Charu Chandra Sirkar.
Boigori	1. Maulvi Mujibar Rahaman. 2. Babu Rakhal Chandra Barman. 3. „ Kali Krishna Banerjee.
Domjur	1. Babu Hari Charan Mukherjee. 2. „ Saileswar Das. 3. Munshi Ahamad Ali Jemadar.
Nanna	1. Babu Narendra Nath Bhattacherjee. 2. „ Khetra Mohan Ghosh (Junior). 3. „ Sarada Prasad Chakrabarty.
Makarda	1. Babu Sarat Chandra Ganguli. 2. „ Beni Madhab Das. 3. „ Chuni Lall Banerjee.
Mahiari	1. Munshi Aihub Molla. 2. Babu Annada Prasad Chakrabarty. 3. „ Probodh Chandra Chatterjee.
Bankra	1. Haji Abu Bakkar Naskar. 2. Babu Nagendra Nath Chatterjee. 3. „ Tarak Nath Chatterjee.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members for Ward No. II of the Bankra Union Board :—

1. Babu Nritya Gopal Chatterjee.
2. „ Jnanendra Nath Ghosh.

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No. 295L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the under-mentioned union boards in Sankrail police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	DHULAGORE UNION BOARD.
I	1. Munshi Kobad Ali Mallik. 2. Babu Jatindra Nath Sen. 3. „ Nakur Chandra Sen.
II	4. Babu Khetra Mohan Ghosh. 5. „ Jnanendra Nath Sarkar. 6. „ Pulin Behary Mukherjee.
	ANDUL UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Pramatha Nath Mitra. 2. „ Rakhal Chandra Chaudhury. 3. „ Abinash Chandra Chakrabarty. 4. „ Annada Prasad Pramanik.
II	5. Babu Upendra Nath Sirkar. 6. „ Sarat Chandra Sirkar.
	DULE UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Barada Prasad Patra. 2. „ Nut Behari Buxi. 3. „ Mihir Lall Chakrabarty. 4. „ Jyotish Chandra Chakrabarty.
II	5. Babu Gopal Chandra Das. 6. Sheik Soleman.
	JHORHAT UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Jiban Krishna Bose. 2. „ Bagala Prasanna Mallik. 3. „ Binay Lal Pal.
II	4. Babu Nani Prasad Datta. 5 „ Pravash Chandra Dey. 6 „ Satish Chandra Das.
	SANKRAIL UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Sarbari Bhusan Ghosh. 2. „ Rajendra Nath Das. 3. „ Shib Nath Chowdhury. 4. „ Jatindra Nath Bose. 5. Munshi Azizur Rahman Tarafdar.
II	6. Babu Bhupendra Nath Singh.
	BELDUBI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Harish Chandra Chakrabarty. 2. „ Hari Charan Pramanik. 3. „ Amulya Charan Sarnakar.
II	4. Babu Bhusan Chandra Ghosh. 5. „ Hari Charan Sadhukhan. 6. „ Bipin Bihary Khan.

Number of wards.		Names of members.
		NALPUR UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Sarat Chandra Kolay. 2. „ Jogendra Nath Mondal. 3. „ Nagendra Nath Hazra
II	...	4. Babu Mati Lal Pramanik. 5. Sheik Habil Mondal. 6. „ Ashtulla Mallik.
		MANIKPUR UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Mahendra Nath Pal. 2. „ Sukhmoy Buxi.
II	...	3. Munshi Ombar Ali Naskar. 4. „ Omed Ali Mandal. 5. „ Golam Rahman Naskar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Dhulagore	...	1. Munshi Nurojjama Mallik. 2. Maulvi Ishaq Molla. 3. Babu Sashi Bhusan Banerjee.
Andul	...	1. Mahammad Siddik Naskar. 2. Munshi Karim Bux Tarafdar. 3. Babu Narayan Chandra Mallik.
Dule	...	1. Babu Surath Mohan Pal. 2. „ Sailendra Nath Chakrabarty. 3. „ Atul Krishna Khara.
Jhorhat	...	1. Babu Kishori Mohan Pal. 2. „ Charu Chandra Pal. 3. „ Ram Narayan Samaddar.
Sankrail	...	1. Munshi Azizar Rahman Sardar. 2. Babu Anukul Chandra Pal. 3. „ Lalit Kumar Bose.
Beldubi	...	1. Munshi Jonab Ali Khan. 2. „ Kachemaddi Koyal. 3. Babu Raj Kumar Mondal.
Nalpur	...	1. Munshi Aizaddin Mistry. 2. Babu Kishori Mohan Chatterjee. 3. „ Sarat Chandra Samanta.
Manikpur	...	1. Munshi Khorsed Ali Sirdar. 2. „ Bahar Ali Molla. 3. Babu Ramanath Pal.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, Babu Fakir Chandra Koyal has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be a member for ward No. I of the Manikpur union board.

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No. 304L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Panchla police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

No. of wards.		Names of members.
		PULGUSTI UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Mati Lal Biswas. 2. „ Jatindra Nath Polley. 3. „ Prosad Das Dwari.
II	...	4. Babu Upendra Nath Biswas. 5. „ Upendra Nath Chattopadhya. 6. „ Amulya Dhan Chakrabarty.

Number of wards.	Names of members
	GOBINDAPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Nagendra Nath Das. 2. „ Surendra Nath Bera.
II	3. Babu Atul Krishna Barui. 4. „ Jugul Kishore Patra. 5. „ Rati Kanta Dului. 6. „ Purna Chandra Chakrabarty.
	BANHARISHPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Surendra Nath Chakrabarty. 2. Munshi Kajem Ali. 3. „ Karim Bux Jamadar.
II	4. Babu Shital Chandra Das. 5. „ Rati Kanta Chakrabarti. 6. „ Kartik Chandra Santra.
	DEULPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Sarat Chandra Dey. 2. „ Atul Krisna Chatterjee. 3. „ Narayan Chandra Chatterjee.
II	4. Babu Makhan Lall Roy. 5. „ Mihir Lall Chakrabarty. 6. „ Jitendra Nath Ghosal.
	PANCHLA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Munshi Rejakuddin Molla. 2. Babu Ganesh Chandra Banerjee.
II	3. Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh. 4. „ Nali Lall Bose. 5. „ Jiban Kali Bose.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Pulgusti	1. Munshi Abdul Sobhan Khan. 2. Babu Naba Gopal Mukherjee. 3. „ Jogendra Nath Ghosh.
Gobindapur	1. Babu Purna Chandra Mondal. 2. „ Haridas Chakrabarty. 3. „ Satis Chandra Mondal.
Banharishpur	1. Babu Basanta Kumar Das. 2. „ Shasi Bhusan Fouzdar. 3. „ Chandra Kanta Chakrabarty.
Jajeshwar	1. Munshi Ataulla Molla. 2. „ Abdul Sobhan Molla. 3. Babu Mihir Lall Chatterjee.
Deulpur	1. Maulvi Waliuzzaman Naskar. 2. Babu Bhola Nath Dey. 3. „ Durlabh Chandra Mal.
Panchla	1. Sheikh Mahommed Soleman. 2. „ Afazuddin. 3. Kazi Rofiuddin Ahammad.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	JAJESHWAR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Gagan Chandra Manna. 2. „ Manmatha Nath Manna. 3. „ Paresh Nath Sirkar. 4. „ Sadhan Chandra Patra. 5. „ Bhupendra Nath Nag. 6. Munshi Ebrahim Molla.
	PANCHLA UNION BOARD.
I	Sheikh Golam Rahaman.

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No. 353L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Digsui Hoera union board in Magra police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
I	1. Babu Janoki Nath Neogi.
II	2. „ Jogendra Nath Chatterjee.
III	3. „ Jogesh Chandra Chatterjee.
IV	4. „ Birendra Nath Biswas.
V	5. „ Kristo Lal Ghose.
VI	6. „ Surendra Nath Mukherjee.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Panchanan Neogi.
2. Munshi Belat Hosain.
3. Babu Tarak Das Chatterjee.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 356L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Balagarh police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	GUPTIPARA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Madhusudan Bhattacherjee.
II	2. „ Sisir Kumar Banerjee.
III	3. „ Prafullya Chandra Sen.
IV	4. „ Khagenanondo Asram.
V	5. „ Rai Sahib Kedar Nath Sen.
	BAKULIA-DHOBAPARA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Aswini Kumar Chakrabarty.
II	2. „ Narendra Nath Mukherjee. 3. „ Rakhal Das Mukherjee.
III	4. „ Akhoy Kumar Bhattacherjee.
IV	5. „ Bhagobati Charan Ganguli
V	6. „ Banshi Nath Das.

Number of wards.		Names of members.
		SRIPUR BALAGORI UNION BOARD.
I	... 1.	Babu Rakhal Das Sircar.
	2.	„ Kali Pada De.
II	... 3	Sheikh Osifor Rohoman Mia.
III	... 4.	Babu Tincori Chatterjee.
		SIJA KAMALPUR UNION BOARD.
I	... 1.	Babu Kali Pada Das
II	... 2.	„ Panchanan Ghose.
III	... 3.	„ Hari Pada Chakrabarty.
IV	... 4.	„ Nabakumar Banerjee.
V	... 5.	„ Surendra Lal Mukherjee.
VI	... 6.	„ Hem Chandra Sircar.
		DUMURDAHA NITYANANDAPUR UNION BOARD.
I	... 1.	Babu Kiran Chandra Madak.
II	... 2.	„ Nani Gopal Banerjee.
III	... 3.	„ Gour Gopal Mukherjee.
IV	... 4.	Sheikh Abdul Korim.
V	... 5.	Babu Satish Chandra Chatterjee.
		EKTARPUR UNION BOARD.
I	... 1.	Babu Jogin Chandra Das.
II	... 2.	„ Hari Pada Mallik.
IV	... 3.	„ Panchcori Roy.
V	... 4.	Munshi Rohim Box.
		MAHIPALPUR UNION BOARD.
I	... 1.	Sheikh Sultan Mondal.
II	.. 2.	Babu Bhabataran Karmakar.
III	... 3.	Kazi Habibal Hossain.
IV	... 4.	Munshi Golam Mohshi.
V	... 5.	Mollah Mofijuddin.
VI	... 6.	Mohammad Rosid.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Guptipara	... 1.	Sheik Badloo Mondal.
	2.	„ Achabbari junior).
	3.	Babu Nalinaksha Mukherjee.
Bakulia-Dhobapara	1.	Babu Suresh Chandra Chaudhury.
	2.	Sheik Elahi Bux Sarkar.
	3.	Babu Bepin Chandra Pal.
Sripur-Balagori	... 1.	Babu Purna Chandra Bhattacharjee.
	2.	„ Gopal Chandra Ghosh.
	3.	Sheik Mahbet Ali Mondal.
Sija-Kamalpur	... 1.	Babu Makham Gopal Bhattacharjee.
	2.	„ Bireswar Roy.
	3.	Sheik Lal Chand.
Dumurdaha-Nityanandapur.	1.	Sheik Sultan Ali Mondal.
	2.	Babu Pulin Behari Banerjee.
	3.	„ Beni Madhab Choudhury.
Ektarpur	... 1.	Babu Indra Narayan Banerjee.
	2.	Munshi Aolat Buxa Sarkar.
	3.	Sheik Golam Rohaman.
Mahipalpur	... 1.	Babu Ashutosh Ghosh.
	2.	„ Sailendra Nath Dey Sarkar.
	3.	Sheik Aolati Sarkar.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	GUPTIPARA UNION BOARD.
III	... Babu Satish Chandra Siromoni.
	SRIPUR-BALAGORI UNION BOARD.
II	... 1. Babu Bamon Das Bhattacharjee.
V	... 2. „ Narain Das Biswas.
	DUMURDAHA-NITYANANDAPUR UNION BOARD.
IV	... Babu Dasarathi Chakrabarti.
	EKTARPUR UNION BOARD.
III	... 1. Babu Bata Kristo Ghosh.
IV	... 2. „ Paritosh Singha Roy.

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No. 359 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Akna-Debanandapur union board in Chinsura police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
III	... 1. Babu Narayan Chandra Das.
IV	... 2. „ Kangali Charan Das.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Bibhu Prosanna Bosu.
2. „ Bhupendra Nath Mukherjee.
3. Munshi Sahebjan.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the said union board :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
I	... 1. Babu Dwijendra Nath Dutta.
	2. „ Priyo Nath Das.
II	... 3. Munshi Belat Ali.
V	... 4. Babu Satish Chandra Ghose.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 362L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned

union boards in Panduah police-station, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards	Names of members.
	BERELLA-KOCHMALI UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Chandra Kanta Rakhit.
II	... 2. Babu Ram Gopal De.
III	... 3 Babu Sashi Bhusan Kundoo.
IV	... 4. Babu Bholanath Mozumdar.
V	... 5. Babu Kali Pada Bhattacharjee. 6. „ Manmatha Nath Banerjee.
	BATKE-BOINCHI UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Roy.
III	... 2. Babu Fakir Chandra Singha.
IV	... 3. Babu Surendra Nath Singha. 4. „ Bidhu Bhusan Chowdhuri. 5. „ Bistoo Pada Banerjee.
	HARAL-DASPUR UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Sheikh Aminuddy Midday.
II	... 2. Babu Bhimapada Chatterji.
III	... 3. Munshi Abdul Jabbor.
IV	... 4. Babu Nalinakhya Ghose.
V	... 5. Babu Bejoy Krishna Chakrabutty.
VI	... 6. Babu Amullya Ratan Chatterjee.
	RAMESWARPUR-GOPALNAGORE UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Sheikh Enamal Hoque.
II	... 2. Babu Jogendra Nath Mukherjee.
IV	... 3. Babu Adhar Chandra Chatterjee.
VI	... 4. Babu Rama Prosad Banerji.
	SIMLAGORI BHITASIN UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Sidheswar Chatterjee.
III	.. 2. Sheikh Abdur Rouf.
IV	... 3. Babu Eccori Chakrabarty.
V	... 4. Sheikh Sakoot Rohoman.
VI	... 5. Babu Khitish Chandra Dutta.
	TOREGAON-PANCHPARA UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Sheikh Ator Ali.
III	... 2. Babu Brindaban Chandra Sen.
IV	... 3. Babu Rajendra Nath Chakrabarty.
V	... 4. Babu Tincori Haldar.
	PANDUA UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Mohammad Abdul Hoque.
II	... 2. Sheikh Abdul Salam.
III	... 3. Maulvi Choudhury Mohammad Abdulla.
IV	... 4. Babu Bhusan Chandra Paramanik.
V	... 5. Babu Bhusan Chandra Pal.
VI	... 6. Babu Haradhan Chandra.
	MONDLAI-JAMGRAM UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Panchoo Gopal Nandi.
III	... 2. Babu Bhujanga Bhusan Ghose. 3. Muhammad Abdur Rohoman.
IV	... 4. Babu Hem Chandra Mukherjee.
V	... 5. Sheik Hatem Haldar.

Number of Wards.	Names of members.
	ILSOBA-DASPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Indoo Bhusan Banerjee.
	2. „ Grabendra Nath Banerji.
II	3. Babu Jitendra Kumar Das.
III	4. Babu Joti Prasad Chaudhury.
IV	5. Abdul Goffar.
V	6. Sheikh Monjoor Hoque.
	SIKRA-DASPUR UNION BOARD.
II	1. Babu Rajendra Nath Sen.
III	2. Sheikh Abdul Rob.
V	3. Sheikh Tahar Bux.
	BALOON-DHAMASIN UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Lalji Mohan Chakrabarty.
II	2. Sheikh Dilloroddy Mondal.
III	3. Babu Abinash Chandra Koley.
IV	4. Babu Benode Behari Palit.
V	5. Sheikh Abdur Rahoman Mollah.
VI	6. Babu Dhormodas Sircar.
	JIAR-DWARBASHINI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Sheikh Ahad Bux Mondal.
	2. Babu Ashutosh Khamaroo.
III	3. Babu Bamon Das Ghose.
IV	4. Babu Eccori Adak.
	5. „ Shyamapada Das.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Barella-Kochmali	1. Babu Hari Charan Mukherjee.
	2. „ Kali Das Roy.
	3. Khoda Buxa Sheik.
Batke-Boinchi	1. Babu Jahnabi Prasad Mukherji (junior)
	2. „ Mohendra Nath Roy.
	3. Sheikh Abdul Rajak Haldar.
Haral-Daspur	1. Hazi Khoyrat Ali.
	2. Babu Manmatha Nath Kuar.
	3. „ Gokul Chandra Ghosh.
Rameswarpur-Gopalnagore.	1. Munshi Ata Rahaman.
	2. Babu Rakhal Das Bhattacherjee.
	3. „ Haradhan Chatterjee.
Simlagori-Bhitasin	1. Babu Joy Chandra Roy Choudhury.
	2. „ Tarini Charan Chatterjee.
	3. Munshi Kanglu Sirkar.
Toregaon-Panchpara.	1. Babu Syama Charan Ghosh.
	2. „ Pulin Behari Bhattacharjee.
	3. Abdul Wahed Munshi.
Pandua	1. Sayad Mahumud Soleman.
	2. Babu Nepal Chandra Haldar.
	3. „ Anath Nath Das.
Mondlai-Jamgram	1. Babu Jagadish Prosad Basu.
	2. „ Bankim Chandra Chatterjee.
	3. „ Markanda Prosad Bhattacharjee.
Ilsoba-Daspur	1. Babu Narendra Nath Bose.
	2. „ Panchu Mandal.
	3. „ Hari Charan Banerjee.
Sikra-Daspur	1. Munshi Abdul Jabbar.
	2. Babu Hari Pada Das.
	3. „ Kartick Chandra Roy.
Itachona-Khanyan	1. Rai Bejoy Narayan Kundu Bahadur.
	2. Sheikh Golam Osman.
	3. Babu Gostha Behari Ghosh.

Number of wards.		Names of members.
Baloon-Dhamasin ...	1.	Babu Kedar Nath Banerjee.
	2.	„ Beni Madhab Bose.
	3.	„ Ashutosh Mittra.
Jiar-Dwarbashini ...	1.	Raysan Ali Munshi.
	2.	Ata Rahaman Mandal.
	3.	Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Mukherjee

Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Number of wards.		Names of members
	BATKE-BOINCHI UNION BOARD.	
II	... 1.	Babu Bejoy Basanta Kumar.
	RAMESWARPUR-GOPALNAGORE UNION BOARD.	
III	... 1.	Baru Sarkar.
V	... 2.	Babu Bhupendra Nath Muluk.
	SIMLAGORI-BHITASIN UNION BOARD.	
II	... 1.	Babu Hari Prasad Chaudhury.
	TOREGAON-PANCHPARA UNION BOARD.	
II	... 1.	Sheik Nabi Buxa.
VI	... 2.	Md. Abdul Gafoor.
	MONDLAI-JAMGRAM UNION BOARD.	
II	... 1.	Babu Ekkari Mukherjee.
	SIKRA-DASPUR UNION BOARD.	
I	... 1.	Babu Dhakhina Ranjan Banerjee.
	2.	„ Durga Das Mukherjee.
IV	... 3.	Babu Lalit Mohan Sen.
	ITACHONA-KHANYAN UNION BOARD.	
I	... 1.	Babu Jyotish Chandra Chakrabarty.
II	... 2.	Babu Adhar Chandra Ghosh.
III	... 3.	Babu Panchanon Sur.
IV	... 4.	Babu Narendra Kristo Bose.
V	... 5.	Babu Sidheswar Ghosh.
VI	... 6.	Babu Kali Das Sur.
	JIAR-DWARBASHINI UNION BOARD.	
II	... 1.	Kazi Ebney Hossain.

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No. 405L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Polba police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.		Names of members.
	MAHANAD UNION BOARD.	
I	... 1.	Babu Upendra Nath Adak.
II	... 2.	„ Nolini Bhusan Neogi.
III	... 3.	„ Sarat Chandra Kar.
IV	... 4.	„ Nagendra Nath Pal.
V	... 5.	„ Jitendra Nath Kar.
VI	... 6.	„ Chuni Lal Pal.

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	AKNA UNION BOARD.
II	1. Babu Bhudeb Chandra Mukherjee.
III	2. „ Satya Charan Ghose.
IV	3. „ Surendra Nath Banerjee.
	4. „ Mritunjoy Ghose.
V	5. „ Kedar Nath Ghose.
	RAJHAT UNION BOARD.
I	1. Amir Miya.
	POLBA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Kristo Lal Chatterjee.
	2. „ Bhola Nath Ghose.
	3. „ Surendra Nath Mukherjee.
II	4. „ Kumod Kanto Karmakar.
III	5. „ Hari Das Biswas.
	6. „ Hari Bilas Bhattacharjee.
	GOSSAIN-MALPARA UNION BOARD.
III	1. Emaduddin Ahamad.
IV	2. Sheikh Dowdar Rahaman.
V	3. Haji Jessarat Ali Mondal.
	HARIT UNION BOARD.
I	1. Sheikh Jiad Bux Sircar.
	2. Babu Nibaran Chandra Ghose.
II	3. „ Jogonnath Gossain.
	4 Sheikh Aolad Ali Mondal.
III	5. Babu Nibaran Chandra Banerjee.
IV	6. „ Purna Chandra Senapati.
	AMAN UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Kedar Nath Roy Choudhuri.
II	2. „ Prio Lal Sur.
III	3. Mohammad Easin Mondal.
IV	4. Babu Keshab Chandra Sur.
V	5. „ Atul Chandra Maity.
VI	6. „ Ashutosh Chakrabarty.
	SUGANDHYA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Guru Prosonna Chakravarty.
II	2. „ Bhut Nath Desi.
III	3. „ Damodar Naik.
IV	4. „ Bhabataran Chakrabarty.
V	5. „ Gour Mohan Das.
VI	6. „ Surendra Nath Bosu Roy.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Mahanad	1. Kazi Amanat Hossain.
	2. Mofijuddin Sarkar.
	3. Babu Ram Kisore Ghosh.
Akna	1. Babu Bhupati Nath Banerjee.
	2. Abdul Latiff.
	3. Babu Hari Kristo Pal.
Rajhat	1. Babu Sakti Charan Chatterjee.
	2. „ Abinash Chandra Sen.
	3. „ Saroda Prosad Sarkar.
Polba	1. Abdus Salem Sarkar.
	2. Abdul Rab Mondal.
	3. Babu Ashutosh Chatterjee.

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Gossain-Malpara	...	1. Babu Naba Chaitanya Goswami. 2. „ Sasi Bhusan Mukherjee. 3. Abdul Ohed.
Harit	...	1. Babu Panchanan Chakrabarty. 2. Abdul Aziz Sarkar. 3. Abdul Khalik Mondal.
Amnan	...	1. Babu Tinkori Sur. 2. „ Purna Chandra Sarkel. 3. Sheik Jiadali.
Sugandhya	...	1. Babu Tulsi Das Roy. 2. Ekim Buxa Mullik. 3. Babu Bolai Chand Das.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gent)emen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Number of wards.		Names of members.
		AKNA UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Tulsi Charan Mukherjee.
		RAJHAT UNION BOARD.
II	...	1. Din Muhammad.
III	...	2. Abdul Gofoor. 3. Kooroi Mullick.
IV	...	4. Babu Syaram Mitra. 5. „ Satish Chandra Chakrabarty.
		GOSSAIN-MALPARA UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Khirod Chandra Adhikary.
II	...	2. Babu Prasad Das Chakrabarty. 3. „ Nrisingha Prosad Mukherjee.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 408L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Dadpur police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.		Names of members.
		SATITHAN UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Jaladhar Sircar.
II	...	2. Abdul Gani Sircar.
III	...	3. Babu Kali Prasanna Samanta.
IV	...	4. Sayed Mozral Haque.
V	...	5. Babu Narendra Nath Sen.
VI	...	6. Abdur Rohim.
		DADPUR UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Kali Charan Mukherjee.
II	...	2. „ Tulsi Das Ghose.
III	...	3. „ Panchcori Haldar.
IV	...	4. „ Baroda Prosad Roy.
V	...	5. „ Palai Chand Pattak.
VI	...	6. „ Rash Behari Bose.

Number of wards		Names of members.
		MAKHALPUR UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Jamini Kanta Singha Roy.
II	...	2. „ Eccori Singha Roy. 3. Bellal Hessain.
III	...	4. Abdur Rohoman Mallik.
IV	...	5. Babu Harendra Nath Singh Roy.
V	...	6. „ Satish Chandra Singh Roy.
		BABNAN UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Rakhal Das Singha Roy.
II	...	2. „ Ashutosh Mukherjee.
IV	...	3. Mir Atoor Rohoman.
V	...	4. Mohofuzzor Rohim. 5. Sheikh Azmatulla.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Satithan	...	1. Babu Saroda Charan Chakravarty. 2. „ Satya Charan Banerjee. 3. „ Tulsi Charan Kirti.
Dadpur	...	1. Babu Sudhir Chandra Banerjee. 2. „ Dharanidhar Mukherjee. 3. Abdul Rasid.
Makhalpur	...	1. Babu Nritya Gopal Bose. 2. Golam Rahaman. 3. Babu Panchanan Saha.
Babnan	...	1. Mir Kazem Ali. 2. Babu Hira Lal Pal. 3. „ Narain Chandra Bandopadhya.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, Fazle Rahaman has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be a member for ward No. III of the Babnan union board.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 941G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Sadar subdivision (south) of the district of Tippera :—

Police-station.		Names of members.
		BANGODDA UNION BOARD.
Laksham	...	1. Munshi Makhu Mia. 2. „ Safar Ali. 3. „ Sekandar Ali Molla. 4. „ Abdul Latif.
		ADRA UNION BOARD.
Laksham	...	1. Munshi Abdul Karim. 2. „ Akamat Ali Bhuiya. 3. „ Aminaddin Majumdar. 4. „ Ramjan Ali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Tippera to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

Police-station	Names of members.
	BANGODDA UNION BOARD.
Laksham	1. Munshi Abdul Goni Mojumdar. 2. „ Abdul Karim. 3. Babu Dina Nath Banikya.
	ADRA UNION BOARD.
Laksham	1. Munshi Abbas Ali. 2. Babu Amor Krishna Sarma. 3. Munshi Abdul Karim Majumdar.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Tippera to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

	BANGODDA UNION BOARD.
Laksham	1. Munshi Ahmed Ulla. 2. Babu Panchananda Banerjee.
	ADRA UNION BOARD.
Laksham	1. Munshi Ali Ahmed Mazumdar. 2. Babu Kasiswar Goswami.

F. A. SACHSE, *Commissioner (offg.)*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 25th February 1924*.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 411L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Dhaniakhali police-station, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards	Names of members
	GURBARI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Khetra Nath Mukherjee.
II	2. Babu Broja Mohan Chowdhury.
III	3. Babu Jogendra Nath Banerjee.
IV	4. Babu Dhorma Das Gupta.
V	5. Sheikh Soleman Mondal.
VI	6. Babu Dhirendra Nath Singha Roy
	GUROPE UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Ayas Kanto Nag. 2. „ Tincori De.
II	3. Babu Hrishi Kesh Chatterjee
IV	4. Munshi Muhammad Israil. 5. „ Ali Ahammed Mondal.
	BHASTARA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Sheikh Bahadur Mollah.
IV	2. Babu Radharaman Mukherjee.
V	3. Babu Bhudhar Bhusan Chatterjee. 4. Sheikh Jonabali Sircar.
	MELKI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Sheikh Aboo Bakkor.
II	2. Sheikh Fakir Mohammad.
III	3. Sheikh Mozum Hossain.
IV	4. Munshi Bakaulla Molla.
VI	5. Sheikh Abdul Rohoman Mistri.

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	DHANIAKHALI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Jadu Nath Das. 2. „ Surendra Nath Chatterjee.
II	3. Babu Debendra Nath Banerjee. 4. „ Atul Modak.
III	5. Rai Robindra Krishna Singha. 6. Babu Mohendra Nath Mukherjee.
	KANKRAKULI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Rash Mohan Mukherjee. 2. „ Tincori Mullik.
II	3. Babu Ahindra Nath Banerjee.
III	4. Babu Polin Chandra Roy.
IV	5. Babu Panchanan Kar.
V	6. Sheikh Aboo Bakkor.
	PARAMBUA-SHAHBAZAR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Prosad Chandra Chatterjee. 2. „ Anadi Nath Chatterjee.
II	3. Babu Dasorathi Mukherjee. 4. „ Nagendra Nath Ghose.
III	5. Syed Sah Salobuddin.
	GOPINATHPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Kalyani Kumar Banerjee. 2. „ B. C. Dutta.
IV	3. Babu Kumud Kanto Santra.
	BHANDERHATI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Kesob Chandra Das.
II	2. Babu Prio Nath Das.
IV	3. Babu Anath Nath Choudhury. 4. „ Gokul Chandra Singha.
V	5. Babu Sasodhar Mitra.
	BELMURI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Chinta Haran Biswas.
II	2. Babu Nagendra Nath Ghose.
III	3. Babu Eccori Chandra Simlai.
	MANDRA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Lal Mohan Singh Roy. 2. „ Romoni Mohan Singha Roy.
II	3. Babu Sitanath Singha Roy.
III	4. Din Mohommad Mollah.
IV	5. Babu Basudeb Bose.
V	6. Sheik Joynal Mollah.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Gurbari	1. Fakir Mahmud. 2. Babu Behari Lal Ghosh. 3. „ Bhupati Charan Ghosh.
Gurope	1. Tafazzul Hossain. 2. Babu Hari Das Chatterjee. 3. „ Kesub Chandra Nag.
Bhastara	1. Babu Karunamoya Mazumdar. 2. „ Upendra Nath Ghosh. 3. „ Satish Chandra Dey.

Names of union boards		Names of members.
Melki	...	1. Babu Jogendra Nath Chatterjee. 2. „ Purna Chandra Ghosh. 3. Munshi Sheik Osman Ali.
Dhaniakhali	...	1. Babu Dharani Dhar Ghosh. 2. Sheik Idris. 3. Babu Annoda Prosad Kundu.
Kankrakuti	...	1. Babu Annoda Prosad Singha Roy. 2. Nabi Buxa Mandol. 3. Israil Mondal.
Parambua-Shahbazar.		1. Babu Uma Charan Kunar. 2. „ Syama Charan Kunar. 3. „ Bhutnath Biswas.
Gopinathpur	...	1. Babu Santon Das Burman. 2. Munshi Nader Hossain. 3. Babu Dasorathi Dey.
Bhanderhati	...	1. Nessaruddi Mandol. 2. Faker Mafti (Sheik). 3. Babu Purna Chandra Dhar.
Belmuri	...	1. Sheik Satkori. 2. Babu Lolit Mohan Chatterjee. 3. „ Nepal Chandra Roy.
Mandra	...	1. Babu Manujendra Nath Singha Roy. 2. Hydar Mandol. 3. Babu Kannai Lal Ghosh.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Number of wards.		Names of members.
		GUROPE UNION BOARD.
III	...	1. Babu Aswini Kumar Sarkar.
		BHASTARA UNION BOARD.
II	...	1. Babu Ashutosh Ghose.
III	...	2. Abdul Gofoor Munshi.
		MELKI UNION BOARD.
V	...	1. Babu Subaran Chandra Pal.
		PARAMBUA-SHAHBAZAR UNION BOARD.
III	...	1. Babu Charu Gopal Mukherjee.
		GOPINATHPUR UNION BOARD.
II	...	1. Babu Manohar Dey.
		2. „ Rajini Kanta Chakrabarty.
III	...	3. „ Surendra Nath Dutta.
		BELMURI UNION BOARD.
IV	...	1. Sheik Majom Sarkar.
V	...	2. Babu Gobinda Chandra Basu Roy.
VI	...	3. „ Hari Charan Banerjee.
		BHANDERHATI UNION BOARD.
III	...	1. Babu Hari Charan Sen.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1107J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, Babu Dwarika Nath Gope has been elected to be a member of Malkhanagar union board, in Sherajdikha police-station, in the Munshiganj subdivision of the district of Dacca, *vice* Babu Harendra Chandra Basu Thakur, deceased.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 27th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1056J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Masimpur union board, police-station Shibpur, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Munshi Abdul Gafur Khan.
2. ,, Asraf Ali Khan.
3. ,, Aftabuddin Khan.
4. Munshi Abdus Samed Afrad.
5. ,, Maminuddin Sarker.
6. Babu Kamini Kumar Ghose.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of the section 6 of the said Act the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Kali Kumar Dutta.
2. Gayesh Ali
3. Moula Buksha.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1057J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Joynagar union board, police-station Shibpur, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the Dacca district :—

1. Munshi Abdus Satter.
2. Hridoy Mohan Das.
3. Emdadali Sarker.
4. Ansorali Bhuiah.
5. Mafizuddin Bhuiah.
6. Abdus Samad Bhuiah.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of the section 6 of the said Act the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Lalit Mohan Rai.
2. Nasar Uddin Sarker.
3. Abdul Prodhan.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1058J.—It is notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chandanbari union board, police-station Manohardi, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the Dacca district :—

1. Md. Rajjabali Sarker.
2. ,, Shajahan Munshi.
3. ,, Samiraddin.
4. Akbar Ali Bepari.
5. Md. Abdul Jabbar Sarker.
6. ,, Ibrahim.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Maulvi Jafar Uddin Ahammed.
2. Babu Mohim Chandra Bhowmik.
3. Munshi Abdul Gafur.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1059J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Char-Mandalia union board, police-station Manohardi, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Ichhamuddin Bhuiah.
2. Munshi Md. Abbas Ali.
3. Arab Ali Sarker.
4. Maniruddin Ahammed.
5. Md. Ismail.
6. Sheikh Cheragali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Ismail Akan.
2. Abdul Khan.
3. Sahadeb Malla Barman.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1060J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Barchapa union board, police-station Manohardi, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Jahiruddin Munshi.
2. Abdur Rahaman Pandit.
3. Har Chandra Shaha.
4. Badan Chandra Ball.
5. Md. Khaliluddin.
6. Safiuddin.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Maulvi Janabali.
2. Munshi Abdul Gafur.
3. Munshi Ekramuddin Bhuiah.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1061J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the Shukundi union board, police-station Manahardi, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Prasanna Kumar Roy.
2. Golmahammad Sarker.
3. Charagali Sarker.
4. Mainaddin Sarker.
5. Sukur Mamud.
6. Maulvi Ayebali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Chandra Kumar Karmaker.
2. Debendra Chandra Sutradhar.
3. Abdul Barik Khandaker.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1062J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gotashia union board, police-station Monahardi, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Syed Elahi Nawaz
2. Abdur Rahaman Bhuya.
3. Barkatulla Sarkar.
4. Mia Baksha.
5. Mahim Chandra Acherjee.
6. Jaharuddin

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board :

1. Babu Abhoy Charan Sen.
2. Abdul Athar Bhuya.
3. Syed Abdul Jabbar.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1063J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected members of the Patuli union board, police-station Manohardi, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Rahim Baksha Sarker.
2. Maulvi Ali Newaz.
3. Kailash Chandra Das.
4. Annada Charan Chakravorty.
5. Upendra Chandra Roy.
6. Md. Amzed Ali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Md. Ekhlasuddin Bhuiah.
2. Md. Kalu Bhuiah.
3. Babu Purna Chandra Bhoumick.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*)

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1064J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kachpur union board, police-station Baidyerbazar in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Susi Mohan Saha.
2. Munshi Hishabdi Prodhan.
3. Rajendra Chandra Roy.
4. Gopal Chandra Deba-Nath.
5. Suresh Chandra Bhattacherjee.
6. Ahmaddi Bepari.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Bijoy Krishna Roy.
2. Pir Mahammad
3. Abbas Bhuya.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1065J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Baidyerbazar union board, police-station Baidyerbazar in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Afajaddin Ahmed.
2. Rasik Chandra Das.
3. Bashi Mohan Saha.
4. Saiyed Ali.
5. Sukumar Gupta.
6. Satish Chandra Nag.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Sashi Bhushan Bhattacherjee.
2. Kunja Mohan Sirker.
3. Wahed Bux Mia.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1066J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Murapara union board, police-station Rupganj in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Jamini Bhushan Dutta.
2. Nowabali Bhuya.
3. Purna Chandra Chakraverty.
4. Jagabandhu Saha (Baul).
5. Abdul Adud Bhuya.
6. Abdul Aziz.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Ashvini Kumar Chatterjee.
2. Enayetulla Bhuya.
3. Ibrahim Khan.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1067J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Golakandail union board, police-station Rupganj in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Kali Kumar Shome.
2. Gagan Chandra Nama Das.
3. Wazuddin.
4. Mohammed Jaker Bhuya.
5. Hari Prasanna Shome.
6. Jamini Kumar Shome.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Mahim Chandra Mahattam.
2. Ahad Buksh Molla.
3. Sahad Khanshama.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1068J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Araihazar union board, police-station Araihazar, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Jatindra Mohan Bhattacherjee.
2. Madhab Chandra Poddar.
3. Rai Mohan Ghosh, L.M.P.
4. Bashir-ud-din Ahmed.
5. Sarat Chandra Roy Choudhury.
6. Karuna Kumar Roy Choudhury.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Rajendra Narain Rai Choudhury.
2. Rahim Buksh Meah.
3. Abdul Malek Molla.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1069J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Brahmandi union board, police-station Araihazar, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Mohabbat Ulla Bhuya.
2. Ismat Ali.
3. Kulada Chandra Chakravarty.
4. Faizali Bhuya.
5. Babu Makhan Lal Roy.
6. Krishna Kumar Roy.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Kalai Bhuya.
2. Maulvi Abdul Wahed.
3. Nagar Bashi Saha.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1070J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Satgaon union board, police-station Narsingdi in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Satish Chandra Chakraverty.
2. Kazi Afsaruddin Ahmad.
3. Maulvi Abdur Rashid Khan.
4. Gopal Chandra Das Gupta.
5. Sachindra Chandra Gupta.
6. Pratap Chandra Biswas.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Dr. Amiruddin Ahmed.
2. Khoshali Bhuya.
3. Babu Sirish Chandra Chanda.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1071J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Baghaba union board, police-station Shibpur in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Rajendra Kumar Halder.
2. Tasorali Fakir.
3. Abdul Jabbar Bhuya.
4. Eanusali Doctor.
5. Prasanna Kumar Chakraverty.
6. Jagat Chandra Chakraverty.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Dacca, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Abdur Rahim Choudhary.
2. Warish Ali.
3. Asrafali Sirker.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*),

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th February 1924,*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1117G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Shibpur union board in police-station Nabinagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Kamini Kumar Chakravarty.
2. Sashi Kumar Ray.
3. Aminuddin Sarkar.
4. Akhtarazzama Choudhury.
5. Azgar Ali.
6. Gouri Bhusan Ray Choudhury.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Sashi Bhusan Ray Choudhury.
2. Kali Prasanna Ray Choudhury.
3. Swadaddin Choudhury.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1118G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bidyakut (VII) union board in police-station Nabinagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Ambica Charan Ray Barman.
2. Rajani Kumar Bhattacherjee.
3. Keramat Ali Bhuiya.
4. Chand Mia of Ram Chandra Narayan.
5. Narendra Chandra Bhattacherjee.
6. Pramatha Nath Bhattacherjee.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Kunja Behari Ray Barman.
2. Hari Nath Bhattacherjee.
3. Nagendra Lal Choudhury.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1119G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentleman have been duly elected to be members of the Srirampur union board in police-station Nabinagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Mahammad Jharu Mia.
2. Taleb Hossein Ahmed.
3. Ramizuddin.
4. Girish Chandra Bhadra.
5. Hasan Ali Muktar.
6. Hasan Ali Bepari.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Rajani Kanta De.
2. Muzaffar Ali.
3. Afsaruddin.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1120G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Rasullabad union board in police-station Rasullabad, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Beni Madhab Pal.
2. Sadatali Khan.
3. Abdul Ali Bhuiya.
4. Hafizuddin.
5. Tara Prasad Pal.
6. Ebadulla Sarkar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Sabdar Ali Bhuiya.
2. Fazle Ali.
3. Durga Mohan Das Gupta.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1121G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Ibrahimpur union board in police-station Rasullabad, in the Brahmanbaria subdivison of the district of Tippera :—

1. Waseluddin Ahmed
2. Khitish Chandra Ray.
3. Rahimuddin.
4. Mahammad Ama.
5. Nabadwip Chandra Pal
6. Suresh Chandra Bhattacherjee.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Birendra Kumar Banerjee.
2. Nabin Chandra Ray.
3. Mafazzal Hosen.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1122G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Shabazpur union board in police-station Sarail, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Moulvi A. M. Hefzal Bari Choudhury.
2. „ Bashiruddin Ahmed.
3. Babu Jogendra Mohan Nag.
4. Babu Upendra Chandra Chakravarty.
5. Munshi Ali Ahmed.
6. Syed Habibar Rahman.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Moulvi Abu Nasr Mahammad Sadeque.
2. Munshi Zillur Rahman.
3. Palai Chandra Sutradhar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1123G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Shajdapur union board in police-station Sarail, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Rahanulla Bhuiya.
2. Babu Surendra Chandra Bhadra.
3. Munshi Abdul Ali.
4. Naba Kishore Kapali.
5. Rup Chand Sudra.
6. Munshi Abdul Helim Bhuiya.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Ishan Chandra Chakravarty.
2. Munshi Abdul Khalaque Choudhury.
3. Munshi Obaidur Rahman.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1124G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Haripur union board, in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Krishna Prasad Ray Choudhury.
2. „ Radha Gobinda Ray.
3. Munshi Dewan Nawab Ali.
4. Munshi Altafuddin Choudhury.
5. „ Jafar Ali.
6. „ Sekandar Ali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Rokmini Kanta Ray.
2. „ Karunamay Ray.
3. Mir Ashab Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1125G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gokarna union board, in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Sudin Chandra Dhar.
2. „ Hrishikesh Bhattacharjee.
3. „ Raj Chandra Dev.
4. Munshi Syed Shonaulla.
5. Syed Matiar Rahman.
6. Tasaraddin.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Akhoy Kumar Smritisastri Bhattacherjee.
2. Munshi Anjab Ali.
3. Sudam Chandra Biswas.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1126G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Fandauk union board, in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Satish Chandra Dutta Chaudhury.
2. Munshi Nowab Ali Chaudhury.
3. „ Keramat Ali.
4. Munshi Idris Laskar.
5. „ Abdul Gafur.
6. „ Afsaruddin.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Hari Charan Roy.
2. „ Mahim Chandra Das Chaudhury.
3. Munshi Mahammad Yusuff.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1127G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Guniauk union board, in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Moulvi Maswood Ali Mia.
2. Munshi Noajish Ali Bhuiya.
3. Syed Shirajul Hussen.
4. Abdul Gani Mia.
5. Moulvi Molazem Rasul.
6. Babu Durga Das Choudhury.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Gagan Chandra Dev.
2. „ Suresh Chandra Paul.
3. Munshi Mamtazaddin Bhuia.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*)

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1128G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Dharmandal union board, in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Mahammad Hanif Choudhury.
2. Babu Krishna Kumar Chakravarty.
3. Munshi Aftabuddin Choudhury.
4. Kazi Abdul Gafur.
5. Babu Mahim Chandra Dev.
6. Munshi Nur Ali.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Kshetra Mohan Ray.
2. „ Rashik Chandra Bhadra.
3. Munshi Abdul Waheb.

A. W. COOK, *Commissoner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1129G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Sadakpur union board, in police-station Nabinagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Girish Chandra Rakshit.
2. Munshi Nazir Ali Bhuiya.
3. Babu Jogendra Mohan Choudhury.
4. Babu Mono Mohan Choudhury.
5. Munshi Sheik Maniruddin.
6. Babu Krishna Kamal Bhattacherjee.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Sachindra Chakravarty.
2. „ Ramesh Chandra Ray.
3. Munshi Taizaddin.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No 1130G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Natghar union board, in police-station Nabinagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Chandra Kishore Dutta, B.L.
2. „ Nilambar Chakravarty.
3. „ Ramesh Chandra Choudhury.
4. Babu Kali Joy Sen.
5. Munshi Wajaddin.
6. Babu Raj Kumar Dutta.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Jagat Chandra Sarkar.
2. „ Dwarika Nath Bhattacharjee.
3. Munshi Mamud Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG. *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1131G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bitghar union board, in police-station Nabinagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Lal Mia.
2. „ Kafiluddin Sarkar.
3. „ Rehanuddin Bhuiya.
4. Munshi Chand Mia.
5. Babu Ramesh Chandra Bardhan.
6. „ Mohini Mohan Bhattacherjee.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Tralakshya Nath Choudhury.
2. „ Jogendra Chandra Dutta.
3. Munshi Mahmud Zeman Sarkar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1132G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Barikandi union board, in police-station Rasullabad, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Golam Mowla *alias* Chand Mia.
2. „ Nural Haque.
3. „ Ismail.
4. Munshi Jahural Haque.
5. „ Jabbarali Sarkar.
6. „ Keramatali *alias* Moulvi.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Dowa Gazi.
2. „ Abdul Bari.
3. Babu Durga Das Chakravarty.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1133G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Salimabad union board, in police-station Bancharampur, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Bilat Ali Sarkar.
2. Moulvi Abdul Rezak.
3. Munshi Shikdar Mahmud.
4. Munshi Ramizaddin.
5. „ Dil Mahmud.
6. „ Abdul Gani.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Samiruddin.
2. „ Babru Mia.
3. Munshi Ijjat Ali Sarkar.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1134G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentleman have been duly elected to be members of the Noagaon union board, in police-station Sarail, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Rahisuddin.
2. „ Nur Mahammad.
3. „ Golam Rabbani.
4. Munshi Aftabuddin Ahmed.
5. „ Abdur Rahim.
6. „ Abdul Amin.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Prakash Chandra Chakravarty.
2. „ Sailendra Nath Das.
3. Munshi Abdur Rashid Thakur.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1135G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chunta union board in police-station Sarail, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Uday Chandra Bhattacherjee.
2. „ Girish Chandra Dutta.
3. Munshi Arajaddin.
4. Munshi Keramat Ali.
5. „ Abdul Ahad.
6. „ Abdul Majid.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Pratap Chandra Sen I.
2. „ Pratap Chandra Sen II.
3. Babu Aswini Kumar Dev.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1136G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Panishwar union board in police-station Sarail, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Karim Sikdar.
2. „ Kafiluddin Sarkar.
3. „ Abdul Majid.
4. Munshi Kharib Hossen.
5. „ Rusmat Ali.
6. „ Daimulla.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Moulvi Abu Asad Mia.
2. Babu Annada Prasad Roy.
3. Ramdhan Nath.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1137G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Pakshimul union board in police-station Sarail, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Moulvi Mahammad Mazhar.
2. „ Abdur Rahim.
3. Munshi Shona Mia.
4. Munshi Shuruj Ali.
5. „ Abdur Rahman.
6. „ Abbur Rahim.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Kula Chandra Dev.
2. Munshi Abdul Aziz.
3. Munshi Samsuddin.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1138G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Aruail union board in police-station Sarail, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Satish Chandra Singh.
2. „ Bama Charan Adhikary.
3. Moulvi Samiruddin.
4. Munshi Kasemali.
5. „ Mahammadali.
6. „ Mahammad Sadatali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of said union :—

1. Babu Sukh Lal Ray.
2. Abdul Bhuiya.
3. Jay Chandra Das.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1139G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bholakut union board in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Erindaban Biswas Kapali.
2. Babu Rajendra Chandra Gupta.
3. Kshetra Nath Das Shaji.
4. Babu Krishna Das Ray.
5. „ Banka Chandra Ray.
6. Sheik Jafaruddin Talukdar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the foliowing gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Sundar Ali Haji.
2. Ram Kumar Namasudra.
3. Khetra Nath Ghosh.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1140G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nasirnagar union board in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Suresh Chandra Bhadra.
2. „ Jatindra Mohan Ray.
3. „ Prasanna Kumar Dev.
4. Babu Ambika Charan De.
5. „ Bharat Chandra Das.
6. Munshi Syed Matiar Rahman.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of sectiou 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Maulvi Abdul Gafur Choudhury.
2. Munshi Muslim Bhuia.
3. Babu Sachi Nandan Choudhury.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1141 G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Burishwar union board in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Choudhury.
2. „ Hara Mohan Dutta.
3. „ Jay Kumar Dev.
4. Haradhan Namasudra.
5. Gopal Shaji.
6. Ibrahimali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Suresh Chandra Choudhury.
2. Moulvi Mahammad Dilwar Ali.
3. Babu Mahendra Chandra Ray.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1142G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chatalpar union board, in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Banka Behari Ray.
2. „ Hara Krishna Das.
3. „ Lalit Mohan Roy.
4. Babu Nirod Ranjan Pal.
5. Munshi Joad Ali.
6. „ Dost Mahammad.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Krishna Lal Paul.
2. Munshi Abdul Latif.
3. Munshi Kalimuddin.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1143G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Rupasdi union board, in police-station Bancharampur, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Tazamal Ali.
2. Babu Mahim Chandra Ray.
3. „ Kamala Kanta Deb Nath.
4. Babu Ramesh Chandra Ghosh Choudhury.
5. Munshi Maniruddin Bepari.
6. Babu Mahendra Chandra Dev Nath.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Abdul Majid.
2. „ Mogal Mia.
3. Munshi Aftabuddin Sarkar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1144G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Ujanchar union board, in police-station Bancharampur, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Sujat Ali Sarkar.
2. „ Afsaruddin Sarkar.
3. Babu Jaymangal Shaha, B.L.
4. Munshi Aminuddin Mia.
5. „ Mohor Ali.
6. „ Meajan.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Moulvi Jaynal Abdin.
2. Munshi Ali Azgar Mollah.
3. Babu Purna Chandra Bidyaratna.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1145G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Tezkhali union board in police-station Bancharampur, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Mahim Chandra Ghosh.
2. Munshi Jahural Haque.
3. Munshi Rahimuddin Sarkar.
4. Munshi Abdul Kader.
5. Moulvi Aminuddin.
6. Babu Barada Kanta Das.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Shuruz Mia.
2. „ Maniruddin.
3. Munshi Wazaddin.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1146G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chhaifullakandi union board in police-station Bancharampur, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Jogendra Chandra Dutta.
2. Moulvi Abdus Sobhan.
3. Munshi Lal Mia.
4. Munshi Hasanaddi.
5. Babu Paresh Nath Datta.
6. Munshi Alimuddin.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Uzir Ali.
2. Moulvi Nowab Ali.
3. Munshi Tazamul Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1147G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Dariadaulat union board in police-station Bancharampur, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Wares Ali.
2. „ Sultan Mahammad.
3. „ Mahammad Abdul Malek *alias* Manu Mia
4. Munshi Reza Rabbani.
5. „ Alimuddin.
6. „ Amjatali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Moulvi Abdul Gani.
2. Munshi Abdul Aziz.
3. Munshi Akramuddin Sarkar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No 1148G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Harashpur union board in police-station Brahmanbaria, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Taizaddin Hazi.
2. „ Sabarulla Hazi.
3. „ Abdul Ali Sarkar.
4. Munshi Mainuddin Hazi.
5. „ Abdul Gaffur Choudhury.
6. Brajabashi Gope.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Srinath Bhattacharjee.
2. „ Annada Charan Choudhury.
3. Munshi Abdul Gani.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1149G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bayek union board in police-station Kasba, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Mono Mohan Chakravarty.
2. Munshi Abdul Sovan Sarkar.
3. Munshi Isaf Ali Bhuiya.
4. Munshi Ismail.
5. „ Hamid Ali Bhuiya.
6. Babu Uday Chandra Laskar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Pratap Chandra Chakravarty.
2. Munshi Pir Baksha.
3. Babu Bepin Chandra Choudhury.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1150G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Paharpur union board in police-station Brahmanbaria, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district Tippera :—

1. Babu Surendra Chandra Chakravarty.
2. Munshi Amanat Khan.
3. „ Sheik Muslim.
4. Munshi Tamizuddin Khan.
5. Babu Jogendra Chandra Pal Chaudhury.
6. „ Satya Bhusan Chakravarty.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Jnanendra Kumar Dhar.
2. Munshi Sheik Jainuddin.
3. Babu Suresh Chandra Raha.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1151G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kaimpur union board in police-station Kasba, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Sarada Charan Chakravarty.
2. „ Adhar Chandra Sen Gupta.
3. Munshi Elahi Bakhsha Bhuiya.
4. Babu Kali Kamal Dutta.
5. „ Ajodhya Nath Sen Gupta.
6. „ Chandra Mohan Ray Choudhury.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Nural Hafez.
2. Babu Shyam Sundar Saha.
3. Munshi Fateh Ali.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1152G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kalikatcha union board in police-station Sarail, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Mahendra Chandra Nandy.
2. „ Kshetra Nath Dutta.
3. „ Jamini Kumar Chakravarty.
4. Babu Ambika Charan Chakravarty.
5. „ Umesh Chandra Bhattacherjee.
6. „ Ananga Mohan De.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Kali Nath Ray.
2. „ Rokmini Kanta Dutta.
3. Munshi Kadaruddin Ahmed.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1153G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kunda union board in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Saday Chandra Raha.
2. „ Raj Krishna Gupta.
3. „ Raj Mohan Choudhury.
4. Munshi Mukshud Ali.
5. „ Ali Noaz.
6. Ananda Chandra Das Ray.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Shashi Bhusan Dutta.
2. „ Prabhat Chandra Kar.
3. Munshi Garib Hossen Bhuia.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1154G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Goalnagar union board in police-station Nasirnagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Parbati Charan Chakravarty.
2. „ Shiba Charan Das.
3. Ram Charan Ray.
4. Munshi Ful Mia.
5. „ Abdul Mannaf.
6. „ Alaluddin Hazi.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Rajani Kanta Saha.
2. „ Mahabharat Ray.
3. Ram Chand Das.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1155G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nabinagar union board in police-station Nabinagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Jagat Bandhu Banik.
2. „ Radha Charan Roy.
3. „ Bhagaban Chandra Roy.
4. Munshi Syed Ali.
5. Moulvi Fazle Ali Khan, Pleader.
6. Babu Mono Mohan Ray Choudhury.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Gupta.
2. Munshi Sekandar Bepari.
3. Munshi Kahladdin.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1156G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Shyamagram union board in police-station Kasullabad, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Kader.
2. Babu Ananda Kishore Naha.
3. „ Mon Mohan De Bhomick.
4. Babu Bhuban Mohan Ray.
5. Munshi Farkanuddin.
6. Babu Akhil Chandra Roy.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Harendra Kumar Roy.
2. Babu Akhay Kumar Bhattacherjee.
3. Babu Surendra Kumar Dhar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1157G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Ratanpura union board in police-station Rasullabad, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Shaheb Ali.
2. Babu Mono Mohan Ray.
3. Babu Rebati Mohan Ray.
4. Babu Gagan Chandra Namasudra.
5. Babu Hari Mohan Ghosh.
6. Munshi Abdul Majid.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Kazi Munshi Ali Ansar.
2. Kazi Syed Afzal Ali *alias* Kanchan Mia.
3. Munshi Mahammad Wares.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1158G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bancharampur union board in police-station Bancharampur, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Gani.
2. „ Ranat Ali.
3. „ Ibrahim.
4. Munshi Bahadur Ali.
5. „ Jinnat Ali.
6. Moulvi Tamizuddin Ahmed.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Rajani Kanta Das.
2. Munshi Dilwar Ali.
3. Munshi Abdul Alim.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1159G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kuty union board in police-station Kasba, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Phanish Chandra Sinha Ray.
2. Munshi Suruj Mia.
3. Babu Nanda Kumar Das.
4. Munshi Sher Ali Khan.
5. Babu Kailash Chandra Lodh.
6. „ Ishan Chandra Laskar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Pandit Chandroday Bidyabinod.
2. Munshi Abdul Sobhan.
3. Babu Mohini Mohan Das.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1160G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Mulagram union board in police-station Kasba, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Fazlar Rahman Sarkar.
2. „ Wazaddin Bhuia.
3. „ Afsaruddin Sarkar.
4. Munshi Alef Hossen.
5. „ Maijaddin.
6. „ Mantazaddin Bhuiya.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Rebati Moha Chakravarty.
2. „ Jagneswar Sarma.
3. Babu Bharat Chandra Pal.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1161G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Badair union board in police-station Kasba, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Ramesh Chandra Das.
2. Munshi Abdul Wali.
3. „ Abdul Aziz.
4. Munshi Rahim Bux Bhuiya.
5. Babu Akshay Kumar Deb Nath.
6. Munshi Abdul Bari.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Taizaddin Ahmed Nazir.
2. Babu Jogendra Chandra Das.
3. Munshi Tamizuddin Bhuiya.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1162G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Mehary union board in police-station Kasba, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Nikunja Behari Chanda.
2. Babu Mahesh Chandra Bhattacherjee.
3. Munshi Khurshed Ali.
4. Munshi Bande Ali Bhuia.
5. Babu Jagabandhu Sen.
6. Munshi Abdul Sobhan.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Rash Behari Chanda.
2. Babu Devendra Chandra Kar.
3. Babu Brajendra Chandra Pal.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1163G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Dharkhar union board in police-station Kasba, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Kamini Kumar Dutta.
2. Munshi Abdul Nur Hossen Bhuia.
3. Babu Mono Mohan Ray.
4. Munshi Enaetulla Mia.
5. Moulvi Abur Rakib.
6. Munshi Ayatulla Choudhury *alias* Hari Mia Choudhury.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Sasi Kumar Gupta.
2. „ Dwaraka Nath Sen.
3. Babu Chandra Kumar Gope.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No 1164G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gopinathpur union board in police-station Kasba, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Ananda Kishore Choudhury.
2. „ Banga Chandra Datta.
3. Munshi Altaf Ali Choudhury.
4. Munshi Abdul Latif Master.
5. Babu Surendra Kumar Chakravarty.
6. „ Ram Kumar Banik.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Bazlar Rahim Choudhury.
2. „ Majib Ali Bhuiya.
3. Babu Guru Charan Banik.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No 1165G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kaitala union board in police-station Nabinagar, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Prafulla Kumar Ray Choudhury.
2. „ Chandra Madhab Bhattacherjee.
3. „ Abani Mohan Ray Choudhury.
4. Babu Gadadhar Poddar.
5. Munshi Ayat Ali Master.
6. Babu Mon Mohan Ray Choudhury.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Amir Hossen.
2. „ Nasiruddin Sarkar.
3. Munshi Mahammad Faez.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1166G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kalir Bazar (No. 1) union board, in police-station Kotwali, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Ali Ahmed.
2. Munshi Jamsherali Bhuiya.
3. „ Lal Meah Bhuiya.
4. Munshi Basaruddin Bhuiya.
5. „ Afsaruddin Bhuiya.
6. Maulvi Abdul Gani.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Chandi Charan Bhowmik.
2. „ Nanda Kumar Kar.
3. Munshi Sadarajjaman Bhuiya.

A. *N.* COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1167G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Durgapur (No. 2) union board, in police station Kotwali, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Upendra Chandra Sinha Roy.
2. Munshi Abbas Ali Sadar.
3. „ Muhammad Gowas Ali.
4. Munshi Ali Neaj.
5. „ Hamid Ali.
6. „ Muhammad Wali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Bepin Behari Nag.
2. Munshi Abdul Gani Bhuiya.
3. Munshi Abdul Hamid.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th Feburary 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1168 G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Amratali (No. 3) union board, in police-station Kotwali, in the south Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Latif.
2. „ Reazaddin Ahmed.
3. „ Noabali Muhuri.
4. Babu Kartik Chandra Saha.
5. Munshi Azimaddin Sarkar.
6. „ Sufarali Meah.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Ram Kumar Shaha.
2. „ Basanta Kumar Sutradhar.
3. Munshi Chand Mea.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1169-G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Panchthupi (No. 4) union board, in police-station Kotwali, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Asalat Khan.
2. Babu Gagan Chandra Chakraverty.
3. Munshi Apsaruddin Ahamed Majumder.
4. Munshi Jinnat Ali.
5. „ Haridhan Bhuiya.
6. „ Hasan Ali.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Abdul Gafur.
2. Babu Joy Kumar Chakraverty.
3. Babu Monomohan Nandy, B.A.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN, CHITTAGONG, *the 23th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1170G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Jaganathpur (No. 5) union board, in police-station Kotwali, in the Sadar south subdivison of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Khetra Mohan Nath Bhowmik.
2. Maulvi Ali Ahamed Chowdhury.
3. Babu Bepin Behari Jyotishastry.
4. Munshi Jharu Meah Majumdar.
5. Babu Kartick Chandra Shaha.
6. Munshi Apsaruddin.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Jogendra Chandra Lascar.
2. Munshi Makbul Ahamed.
3. Munshi Fazarali Majumdar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1171G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Galiara (No. 6) union board, in police-station Kotwali, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Debendra Chandra Bhattacharya.
2. Munshi Rajjabali Majumdar.
3. „ Abdul Kader Chowdhury.
4. Babu Satish Chandra Majumdar.
5. Munshi Amjad Majumdar,
6. „ Manu Mia Majumdar

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Sarat Chandra Chakraberty.
2. „ Sashi Mohan Kulal.
3. Munshi Ashrafali Majumdar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1172G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chowara (No. 7) union board, in police-station Kotwali, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Muhammad Rosan Mazumdar.
2. „ Ahmedali Mazumdar.
3. „ Muhammad Fayez.
4. Munshi Mujafar Hossein Chowdhury.
5. Maulvi Basaratali Khondkar.
6. Munshi Anis Ahmed Chowdhury.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Abdul Gani Majumdar.
2. Babu Rajani Kanta Chakrabertty.
3. Babu Tarak Chandra Kar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No 1173G —Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bijoypur (No. 8) union board, in police-station Kotwali, in the south Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Isobali.
2. „ Rahamatali.
3. „ Hasanali.
4. Babu Nagarbashi Nath.
5. Kazi Basiraddin Ahmed.
6. Munshi Chandmia Bhuiya.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Prasanna Kumar Chakrabertty.
2. Maulvi Kalimulla.
3. Munshi Asrabali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1174G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Barapara (No. 9) union board, in police-station Kotwali, in the south Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Basarat Ali Majumder.
2. „ Muhammad Korash Majumder.
3. „ Julfeali Majumder.
4. Munshi Tamijaddin Mea.
5. „ Afsaraddin Majumder.
6. „ Muhammad Raja Chowdhury.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Har Chandra Sutradhar.
2. „ Rash Behari Das.
3. Babu Radha Charan Pal.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1175G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Jorkaran (No. 10) union board, in police-station Kotwali, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Mir Ahmad Chowdhury.
2. Babu Mahim Chandra Lashkar.
3. Munshi Alkash Mea.
4. Munshi Anu Mea.
5. „ Halal Gazi Majumdar.
6. „ Mahmad Ashak.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Gagan Chandra Das Majumdar.
2. Babu Kailash Chandra Das Bhuiya.
3. Munshi Nuraddin.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1176G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Madhabpur (No. 1) union board, in police-station Burichong, in the south Sadar sub-division of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Kader.
2. „ Afsaraddin.
3. Babu Nabin Chandra Lodh.
4. Munshi Imamoddin Akhan.
5. Babu Purnachandra Nandi.
6. „ Debendra Chandra Deb.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Abdul Gani.
2. Babu Basanta Kumar Lodh.
3. Babu Jatindra Kumar Dhar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*Offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1177G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chandla (No. 2) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the south Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Hilaluddin Sarkar.
2. „ Afsaraddin Sarkar.
3. „ Ahmaddin Sarkar.
4. Munshi Hasanali Sarkar.
5. „ Maynal Hossein Sarkar.
6. „ Jamaluddin Sarkar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Karimbaksha Bhuiya.
2. Babu Nabin Chandra Chakrabertty.
3. Babu Jamini Kumar Das.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1178G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Sasidal (No. 3) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the south Sadar sub-division of th e district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Paresh Chandra Sen.
2. „ Hem Chandra Sen.
3. „ Tarak Chandra Chowdhury.
4. Munshi Bandeali.
5. „ Nazimali.
6. „ Mahamed Iyasin.

2. Und er sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to b e members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Abidali Hazi.
2. Munshi Nazir Mahammed.
3. Babu Jatindra Ch. Chowdhury.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1179 G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Brahmanpara (No. 4) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the Sadar south sub-division of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Aziz.
2. „ Moynal Hossain Bhuiya.
3. „ Tafazzal Hossain Bhuiya.
4. Babu Prabhat Chandra Ghosh.
5. „ Bepin Chandra Ghosh.
6. Munshi Asgorali Bhuiya.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Chandra Kumar Chakrabertty.
2. Babu Kamini Kumar Kar.
3. Munshi Baksha Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1180G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Shahebabad (No. 5) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the Sadar south sub-division of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Jinnat Ali Bhuiya.
2. Babu Upendra Chandra Deb.
3. Munshi Apsaraddin Bhuiya.
4. Munshi Bande Ali.
5. „ Jahiraddin Bhuiya.
6. Babu Kunja Mohan Chakrabertty.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Nagendra Chandra Bhattacharya.
2. Munshi Akamat Ali Bhuiya.
3. „ Azimaddin.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1181G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Rajapur (No. 6) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Purna Chandra Bhattacharya.
2. Munshi Ajgar Ali.
3. „ Ajgar Ali.
4. Babu Prasanna Kumar Roy.
5. Munshi Junab Ali.
6. „ Torab Ali Bhuiya.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union:—

1. Babu Sarada Charan Tarkatirtha.
2. Munshi Abdul Aziz.
3. Babu Jatindra Chandra Kabyatirtha.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1182G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Burichang (No. 7) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Hari Prasanna Chakrabertty.
2. Munshi Lal Mea.
3. Babu Akshoy Kumar Das.
4. Babu Aswini Kumar Gan.
5. Munshi Moidhar Gazi Hazi.
6. Babu Harendra Chandra Bhattacharyya.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Lal Mea.
2. „ Abdul Rahim.
3. Babu Surendra Kumar Bhattacharyya.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1183G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bharella (No. 8) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the south Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Govinda Chandra Nath Bhowmik.
2. Munshi Reajaddin.
3. Munshi Ali Neoaj.
4. Babu Fedu Chandra Nath Bhowmik.
5. Munshi Anjatali.
6. Munshi Kalamaddin.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Doctor Madhab Chandra De.
2. Munshi Munsar Ali Bhuiya.
3. Munshi Mahamed Fazil.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1184G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Mokam (No. 9) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Abdul Karim.
2. Rupchandra Bhowmik.
3. Sekh Harai.
4. Jahabux Hazi.
5. Rahamatali.
6. Kalamaddin Bhuiya.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Giris Chandra Datta.
2. „ Mahim Chandra Bhowmik.
3. Munshi Asadat Bhuiya.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1185G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Moinamati (No. 10) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the south Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Lakshi Kanta Adhikari.
2. „ Chandra Mohan Roy.
3. „ Chandra Kumar Datta.
4. Munshi Lalmia Bhuiya.
5. Babu Dwarka Nath Datta.
6. „ Rajani Kanta Chakrabertty.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Gagan Chandra Nath Bhowmik.
2. Munshi Aktavejama Khandkar.
3. „ Aptaraddin Master.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1186G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Solanal (No. 11) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Mohesh Chandra Poddar.
2. Munshi Md. Fazil.
3. „ Shujatali.
4. Babu Chandrashekhar Sen Biswas.
5. Munshi Shekandar Ali.
6. „ Lal Meah.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Mahim Chandra Nath.
2. Munshi Shahabaddin.
3. Babu Gagan Chandra Saha.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No 1187G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Paksimul (No. 12) union board, in police-station Burichang, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Aliazzam Muhuri.
2. „ Jinnat Ali.
3. „ Faizaddin Kazi.
4. Munshi Abdul Aziz.
5. „ Syed Afajuddin.
6. Babu Sanatan De.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Kula Chandra Gupe.
2. „ Chandra Kumar Chakrabertty.
3. Munshi Chandmia Chowdhury.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1188G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bagmara (No. 1) union board, in the police-station Laksham, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera.

1. Asimaddin Ahmed.
2. Basir Mamud Bhuiya.
3. Ramjan Ali.
4. Bujlar Rahman Majumdar.
5. Isan Chandra Pal.
6. Krishna Kumar Sarmail Lolai.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Girish Chandra Roy Chowdhury.
2. „ Dwarkanath Gupta.
3. Babu Harimohan Pal.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1189 G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Ghulani (union II) union board, in police-station Laksam, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Fazler Rahman Kazi.
2. „ Nozomaddin Ahmed.
3. „ Muhammad Kala Mea
4. Munshi Muhammad Foyez.
5. „ Basaruddin Mojumdar.
6. „ Kazimoddin Ahmed.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Gagan Chandra Chowdhury.
2. Munshi Ahmed Ali Mojumdar.
3. Munshi Chand Mea.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1190G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Perul (No. 3) union board in police-station Laksam in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Gani Bhuiya.
2. „ Basiraddin Meaji.
3. Babu Sarada Prasanna Majumder.
4. Babu Jagat Chandra Shaha.
5. Munshi Lal Mea.
6. Babu Mohesh Chandra Shaha.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Amar Krishna Das.
2. Babu Kailash Chandra Roy.
3. Munshi Asraf Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.)*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924*.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1191G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Belghar (union VIII), union board, in police-station Laksam, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Rahimuddin Mojumdar.
2. „ Makku Mea Mojumdar.
3. „ Azimoddin.
4. Munshi Soforali Bhuiya.
5. „ Jutfo Ali Majumdar.
6. Wahed Ali Munshi.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union ;—

1. Munshi Ahmed Ali.
2. Babu Jagat Chandra Mojumdar.
3. Babu Kshirode Chandra Das.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.)*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924*.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1192G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bakai, (No. 4), union board in police-station Laksam, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Khirode Chandra Bhowmick.
2. Munshi Fazler Rahaman.
3. „ Muhammad Anich.
4. Munshi Akubali Majumder.
5. „ Ramijaddin Ahmed.
6. „ Aminoddin.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Abdul Aziz.
2. Babu Tarak Chandra Bhowmick.
3. Babu Nabin Chandra Sinha.

A. W COOK, *Commissioner (offg.)*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924*.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1193G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919) the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nangolkot (union No. X), union board, in police-station Laksam, in the Sadar (south) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Muhammad Ashrof Chaudhury.
2. Munshi Arober Rahman.
3. „ Muhammad Sherafotulla.
4. Munshi Osman Ali.
5. „ Bodu Mea.
6. „ Moniruddin Bhuiya.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Bijoy Chandra Mazumdar.
2. „ Chandrakumar Das Bhowmik.
3. Babu Akshoy Kumar Sen.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th Feburary 1924.*

NOTIFICATION

No. 1194G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Ultadda (No. 11) union board in police-station Laksham in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Giris Chandra Roy Chowdhuri.
2. Haji Md. Abdul Jabbar.
3. Taraprasanna Sen Gupta.
4. Yusufali Meaji.
5. Asgarali Majumdar.
6. Noabali.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Tarani Charan Chakrabertty.
2. Munshi Roshanali Pandit.
3. Munshi Mahammed Navazzama Pandit.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1195G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gobindapur (union No. XII) union board in police-station Laksam in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Probodh Chandra Roy.
2. Munshi Muhammad Ali Mojumdar.
3. Babu Harinarayan Roy.
4. Babu Kushi Chandra Sinha.
5. „ Jatindra Kumar Chakraverty.
6. „ Kali Kumar Sarma.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Abdul Latif.
2. „ Rehanaddin.
3. Munshi Tamijaddin Meaji.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN. CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION

No. 1196G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Lakshanpur (No. 15) union board, in police-station Laksam, in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Muhammad Hasan Choudhury.
2. Munshi Muhammad Jitu Mea.
3. „ Lakiyatulla Mea.
4. Munshi Hamidulla Patari.
5. Babu Jugal Krisna Das.
6. Munshi Golam Hosan Patari.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Robini Kumar Saha.
2. Munshi Basaratulla.
3. Babu Guru Charan Debnath Majumdar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1197G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gollar (union VIII) union board in police-station Chandina in the Sadar south subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Haranath Roy.
2. Munshi Hamid Mea.
3. Ismail Munshi.
4. Munshi Azizoddin Ahmed.
5. Babu Shib Charan Poddar.
6. Munshi Abdul Aziz Majumdar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Sarada Charan Das.
2. „ Bepin Behari Roy.
3. Munshi Nawabali Majumdar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1198G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919) the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Barkeri (No. IX) union board in police-station Chandina in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Tafajjalali Chaudhuri.
2. Noabali Mea.
3. Alimaddin.
4. Munshi Yusufali.
5. Basanta Kumar Majumdar.
6. Jagat Chandra Sen Gupta.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Chandra Kumar Sinha.
2. Babu Girish Chandra Das.
3. Munshi Fazar Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1199G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919) the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Jhalam (No. X) union board, in police-station Chandina, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Akshay Kumar Dutt.
2. Munshi Ramjan Sardar.
3. Babu Purna Chandra Pal.
4. Munshi Derasat Ali Chaudhuri.
5. Babu Ram Kumar Acharyya.
6. „ Nityananda Sarcar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Tarini Charan Das.
2. Munshi Neyamat Khan Pathan.
3. Munshi Muhammad Jan.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1200G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Adda (No. XIV) union board, in police-station Chandina, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Najimali Munshi.
2. Umedali Miji.
3. Md. Akramali Haji.
4. Rajjabali Bepari.
5. Ahammadali Amin.
6. Torabali Pandit.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Madhob Chandra Sarma.
2. „ Koilash Chandra Banikya.
3. Babu Chandra Madhab Surma.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 471L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Somra union board in Balagarh police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.		Names of members.
I	...	1. Babu Bhujendra Nath Biswas.
II	...	2. Babu Baloram Sil.
III	...	3. Babu Panchanon Ghose.
IV	...	4. Babu Saraj Kumar Banerji.
V	...	5. Babu Satya Pado Sil.
VI	...	6. Babu Indoopati Mukherjee.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Rai Sahib Durga Charan Chakravarty.
2. Babu Munindra Mohan Sen.
3. M. Wahed Bux.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 28th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 465L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Mogra union board in Mogra police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.		Names of members.
I	...	1. Babu Naran Chandra Ghosal.
II	...	2. Babu Sudhir Kumar Mukherjee.
III	...	3. Babu Chandra Bhusan Ghose.
IV	...	4. Babu Ram Kinkar Jas.
V	...	5. Babu Charan Tulsi Kundoo.
VI	...	6. Abdul Latib Mondal.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Manmatha Nath Ghosh.
2. „ Satya Charan Sho.
3. Sheik Abdul Motleb.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 28th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 468L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Dasghara union board in Dhaniakhali police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.		Names of members.
I	...	1. Babu Kumod Nath Bose. 2. „ Rakhal Das Bose.
II	...	3. Babu Jogendra Nath Mitra.
III	...	4. Babu Norendra Krishna Biswas.
IV	...	5. Babu Gosto Behari Ghose. 6. „ Halodhar Pal.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Nityananda Sarkar.
2. „ Hemanta Kumar Saha.
3. Abu Bakkar.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 28th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 398L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 39 of the rules for election and appointment of members of union boards, Tafzilla Rahim has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Burdwan to be a member of the Gopalbera union board in Khandaghosh police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Harihar Ray, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 19th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 401L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 39 of the rules for election and appointment of members of union boards, Kazi Abdul Salamat has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Burdwan to be a member of the Nabastha union board in Satgachia police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Burdwan, *vice* Kazi Abdul Karim, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 19th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1147J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, Babu Nilambar Saha has been appointed to be a member of the Sabhar union board in Sabhar police-station in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Dacca, *vice* Babu Akshay Kumar Saha, resigned.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 28th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1149J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, Munshi Uzir Hazi has been appointed to be a member of the Dhamrai union board in Dhamrai police-station in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Dacca, *vice* Maulvi Hazratali, deceased.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 28th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1151J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, Munshi Mahammed Osman has been elected to be a member of the Birolia union board, in Sabhar police-station in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Dacca, *vice* Mahammed Soleiman Munshi, deceased.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 28th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1205G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Char Nilkamal union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Mantazaddin.
2. „ Hashan Ali Paik.
3. „ Ayub Ali Haji.
4. Munshi Adam Ali Majhi.
5. „ Madhu Ukil.
6. „ Misir Ali Majhi.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Naba Kumar Sarker.
2. Munshi Ead Ali Sarker.
3. Babu Rup Chand Mridha.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG. *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 91L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Dariapur union board in the police-station of Sripur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Muhammad Yousuf Biswas.
2. Babu Murari Mohon Roy.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Kedar Nath Sikdar.
2. Munshi Reazuddin Molla.
3. Babu Keturam Joardar.
4. Munshi Abdul Wahed.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Munshi Abdur Rahim Molla.
2. Babu Hari Charan Biswas.
3. Munshi Forman Khan.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 92L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Mahammadpur union board in the police-station of Mahammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Benode Behary Chakraverty.
2. Babu Jagat Pandhu Rai.
3. Munshi Meher Molla.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Kedar Nath Thakurta.
2. Munshi Abdul Karim Kazi.
3. Babu Abinash Chandra Sen Gupta

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Munshi Iman Ali Nikari.
2. Mir Jabbar Ali.
3. Babu Debendra Nath Bose.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 93L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Balidia union board in the police-station of Mahammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Shasi Bhusan Sarkar.
2. Munshi Abdul Khairat Mia.
3. Munshi Lokman Mridha.
4. Babu Akhil Chandra Saha.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Sabdu Sardar.
2. Babu Atul Chandra Sarkar.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Kazi Habibar Rahman.
2. Munshi Bahadur Sardar.
3. Munshi Abdul Mazid Mia.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 94L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bana union board in the police-station of Mahammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Abdul Gaffur Khan.
2. Munshi Abdul Razzak Khan.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Chandra Kanta Roy.
2. „ Tara Prasanna Roy.
3. Babu Ram Charan Saha.
4. Munshi Latful Hakim.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Babu Sita Nath Ghosh.
2. Munshi Mahammad Hafez.
3. Babu Khirod Shai Bhattacharyya.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 95L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentleman has been duly elected to be a member of the Arpara union board in the police-station of Salikha in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Aftabuddin Biswas.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Nalini Kanta Biswas.
2. „ Hrid Kamal Biswas.
3. „ Doyal Chand Biswas.
4. Munshi Wares Biswas.
5. „ Mokammel Sikdar *alias* Gopal Sikdar.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Babu Behari Lal Chakraverty.
2. Munshi Mohutapuddin Biswas.
3. Babu Bhusan Chandra Biswas.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 96L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Salikha union board in the police-station of Salikha in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Aghore Nath Acharjya.
2. ,, Charu Chandra Das.
3. Babu Sachindra Lal Bakshi.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Dwijaraj Mukherjee.
2. Munshi Esharat Sikdar.
3. Munshi Abbas Sikdar.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Babu Sudhamoy Bose.
2. Munshi Hesamuddin.
3. Babu Ram Lal Kundu.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 97L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Talkhari union board in the police-station of Salikha in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Fazar Mandal.
2. Munshi Abdur Rashid *alias* Lal Mia.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of said union board :—

1. Babu Ram Lal Biswas.
2. ,, Bijoy Kumar Sen.
3. Babu Sibadas Bhattacharjya.
4. Munshi Umed Ali Khondkar.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Babu Kumaresh Chandra Bhattacharjya.
2. Munshi Panju Biswas.
3. Babu Prasanna Kumar Biswas.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 98L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentleman has been duly elected to be member of the Gayespur union board in the police-station of Sripur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Arshad Ali.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of said union board :—

1. Babu Mohendra Nath Das.
2. „ Sarat Chandra Chakraverty.
3. „ Mahim Chandra Biswas.
4. Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen.
5. „ Banka Behary Bose.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Babu Mati Lal Roy.
2. Munshi Abbas Shekh.
3. Babu Ful Charan Kundu.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 99L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentleman has been duly elected to be member of the Dhaneswargati union board in the police-station of Salikha in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Sasi Bhusan Mozumdar.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of said union board :—

1. Babu Keshab Lal Ghosh.
2. „ Rai Charan Mandal.
3. „ Jagweswar Nandi.
4. Munshi Akhez Molla.
5. „ Hadek Biswas.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Munshi Tofazuddin Khan.
2. Babu Kartik Chandra Biswas.
3. Babu Radha Charan Biswas.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 100L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kasundi union board in the police-station of Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Bhagabat Biswas.
2. Munshi Menhajuddin Ahmed.
3. Munshi Golam Asrof.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of said union board :—

1. Babu Kshetra Nath Datta.
2. „ Rajani Kanta Bhattacharyya.
3. Babu Sarat Chandra Bose.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Munshi Jaker Molla.
2. ,, Mahammed Omed Molla.
3. Munshi Ahmed Hossain Khan.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 101L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Atharakhada union board in the police-station of Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Tara Pada Bhattacharjee.
2. ,, Surendra Nath Chakravarty.
3. Babu Dutiram Tikadar.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Nural Islam.
2. Babu Panchanan Ghosh.
3. Babu Sri Gopal Chatterjee.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Munshi Abdul Gani.
2. Babu Dwijendra Sankar Sen.
3. Babu Gour Chandra Biswas.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 102L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Dariapur union board in the police-station of Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Aswini Kumar Sarkar.
2. ,, Bani Charan Jourdar.
3. Babu Bhamesh Chandra Mozumdar.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of said union board :—

1. Hazi Khadem Hossain Jourdar.
2. Mir Hashmat Ali.
3. Munshi Esmail Hoshen Biswas.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Babu Jatirmoy Mazumdar.
2. Munshi Hashem Molla.
3. Munshi Afzal Hoshen Mia.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 103L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Maghi union board in the police-station of Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Mahiuddin Mandal.
2. Babu Gopal Chandra Chakraverty.
3. Munshi Chenimahmud Molla.
4. ,, Menhajuddin Biswas.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Dwarika Nath Ghattak. 2. Babu Hara Lal Bose.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above named union board :—

1. Munshi Golam Hosain Biswas. 3. Babu Bidhu Bhusan Chakraverty.
2. „ Reazuddin Biswas.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 104 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Jagdal union board in the police-station of Magura in the Magura subdivision of Jessore district :—

1. Babu Harendra Nath Bose. 2. Babu Charu Chandra Ghosh.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Prafulla Chandra Sanyal. 3. Munshi Mahammad Satkhari Molla.
2. „ Bishnu Charan Bose. 4. „ Korman Khan.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Munshi Maizuddin Sikdar. 3. Munshi Beram-Uddin Biswas.
2. Babu Rasik Lal Sikdar.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 105 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gopalgram union board in the police-station of Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Muhammad Serajul Huq. 2. Babu Krishna Lal Bose.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Abinash Chandra Bose. 3. Munshi Meher Molla.
2. „ Gopal Chahdra Bhattacharjya. 4. „ Hekmotulla Molla.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Babu Jadu Lal Mitra. 3. Munshi Panch Kari Molla.
2. Munshi Romjan Molla.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1053G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bishnupur union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Golam Mostafa Choudhury.
2. „ Abdul Latif Mia.
3. Babu Prasanna Kumar Sirkir.
4. Maulvi Md. Wahed Baksha.
5. Munshi Golam Rahaman Choudhury.
6. Md. Hanif Patari.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Hemanta Kumar Chakrabarty.
2. „ Prabhat Chandra Adhikari.
3. Munshi Shamsher Ali Golder.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1054G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Ashikati union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Jagatbandhu Chakrabarty.
2. „ Nil Kanta Misra.
3. „ Jamini Mohan Sinha.
4. Babu Nishi Kanta Roy.
5. „ Jogneswar Bardhan.
6. Munshi Ahmad Mal.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Maulvi Abdul Jalil.
2. Munshi Isobali Sikder.
3. Munshi Hamid Ali Patari.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1055G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Rampur union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Anwarulla Khan.
2. Munshi Basiruddin Taluqdar.
3. „ Haider Ali Patari.
4. Babu Kali Mohon Chowdhury.
5. „ Kali Narayan Pandit.
6. „ Kali Prasanna Das Gupta.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Asrafali Patari.
2. „ Mahamed Wajaddin Patari.
3. Babu Gobinda Chandra Bardhan.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1056G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Torpurchandi union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Mahabbatali Patari.
2. „ Mahamadali Akhan.
3. „ Haiderali.
4. Babu Mahendra Kumar Dutt.
5. Munshi Sayed Kala Mia.
6. Babu Prasanna Kumar Dutt.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Abdul Waheb Khan.
2. „ Mahamad Siddique Rahman.
3. Babu Sarada Mohan Roy.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1057G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Balia union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Salamatullah Khan.
2. Babu Nibaran Chandra Roy.
3. Munshi Imamuddin Miji.
4. Munshi Panaulla Miji.
5. Babu Rash Behari Sinha Roy.
6. „ Lal Mohan Roy.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Wajaddin Miji.
2. Maulvi Md. Abdul Wahed.
3. Babu Gagan Chandra Das.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1058G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Sakhua union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Sadat Ali.
2. Munshi Amjad Akhan.
3. Haji Jafar Khan.
4. Munshi Arman Khan.
5. „ Abdul Akhan.
6. „ Omar Ali Miji.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Ananda Chandra Chaudhury.
2. „ Hara Prasanna Chakrabarty.
3. Babu Satish Chandra Chakrabarty.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*)

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1059G.—Under sub section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Ibrahimpur union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Ramani Mohan Pal Chaudhury.
2. Munshi Matborali Bala.
3. Babu Annada Charan Chakrabarty.
4. Babu Adwait Chandra Pal.
5. Munshi Kala Gazi.
6. Babu Srinath Pal Chaudhury.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Md. Bepari.
2. „ Azimaddin Haldar.
3. Babu Jatindra Nath Dutta.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1060G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Hanarchar union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Kadir.
2. Babu Mati Lal Majumdar.
3. „ Peary Mohan De.
4. Munshi Rajjobali Sardar.
5. Babu Prasantha Kumar Pal.
6. „ Prasanna Kumar De.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Kadir Baksha Bepari.
2. „ Aminaddin Patari.
3. Munshi Abdul Jabbor Sheikh.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1061G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gazipur union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Minnot Ali Choukidar.
2. Babu Ramani Mohon Kundo.
3. Munshi Dullov Majhi.
4. Babu Rajani Kanta Das.
5. Munshi Golam Ali Talukdar.
6. „ Abdul Hamid Dewan.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Abdul Alim Choudhuri.
2. „ Jamiruddin Haoladar.
3. Babu Nirod Mohan Das Gupta

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1062G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Hime char union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Eakubali Sirkar.
2. „ Jobed Ali Gazi.
3. „ Babar Ali Bepari.
4. Munshi Md. Saiyal.
5. „ Adam Ali Mal.
6. Babu Bhagaban Chandra Majumdar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Harendra Lal Kundo.
2. Munshi Matbor Haji.
3. Munshi Abdul Jobber Molla.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1063G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Algi Durgapur union board in police-station Chandpur in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Guru Charan De.
2. „ Kandarpa Mohon Roy.
3. Munshi Hamidulla Khan.
4. Munshi Abdul Rahim Patari.
5. Maulvi Abdul Gafur.
6. Munshi Nur Baksa Patari.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Tamijuddin Mallik.
2. Babu Kailash Chandra Golder.
3. Babu Radha Gobinda Nath.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1064G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Shaitnal union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Surendra Kumar Chanda Choudhury.
2. Munshi Goznafar Ali Sarker.
3. „ Abdul Jalil Dhali.
4. Munshi Cherag Ali.
5. „ Md. Noab Ali.
6. „ Abdur Rahim Sirker.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Md. Abdul Sirker.
2. Babu Mon Mohon Pal.
3. Babu Nabin Chandra Shaha.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION

No. 1065G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Sadullapur union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Ashrafali Mia.
2. „ Serajuddin Bhuiya.
3. „ Beru Sirkir.
4. Munshi Ashrafali Sirkir.
5. „ Noab Ali Sirkir.
6. „ Isobali Sirkir.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union: —

1. Munshi Abdul Jabbar.
2. Babu Nanda Kumar Nath.
3. Babu Bharat Chandra Sirkir.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1066G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Durgapur union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Md. Sadeque Choudhury.
2. „ Madassar Husain Choudhury.
3. „ Md. Abid Choudhury.
4. Maulvi Md. Hosain Mia.
5. „ Azizullah Mia.
6. „ Abbas Mia.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Ijjat Ali Dewan.
2. Babu Jagat Chandra Sirkir.
3. Babu Bhagaban Chandra Chakrabarty.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1067G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Mohonpur union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Nazimaddin Sirker.
2. „ Abdul Hamid.
3. „ Abdul Gony Sirkir.
4. Munshi Misir Ali Kazi.
5. „ Md. Tajamhal Ali.
6. „ Mahabbat Ali.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Baksa Ali Sirkir.
2. „ Md. Safi Patari.
3. Babu Hari Mohon Saha.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1068G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nasirar Kandi union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Md. Idris Mia.
2. „ Sabiulla Sirkir.
3. „ Eakubali Sirkir.
4. Munshi Anwar Ali.
5. „ Intajuddin Sirkir.
6. „ Mahar Ali Pradhania.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Ibrahim.
2. Babu Rajani Kanta Manjhi.
3. Babu Krishto Chandra Sirkir.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1069G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Eklashpur union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Anwarali Mia.
2. „ Otaraddin Sirkir.
3. „ Ekbaluddin Mia.
4. Munshi Anwarali Sirkir Howaldar.
5. Babu Parbati Charan Sirkir.
6. Munshi Jalaluddin Ahmed.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Judhistir Chandra Halder.
2. Munshi Sefatullah.
3. Munshi Mafizaddin Sirkir.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1070G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Fatepur union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Delwar Ali Ahmed Choudhury.
2. „ Serajuddin Sirkir.
3. „ Mahamad Jahu Baksha Sirkir,
4. Babu Surendra Kumar Sirkir.
5. Munshi Abdul Gafur Sirkir.
6. „ Chand Baksha Choudhury.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Imdad Ullah Mia.
2. „ Azimuddin.
3. Munshi Noab Ali Sirkir.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1071G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Char Kalia union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Lal Chand Tapadar.
2. Munshi Basarat Ali Sirkir.
3. „ Shariot Ali Miji.
4. Munshi Ekbaluddin Sirkir.
5. „ Haji Aftabuddin Sirkir.
6. Babu Mon Mohan Mukhuty.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Iswar Chandra Biswas.
2. Munshi Shafar Ali.
3. Munshi Kafiladdin Dewan.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1072G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Matlab union board in police station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Anukul Chandra Guha.
2. Munshi Abdul Latif Mia.
3. „ Keramatali Amin.
4. Maulvi Mukbul Ahmed.
5. Munshi Jobborali Pradhania.
6. „ Afizuddin Sirkir.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Srish Chandra Majumder.
2. „ Lalit Mohon Saha.
3. Babu Srinath Gope.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1073G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Islamabad union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Miajan Sirkir.
2. „ Noabali Sirkir.
3. „ Fazorali Sirkir.
4. Babu Mohini Mohon Sirkir.
5. Munshi Baksha Ali Sirkir.
6. „ Bilat Ali Sirkir.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Hari Charan Das.
2. „ Devendra Kumar Das.
3. Munshi Uzir Ali Sirkir.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1074G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nayergaon union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Mafizuddin Patari.
2. „ Amanaddin Sirkir.
3. „ Samiraddin Patari.
4. Munshi Golam Ali Patari.
5. Babu Ananga Mohon Das Gupta.
6. „ Sib Chandra Mallik.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Afizaddin Patari.
2. „ Kalai Pradhania.
3. Munshi Hafizuddin Sirkir.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1075G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Narayanpur union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Farizaddin Ahmed.
2. „ Hafezuddin Patari.
3. „ Arab Ali Dhali.
4. Munshi Amjad Ali Majumder.
5. „ Nur Baksha Sirkir.
6. „ Ibrahim Dhali.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Bhagaban Chandra Talukder.
2. „ Ananda Chandra Sirkir.
3. Babu Ananda Mohon Choudhury.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1076G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Upadhi union board in police-station Matlabganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Hoque Pradhania.
2. „ Md. Reza Mia.
3. Babu Kali Kumar Sirkir.
4. Munshi Mahamad Noabali Pradhania.
5. Maulvi Imamaddin.
6. „ Abdul Hamid.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Sashi Kumar Sirkir.
2. Munshi Abdul Bakaul.
3. Munshi Mia Raja Patari.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1077G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Baliathuba union board in police-station Faridganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Imanali Patwari.
2. „ Ayubali Choudhury.
3. Babu Prasanna Kumar Lodh.
4. Munshi Hamidali Miaji.
5. Babu Girish Chandra Chaudhury.
6. „ Mohendra Kumar Dutta.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Maulvi Abdul Jabbor.
2. Babu Gobinda Chandra Shaha Roy.
3. Munshi Md. Easin Talukdar.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1078G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Subidpur union board in police-station Faridganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Isob Ali Chaudhury.
2. ,, Abbas Ali Patari.
3. Babu Ram Narayan Bepari.
4. Babu Gobinda Chandra Sarma.
5. Munshi Afsaraddin Patari.
6. Babu Syam Sunder Poddar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Satish Chandra Dutta.
2. Maulvi Imam Hossein.
3. Munshi Abdul Samad Chaudhury.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1079G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gupti union board in police-station Faridganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Tarini Charan Sinha Roy.
2. ,, Mohesh Chandra Shaha.
3. ,, Mothura Mohan Shaha.
4. Munshi Ali Mia.
5. ,, Maniraddin Mia.
6. ,, Sadak Ali Patwari.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Haider Ali.
2. ,, Nurbaksa Patwari.
3. Babu Karuna Kumar Chakrabarty.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1080G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Paikpara union board in police-station Faridganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Jogneswar Bose.
2. Haji Salamatulla Bhuiya.
3. Munshi Umded Raja Patari.
4. Haji Abdul Karim Patari.
5. Munshi Samiraddin Ahmed.
6. Babu Bepin Behari Guha.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Syama Charan Dutta.
2. Munshi Afsaraddin Pandit.
3. Haji Nur Baksha.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1081G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gobindapur union board in police-station Faridganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Amanaddin Patari.
2. „ Nasaraddin Talukdar.
3. Babu Bhagirath Chandra Sinha.
4. Munshi Anwarali Pandit.
5. „ Foizanali Bepari.
6. „ Wajaddin Patwari.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Haider Baksha Bhuiya.
2. Babu Nabin Chandra Majumdar.
3. Babu Nagendra Chandra Sen Gupta.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1082G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Char Dukhia union board in police-station Faridganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Aziz Pandit.
2. „ Ali Haider Bepari.
3. „ Abdul Aziz Baidya.
4. Munshi Abdul Latif Bhuiya.
5. „ Anarulla Patari.
6. „ Abdul Kadir Bhuiya.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Siddique ulla Jamadar.
2. Babu Harish Chandra Nath Chaudhury.
3. Munshi Hakimaddin Meaji.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1083G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Faridganj union board in police-station Faridganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Asrafali Patwari.
2. Babu Bepin Chandra De.
3. Munsni Manu Bhuiya.
4. Munshi Mukbul Ahmed Mia.
5. „ Afsaraddin Patwari.
6. Babu Sarada Charan Dutta.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Taranath Majumdar.
2. Munshi Md. Sabar Khan.
3. Munshi Abdul Kadar Patwari.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1084G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Rupsa union board in police-station Faridganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Haiderali Bhuiya.
2. Babu Har Chandra Majumdar.
3. Munshi Syed Abdul Hai.
4. Munshi Md. Hafizulla Mia.
5. „ Serajal Islam Mia.
6. „ Syed Habibulla Mia.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Ayub Ali Bepari.
2. Babu Kangali Charan Shaha.
3. Mr. Ison D'Silva.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1085G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Rajargaon union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Peari Krishna Roy Choudhury.
2. Munshi Sadaruddin Majumder.
3. „ Md. Kamizaddin Molla.
4. Babu Nanda Kumar Das.
5. „ Jagat Bandhu Mazumder.
6. Munshi Abdul Gafar Mia.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Krishna Mukar Basak.
2. Munshi Amiruddin Patwari.
3. Munshi Rasul Miaji.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1086G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kalacho union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Kader Mazumder.
2. „ Abdul Majid Choudhury.
3. „ Moazzam Hossein.
4. Babu Krishna Chandra Shaha.
5. Munshi Md. Ibrahim Majumder.
6. „ Abdul Aziz Patwari.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Hamidulla Munshi.
2. „ Abdul Latif Chaudhury.
3. Babu Nabadwip Chandra Bepari.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1087G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Hajiganj union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Khetra Mohan Shaha.
2. „ Abhoya Charan Shaha.
3. Munshi Md. Hashim.
4. Babu Iswar Chandra Poddar.
5. Munshi Khalilar Rahaman Mia.
6. „ Safar Ali Sarker.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Rup Chandra Shaha.
2. „ Hari Chandra Shaha.
3. Maulvi Sefaitulla.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1088G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Borkul union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Khoazaddin Mia.
2. Maulvi Mahamad Kashem.
3. Munshi Abdul Karim Tapadar.
4. Babu Chandra Kumar Mandal.
5. Munshi Hossainuddin Atia.
6. „ Karimuddin Majumder.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Dwaraka Nath Shaha.
2. Munshi Mahamad Akbor Majumdar.
3. Munshi Yusuf Ali Patwari.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1089G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Toragar union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Salamatulla Choudhury.
2. „ Sujatali Majumder.
3. Babu Abhoya Charan Dutta.
4. Babu Mahendra Kumar Chakrabarty.
5. Munshi Mafizaddin Ahmed Choudhury.
6. „ Aftabuddin.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Abdul Rahaman Choudhury.
2. Babu Mon Mohan Majumder.
3. Munshi Umde Ali Majumder.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1090G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Tamta union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Moulvi Md. Golam Rahaman.
2. Munshi Kazimaddin Bhuiya.
3. Maulvi Fazlar Rahaman.
4. Maulvi Md. Abdul Jabber.
5. Munshi Aminuddin Patwari.
6. Hafez Syed Mahammad.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Eakub Ali Majumder.
2. „ Nawab Ali Choudhury.
3. Babu Bhagaban Chandra Majumder.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1091G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gondharbapur union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Abdul Aziz.
2. Munshi Afsaraddin Mazumder.
3. „ Ali Mia Mazumder.
4. Munshi Kala Mia Bhat.
5. Babu Shashi Bhusan Datta.
6. Munshi Abdul Hamid Pandit.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Maulvi Md. Faiz.
2. Babu Chandra Kumar Sarma.
3. Babu Goshai Das Kabiraj.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1092G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Suchipara union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Rehanaddin Majumder.
2. Babu Nani Gopal Nag Roy.
3. „ Mahendra Chandra Bakshi
4. Munshi Hamidulla Munshi.
5. „ Tuka Mia Patari.
6. „ Keramat Ali Bhuiya.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Kali Charan Dutta.
2. Munshi Noaraja Tapadar.
3. Munshi Aftabuddin Bhuiya.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1093G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Roysree union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Krishna Kanta Poddar.
2. Munshi Md. Jabaral Hoque.
3. „ Syed Alinlla Mia.
4. Babu Girish Chandra Majumder.
5. „ Kula Chandra Majumder.
6. Munshi Alimaddin.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Maulvi Akram Ali.
2. Babu Kali Das Lodh.
3. Munshi Munser Ali Patwari.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1094G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chitoshi union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Rahaman.
2. Babu Madhab Chandra Majumder.
3. Munshi Sultan Ahmed Mia.
4. Munshi Abdul Karim.
5. Babu Purna Chandra Dutta.
6. „ Kamini Kumar Majumder.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Durga Charan Choudhury.
2. „ Dwarika Nath Bhattacherjee.
3. Munshi Md. Afzal.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1095G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Pathoir union board in police-station Kachua in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Sarada Prasad Sen.
2. Munshi Rahimaddin.
3. „ Rahimaddin Haji.
4. Munshi Ali Mia.
5. Babu Annada Charan Bhowmik.
6. „ Harish Chandra Dutta Majumder.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Abdul Kader Mia.
2. „ Mahammad Ali.
3. Babu Suresh Chandra Sen Choudhury.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1096G.— Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to the members of the Bitara union board in police-station K chua in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Aftabuddin.
2. „ Alimuddin Sarkar.
3. „ Nawab Ali Sikder.
4. Munshi Nakaree Darjee.
5. „ Nawab Ali Patwari.
6. „ Abdul Hamid Mia.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Bhola Gazi Sarkar.
2. Babu Gour Chandra Chakrabarty.
3. Munshi Safer Ali Munshi.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1097G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Sahadebpur union board in police-station Kachua in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Sayad Ali Patari.
2. „ Ahmedulla.
3. Babu Gagan Chandra Lodh.
4. Munshi Samiraddin Haji.
5. „ Md. Ali.
6. „ Ali Ahmed Patwari.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Har Kumar Chakrabarty.
2. Munshi Md. Ismail.
3. Munshi Samiraddin Patwari.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1098G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919 , the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kachua union board in police-station Kachua in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Ahmedulla Kari.
2. Babu Gobinda Chandra Majumder.
3. Munshi Asgor Ali Molla.
4. Babu Ram Kumar Kabiraj.
5. Maulvi Md. Ekamat Ali.
6. Munshi Abdul Aziz Kazi.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Muzaffar Ali Khan.
2. Babu Monmohon Datta.
3. Munshi Jamiuaddin Pradhania.

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NOTIFICATION.

No 1099G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kadla union board in police-station Kachua in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Md. Easin.
2. „ Maziraddin Ahmed Choudhury.
3. „ Salimaddin Tapadar.
4. Munshi Abdul Goni Pandit.
5. „ Alimaddin Mazumder.
6. „ Ibrahim Molla.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Shashi Mohan Poddar.
2. Munshi Aftabaddin Mazumdar.
3. Munshi Wajaddin Pradhania.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1100G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Karaiya union board in police-station Kachua in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Alauddin.
2. „ Mafizaddin Miaji.
3. Babu Baladin Tewari.
4. Munshi Aminaddin Majumder.
5. „ Baksa Ali Miaji.
6. Babu Baikunta Chandra Bhowmik.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Durga Prasad Dutta.
2. Munshi Amiraddin Patwari.
3. Munshi Maharam Ali Majumder.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1101G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gohat union board in police-station Kachua in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Hamid Mia Patari.
2. Maulvi Samiraddin Ahamed.
3. Babu Rajani Kanta Majumder.
4. Babu Chandra Kumar Das.
5. „ Mahim Chandra Bhowmik.
6. Munshi Kalimuddin Mia.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Sultan Alam Mia.
2. „ Abdul Mojid Master.
3. Moulvi Alimuddin.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1102G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Asrapur union board in police-station Kachua in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Satindra Chandra Roy Choudhury.
2. Munshi Abdul Aziz of Asrabpur.
3. ,, Umed Ali Majumder.
4. Babu Jagat Bandhu Das.
5. ,, Krishna Sunder Sarma.
6. Munshi Abdus Samad.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Purna Chandra Dhar.
2. Maulvi Maniraddin.
3. Munshi Isob Ali Talukdor.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1103G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Meher union board in police-station Hajiganj in the Chandpur subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Abdul Haque.
2. ,, Khaliler Rahaman.
3. Babu Sashi Bhusan Roy Choudhury.
4. Babu Sarada Charan Chakrabarty.
5. Munshi Mahammed Roizuddin Patwari.
6. ,, Mahamad Easin.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Banga Chandra Pal.
2. Munshi Badsha Mia.
3. Babu Kailash Chandra De.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1207G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Barasalghar (No. I) union board in police-station Debiduar in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. M. Syed Abdul Huque.
2. M. Hafizuddin Sarker.
3. M. Abdur Rahman.
4. M. Cheragali.
5. M. Alouddin.
6. M. Mofizuddin Ahamed.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Baikuntha Chandra Bhowmik.
2. ,, Joy Chandra Chowdhury.
3. Babu Jamini Nath Chakrabertty.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1208G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Subil (No. II) union board in police-station Debidwar in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Jafar Ali.
2. ,, Abdul Aziz Bhuya.
3. ,, Asraf Ali.
4. Munshi Somadal Hossan.
5. ,, Mulfat Khan.
6. Babu Prosanna Kumar Roy.

Under sub-section (1) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union Board :—

1. Babu Chandra Kanta Chakrabertty.
2. „ Raj Behari Chowdhury.
3. Munshi Golam Hossen Sarker.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1209G.—Under sub-section (2) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the (No. 3) Debiduar union Board in police-station Debiduar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Ananda Chandra Lodh, of Fatyabad.
2. Maulvi Abdul Ghani Bhuia, of Bhinglabari.
3. Munshi Azizulla Sirkar, of Alampur.
4. Munshi Imamaddin Sirkar, of Debiduar.
5. Munshi Edbar Ali Bhuia, of Bhinglabari.
6. Munshi Akamat Ali Bhuia, of Balibari.

Under sub-section (3) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Rajani Kanta Bidyalanker.
2. Munshi Hatabali Bhuiya.
3. Munshi Rajjabali Molla.

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COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1210G.—Under sub-section (2) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Fotihabad (IV) union board in police-station Debiduar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. M. Abdul Khaleque of Fotihabad.
2. M. Abdul Bari.
3. M. Ala Baksha Bhuya.
4. M. Elahi Baksha.
5. M. Jaynal Abdin.
6. Babu Nishi Kanta Sen.

Under sub-section (3) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Aswini Kumar Chakrabertty.
2. M. Alapali Bhuiya.
3. M. Mafizaddin Master.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1211G.—Under sub-section (2) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Jafarganj (No. V) union board in police-station Debiduar in the Sadar (North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Kunja Behari Bandopadhya.
2. „ Kamini Mohan Chakrabarty.
3. „ Ganga Das Choudhury.
4. Munshi Abdul Gani Sarkar.
5. „ Nabi Newaz
6. „ Hosen Ali Master.

Under sub-section (3) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Joynal Khan.
2. „ Jinnat Ali Mir.
4. Munshi Elahi Baksha Bhuiya.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1212G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gunaighar (No. VI) union board in police-station Debiduar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of district of Tippera :—

1. M. Afsaruddin Bhuiya.
2. Babu Pyari Mohan Nandy.
3. M. Keramat Ali.
4. Babu Rajani Kanta Lode.
5. M. Ashraf Ali.
6. M. Bashiruddin Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Suresh Chandra Bhowmik.
2. M. Amjadali Khandaker.
3. M. Abdul Mazid Bhuiya.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1213G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Rajameher (No. VII) union board in police-station Debiduar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. M. Sayed Ali Bhuya, of Maricha.
2. M. Sadim Ali Bhuya, of Noagaon.
3. M. Sunder Ali Bhuya, of Noagaon.
4. M. Akramuddin Sarkar, of Rajameher.
5. M. Abdul Gaffur, of Maricha.
6. M. Najainuddin Master, of Tribidya.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Prafulla Chandra Singha Ray.
2. ,, Basanta Kumar Das.
3. M. Abidali Bhuiya.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1214G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Dhamti (No. VIII) union board in police-station Debiduar in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abid Ali Sarkar of Barikandi.
2. ,, Abid Ali Master of Dhamti.
3. ,, Abdul Gafur of Duari.
4. ,, Hamizuddin Bhuya of Kensaf.
5. Munshi Abdul Gani Choudhury of Dhamti.
6. ,, Akram Ali of Radhanagar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Bagala Prasanna Deb Chowdhury.
2. Babu Nishi Kanta Das.
3. Munshi Jamiraddin Sarkar.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1215G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Barkamta (No. IX) union board in police-station Debiduar in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Halodhar Podder of Nabiabad.
2. Munshi Hosan Ali Bhuya of Nabiabad.
3. Munshi Hasonali Master of Zafrabad.
4. Babu Nabin Chandra Podder of Nabiabad.
5. Munshi Golamali Bhuya of Zafrabad.
6. ,, Mahamed Ramjan Bhuya of Bagun.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Bepin Behari Bhattacharyya.
2. Babu Jamini Mohan Chakraborty.
3. Munshi Maidhar Gazi.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1216G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Srikail (No. I) union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Ramani Mohan Naha.
2. Munshi Dabiruddin Ahmed.
3. Babu Surendra Chandra De Sarkar.
4. Munshi Ali Nowaj Sarkar.
5. Babu Chandra Kumar Chakraborty.
6. „ Chandra Kumar De Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Khagendra Mohan Deb.
2. Munshi Jainal Abdin.
3. Munshi Ali Azgar Ahmed.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1217G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Akubpur (No. II) union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Dwarka Nath Saha.
2. Munshi Minnat Ali.
3. Munshi Aptabuddin Sarkar.
4. Munshi Keramat Ali Sarkar.
5. „ Akamat Ali Khan.
6. Babu Banga Chandra Chakraborty.

2. Under section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union : –

1. Babu Kashi Chandra Bhadra.
2. Munshi Mafizaddin Sarkar.
3. Munshi Hosanaddin Sarkar.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1218G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Andikot (No. III) union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Syed Bazlur Rahman.
2. Munshi Reyasat Ali Bhuina.
3. Babu Nagar Bashi Nath Bhowmik.
4. Babu Ram Prasad Roy.
5. Munshi Abdul Majid Ahmed.
6. „ Keramat Ali Bhuina.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Maulvi Abdul Alim, B.A., B.L.
2. Munshi Rahanuddin.
3. Babu Ram Chandra Kabyatirtha.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1219G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the No. 4 Purbadhair union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Ramani Mohan Das, of Purbadhair.
2. M. Moktal Hosson, of Hirapur.
3. Babu Bipin Behari Das, of Purbadhair.
4. Babu Hemanga Mohan Roy, of Purbadhair.
5. M. Oyajaddin, of Khoshghar
6. Babu Bhagaban Chandra Dhar, of Malipara.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Maulvi Syed Abdul Oahed.
2. ,, Barkatulla.
3. Babu Debendra Nath Chakrabarty.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1220G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bangora (No. V) union board in police-station Muradnagar in the North Sadar subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Surendra Chandra Pyne.
2. M. Mahamed Talebali.
3. M. Baksha Ali.
4. M Belayet Ali.
5. M. Aliuddin Sarkar.
6. M. Amsar Ali.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Abani Mohan Mazumdar, M.A., B.L.
2. Babu Rupendra Lochan Mazumdar.
3. M. Altafali Khan.

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 1221G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chapatola (No. VI) union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Aftabuddin Sarker.
2. ,, Azimuddin Sarker.
3. Babu Jogendra Nath Rakhit.
4. Munshi Maizuddin Sarker.
5. ,, Samadal Hossain.
6. Babu Sarat Chandra Lode.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Sarada Mohan Bhattacharya, M.A.
2. Munshi Ahamaddin.
3. Munshi Ramjaddin Sarker.

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COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1222G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Jatrapur (No. 7) union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Habibur Rahman of Jatrapur.
2. Munshi Ali Asraf Khandakar of Mochagara.
3. Maulvi Shirajal Islam of Mochagara.
4. Babu Atul Chandra Dhar of Jatrapur.
5. Munshi Golam Rahman of Mochagara.
6. Babu Rebati Kanta Roy of Kamalla.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Dinesh Chandra Ghosh.
2. Munshi Lalmia.
3. Munshi Pandey Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN, CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1223G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Ramchandrapur (No. VIII) union board in police station Muradnagar in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Maniruddin Ahmed Khan.
2. „ Neazuddin Sarkar of Mostafapur.
3. „ Sona Mea of Kachainkandi.
4. Babu Jagabondhu Saha of Mostafapur.
5. Munshi Serajuddin of Baherchar.
6. Babu Mathuramohan Saha of Digaldi.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Atul Chandra Pal.
2. Munshi Yasuf Ali.
3. Munshi Kalimuddin.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1224G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Muradnagar (No 9) union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Kazi Mozaffar Ahmed of Muradnagar.
2. Munshi Abdul Karim of Ghorashal.
3. „ Abdul Sobhan of Alirchar.
4. Maulvi Hafizaddin Master of Ghorasal.
5. Munshi Asanulla Sirker of Dhaniram-pur.
6. „ Jainaddin Sirkar of Matkirchar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Kailash Chandra Datta.
2. „ Ram Dulal Das.
3. Babu Sanatan Nath Bhowmik.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1225G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nabipur (No. X) union board in the police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Hori Mohan Podder.
2. „ Surendra Chandra Deb.
3. „ Mohendra Chandra Deb.
4. Munshi Asanullah Sarker.
5. „ Abdul Gani.
6. „ Babar Ali Hazi.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Bepin Chandra Ray.
2. „ Joy Gobinda Chawdhury.
3. Munshi Nadir Muhamed Bhuiya.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1226G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Dhangar (No. XI) union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Kartic Chandra Das Gupta.
2. Munshi Panjat Ali Sarker.
3. „ Abed Ali.
4. Munshi Mahammad Ismail.
5. „ Imanuddin Sarker.
6. „ Kabiruddin.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Prasanna Kumar Byakarantirtha.
2. Maulvi Abdul Goni, B.A.
3. „ Rahim Baksha.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1227G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the (No. 12) Jahapur union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Chandra Kumar Roy, of Jahapur.
2. Munshi Syed Momtazaddin Ahmed, of Baraiakari.
3. „ Oyajaddin Bhuia, of Satmora.
4. Babu Jogesh Chandra Bhattacharjee, of Gangatiya.
5. Munshi Eyakub Ali, of Ranimohari.
6. Babu Rajani Kanta Roy, of Jahapur.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Dhirendra Chandra Bhadra.
2. Munshi Amiraddin.
3. Munshi Abed Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1228G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members

of the Darora (No. 13) union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Bharat Chandra Sirkar of Kanjujatal.
2. Munshi Nurul Islam of Daterpar.
3. „ Sayed Ali of Ampal.
4. Munshi Nowab Ali Sirkar of Saluyakandi.
5. Munshi Lal Mahamed of Kanjujatal.
6. „ Asrab Ali Sirkar of Subalarchar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Haladhar Das Gupta.
2. „ Arunudoy Das Gupta.
3. Munshi Barkatulla.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1229G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Paharpur (No. XIV) union board in police-station Muradnagar in the Sadar North subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Maniraddin Bhuya.
2. Babu Baikunta Nath Bhumik.
3. Munshi Mahamed Ishhaque.
4. Babu Bepin Chandra Choudhury.
5. Munshi Chand Baksha Sarker.
6. „ Aminaddin Sarker.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Jagat Chandra Bhowmik.
2. Munshi Jinat Ali Sarker.
3. Munshi Naimuddin Bhuiya.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1230G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bhasania (No. VII) union board in police-station Homna in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Khandakar Bazlur Rahman.
2. „ Abul Kasim Zoadul Huq.
3. Abdul Aziz Sarkar.
4. Abdul Aziz Bhuyan.
5. Hari Charan Sarma.
6. Golam Hosein Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Akshoy Kumar Bhowmik.
2. Ramananda Saha.
3. Sher Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1231G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nilokhi (No. VI) union board in police-station Homna in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Sahabuddin of Kararkandi
2. Maulvi Asrobali.
3. Abdul Aziz.
4. Sahabuddin of Mirshikari.
5. Kadamali.
6. Abbasali.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Nural Islam Meah.
2. Jagat Chandra Roy.
3. Pandab Chandra Roy.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*)

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1232G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chanderchar (V) union board in police-station Homna in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Abu Nasara *alias* Dudh Meah.
2. Muhammad Ishaque Meah.
3. Surat Lal Ray.
4. Abdul Bari Bhyan.
5. Kaji Abdul Jabbar.
6. Muhammad Waris Meah.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Mahesh Chandra Roy.
2. Ruhini Kumar Chaudhury.
3. Muhammad Kaloo Meah.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1233G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gaghatia (IV) union board in police-station Homna in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district Tippera :—

1. Jamiruddin Ahmed.
2. Ayet Ali Bepari.
3. Sarat Chandra Ray.
4. Akhil Chandra Das Bhumic.
5. Sayed Ali.
6. Mohiuddin Ahmed.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Munshi Abdul Hakim.
2. Babu Sarat Chandra Nath.
3. Maulvi Abdul Alim.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1234G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Homna (No. III) union board in police-station Homna in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Rup Chandra Das Chaudhury.
2. Munshi Yousaf Ali Sarkar.
3. Babu Parbati Charan Ray.
4. Maulvi Ahammad Ali.
5. Aftabuddin Sarkar.
6. Faizuddin Bhuyan.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Maulvi Saifur Rahman.
2. Babu Purna Chandra Saha.
3. Munshi Tamajuddin.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1235G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Radhanagar (No. II) union board in police-station Homna in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Omar Ali.
2. Bilat Ali Sarkar.
3. Abdul Latif Munshi.
4. Ahammad Ali Sarkar.
5. Ajimuddin Munshi.
6. Abdul Aziz Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Omed Ali Sarkar.
2. Krishna Charan Das Bhumic
3. Pran Chandra Nath.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1236G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chandanpura (No. I) union board in police-station Homna in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Noab Ali.
2. Munshi Asrob Ali Sarkar.
3. Sikandor Ali.
4. Secho Munshi.
5. Razab Ali Sarkar.
6. Baksh Ali.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Tajamuddin Akondha.
2. Padma Luchan Nath.
3. Madon Mohan Nath.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1241G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the rules for the management of hospitals and dispensaries, Babu Naresh Chandra Das Gupta has been appointed as a member of the Managing Committee of the District Board dispensary at Paraikora in the district of Chittagong, in place of Babu Ratanti Lal Roy, resigned.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1129J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of charitable hospitals and dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the charitable dispensary at Bhola in the district of Bakarganj :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Bhola ... ... *Ex officio.*
2. Mr. V. M. Bonarjee, Sub-Deputy Collector.
3. Khan Sahib Maulvi Efazuddin Ahmed.
4. Babu Syama Charan Chakravarty.
5. Maulvi Akimuddin Ahmed.
6. „ Nuruzzaman.
7. Kazi Abdul Karim Howlader.
8. Babu Mahendra Chandra Roy Chowdhury.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 28th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 462M.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*2*) of section 139 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), as amended by Act I of 1914, I confirm the following bye-law which has been framed by the District Board of Jalpaiguri under clause (*1*) of the said section.

"Any person having possession of or control over any land or water on or in which there exists any water-hyacinth shall, if so required by a notice in writing signed by the Chairman or Vice Chairman of the District Board, a Local Board or a Union Committee or by the District Engineer, destroy or remove such water-hyacinth within the period mentioned in such notice.

Provided that such notice shall be issued simultaneously for the whole of an area to be defined by the District Board, a Local Board or a Union Committee.

Any person infringing this bye-law shall for every such offence be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 25, or in case of a continuing offence to a fine not exceeding Rs. 5 for each day during which such offence is continued after conviction therefor."

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 25th February 1924.*

NOTICE.

THE return of election expenses of the Hon'ble Dr. Dwarka Nath Mitter, who has been declared to be duly elected as a member to the West Bengal Non-Muhammadan constituency of the Council of State, together with the declarations, has been lodged with the Returning Officer to-day, the 28th February 1924. The return of election expenses and the declarations can be inspected in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at 3, Charnock Place, Calcutta, on business days during business hours.

J. M. CHATTERJEE, for *Commissioner (Returning Officer).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th February 1924.*

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Election Case No. 1 of 1924.

In the matter of Babu Prem Hari Barman ... *Petitioner*

versus

(1) Babu Jogindra Chandra Chakrabarty ...
(2) Babu Tanka Nath Chaudhuri ... ... } *Respondents.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-mentioned election petition filed by Babu Prem Hari Barman against the election of Babu Jogindra Chandra Chakravarty has been withdrawn.

E. MILSOM, *President.*

DINAJPUR, *the 26th February 1924.*

BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Bengal Chamber of Commerce Constituency.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of Rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, that the return of election expenses, and the declaration made in respect thereof, with regard to his candidature for election as a representative of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council, were duly lodged by Mr. George Morgan with me on the 28th day of February 1924. Such return and declaration may, on payment of a fee of one rupee, be inspected on application to me in my office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. for one week from this date.

H. M. HAYWOOD, *Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 28th February 1924.*

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Electoral Case No. 7 of 1924.

PRESENT :

G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S.

In the matter of Moulvi Mahamed Sahrawardy ... *Petitioner*

versus

Moulvi Zannoor Ahmed ... ... *Respondent.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the above mentioned election petition filed by Moulvi Mahamed Sahrawardy against the election of Moulvi Zannoor Ahmed has been withdrawn. The recrimination petition filed by the latter was also withdrawn.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court of the District Judge.

This 28th day of February 1924.

G. N. ROY, *President.*

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under Rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules (Dinajpur).

Election Case No. 2 of 1924.

In the matter of Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri ... *Petitioner*

versus

Babu Sudarsan Chakravarty ... ... *Respondent.*

Notice is hereby given that an application has been made by the petitioner for withdrawal of the election petition filed by him against Babu Sudarsan Chakravarty and that the 7th March next has been fixed for the hearing of the petition.

E MILSOM, *President.*

DINAJPUR, *the 1st March 1924.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd February 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 23rd February 1924.

No. 55.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 14 (*9*) of the Council of State Electoral Rules, the name of the following candidate, who has been declared to be elected as a member of the said Council, *vice* Sir Benode Chandra Mitter, Kt., by the constituency mentioned opposite his name, is hereby published :—

Name.	Constituency.
Dr. Dwarka Nath Mitter	... West Bengal (Non-Muhammadan).

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India, in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd February 1924, is republished for general information.

H. P. DUVAL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 20th February 1924.

No. F.-767—23.—Dr. Thomas Thornhill, Barrister-at-Law, took his seat as an Acting Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the forenoon of the 12th February 1924.

H. TONKINSON,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 6.—The 22nd February 1924.—The following Regulations are republished for general information.

G. G. DEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

INDIAN SERVICE OF ENGINEERS.

Regulations as to appointment of Assistant Executive Engineers in 1924.

[The Secretary of State is unable to give any undertaking that the Regulations will remain unaltered in the future.]

1. Until further notice the Secretary of State for India in Council will, during each year, make a number of appointments of Assistant Executive Engineers in the Public Works and State Railway Departments of the Government of India.

In making these appointments he will act with the advice of a Selection Committee, including at least one eminent representative of the Engineering profession.

In 1924 it is intended that 15 appointments shall be made.

The Selection Committee will probably sit in May.

2. Applications must be made on a printed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary, Public Works Department, India Office, Whitehall, S. W. 1, and should reach the India Office not later than 1st April.

3. Candidates must have attained the age of 21 and not attained the age of 24 years on the 1st August 1924.

[N.B.—*Indians must obtain a certificate of age and nationality in the form explained in Appendix II. As the production of this certificate is a necessary condition of appointment intending candidates are advised to procure it without delay. The certificate should be forwarded to the India Office together with the candidate's form of application or at the earliest subsequent opportunity.*]

4. Every European candidate must be a British subject and, except as provided in Regulation 5, if he or his father or his mother was not born within His Majesty's Dominions and allegiance, the father must at the time of the candidate's birth have been a British subject and still be (or have continued to be until his death) a British subject. The decision of the Secretary of State in Council whether a candidate satisfies these conditions shall be final. A candidate must also be of good moral character and sound bodily health and, in the opinion of the Secretary of State for India in Council, in all respects suitable to hold an appointment in the Indian Public Works Department or State Railway Department.

*5. Indians who, save as hereinafter provided, are British subjects, and are not qualified under Regulation 4, are eligible for appointment and shall be selected to the extent of 10 per cent. of the total number of Assistant Executive Engineers thus recruited if otherwise duly qualified.

Provided that a ruler or subject of any State in India in respect of whom the Governor-General in Council has made a declaration under section 96A of the Government of India Act, 1915, as amended by section 3 of the Government of India (Amendment) Act, 1916, may be considered eligible.

6. Candidates must produce evidence that they have either (1) obtained one of the University degrees mentioned in Appendix I; or (2) passed sections A and B of the A.M.I.C.E. examination; or (3) obtained such other diploma or distinction in Engineering as the Secretary of State may decide to accept in any particular case. It is preferred that candidates should have taken a college course and obtained one of the degrees mentioned in Appendix I. They must in addition have had at least one full year's practical experience of Civil Engineering under a qualified civil engineer at the time when they appear before the Selection Committee. Those whose qualifying diploma has been obtained without a college course should have had a full three years of such practical experience.

7. Selected candidates will be required to undergo further training on works in India for a period of at least one year. During this period they will be on probation and their final appointment will be made dependent upon the result of such probation.

* It has been decided that the present rule under which 10 per cent. of the appointments made in this country are reserved for Indians shall continue up to and including 1924, when the question of the recruitment of Indians in England will be further considered.

8. Candidates must be prepared, if called upon, to attend at the India Office, at their own expense, for a personal interview with the Selection Committee.

9. Candidates will further be required, before final appointment by the Secretary of State in Council, to appear, at their own expense, before the Medical Board at the India Office for examination as to their physical fitness for service in India.

The Regulations governing the physical examination of candidates for the Public Works and State Railway Departments of the Government of India are at present under revision; but copies, when available, will be supplied to candidates on application.

*10. Selected candidates will also be required to satisfy the Secretary of State of their ability to ride.

11. They will on appointment be provided with a free first-class passage to India and they will be expected to proceed thither about the middle of September in the year in which they are appointed.

Their pay will begin from the date of their landing in India, and if they so desire, they will be able to obtain an advance of two months' pay, recoverable by monthly instalments of one-third of salary. Of this advance a portion not exceeding one-half may be drawn in England.

12. Their service for leave will commence from the date of their landing in India.

13. Candidates will enter the service as Assistant Executive Engineers on a salary of Rs. 6,300 a year. Service for increments will count from the date of landing in India or from the 1st October of the year of appointment, whichever is earlier.

14. Service for pension will count from the date of landing in India or from the 1st October of the year of appointment, whichever is earlier.

15. The instruments required by Assistant Executive Engineers are supplied to them in India.

16. Particulars as to pay, pensions, etc., are contained in Appendices IV and V.

INDIA OFFICE,

14th December 1923.

NOTE FOR THE INFORMATION AND GUIDANCE OF CANDIDATES.

The Selection Committee of 1906 drew attention to the subjects which were held to be of most importance for the Public Works Service, viz.—

Pure Mathematics, including a knowledge of the differential and integral calculus.
Applied Mathematics.
Geometrical and Engineering Drawing.
Surveying and Geodesy.
Strength of Materials and Theory of Structures.
Hydraulics.
Heat Engines.
Materials used in Construction.
Building Construction.—Wood and metal work, limes and cements, and building with stone, brick, and concrete.
Knowledge of the principles of road-making, waterworks, sanitary and railway engineering. (Important.)

The Selection Committee were further of opinion that all candidates should have had some workshop training.

APPENDICES.

APPENDIX I.

List of Degrees referred to in paragraph 6.

Candidates who rely on a degree in "Mechanical" or "Electrical" Engineering or in "Naval Architecture" should have had at least one year's practical experience in Civil Engineering.

List A.

Oxford.—B.A., with Honours in the Engineering Science Final Honours School.
Cambridge.—B.A., with Honours in Mechanical Science Tripos.
St. Andrews.—B.Sc. in Engineering.
Glasgow.—B.Sc. in Engineering.

* Selected candidates will be examined by the Civil Service Commissioners as to their ability to ride, and will be required to obtain either—

(*a*) a certificate from the Civil Service Commissioners that they are sufficiently at home in the saddle for the efficient performance of all the duties of the Indian Public Works and State Railway Departments; or
(*b*) a certificate from the Civil Service Commissioners of minimum proficiency in riding.

In the latter case they will be subjected, on their arrival in India, to such further tests in riding as may be prescribed by their Government.

Candidates are warned that the certificate of minimum proficiency in riding, without which they will not be allowed to proceed to India, is only granted to those who can qualify in a series of tests, which includes jumping.

The chief tests will be: (*a*) saddling and bridling; (*b*) mounting and dismounting; (*c*) trotting; (*d*) cantering; (*e*) trotting without reins; (*f*) trotting without stirrups; (*g*) cantering without stirrups; (*h*) individual exercise; (*i*) jumping a hedge hurdle 3 feet 6 inches high.

Although the examination will, in the main, be confined to these points, the examiner will not be debarred from applying any other tests which may appear desirable.

Edinburgh.—B.Sc. in Engineering.
Dublin.—B.A.I., with Honours in Engineering.
Durham.—B.Sc., with Honours in Civil, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering, or in Naval Architecture.
London.—B.Sc., with Honours in Civil and Mechanical or Electrical Engineering.
Victoria University (Manchester).—B.Sc., with Honours in Engineering.
Birmingham.—B.Sc., with Honours in Civil, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering.
Liverpool.—B.Eng., with Honours in Civil, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering, or Naval Architecture.
Leeds.—B.Sc., with Honours in Civil, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering.
Sheffield.—B.Eng., with Honours in Civil, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering.
Bristol.—B.Sc., with Honours in Civil or Mechanical Engineering.

List B.

Dublin.—B.A.I.
Durham.—B.Sc. in Civil, Mechanical, or Electrical Engineering, or in Naval Architecture.
London.—B.Sc. (Engineering).
Victoria University (Manchester).—B.Sc., Tech. in Mechanical or Electrical Engineering (Honours Division in the Final Examination).
University of Wales.—B.Sc. (in Civil, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering).
Birmingham.—B.Sc. (Engineering).
Liverpool.—B.Eng.
Leeds.—B.Sc. in Civil or Mechanical Engineering.
Sheffield.—B.Eng. (First Class in the Final Examination).
National University of Ireland.—B.E.
Bristol.—B.Sc., in Civil or Mechanical Engineering.

Note.—The above degrees in Lists A and B will be accepted only if taken after three years' study and the passing of the regular examinations in the several Universities. The condition as to three years' study will not, however, apply to Indians who, having taken an Indian degree which exempts them from part of the University course, shall have taken one of the above degrees in less than three years in accordance with the regulations of the University concerned.

APPENDIX II.

Particulars regarding the Certificate of Age and Nationality to be obtained by Candidates who are Natives of India.

A.—*Rules for Candidates born within His Majesty's Dominions.*

1. A candidate who is resident in British India must obtain a certificate signed either (*a*) by the Secretary to Government (or his lawful deputy) of the Province in which his family resides, or (*b*) by the Commissioner (or his lawful deputy) of the District in which his family resides.

2. A candidate who is resident in a Native State must obtain a certificate signed by the highest Political Officer (or his lawful deputy) accredited to the State in which his family resides.

3. The certificate required must be in the following form—

"I hereby certify that has submitted the proofs of his birth detailed below,* and has satisfactorily shown that he was actually born on or about the date stated, viz., the day of at a place within His Majesty's Dominions";

*(*Here enter details.*)

and the nature of the evidence produced must be such as to satisfy the officer who issues the certificate.

4. The documentary evidence which a candidate may be expected to produce in order to obtain such certificate comprises :—

(*a*) The horoscope.
(*b*) Family books.
(*c*) Trademen's account books showing entries relating to the birth.
(*d*) The record of admission in the registers of the school in which the candidate was educated, and the record of the candidate's age at various periodical school examinations.
(*e*) If the candidate is matriculated a certificate copy of his application to the Registrar in Form A.

Oral testimony from persons able to give relevant evidence may also be taken.

5. If a candidate has proceeded to England without obtaining a certificate the certificate may be granted to his father or guardian on production of the requisite evidence.

B.—*Rules for Candidates not born within His Majesty's Dominions.*

6. The rules are the same as the foregoing except that a candidate not born within His Majesty's Dominions must also prove that he is the son or grandson of a person born in those Dominions, and in his case the form of certificate must be not as in paragraph 3 above but as follows :—

"I hereby certify that has submitted the proofs of his birth detailed below* and has satisfactorily shown that he was actually born on or about the date stated, viz., the day of , and that he was born at a place without His Majesty's Dominions, but that his ___ father / paternal grandfather was a person born in those Dominions."

*(*Here enter details.*)

APPENDIX III.

Regulations as to the Physical Examination of Candidates for Appointment to the Public Works Department of the Government of India.

Note.—These are at present under revision ; but copies, when available, will be supplied to candidates, on application to this office.

APPENDIX IV.

Particulars regarding the Engineer Establishments of the Indian Public Works Department and Indian State Railways.

(The arrangements and salaries hereinafter described are subject to revision according to the requirements of the Service)

1. The Superior Engineer Establishments of the Indian Public Works Department and Indian State Railways consist of staffs of Engineers, military and civil, engaged on the construction and maintenance of the various public works and railways undertaken by the State in India.

2. The permanent establishments of the Departments are recruited from the following sources :—

(1) Officers of Royal Engineers.
(2) Persons appointed by the Secretary of State by selection from the United Kingdom.
(3) Persons educated at the Government Civil Engineering Colleges in India, and appointed by the Government of India.
(4) Occasional admission of other qualified persons.

3. The various ranks of the Department are at present as follows :—

Executive Engineers and Assistant Executive Engineers.

	JUNIOR.				SENIOR.			
Year.	Pay.	Technical Pay.	Overseas Pay.	Total.	Pay.	Technical Pay.	Overseas Pay.	Total.
	(*Rs. per mensem.*)				(*Rs. per mensem.*)			
1st	300	75	150	525				
2nd	350	,,	,,	575				
3rd	400	,,	,,	625				
4th	450	,,	,,	675	550	75	150	775
5th	450	,,	,,	675	550	,,	,,	775
6th	500	,,	,,	725	600	,,	,,	825
7th	550	,,	,,	775	650	,,	,,	875
8th	550	,,	200	825	650	,,	200	925
9th	600	,,	,,	875	700	,,	,,	975
	(Efficiency bar here.)							
10th	650	75	200	925	750	,,	,,	1,025
11th	700	,,	250	1,025	800	,,	250	1,125
12th	750	,,	,,	1,075	850	,,	,,	1,175
13th	800	,,	,,	1,125	900	,,	,,	1,225
14th	850	,,	,,	1,175	950	,,	,,	1,275
15th	900	,,	,,	1,225	950	,,	,,	1,275
16th	...	...	...	...	1,000	,,	,,	1,325
17th	...	...	...	...	1,050	,,	,,	1,375
18th	...	...	...	...	1,100	,,	,,	1,425
19th	...	...	...	...	1,150	,,	,,	1,475
20th	...	...	...	...	1,200	,,	,,	1,525
21st	...	...	...	...	1,200	,,	,,	1,525
22nd	...	...	...	...	1,250	,,	,,	1,575
23rd	...	...	...	..	1,250	,,	,,	1,575
24th and after,	...	...	...	...	1,300	,,	,,	1,625

Superintending Engineers.—Rs. 1,750, rising by annual increments of Rs. 100 a month to Rs. 2,150 a month

Chief Engineers.—Rs. 2,750, rising by annual increments of Rs. 125 a month to Rs. 3,000 a month.

The increments will be given for approved service only, and in accordance with the rules of the Department.

Exchange compensation allowance will not be granted to future entrants.

Pay on the junior scale will be drawn by officers holding charges of less importance than a Divisional charge, but no such officer will be allowed to draw more than the pay of the ninth year of service on the junior scale unless he is reported to be fully qualified for the charge of a Division.

Pay on the senior scale will be drawn by officers holding charges of not less importance than the charge of a Division.

Promotions above the grade of Executive Engineer are dependent on the occurrence of vacancies in the sanctioned establishment, and are made wholly by selection ; mere seniority is considered to confer no claim to promotion.

APPENDIX V.

(See paragraph 16 of the Regulations.)

NOTE.—This Appendix is merely intended to show the principal leave rules in the Fundamental Rules and the Pension Rules in the Civil Service Regulations at present applicable to Engineers appointed to the Indian Services from the United Kingdom without going into minute details, and does not profess to deal with every case that may arise. The rules are subject to alteration, and any disputed question must be decided with reference to the authorised text of the Fundamental Rules or Civil Service Regulations for the time being.

LEAVE.

1. Leave is calculated in terms of "leave on average pay," and the amount of "leave on average pay" for which an officer is eligible is five-twenty-seconds of the period spent on duty.

2. Subject to certain maxima and minima an officer may draw, at his option, leave salary equal to the average pay of the last 12 months of completed duty or to half such average pay. All leave on average pay and half the period on half average pay is counted against the leave earned. An officer may take his leave on average pay, on half average pay, or on a combination of the two, provided that his continuous absence from duty does not exceed 28 months, and that the amount of leave taken on average pay does not exceed eight months at any one time. The maximum amount of leave admissible during an officer's career is the equivalent of leave on average pay for three years *plus* one-eleventh of the period spent on duty, of which not more than one year *plus* one-eleventh of the period spent on duty may actually consist of leave on average pay. Leave not due and carrying half average pay may be granted on medical certificate, and within certain limits for other reasons, but an officer will not again commence to earn leave until the expiration of a fresh period of duty sufficient to earn a credit of leave equal to the leave he has taken before it was due. After 28 months' absence from duty an officer draws quarter average salary, subject to certain maxima and minima.

3. Leave salary is ordinarily payable in rupees if the officer spends his leave in India or Ceylon, and in sterling if he spends it elsewhere. The rate of exchange for the conversion of leave salary is prescribed from time to time by the Secretary of State.

4. It should be noted that leave can never be claimed as of right, but is given or refused at the discretion of Government.

PENSIONS.

5. The following is a summary of the pension rules applicable to Engineers appointed to the Indian Services by the Secretary of State from the United Kingdom.

Ordinary Pensions.

6. An officer is entitled, on his resignation being accepted, to a retiring pension after completing qualifying service of not less than 20 years.

7. Retirement is ordinarily required at the age of 55 years, but for special reasons an officer is sometimes retained after attaining that age.

8. An officer becomes eligible for full retiring pension on completing 30 years' qualifying service.

9. If before completing this period of service an officer is permitted to retire voluntarily after completion of 20 or more years' qualifying service (paragraph 6) or is compelled to retire on attaining the age of 55 (paragraph 7), he will be eligible for pension on the following scale :—

Years of Completed Service	Maximum Limit of Pension. Per annum. Rs.	Years of Completed Service	Maximum Limit of Pension. Per annum. Rs.
20	4,000	28	5,600
25	5,000	29	5,800
26	5,200	30	6,000
27	5,400		

10. Government may retire any officer after he has completed 25 years' service without giving reasons, and without any claim for compensation in addition to pension, and in that event the pension admissible to him will ordinarily be regulated on a scale not exceeding that laid down above. Government also reserves the general power to reduce the pension ordinarily admissible in all cases where an officer's service has been unsatisfactory.

11. An officer who is compelled to retire through ill-health not occasioned by irregular or intemperate habits will be eligible for gratuity or pension as follows:—

(*a*) After a service of less than 10 years a gratuity not exceeding (except in special cases and under the orders of the Government of India, up to a maximum of 12 months' emoluments) one month's emoluments for each completed year of service. If the emoluments of the officer have been reduced during the last three years of his service, otherwise than as a penalty, average emoluments may, at the discretion of the authority which has power to sanction the gratuity, be substituted for emoluments.

(*b*) After a service of not less than 10 years, a pension not exceeding the following amounts:—

Years of Completed Service.	Scale of Pension.		Maximum. Rs. Per annum.
10	10	Sixtieths of average emoluments.	2,000
11	11	Ditto	2,200
12	12	Ditto	2,400
13	13	Ditto	2,600
14	14	Ditto	2,800
15	15	Ditto	3,000
16	16	Ditto	3,200
17	17	Ditto	3,400
18	18	Ditto	3,600
19	19	Ditto	3,800
20	20	Sixtieths of average emoluments.	4,000
21	21	Ditto	4,200
22	22	Ditto	4,400
23	23	Ditto	4,600
24	24	Ditto	4,800
25	30	Ditto	5,000
26	30	Ditto	5,200
27	30	Ditto	5,400
28	30	Ditto	5,600
29	30	Ditto	5,800
30 and above	30	Ditto	6,000

Additional Pensions.

12. The Government of India have classified certain high appointments into two grades, the lower comprising those posts which involve high but intermediate responsibility, the higher consisting of those which require a marked degree of independent administrative and professional capacity. Officers who have held appointments listed in the lower grade will be entitled to an additional pension at the rate of Rs. 300 per year for each completed year of effective service in any appointment included in that grade, provided that no officer may draw an additional pension in excess of Rs. 1,500 in respect of service classed in the lower grade. Officers who have held appointments listed in the upper grade will be entitled to an additional pension at the rate of Rs. 500 for each completed year of effective service rendered in any appointment included in that grade, provided that no officer may draw an additional pension in excess of Rs. 2,500 in respect of service rendered in the lower and upper grades combined or in the upper grade alone.

13. These additional pensions will be awarded only to officers who have given proof of special energy and efficiency, and will be subject to the condition that an officer must not retire voluntarily before the age of 55 with less than 28 years' service.

The upper grade includes the Consulting Engineer to the Government of India, Chief Engineers of the Indian Service of Engineers, Agents of State Railways (if in pensionable service) and Chief Engineers, Railways.

The lower grade includes Superintending Engineers, Indian Service of Engineers, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Industries and Labour, Public Works Branch (when the appointment is held by an officer of the Indian Service of Engineers), Deputy Agents of State Railways (if in pensionable service) and the Secretary, Railway Board (if in pensionable service).

PROVIDENT FUND.

14. A general Provident Fund, to which contribution is compulsory, has also been established on the following basis:—

(1) The contribution is compulsory up to 6¼ per cent. on salaries, with voluntary contributions of not more than a further 9⅜ per cent. Subscriptions on leave of any kind are optional.

(2) Compound interest on such payments is annually credited by Government to each officer subscribing.

(3) The sum which thus accumulates to the credit of an officer is his absolute property, subject to the rules of the Fund, and is handed over to him, unconditionally, on quitting the Service; or, in the event of his death before retirement, to his legal representatives or such other person or persons as, under and subject to the rules of the Fund for the time being in force, may be entitled thereto.

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INDIAN SERVICE OF ENGINEERS.

FORM TO BE FILLED UP BY CANDIDATES FOR APPOINTMENT IN 1924 AS ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER.

1	Name in full.
2	Address. (*Any alteration to be notified.*)
3	Date and place of Birth. *In the event of the Candidate's selection, he will be required to produce a Birth Certificate or such other evidence as to date of birth as may be considered satisfactory.*)
4	Profession or occupation of Father; and whether, at the time of Candidate's birth, his father was a British subject either natural born or naturalised in the United Kingdom, and whether, if naturalised, he still is, or continued to be until his death, a British subject.
5	(*a*) Parentage of father, showing whether he was of European descent, and whether he was born within H. M.'s Dominions and allegiance. (*b*) Parentage of mother, showing whether she was of European descent, and whether she was born within H. M.'s Dominions and allegiance.
6	The names of any near relatives who have been, or are now, in the service of the Indian Government, and the appointments at present, or immediately before retirement or decease, held by them.
7	All Institutions where educated, since the age of 15, with dates, distinguishing whether or not the Candidate was in residence at such Institutions.

8	Full details of service (if any) in H. M.'s Forces.
9	University degree, diploma, or other distinction in Civil Engineering, with name of Institution at which obtained.
10	Details as to University Honours, Prizes, etc.
11	(*a*) Nature and extent of practical experience of Civil Engineering, *with full dates*. The names and qualifications of the engineers under whose direction the Candidate has worked should be stated. (References to work done in connection with a candidate's college course should not be made in this space.) (*b*) Nature and extent of practical training and experience in Civil Engineering in military or quasi-military service. If the applicant was in military service, a report by his Commanding Officer should, if possible, be appended.
12	Whether married or single.
13	Names and Addresses of either two or three persons (of whom one should be connected with the Institution at which the candidate has studied Civil Engineering and one should be a Civil Engineer under whom he has obtained practical experience) who will testify, if applied to, as to conduct and character during the last four years. *References will not be accepted from persons who are related to the Candidate or have no personal knowledge of the Candidate.*)
14	Whether the Candidate has in any previous year applied for appointment to the Public Works Department or for any other appointment under the Government of India, either in England or in India.

Signature _____

Date _____ *19* .

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd February 1924, is republished for general information.

H. P. DUVAL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Delhi, the 22nd February 1924.

PART B.

APPOINTMENTS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

No. 249.—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted commissions, with effect from the dates specified :—

* * * * * * *

The Eastern Bengal Company.

To be Lieutenant.

James Owen Needham. Dated 6th November 1923.

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E. BURDON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

ACCOUNTANCY DIPLOMA BOARD, BOMBAY.

NOTICE.

A complete official list of persons to whom the Government Diploma in Accountancy was awarded in the year 1923.

THE Government Diploma in Accountancy of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay, has, on the recommendation of the Accountancy Diploma Board, been awarded by the Government of Bombay during the period of one year, January to December 1923, to the undermentioned *ten* candidates who have duly passed the prescribed professional examination and undergone the practical training in Accounts prescribed by the regulations.

2. In terms of the Government of India order No. 247E.D., of 6th March 1919, no permanent unrestricted Auditor's certificate will be granted by a Local Government under section 144 (*1*) of the Indian Companies Act of 1913 to an applicant, unless he has been awarded this Diploma. The holder of such an Auditor's certificate is entitled to practise as an auditor in any part of British India or Burma.

3. *These are the only candidates* who have been authorised in the year 1923 by Government to style themselves "Government Diplomates in Accountancy" and to attach the letters "G. D. A." to their names :—

Diplomates of 1923.

41. Mr. Cheemalavagupally Chandrasekhara Reddy, G.D.A., of Bombay.
42. „ Babubhai Nagindas Dalal, B. Com., G.D.A., of Bombay.
43. „ Satyesh Chandra Dutt, B.A., B. Com., G.D.A., of Calcutta.
44. „ Alvarkurchi Venkatasubbaiyar Ramasubba Aiyar, B.A., G.D.A., of Bombay.
45. „ Tanjore Natesh Iyer Ganesan, G.D.A., of Madras.
46. „ Yanamandram Ramaswamayya, G.D.A., of Madras.
47. „ Pirthi Raj Mehra, G.D.A., of Delhi.
48. „ P T. Abraham, B. Com., G.D.A., of Calcutta.
49. „ Pestonji Cawasji Hansotia, G D.A., of Bombay.
50. „ Kaikhushru Eduljee Baria, B. Com., G.D.A., of Bombay.

N.B.—The names of these Diplomates have been arranged in order of the dates on which they qualified for the Diploma ; and after the name of each candidate has been added the name of the province in which each of them received his practical training for the Diploma.

H. L. TANNAN,

Secretary, Accountancy Diploma Board.

BOMBAY, *the 19th February, 1924.*

Rules for Half-yearly Examination in the Art of Teaching.

MEMORANDUM.

THE half-yearly examination in the Art of Teaching for the teachers of boys' schools teaching through the medium of English, in the Rajshahi Division, will be held at the Jalpaiguri Zilla School, on Wednesday, the 23rd April 1924, and the day following, if necessary. The examination of teachers of vernacular and classical subjects will also be held on that day at the same school.

2. The examination will consist of—

(*a*) A practical examination of class management.

(*b*) A practical test of ability to teach by giving two lessons to a class. The subject and the scope of the lesson will be communicated to each candidate later on

(*c*) An oral examination in which the candidate will have to answer some questions on the art of teaching, object lessons, class control, organization and discipline.

3. The following books on the art of teaching are recommended :—

(*a*) For teachers of vernacular and classical subjects—

1. Uchcha Siksha Sahachar, by D. N. Neogi.
2. Nimna Siksha Suhrid, by P. Mukherjee.
3. Uchcha Siksha Suhrid, by P. Mukherjee.
4. Bidyalaya Bidhayak Bibidha Bidhan, by A. N. Adhicari.
5. Bhugol Siksha Pranali, by Imdadul Haque.
6. Teachers' Manual, by Macmillan & Co.

(*b*) For Matriculate teachers—

1. D. Salmon's Art of Teaching.
2. Wren's Indian Teachers' Guide.
3. Wren's Direct Method of Teaching English.
4. Yate and Rajagopalchari's Direct Method
5. Imdadul Haque's Bhugol Siksha Pranali.

(*c*) For graduates and I.A. passed teachers—

1. The books recommended under (*b*).
2. Landon's Principles and Practice of Teaching and Class Management.
3. Raymont's Principle of Teaching.
4. Suggestions for the Consideration of Teachers (Board of Education, Whitehall).
5. Talks to Teachers (James).

Intending candidates from high schools, Government, aided and unaided, are directed to send in their applications, through the headmasters of the schools in which they are employed, to this office at least a fortnight before the date of examination, and teachers of middle schools, through the Deputy Inspectors, at least three weeks before the date. Every candidate will be required to produce his University or other certificates at the time of examination. A statement containing information on the following points should accompany the applications :—

1. Name.
2. Father's name.
3. Age on the 31st March 1922.
4. Name of the candidate's native district, subdivision and village.
5. The last examination which the candidate passed, and the year in which the candidate passed it.
6. Period of service as a teacher.
7. Name of the appointment which the candidate now holds, and the date from which he has been holding it.
8. Signature of the candidate.

M. SOLAIMAN,

Second Inspector of Schools in charge, Rajshahi Division.

JALPAIGURI, *the 20th February 1924.*

BOARD OF INTERMEDIATE AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, DACCA.

NOTIFICATION.

IN continuation of this office notification, dated the 30th June 1923, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th July 1923, the following selections are prescribed for the Intermediate Examinations, 1925 :—

Intermediate Examination.

I. VERNACULAR.

(*I*) Assamese.

1.	Satyanath Borah	... ...	Sarathi.	
2.	Rajanikanta Bardolai	... ...	Monomati.	
3.	Padmanath Barooah	... ...	Nitisiksha, Part III.	

(*II*) Hindi.

1.	Harishchandra	... ...	Charitabali.	
2.	Gadadhar	... ...	Kadamvari.	

GROUP "A" (Arts Course).

(*a*) English Literature.

Selections from Modern English Essays, Vol. IV (J. M. Dent & Sons)—

1. A Philosopher that Failed (E. V. Lucas).
2. The Grey Kirk (R. B. Cunninghame Graham).
3. Of Comfort (Henry W. Nevinson).
4. The Pilgrim Fathers (John Masefield).
5. The Rose (Logan Pearsall Smith).
6. The Hill-Tarn (Fiona Macleod).
7. The Inn (Edward Thomas).
8. The Castle of Carbonek (Edward Thomas).

(*b*) Classical Language.

(*I*) Bengali (for female candidates).

Selections from Chayanika :—

Katch-o-Devajani (Vidaya-Abhishap)	...	...	220-239.	Third edition.
Jete-nahi-deba	... ...	...	102-110.	
Shomudrer-Proti	... ...	...	111-115.	
Dui-Pakhi	... ...	...	99-101.	
Nirjharer-Shapnabhanga	... ...	...	1-6.	
Parash-Pathar	... ...	...	94-98.	
Badhu	... ...	...	51-58.	

Selections from Chaturdasapadi Kavita :

Kashiram Das.	Sree-Panchami.
Krittibash.	Srishti-Karta.
Jaidev.	Sita-Devi.
Kalidas.	Kalpana.
Jasher-mandir.	Ishwarchandra Gupta.

K. AHMED, *Secretary (offg.)*.

DACCA, *the 5th February 1924.*

Bengal Veterinary College.

CANDIDATES for admission into the Bengal Veterinary College should be present at the College at Belgachia, Calcutta, with necessary certificates, in original as required in the rules, at 9 A.M. on 22nd April 1924. Rules will be supplied free on application.

A. D. MACGREGOR, I.V.S.
Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.

Mymensingh Sadar Hospital.

NOTICE.

THE next qualifying examination of Dressers will be held at the Mymensingh Sadar Hospital, on Monday, the 10th March 1924, at 8 A.M. A fee of Rs. 2 shall have to be paid by each candidate. The Examination Committee will consist of the Civil Surgeon, Mymensingh, as President, and Assistant Surgeon attached to the Sadar Dispensary, and Teacher, Compounder Class, as members.

H. N. BAKSHI, for *Civil Surgeon.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 12th February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2C.T.B.C.—It is hereby notified for general information that on the representation from the Book-sellers and Publishers' Association, the 31st March 1924 is fixed as the last date for submission of books for the consideration of the Calcutta Text-book Committee instead of 20th February 1924, as already announced by the notification No. 1C.T.B.C., dated the 12th January 1924, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th January 1924 and two subsequent issues thereof.

J. W. GUNN,
Secretary, Calcutta Text-book Committee.

40-1A, FREE SCHOOL STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 15th February 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	724 12 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5 June and September 1923.	...	Revenue— 7 3 5 Cess— 32 3 7

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue (for the kist ending 12th January 1924).

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abul Fazel.	643 3 7	Whole ...	.....	Fazar Ali Sowdagar ...	...	291 7 10	...
746	Thana Jararganja, C. S. Mireswari, taraf Chiti Daulat.	2,906 7 5	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdurani, manager for (a) Saitha Khan.	...	1,316 15 5	...
1242	Thana Satkania, C. S. Banskhali, Patya, C. S. Anwara, taraf Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Do. ...	.....	Wahed Ali ...	...	315 13 7	...
1285	Thana Mireswari, taraf Jarip Mahamad.	783 12 6	Do. ...	.....	Bidhu Bhusan Ray Chowdhuri, Jogendra Nath Ray, and others.	...	121 13 6	...
1407	Thana Town Fatickchari, Patiya, Satkania, Rouzan and Hathazari, taraf Jiban Khan.	1,654 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatron Chowdhurani, manager for (a) Aboo Bashar, and others.	...	456 9 10	...
1885	Thana Hathazari and Rouzan, taraf Mahamad Rafee Khansama.	924 9 6	Do. ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Abdul Khalek, and others.	...	292 3 8	...
2099	Thana Sitakunda, Hathazari, Banskhali, Satkania, town Patiya, Mireswari and Anwara, kismat Murari Dhar Kanu and Nil Kamal Sen Babaite, taraf Gouri Shankar Kanungoe.	1,930 3 1	Share ...	Residue	Bidhu Bhusan Ray and Srimati Sashi Kumari Ray.	976 2 6	...	442 0 10
3054	Thana Rouzan, Hathazari Town and Fatikchari, taraf Shib Durga Charan Chandhuri.	3,942 2 0	Do. ...	Share No. 3	Srimati Lakshmi Kumari Sen.	314 3 4	...	233 0 0
92916	Thana Ramoo, mahal Rajakul, taluk Obedullah Sheik, Badeosama, father of Makbul Ali, Dewan Bibi and Asalat Khan.	963 11 3	Do. ...	Residue	Prasanna Kumar Ray, Binode Lal Ray and others.	662 9 2	...	289 14 11

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
34611 3	Mauza Dhopachari, thana Patiya.	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	...
3749 392	Nsabad taluk Keramatali Kamalafrue.	844 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sarfauddin Sikdar, son of Mosharaf Ali Sikdar, of Pekua, thana Chakaria.	...	211 0 0	...
		Cess— 177 8 0					Cess— 44 6 0	

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
1 159/3	Mauza Teknaf, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Fatey Choudhuri.	1,374 1 3 83 15 9	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Chewa Choudhuria, daughter of Alathoni Choudhuri, Keokhain and Keojapra Choudhuri, sons of Chatiafru Chaudhuri of Teknaf.	.....	428 11 0 33 8 0	.....
3 509/5	Mauza Lengurbil, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Thow Choudhuria.	798 0 0 44 4 6	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	300 0 0 16 2 4	.....
4 460/876 560	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Ishan Chandra Choudhuri.	2,321 6 0 195 13 3	Do. ...	.....	Mongjai Choudhuri and Keojai Choudhuri, sons of Bapoy Choudhuri of South Nilla.	.....	763 13 0 66 14 0	.....
5-1055	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluk Srimati Khoamay.	1,621 8 0 153 8 9	Do. ...	.....	Fateh Choudhuri, Angla Choudhuri, sons of Koheong Choudhuri, and others of South Nilla.	.....	546 4 0 64 10 0	.....
303 294/307	Mauza Harbang, thana Chakaria, mahal Noabad, taluk Mobarakali.	939 14 0 85 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Sherali Khan, son of Ajamullah Khan, of Harbung.	.....	232 8 0 31 0 0	.....

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
3/403	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Puichari, mahal Noabad, taluk Moberuk Ali Bakshally.	2,126 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Makbul Ali Chowdhury, son of Md. Sharif Miaji, of Chota Sauna. Resharatali Chowdhury, son of Jafarali Chowdhury, of Puichari.	.....	Road— 162 12 0 Cess— 24 1 3	...
4051/35000	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Burmana Chara, mahal Noabad, hal taluk Ramdia-Hazari.	1,942 5 6	Do. ...	.....	Sm. Mathuria Debya and on behalf of her minor son Rajnarayan Hazari, of Anderkilla.	.....	Cess— 83 5 9	
5674/5069	Thana Satkania, mauza Paharchunda, mahal Noabad, taluk Nilmani.	651 10 0	Do. ...	.....	Md. Aktar Kamal Chowdhury, son of Maulvi Nezamaddin, of Joarianala.	.....	Road— 162 14 6 Cess— 27 4 3	
4239/5617	Thana Satkania, mauza Charamba, mahal Noabad, taluk Kaikirkar.	1,965 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Pran Hari Chowdhury, son of Haradas Chowdhury, of Charamba and others.	.....	Road— 178 4 6 Cess— 36 14 6	

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
409	Estate Shyampur, pargana Gilsha-bari.	1,745 3 6	No ...	5 annas residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rahimuddin Chaudhury, Mahatapuddin Chaudhury, Kasiranneesa Bibi, Mahamed Mufizuddin, Mahamed Serajuddin Chaudhury, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Karimonnesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Abijonnesa Chaudhurany, Shahebanneesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kalimonnesa Chaudhurany, Hason Banu Chaudhurany and Gafuranneesa Chaudhurany.	545 6 1	...	88 14 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
161	Estate Ramdebpur, pargana Fulbari.	3,187 13 4	No	3 annas residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rahimuddin Chaudhury, Kasiran Bibi, Azimonnesa Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Amironnesa Chaudhurany, Safiranneesa Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salimonnesa Chaudhurany, Safiranneesa Chaudhurany and Latifanneesa Chaudhurany, themselves and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salemanneesa Chaudhurany, Nehaluddin Chaudhury, Ismail Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Osmanuddin Chaudhury, Jabeda Khatun, Khodeja Khatun and Chhara Khatun; Saban Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Imanuddin Chaudhury, Ekramuddin Chaudhury and Abeda Khatun; Nesamuddin Chaudhury, Saban Bibi Chaudhurany, Kasiranneesa, Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Kasiranneesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, herself and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Abiranneesa Chaudhurany; Sahebanneesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kalimanneesa Chaudhurany, Hasan Banu Chaudhurany, Gafuranneesa Chaudhurany.	597 8 9	...	162 11 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
469 / 2	Estate Shyampur, pargana Gilababari.	1,745 3 6	No	6an. 6g. 2c. 2kr. share S. A. No. 2. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sarafuddin Chaudhury and Daimudin Chaudhury.	581 11 10	...	77 13 4

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs A. P.		Rs. A. P.
126	Estate Sidhore, pargana Baragaon.	4,757 2 5	No ...	2 annas residue share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Meherali Sarkar ...	594 10 4	...	159 4 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
201	Estate Agra. pargana Panjra.	1,705 10 4	Yes ...	.....	Krishna Prasad Sanyal, B.L., common manager under section 94 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, for Giribala Debi Chaudhurany, Mahendra Nath Talukdar Chaudhury, Manindra Nath Talukdar Chaudhury.	.....	162 0 0	.....

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
372	Estate Bhawanipur, pargana Nurpur.	3,572 4 9	No ...	8 as. 8 g. 3 c. 1 kr. 2 d. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Janaki Nath Mazumdar, Kedar Nath Saha, Hemlata Dasya, Kumuda Sundari Dasya, Prafulla Kumari Khajanchi, Trailakya Nath Khajanchi.	1,357 9 7	...	372 1 11

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
196/2	Estate Inaitpur, pargana Gilahabari.	1,745 3 6	No ...	8as. 6g. 3c. 2kr. share of separate account No. 2. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sarafuddin Chaudhury and Daimuddin Chaudhury.	581 11 10	...	78 2 8

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
48	Estate Kajaltair, pargana Gilahabari.	1,849 2 4	Yes ...	.....	Surendra Chandra Rai Chaudhury.	.....	419 15 10	.....

J. DE, Collector.

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th February 1924

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
6378	Taluk char Soula, pargana Rajnagar.	671	Whole ...	.....	Svarna Moyee Debi ...	...	203 4 0	...
6446	Taluq Taspur, pargana Jalalpur.	960	No ...	Residuary 10 annas share. The following share is exempted from sale:—Separate account No. 1 for 6 annas share of the estate.	Krisnadas Roy and others.	600 0 0	...	145 0 0
6797	Taluq surplus land of thak of Koyaria, pargana Kasimpur Sehalapatti.	849	Whole ...	.....	Barada Kanta Ghosh	...	2 5 4	...

Faridpur, the 12th February 1924. D. H. WARES, Collector.

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NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th of March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2381	Kaligadu, Kalisafa, pargana Kalisafa.	549 4 0	Yes ...	.....	(1) Krishna Gopal Sanyal, (2) Ram Gopal Sanyal.	...	105 3 0 Cess— 137 4 0	...

Rajshahi, the 13th February 1924. F. B. BRADLEY-BIRT, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
2709	Jear Gauripura Meadi Pattani, taluq pargana Bardakhat.	1,868 11 0	Whole ...	.....	Aswini Kumar Pal and others.	...	38 15 3	...
2714	Jear Maheshpur Meadi pattani, taluq pargana Bardakhat.	1,265 8 0	Do. ...	.....	Hari Das Raksh'ś and others.	...	25 2 9	...

Comilla, the 15th February 1924. A. J. DASH, Collector.

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NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Birbhum, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
10	Dhaka, pargana Swarupsing.	16,707 4 0	Whole ...	.....	Bonowari Mukunda Deb, Sebait.	...	7,314 0 0	...
12	Salpa, pargana Serpur ...	4,675 10 0	Do. ...	.....	Bonowari Mukundo Deb.	...	2,188 0 0	...
13	Chahata, pargana Fatehpur	11,939 10 11	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	5,578 7 3	...
24	Madanpur, pargana Allnagar.	2,820 14 0	...	8 as. share in residuary share except separate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Bhupendra Bala, guardian of Nirode Mohan and Khirode Mohan Ghosh Maulik.	1,410 7 0	...	610 8 0
31	Purandarpur, pargana Purandarpur.	6,299 6 0	...	8 as. share of separate account No. 2. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Kisori Lal Sing and others.	1,181 2 6	...	510 10 9
38	Binshpur, pargana Sahaslampur.	928 15 0	...	9 as. 13 g. 2 cra. share in residuary share. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Bisembhar Chatterji and others.	558 13 0	...	69 15 1
81	Paharpur, pargana Allnagar.	2,842 5 0	...	9 as. 18 g. 2 cr. share in residuary share except separate account Nos. 1, 2 and 3. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Mohendra Nath Ghosh Maulik and others.	1,763 1 10	...	159 0 5
148	Gomai, pargana Kutabpur	1,233 15 10	Whole ...	.....	Sreebatsa Lal Banarji and others as Sebait.	...	542 0 10	...
1946 with police.	Huda Kutabpur, Fatehpur, pargana Kutabpur, Fatehpur.	2,216 0 9	...	16 as. 2 g. 2 cr. share in separate account No. 1. All other share than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Nirode Mohan Ghosh Maulik and others, Sebait.	1,946 4 7	...	844 5 10

Suri, the 16th February 1924.

A. REZA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Jessore, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 2 P.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
168	Mallikpur, pargana Mallikpur.	1,467 11 3	Yes ...	.....	Nagendra Nath Banerjee...	...	408 14 1	...

Jessore Collectorate, the 16th February 1924.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Midnapore, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
				S. A. No. 1—				
276	Pargana Tappa Ballalta, mahal Bhitor Beuode, 4 annas share.	1,688 14 10	...	8 as. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ratnakar Das ...	839 7 5	...	285 0 6
312	Pargana Batitaki, mahal Palgerya.	630 1 7	Entire ...	.....	Kedar Nath Pal and others, Sebait of Lakshi Janardan Jeu Thakur.	...	153 12 7	...
				S. A. No. 5—				
333	Pargana Birku', mahal Rampur *alias* Rampur and Naupur, 7 annas share.	5,174 2 9	...	1 a. 16 gds. 3 ch. 2 kags 12½ til share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Srimatya Rajeswari Dasi.	596 14 1	...	12 14 0
				S. A. No. 7—				
333	Ditto ...	5,174 2 9	...	1 a. 16 gds. 3 ch. 2 kags 12 til 2 cora share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Achiuta Nath Sasmal and another.	596 14	...	31 2 8
954	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Harijhama.	3,136 3 6 (including police).	...	Residuary share excluding separate account No. 1. 11 as. 14 gds. 3 c. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sarat Chandra Banerjee and others executors of the estate of late Bhuban Chandra Banerjee.	2,302 5 3 (including police).	...	380 8 3
				S. A. No. 7—				
2031	Pargana Protapvan, mahal Kotebar.	6,239 9 9	...	2 as. 10 gds. share of each of the following mauzas will be sold :— Mauza Adam chak. ,, Aladi chak. ,, Anua. ,, Bigulbarh. ,, Birahim chak. ,, Bel chak. ,, Bhairabdandi. ,, Farid chak. ,, Gangra. ,, Gobardhanpur. ,, Gobinda chak. ,, Gokulpore. ,, Gopal chak. ,, Ghorasaiya chak. ,, Husen chak. ,, Jambarh. ,, Joki chak. ,, Kankai. ,, Kalika chak. ,, Keshab chak. ,, Kotebar. ,, Krishnapur. ,, Kharan. ,, Lochhibar. ,, Narasingpur. ,, Nyamtalya. ,, Oyad chak. ,, Oladpur chak. ,, Paschimsai. ,, Purusottampore. ,, Rangi chak. ,, Rambar. ,, Satsanda. ,, Sultan chak. ,, Raja chak. ,, Teghari. ,, Raghunathpore. ,, Unuan. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Chouduri Surendra Nath Pahari and others.	973 6 1	...	353 6 8

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2376	Pargana Shahapur, mahal Baragor.	3,196 12 4 (including police).	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 4, 6, 7, 9 to 16 only. 10 annas share in each of mauzas will be sold— Mauza Baragarh. ,, Debra Kismat. ,, Ramgere. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Muchi Ram Maity and others.	1,036 2 4 (including police).	...	42 14 8 (January 1923 to January 1924).
2681	Pargana Uttar Behar, mahal Bastupur *alias* Dhaneswarpur.	4,675 4 9	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3 only. 16 annas share in each of the following mauzas will be sold— Mauza Agarbar chak. ,, Kamal chak. ,, Pahari chak. ,, Patpore. ,, Purusattampur Patna. ,, Mahammad Jana chak. ,, Bansi chak. ,, Lachi chak. ,, Barobatia. ,, Deulbar. ,, Haripur. ,, Suria. ,, Kotebar. ,, Laipore. ,, Nokibar. ,, Sarifabad. ,, Sukarbar. ,, Akilabad. ,, Uriapara *alias* Turiapara. ,, Kanakpur. ,, Shamsundarpur. ,, Dam darpur. ,, Moni chak. ,, Mirzapur. ,, Purusottampur. ,, Deulbar. ,, Dasrul. ,, Agar. ,, Bhalukar. ,, Chandpore. ,, Desbetya. ,, Kharikar. ,, Masurya. ,, Napara. ,, Rashra. ,, Sanasikl. ,, Asti kismat. ,, Dhaneswarpur. ,, Khanderpur. ,, Mriljabeg. ,, Paparhasi. ,, Ambi. ,, Bhadua. ,, Behala. ,, Paikhola. ,, Gamarya. ,, Palania. ,, Barobetyasana, 5 as. All osher shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Gobinda Chandra Pal and others.	4,636 7 9	...	11 0 2
				PART II.				
2889	Pargana Patashpur, mahal Naipur.	1,789 0 0	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3 only. 9 as. 18 gds. 1 c. 1 kt. share in each of the following mauzas wil be sold— Mauza Ajodhyapore. ,, Gopal chak. ,, Modhupur. ,, Marulia chak. ,, Naipur. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Jotindra Nath Das Pattanaik and others.	1,108 12 11	...	17 10 1

Midnapore, the 16th February 1924.

N. C. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Dacca, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
9069	Pargana Khallisabad, diara mahal char Kukurhati.	1,788 8 0	16 annas	.....	Swarnamoyee Debya and others.	...	233 3 0	...
9070	Pargana Shahanulal, diara mahal char Singair.	961 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Kripamoyee Debi and others.	...	60 0 0	...
9422	Pargana Sindurl, diara mahal char Baghutia.	6,841 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Sarat Chandra Biswas	2,500 0 0	...	...
9965	Tappe Ran Bhowal, Zemindari Marium Begum. 4 annas 15 gandas.	1,719 8 0	...	Residue—	Kunja Mohan Pal and others.	1,416 6 11	...	124 9 4
				Part I—13 annas 10 gandas 2 karas share of mauza Airmara, Futehpur.				
				Part II—15 annas 15 gandas share of mauza Chop-Dakhin and others.	Maulvi Abu Ahmed and others.			
				Part III—15 annas 3 gandas 1 kara 1 kranti share of char Sankhipur and others.	Ditto.			
				Part IV—13 annas 14 gandas 3 karas 2 krantis share of mauza Uttarkandi and others.	Dwarka Nath Saha.			
				Part V—7 annas 14 gandas 2 krantis 11 tils share of mauza Jaipur (Tippera).	Maulvi Abu Ahmed, Abdul Basit and others.			
				Part VI—9 annas 6 gandas 2 krantis 13 tils share of mauza Boiar char (Tippera).	Radha Kanta Poddar and others.			
				Part VII—13 annas 3 gandas 2 karas 2 krantis share of mauza Sendi (Tippera).	Surendra Chandra Poddar and others.			
				Part VIII—15 annas 15 gandas share of remaining mauzas.	Abu Ahmed, Abdul Basit and others.			
				All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale.				
				Part I—Separate account Nos. 5, 11, 16, 45—hissya 2 annas 9 gandas 2 karas.				
				Part II—Separate account No. 8—hissya 5 gandas.				
				Part III—Separate account Nos. 5, 18, 28—hissya 2 annas 16 gandas 2 karas 2 krantis.				
				Part IV—Separate account Nos. 5, 20, 21-26, 31 and 37—hissya 3 annas 5 gandas 1 kranti.				
				Part V—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27, 39, 46, 38, 1, 43—hissya 3 annas 5 gandas 3 karas 9 tils.				
				Part VI—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27, 46, 39, 43, 44—hissya 6 annas 13 gandas 3 karas 7 tils.				
				Part VII—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27 and 21—hissya 16 gandas 1 kara 1 kranti.				
				Part VIII—Separate account No. 5—hissya 5 gandas.				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
10622	Pargana Sindurl, diara mahal char Gobindapur.	2,904 0 0	...	Residue hissya 8 annas— All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale. Separate account No. 1—hissya 8 annas.	Surendra Krishna Datta Barma and others.	1,452 0 0	...	400 0 0
				Separate account No. 1—hissya 8 annas. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale. Residue hissya 8 annas.	Satya Charan Datta Barma.	1,452 0 0	...	200 0 0
10946	Pargana Jahangirnagar, diara mahal char Kamarta.	649 0 0	16 annas	.....	Swarnamoyee Debi and others.	...	40 12 0	...
11037	Pargana Makimpur, taluq char Binodepur.	953 5 0	16 ,,	.....	K. B. Datta, receiver for (a) Satish Chandra Das.	...	71 9 8	...
13540	Pargana Bikrampur, diara mahal char Saidpur.	864 8 0	16 ,,	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakrabarty and others.	...	87 10 9	...
15780	Pargana Jahangirnagar, diara mahal Kunitpur.	1,665 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Swarnamoyee Debi and others.	...	100 0 0	...

Dacca, the 14th February 1924.

B. N. GUPTA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Nadia, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
44/1	Boalia, pargana Asrafabad.	...	No ...	8 annas ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Siva Das Mukherjee and others.	591 6 8	...	89 4 0
834	Talberia, pargana Krishnagar.	3,510 14 10	Whole ...	.....	Dharani Mohan Roy ...	...	74 7 9	...
3854	Tiukari, pargana Pajnour.	1,213 5 4	Do. ...	.....	Debendra Prosad Ghose and another.	...	364 10 8	...
967	Char Manikdihi, pargana Rajpur.	841 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Brojeswari Dasi and another.	...	135 0 0	...
3635/6	Deara taluk Pramatho Nath Roy and others, pargana Hapania.	...	No ...	10 as. 11 gds. 1 kr. and 1 kt. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Nilmoni Roy Choudhury and others.	811 10 8	...	33 14 10

Krishnagar, the 16th February 1924.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
39 A	Bahirgorra, pargana Baligori.	7,830 13	...	1 anna 13 gandas ...	Sailaja Nath Rai Chowdhury and 11 others.	784 0 3	...	61 7 11
			Temporary settled estates.					
2035 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Rampur char, pargana Raipur.	858 0	Whole ...	.....	Settled with Khagendra Nanda Asram, Sebait of Brindaban Chandra Thakur.	...	214 8	...
2037 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati new char, pargana Raipur.	2,105 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	526 4	...
2035 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati char, pargana Raipur.	1,639 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	409 12	...
2092 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati Ohhera char, pargana Raipur.	2,266 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	566 8	...
3479 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1923.	Rasulpur char, pargana Patmahal.	568 0	Do. ...	.....	Settled with Kailpada Banerjee and another.	...	71 0	...

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Chinsura, the 15th February 1924.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
47	Kismat Raipur and others, Magura.	2,053 8 0	Whole ...	.....	Amrito Lal Chakraverty, Upendra Krishna Mandal, Gopi Krishna Mandal.	...	20 0 1½	.....
336	Pargana Sahanagar, mauza Iswaripur and others.	6,444 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Atul Ch. Mukerji and Sahayaram Chakravarty, Trustee to the estate of Gopi Nath Jew Thakur and other deities.	...	1,971 15 4½	.....

Alipore, the 18th February 1924.

H. CHATTERJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
19	Gidhagram, etc., pargana Arsha.	7,308 13 11	...	Residuary share 2-3-0-3-2 is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Priyatama Debi, sebait of Annapurna Thakurani and executrix to the estate of late Hari Charan Banerji and others.	963 2 11	...	236 15 11

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
157	Plikhandi, etc., pargana Ajmatshi.	3,140 1 0	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Anadi Nath Dutt and others as sebait of Radhaballav Jew Thakur and others.	.....	635 13 3	.....

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE] *for* Collector.

Notification A.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
5170	Dahukadanga, etc., pargana Sahabad.	6,421 14 3	.....	Residuary share as. 8 is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Monmohini Dasi ...	3,210 15 3	.....	1,197 14 8

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Noakhali, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 25th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lot No. 18, tauzi No. 1676.	Nijakhi dsara tenure No. 84.	941 12 0	Whole ...	.....	Hari Preya Saha ...	...	Land revenue— 382 8 0 Cess— 18 7 6 400 15 6	...
Lot No. 28, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 1.	2,999 7 0	Do. ...	.....	S. M. Asamaleruesa Chaudhurani.	...	Land revenue— 608 9 6 Cess— 78 0 0 686 9 6	...
Lot No. 29, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 24.	777 6 0	Do. ...	.....	Aptarali and others ...	...	Land revenue— 315 13 0 Cess— 23 4 0 339 1 0	...
Lot No. 34, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 48.	559 3 0	Do. ...	...	Jol Fakkar Halder ...	...	Land revenue— 227 4 9 Cess— 14 11 2 241 15 11	...
Lot No. 43, tauzi No. 1656.	Bangshi, kismat Lakhi, tenure No. 671.	883 11 0	Do. ...	...	Hara Lal Bhuya ...	...	Land revenue— 92 3 11 Cess— 0 1 0 92 3 11	...
Lot No. 66, tauzi No. 1672.	Nalchira Choudhurir katta, tenure No. 80.	778 3 0	Do ...	.....	Munshi Mozaharuddin Ahmed.	...	Land revenue— 386 9 0 Cess— 23 1 11 409 10 11	...
Lot No. 102, tauzi No. 1672.	Nalchira Shaheber katta, tenure No. 172.	912 6 0	Do ...	.....	Shumsul Haq ...	...	Land revenue— 326 10 0 Cess— 50 15 3 377 9 3	...
Lot No. 120, tauzi No. 1673.	Char Bharat Sen, tenure No. 49.	707 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Badiar Rahman	...	Land revenue— 35 3 0 Cess— 22 8 6 57 11 6	
Lot No. 121, tauzi No. 1686.	Char Alexander, tenure No. 1.	940 15 8	...	.....	Serazul Haq and others ...	...	Land revenue— 382 5 0 Cess— 20 0 0 402 5 0	

Noakhali, the 18th February 1924.

S. C. RAY, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rangpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 192., at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
108 Residiary.	Musarat Madati, mauza Cheronka, pargana Chakla Kasirhat.	2,611 7 5	No ...	16as. share of Madati Musarat, mauza Group "B" residuary share. (NOTE.—All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.)	Rajendra Narain Choudhuri, sebait, on behalf of Raghunath Bigraha.	1,822 9 6	...	107 5 2
184-2	Khupi O'gayraha, pargana Bagduar, 9as.	26,153 7 2	No ...	16as. share of Anantaram-pur and 110 other mauzas, Group "B", separate account No. 2. (NOTE.—All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.)	Banawari Mukunda Deb.	12,183 7 11	...	4,119 13 8
215	Hari Narainpur O'gay-raha, pargana Barabila.	5,801 14 4	Whole ...	16as. share of whole estate	Ditto ...	...	1,571 3 3	...

Rangpur Collectorate, the 18th February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

See Rule 161.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the proprietary right of Government specified in the condition of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate at 12 noon, on Monday, the 27th March 1924, corresponding with 14th Chaitra 1330, Bengali era. The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue-free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
Tauzi No. 3610	Estate Mandra, pargana Jahangirabad ...	·465	Rs. A. P. 0 11 0	

Collector's Office, Burdwan, the 13th February 1924. J. YOUNIE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Pabna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3	Dehi Shoratoli, pargana Ishafshahi.	10,767 9 0	...	* Separate account No. 40 ... ... 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Kuranday-pur, Chak Kurabari *alias* Kurabeju Chak, Dattabari, Jangal Khamar, Jhonjhonibari, Kan Neorgacha, Khamarpara, Bitbari *alias* Bitobari, Neorgacha, Krishnapur Chak, Nagor-boyra, Pangashi, Farid, Shoratola, Shyambaria, Durgapur, Haludghor-para, Sitolpari, Petia Bhagiruth, Horepara, Raghabpur *alias* Baghai-pur, Rakhalgachha, Nandigunti, Shingganti, Baldipara, Janglibari K. *alias* Jangipur ; 1 a. 2 gds. 2 cr. 1 kg. 5 tils share of Shyampur ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Mariohi, Uchal Satbaria *alias* Uchal Sanbaria ; 12 gds. 1 cr. 17½ tils share of Dartapur, Dasharath-dia and Khonjondiar ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Kacharibari and Narnia Alokdia ; 2 gds. 3 cr. share of Pecha-kola ; 8 gds. 1 cr. 3 kg. share of Santosha ; 6 gds. 1 cr. 2 kgs. 12 tils ½ tilpon 17 T. P. G.-14½ T. P. G. P. share of Lahiribari and Paiksha ; 8 gds. 3 cr. share of Majgram *alias* Latibpur ; 1 cr. 2 kgs. 11½ til share of Chak Tebaria with Chandpur ; 8 gds. 3 cr. share of Arjoondia Hissya 6 as. *alias* Khamargaon ; 8 gds. 1 cr. 3 kgs. 7½ til share of Gopinathpur ; 19 gds. 2 cr. 3 kgs. share of Pakurtola ; 13 gds. 2 kgs. share of Tenthulia *alias* Ekrampur ; 2 gds. 1 cr. 3 kgs. 7½ tils share of Satbaria Chala Hissya 13 as. 15½ gds. ; 13 gds. 2 kgs. share of Basantapur and Thakurbari and Chalu-barapara, Goholibori *alias* Gohal bari ; 12 gds 1 cr. 17½ tils share of Dasdas-putti and Khidraputia ; 3 gds. 2 kgs. 1½ tils share of Bashbaria ; 2 gds. 1 cr. 3 kgs. 7½ tils share of Dondoma ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Koyra Khamarpara, Kacharupara, Misri-ganti, Thor Potagia, Bagnutia Bhata, Paikhanda, Nandina Chanda, Mohes-pur and Mahamodpur ; 1 a. 15 gds. share of Betil Hissya 7 as. and Arjoondia Hissya 7 annas 8 gds. 3 cr. share of Chala Betil Kismut *alias* Betil Hissya 6 as. ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Uday Krishnapur, Elongjani, Ichhamati, Kansona Kura Pestak, Kumarpara *alias* Sontola, Gudhibari, Jartola, Jolahati *alias* Jokanati, Bantaganti bonam Lal Khan, Moha-jiterpara, Hatia, Hore Soratoli, Kura Udaypur, Biljhati bolat Bipro Tethulia *alias* Kallugu hadraghat *alias* Kalinja, Barohar *alias* Farider-para, Barahar, Bontaria *alias* Kadai Bontaria, Beara Bantaganti, Bengnai, Bhutgacha, Barahar and Ghoseganti 1 a. 16 gds. 1 kg. 10 til share of Govindabari.	Soshi Bala Debya, wife of Hem Chandra Mukhopadhya.	1,256 7 0	...	457 8 0 Police— 3 6 0
104	Pargana Islampur, pargana Islampur.	24,335 5 5	...	* Separate account No. I ... ... 8 annas share of the estate	Gopi Sundari Dasya, mother of Upendra Narayan Singha.	12,164 11 6	...	4,869 0 6
209	Dihi Hat Sira, pargana Katarmahal.	1,164 12 0	...	* Residuary share ... ... 4 annas share of Chowrabari Chowki, Gariswar Jote, Kishore Mazumdar Chak, *alias* Mohishabathan, Mirja Chak, Rainagore Salpa, Ramkrishna Chak Mudafat Rohimpur 12 as. share of Bashudebkole with Chak Gopal-nagore Hatsira Chak, Shyampur Chak K. Mudafat Keshabpur, Syam Taluq-der Jote Mudafat Gangarampur, 8 as. share of Ghoshgram Chak with Chak Hari Roy and Ram Saran Ghose Mudafat Ghorgram 16 as. share of Ghorgram K. and Khirpara Chak. * All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Upendra Chandra Guha Choudhury and others.	611 0 0	...	45 5 3

Pabna Collectorate, the 25th February 1924.

R. GOSWAMI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Murshidabad, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
345	Kist pargana Mohanpur, pargana Mohanpur.	4,390 11 0	Yes ...	.....	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, jointly and equally with Asit Mohan Ghose Maulik, as sebait of Radha Gobinda Deb Thakur, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	...	591 7 8	...
361	Mauza Madhupur, pargana Kulberia.	...	No ...	8 annas ... ... All other shares than that specified should be excluded from sale.	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	725 8 4	...	289 5 0
495	Mauza Harispur, pargana Kulberia.	520 0 0	Yes ...	.....	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, jointly and equally with Asit Mohan Ghose Maulik, as sebait of Sri Sri Iswar Joy Sib Durga, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	...	69 13 7	...

L. S. BINGEMANN, Collector.

Berhampore, the 22nd February 1924.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of sale.

(*See* Rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Howrah will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on Wednesday, the 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 (Bengali according to the era current in the district).

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
2043	Abandoned site of the Palpara quarantine hospital.	7·18 acres or 21 bighas 14 cottahs 9 chitaks 15 square feet.	Revenue-free	Upset price, more or less, Rs. 2,167-3. Boundaries— *North*—Benode Roy's khal. *East*—River Ganges. *South and West*—Zamindari bundh and mauza Palpara.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Howrah, the 23rd February 1924.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of sale.

(*See* Rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Howrah, will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on Wednesday, the 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 B.S. (Bengali according to the era current in the district).

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
1045	Thana Makua (মাকুয়া), pargana Boro	·06	13 0 0	Upset price, more or less, Rs. 200. *North*—Andul Road. *East*—Panchanantollah Road. *South and West*—Panchkori Ghose's land. Case No. $\frac{8}{228}$ of 1920.

Howrah, the 23rd February 1924.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

(*See* Rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Howrah will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on the 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 B.S. (Bengali, according to the era current in the district) :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
1000	Patihal, pargana Balia ...	·02	11 0	Upset price more or less Rs. 20-10. *North*—Behary Mondol's land. *East*—Patihal Road. *South*—Rakhal Samoory's land. *West*—Nakoo Sinha's land. Case No $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1922-23.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector

Howrah, the 23rd February 1924.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua ...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situated in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Manikganj, on the 24th day of March 1924, corresponding with 11th Chaitra of 1330 (Bengali Era).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Subdivisional Officer at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As.	
11656	Myadi mahal Jala Maharpur, pargana Shujabad Kutubpur.	·26	10 (rental).	

J. G. DRUMMOND, Collector.

Collector's office, Dacca, the 11th February 1924.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order *ex* the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 113 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. Those goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and, if not cleared on or before the 22nd April 1924, on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "Holywell."		
29th Jan. 1924 ...	A G in a diamond, S A below ...	3	Cases essential oil.
30th „ „ ...	3539 in a diamond, B B & Co below ...	3	Ditto.
30th „ „ ...	3653 in a diamond, B B & Co below ...	1	Case essential oil.
29th „ „ ...	B B in a diamond, J H below ...	4	Cases merchandise.
29th „ „ ...	C Al in a diamond	9	Bags merchandise.
29th „ „ ...	C P & Co in a diamond	15	Packages spirit.
29th „ „ ...	D 53 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	2	Cases toilet soap.
30th „ „ ...	534-1 / 534-3 in a diamond, E A on top, M C below.	1	Case merchandise.
30th „ „ ...	534-2 in a diamond, E A on top, M C below.	1	Ditto.
5th Feb. „ ...	1392 in a diamond, J H on top, & Co below.	2	Kegs wire nail.
1st „ „ ...	K N / L	1	Cask cement.
30th Jan. „ ...	647 in a triangle, L N on top ...	4	Cases hardware.
29th „ „ ...	S Abdul Sattar & Co	1	Case merchandise.
29th „ „ ...	Y in a diamond, A J below ...	4	Cases woodenware.
29th „ „ ...	Y in a diamond, B J on top ...	3	Ditto.
6th Feb. „ ...	Medical College Hospital ...	1	Case merchandise.
	SHED No. 8.		
	SS. "City of Cairo."		
5th Feb. 1924 ...	C C C C in a diamond, C below ...	15	Packages merchandise.
4th „ „ ...	S G D in a double triangle ...	10	Bales cotton.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 9.		
	SS. "Jaladuta."		
11th Feb. 1924 .	M G	5	Bundles coir yarn.
	SS. "Sikh."		
18th Feb. 1924 ...	J T in a triangle, B & on top, B below...	37	Packages tea.
18th „ „ ...	S I	1	Package tea.
	SHED No. 2.		
	SS. "Malay Maru."		
8th Feb. 1924 ...	A D A / 1238 in a block, 494-98 ...	5	Cases merchandise.
8th „ „ ...	B M & Co. Rangoon Vid Hong Kong	1	Case merchandise.
8th „ „ ...	1477 in a diamond, 1-5	5	Cases celluloid ware.
11th „ „ ...	G D M in a block, 450-54	5	Cases sieves.
8th „ „ ...	7 in a diamond, I T on top, C O below, 1-20.	20	Cases chest woods.
8th „ „ ...	7 in a diamond, I K on top, T C below, 101-140.	40	Ditto.
11th „ „ ...	7 in a diamond, I T on top, C O below, 191-97.	7	Cases metalware.
8th „ „ ...	A diamond, I T on top, C O below, 21-100.	80	Packages chest woods.
11th „ „ ...	= Do =, 198-201	4	Packages metalware.
8th „ „ ..	= Do =, 141-90	50	Packages chest woods.
8th „ „ ...	J & S in a diamond, Aden below, 1-10...	10	Cases socks.
11th „ „ ...	49 in a triangle, K C on top, 1 below, 2.	1	Case glassware.
11th „ „ ...	= 86 =, 2-5	4	Cases glassware.
11th „ „ ...	= 85 =, 4	1	Case glassware.
8th „ „ ...	1476 in a diamond, 1-5	5	Cases metalware.
8th „ „ ...	= 1479 =, 1-5	5	Ditto.
11th „ „ ...	= 115 =, 4-5	2	Cases hair-pins.
8th „ „ ...	112 in a diamond, 3-5	3	Ditto.
8th „ „ ...	6 in a diamond, S G on top, D M below, 35-48.	14	Cases machinery.
8th „ „ ...	Taher in a diamond, 28-35	8	Cases porcelain.
8th „ „ ...	United Artist of Far E c-o J F Madan & Co.	1	Case film of Paris.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 2—*concld.*		
	SS. "Malay Maru."—*concld.*		
8th Feb. 1924 ...	A diamond, S G on top, D M below, 61	1	Case machinery.
8th ,, ,, ...	6 in a diamond, S G on top, D M below, 49-60.	12	Crates machinery.
	SHED No. 4.		
	SS. "Nurjehan."		
15th Feb. 1924 ...	J T in a triangle, B & on top, B below ...	42	Cases half chest tea.
15th ,, ,, ...	T in a triangle, B C on top, B below ..	40	Cases tea.
	SS. "Malakuta."		
4th Feb. 1924 ...	899 in a diamond, U T on top, & Co below, 540-41.	2	Cases merchandise.
4th ,, ,, ...	Fowler 1729-30 in a diamond, 44-45 ...	2	Cases machinery.
6th ,, ,, ...	A triangle, H D on top, C below, 30 ...	1	Case C. P. goods.
4th ,, ,, ...	Mr. H F Mooney, Sambulpur p. & s. ...	1	Box book and stamps.
11th ,, ,, ...	6202 in a triangle, T on top, A G on sides, 1.	1	Keg brass solder dust.
4th ,, ,, ...	6185 in a diamond, 1-26	26	Drums iron nails.
6th ,, ,, ...	Siddiq in a diamond, H M on top, & Co below.	4	Cases soap
	SHED No. 5.		
	SS. "Clan Ogilvy."		
6th Feb. 1924 ...	B L C M L, 5-8	4	Cases reeds, etc.
6th ,, ,, ...	E G F, 958-1-3	3	Cases bicycles and bicycle articles.
6th ,, ,, ...	C B M, 219-20	2	Cases bicycle articles.
9th ,, ,, ...	H M Noval, Esq., Blomemdu, Colombo, 5	1	Keg merchandise.
9th ,, ,, ...	Nil	2	Pieces tube.
9th ,, ,, ...	Nil	1	Piece pipe.
9th ,, ,, ...	N A S C 34 in an inverted triangle, 844 on top, 32.	1	Case merchandise.
9th ,, ,, ...	Nil	2	Bundles steel hoops.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 5—*concld.*		
	SS. "Clan Ogilvy"—*concld.*		
9th Feb. 1924 ...	100-57 / 18623 in a block	1	Keg merchandise.
9th „ „ ...	A M H & Co, 856	1	Piece pipe.
6th „ „ ...	01 / Sample in a triangle, T V on top, 11 ...	1	Package samples.
6th „ „ ...	M & Co, 6, 9	2	Packages earthenware.
8th „ „ ...	Arthur T Thomson Esq., c-o The Consolidated Tea and Land Co, Ltd.	1	Case framed electring.
9th „ „ ...	W P	2	Bundles steel hoop.
	SS. "San Michale."		
5th Feb. 1924 ...	1 in a triangle, C B on top, S below, 1-2.	2	Cases glass beads.
4th „ „ ...	14 in a double triangle, J J on top, J A below, 158.	1	Case woollen goods.
4th „ „ ...	2 in a block, G Ltd. on sides ...	1	Case stamp and samples.
4th „ „ ...	H B / 770 in a diamond, J D on top, P D below, 5-6.	2	Cases cotton goods.
5th „ „ ...	9 in a double triangle, J J on top, J A below, 165-67.	3	Cases merchandise.
4th „ „ ...	= 12 = , 156	1	Case woollen goods.
4th „ „ ...	= 10 = , 164	1	Case merchandise.
4th „ „ ...	= 13 = , 157	1	Case woollen goods.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Garada."		
12th Feb. 1924 ...	D / 290 / S / 70569 , 26	1	Case merchandise.
11th „ „ ...	K A K M	2	Cases printed books.
14th „ „ ...	M 1626 in a diamond, L P on top, L S below, Lucknow, 1-5, 7-8.	7	Cases steel hinges.
11th „ „ ...	P D C	19	Drums merchandise.
11th „ „ ...	S J M in a diamond, 14509, 14 ...	1	Case merchandise.

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 5th March 1924.

(419—1)

ADMINISTRATOR-GENERAL.

Notice of deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal, under section 54 of Act III of 1913.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	Remarks.
R. N. Multon, late of Metelli Tea Estate.	Mitelli Tea Garden, in the district of Jalpaiguri.	13th August 1921...	Additional Magistrate in charge Jalpaiguri, on 30th November 1923.	As the value of the estate does not exceed Rs. 1,000 the Administrator-General of Bengal does not propose to deal with this estate.
Miss Pleasance Louisa Ingle ...	Ranbhi in the district of Chota-Nagpur.	6th August 1921...	Judicial Commissioner, Chota-Nagpur, on 22nd November 1923.	The deceased left a will by which she appointed Reverend Pero Thomas Martin, Executor in India, to whom probate was granted on the 4th February 1922.
Mrs. J. Coggins, late of Rockville Hotel, Darjeeling.	Salt Hill, Darjeeling.	9th May 1923 ...	District Judge of Dinajpur, on 15th November 1923.	As the assets of the estate do not exceed Rs. 1,000 the Administrator-General of Bengal does not propose to interfere in the matter.
J. H. Redding, late a Foreman, E. I. Railway, of No. 4, Grand Trunk Road, Howrah.	Howrah	9th December 1923	District Judge of Hooghly, on 20th December 1923.	The deceased left a will by which he appointed his widow, executrix, who intends to administer this estate.
A. C. Wright, late of Dehri-on-Sone.	Dehri-on-Sone in the district of Shahabad.	28th January 1924	District Judge of Shahabad, on 8th February 1924.	The deceased left a will appointing the Administrator-General of Bengal his executor by whom steps are being taken for administering this estate.
E. B. Nicholson, late Assistant Manager of Gellie Tea Estate, Darjeeling.	Darjeeling... ...	1st September 1923	District Judge of Dinajpur, on 11th February 1924.	The deceased left no will, but left his father, who is now in London, and whose address is being ascertained by the Administrator-General of Bengal with a view to obtain his consent for representation of the estate by the Administrator-General of Bengal.

ALEX. KINNEY,
Administrator-General, Bengal.

No. 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 20th February 1924.*

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

IT is notified under section 118 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890, that if the charges due on the following consignments of sugar are not paid within 15 days from the date of this notice the goods will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of vessel.
April 1919 ...	Nil	4	Bags sugar ...	SS. "Sikkow Maru."
May 1920 ...	Nil	18	Do.	,, "Singapuria."
November ,, ...	K S / S A G M / T ...	1	Bag sugar	,, "Ujina."
March 1923 ...	G / B G C	1	Do.	,, "Rajah."
March ,, ...	B / A R O	6	Bags sugar	,, "Ranee."
February ,, ...	Nil	2	Do.	,, "Ceram"
September ,, ...	Nil	1	Package sample sugar ...	,, "Hatimura."
May ,, ...	Nil	1	Do.	,, "Birma."

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 5th March 1924. (421—1)

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 22nd February 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	19,09,37,000	0	0
Other Deposits	69,75,59,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra... ...	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	12,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	71,87,000	0	0
	1,11,64,33,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A	P.
Government Securities	10,43,49,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,22,42,000	0	0
Loans	22,64,48,000	0	0
Cash credits	41,77,30,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	16,90,43,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	35.18,000	0	0
Bullion	...		
Dead Stock	2,48,91,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	...		
Sundries...	40,63,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	1,71,18,000	0	0
	97,93,92,000	0	0
Cash	13,70,41,000	0	0
	1,11,64,33,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London	£1,482,100
Advances in London	£ 462,400
Cash and balances at other Banks in London	£1,141,900

Percentage 13·49.
Bank Rate 9 per cent.

N. M. MURRAY (offg.),
Managing Governor.

(406—1)

NOTICE.

In the Second Court of the Subordinate Judge, Midnapore.

TITLE SUIT No. 275 OF 1923.

Executrix of the estate of late Kunja Lal Seal (1) Sm. Golap Sundari Dasi, wife of late Kunja Lal Seal, and executor (2) Krishna Lal Seal, son of late Kunja Lal Seal. by caste Subornobarnik, by profession Zamindari, etc., residing at 16, Amherst Street, Calcutta, plaintiffs,

versus

Executrix of the estate of late Brojo Lal Seal (1) Sm. Swarna Manjari Dasi, wife of late Brojo Lal Seal, by caste Subornobarnik, by profession Zemindari, etc., residing at 27, Madan Mitra's Lane, Calcutta, defendant ; (2) Kanta Mohan Mallick. (3) Gour Mohan Mallick, (4) Giri Mohan Mallick, (5) Panchanan Mallick, sons of late Krishna Mohon Mallick, (6) Jogendra Nath Mallick, son of late Lalit Mohan Mallick, by caste Subornobarnik, by profession Zemindari, etc., residing at 60, Colootola Street, Calcutta, (7) Official Trustee of Bengal on behalf of the estate of late Manick Lal Seal, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, (8) Gobinda Samanta, son of late Ananda Samanta, (9) Baburam Prodhan, son of Iswar Prodhan, (10) Netai Manna, son of Mathur Mohan Manna, residing at Sanuka, pargana Mandalghat, thana Panshkura, (11) Abinash Maity, son of Bipra Das Maity, residing at Josarh, pargana Mondalghat, thana Panshkura, *pro forma* defendants.

WHEREAS the plaintiffs in the abovementioned suit have prayed for establishment of title to and recovery of of possession of 1-5th share of settlement plots Nos. 812, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853 854, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820. 821, 822, 823 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 2191, 2192, 2212, 2215, 824. 825, 826, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 2205, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 59, 60, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 134, 135. 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149. 150, 151, 152, 153, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 226, 227, making the abovementioned persons parties defendants to the said suit and having included the disputed land in schedules (Ka) (Kha) and (Ga) of the plaint have made Gobinda Samanta, Baburam Pradhan, Nitai Manna and Abinash Maiti, defendants 8, 9, 10 and 11 in the said suit, as representing the tenants who hold the disputed land and for their benefit.

Therefore, notice is hereby given to all those tenants who reside or hold land within the disputed property that if they or any of them wish to apply to be made parties defendants in the said suit and defend it, he or they may do so on behalf of himself and all other persons interested on or before the 13th March next, failing which action will be taken according to law.

K. N. RAY, Sub-Judge.

Midnapore, the 25th February 1924. (359—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 48 OF 1924.

Re Abraham Twena, residing at No. 20-1, Phear Lane, in the town of Calcutta, Jewish Priest, *ex parte* the debtor.

Raj Kumar Bose, debtor's solicitor.

ON the 18th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 22nd day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 49 of 1924.

Re Juggernath Mehra, residing at No. 94, Cotton Street, in the town of Calcutta, and formerly carrying on business as merchant and commission agent, under the name, style and firm of Sewnarain Ramkissen at No. 89-8, Lower Chitpur Road, in Calcutta aforesaid, at present without occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

S. C. Niyogi, debtor's solicitor.

ON the 18th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 22nd day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 50 of 1924.

Re Shalome Morrison, residing at No. 57-2, Free School Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly a share broker, now an assistant in the firm of Dawson & Co., of No. 29, South Road, Entally, Calcutta, *ex parte* the debtor.

Chatterjee & Co., debtor's solicitors.

ON the 19th day of February 1924, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 22nd day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 52 of 1924.

Re Saradindu Bhattacharya, residing at No. 10, Crouch Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business of stationery under the name, style and firm of D. Bhattacharya & Co. at No. 91-1, Bowbazar Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, at present without occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

S. C. Ghosa, debtor's solicitor.

ON the 21st day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 25th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 53 of 1924.

Re Jogendra Chandra Mukharji, residing at No. 53E, Musjidbari Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as import merchant at No. 97, Clive Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of J. C. Mukharji, at present of no occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

H. C. Banarji, debtor's solicitor.

ON the 23rd day of February 1924, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 27th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 127 of 1922.

Re Durga Das Dey, residing at No. 18, Golock Dutt Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as oil-mill owner under the name, style and firm of Pulin Behari Dutt, Durga Das Dey, at No. 98, Sova Bazar Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, but at present out of employment, *ex parte* the debtor.

Ramesh Chandra Basu, debtor's solicitor.

ON the 16th day of June 1922, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 27th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 38 of 1924.

Re Firdosi & Co., a firm lately carrying on business as dealers in oilman stores at No. 3, Lindsay Street, in the town of Calcutta.

Ex parte the creditor.

ON the 19th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed firm as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 28th day of February 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge at Asansol.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1924.

[*Notice under section 19 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor H. W. Goff, son of late T. B. Goff, of Asansol, police-station Asansol, district Burdwan, has been admitted and 8th March 1924 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

R. M. BHATTACHARYA, Sub-Judge.

Asansol, the 27th February 1924. (407—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Asansol.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 6 OF 1924.

[*Notice under section 19 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor W. C. Beatty of Burnpur, police-station Asansol, district Burdwan, has been admitted and 15th March 1924 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

R. M. BHATTACHARYA, Sub-Judge.

Asansol, the 27th February 1924. (408—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the Sub-Judge at Asansol.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 5 OF 1923.

F R. Baker, at present residing at Asansol, police-station Asansol, district Burdwan.

ON the application of the petitioner himself and on reading his evidence and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of October 1923.

R. M. BHATTACHARYA, Sub-Judge.

(409—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the Sub-Judge at Asansol.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 13 OF 1923.

Ernest George Russel, at present residing at Santha Hirapur Works, police-station Asansol, district Burdwan.

ON the application of the petitioner himself and on reading his evidence and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of February 1924.

R. M. BHATTACHARYA, Sub-Judge.

(410—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that one Ambica Charan Poddar, son of late Krishna Kisore Poddar, at present of Chakbazar, Barisal, police-station Kotwali, has applied for his discharge and that the 17th March 1924 has been fixed for hearing the petition.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Barisal, the 23rd February 1924. (378—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that one Tarak Chandra Shaha, son of late Jagabandhu Shaha, of Joypatipatti, police-station Sarupkathi, district Bakarganj, has applied to this Court to be adjudicated as an insolvent and that the 10th March 1924 has been fixed for hearing the petition and for examination of the petitioner.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Barisal, the 23rd February 1924. (381—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1923.

Shaikh Jobed Ali Biswas, of Rampurhat, ch. Rampurhat, district Birbhum, applicant.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 20th day of March 1924, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 28th day of February 1924.

K. C. NAG, District Judge.

(411—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 2 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Susi Bhushan Mitra, son of late Isan Chandra Mitra, of Kalulia, ch. Rampurhat, district Birbhum, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 8th January 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice to the creditors of the said debtor that the Court has fixed the 28th March 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

K. C. NAG, District Judge.

Suri, the 28th February 1924. (412—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 6 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Raj Kumar Dhar, son of Ram Narayan Dhar, of Harbang, police-station Chakaria, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 17th January 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 22nd day of March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 27th February 1924. (403—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 15 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Harish Chandra Dhar, son of Ram Narayan Dhar, of Harbang, police-station Chakaria, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 7th January 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 22nd day of March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 27th February 1924. (404—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Kamini Kumar De, son of late Kashi Chandra De, of Masajidya, police-station Sitakund, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 14th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 20th day of March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 27th February 1924. (405—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 8 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that H. B. Clements, guard, E. I. Railway, Howrah, district Hooghly, has applied for final discharge. The 12th March 1924 has been fixed for hearing

G. B. MUMFORD, Addl. District Judge

Howrah, the 20th February 1924. (346—1—273)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 45 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Protap Chandra Roy, son of late Premnath Roy, of 10, Acharjipara Lane, Khurut, thana Sibpur, district Hooghly, was on the 5th February 1924 adjudged an insolvent. The 19th March 1924 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that date.

G. B. MUMFORD, Additional District Judge.

Howrah, the 22nd February 1924. (382—1—312)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Manindranath Bandopadhya, son of late Kalipado Bandopadhya, of Malyapur, thana Arambagh, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 54 of 1923 and that the 15th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 14th January 1924. (109—1—274)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Sadhuram Bhakat, son of Dhuram Bhakat, of Seoraphuli Hât, thana Serampur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 55 of 1923 and that the 8th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 14th January 1924. (115—1—275)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 18 OF 1924.

KET KETHU NATH, son of Rajey Singha Nath, deceased, resident of Kamat Manikchand, police-station Boda, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent. The 11th day of March 1924 has been fixed for the examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 27th day of February 1924. (395—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1923.

Petitioner Tentul Mollah, son of late Aman Mollah, of Shonedanga, police-station Kotowali, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 43 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the order of adjudication, dated 9th April 1923, against Tentul Mollah, be and the same is hereby annulled on 18th February 1924.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 28th February 1924. (402—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition dated the 24th March 1923, and on the application of Naziruddin Pramanik, son of late Bakshi Pramanik of Bera, police-station Bera, and district Pabna, and on examining the debtor himself, it is ordered that the said debtor is adjudged insolvent. The adjudication order was passed on the 11th day of January 1924.

H. P. MAJUMDAR, Sub-Judge in charge.

Pabna, the 25th February 1924. (379—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition dated the 24th March 1923, and on the application of Jahiruddin Pramanik, son of Naziruddin Pramanik of Bera, police-station Bera, and district Pabna, and on examining the debtor himself, it is ordered that the said debtor is adjudged insolvent The adjudication order was passed on the 10th day of January 1924.

H. P. MAJUMDAR, Sub-Judge in charge.

Pabna, the 25th February 1924. (380—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

ABDUL JABBAR MEAN, son of late Arazallah Sheikh, of Buraburi, police-station Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 23rd day of February 1924, adjudged an insolvent by this Court. He must apply for his final discharge within six months.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 27th February 1924. (396—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherji, Esq., District Judge.

ENAYETULLA MUNSHI, son of late Arazulla Shaikh, of Rameswar-Sharma, police-station Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 23rd day of February 1924, adjudged an insolvent by this Court. He must apply for his final discharge within 6 months.

P. K. MUKHERJI, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 27th February 1924. (397—1)

NOTICE

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherji, Esq., District Judge

ON the application of the debtor Ismail Mahomed, son of late Baratulla Munshi, of Chikonmati, police-station Domar, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 15th day of March 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. K. MUKHERJI, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 27th February 1924. (398—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

P. K. Mukherji, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kailash Chandra Das, son of Adwaita Chandra Das, of Bagchi, police-station Sadullapur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of March 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. K. MUKHERJI, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 27th February 1924. (399—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 207 OF 1923.

Abdul Khalek Molla, of Raipur, thana Maheshtala, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Sm. Golley Bibi, of Raipur, thana Maheshtala, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 24th March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 18th January 1924. (142—1—313)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 230 OF 1923.

Rakhal Chandra Das, of Kaknara, thana Jagoddal, 24-Parganas, applicant

To Shaikh Mamun, of Kaknara, thana Jogaddal, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 18th January 1924. (144—1—314)

Bengal Public Health Department.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS, in duplicate, in sealed covers are invited for the weekly supply of cattle-food, including chaff, bran, mustard cake, during the nine months from the 1st April to 31st December 1924. They will be received by the Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Health, Bengal, at his office in Writers' Buildings up to the 15th March 1924. Prior to delivering their tenders, intending contractors must deposit with the Superintendent of the Bengal Vaccine Depôt at Intally two sealed samples of each of the articles proposed to be supplied under the contract.

2. Forms and conditions of tender are obtainable free on application to the undersigned. Tenders must abide by the prescribed conditions.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, M.B., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H.,
Director of Public Health, Bengal.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

TEACHERS' TRAINING COLLEGE, DACCA.

STUDENTS are admitted from all parts of Bengal to non-stipendiary vacancies, but application should be made *early*, as the number of applicants greatly exceeds the available accommodation. Students from other provinces are admitted by arrangement with their Department of Education.

No Tuition fee ; total cost of everything (text books, library deposit, examination fee) Rs 60—70 for the whole course. Hostel (inclusive charge, except tiffin) charge, Rs. 14 per month. Residence in the hostel is optional.

The B. T. is a one year course, commencing on July 1st, ending on April 15th. It comprises the Psychology of Learning, Methods of Teaching, Educational Measurement, Hygiene ; also instruction in subjects selected from the following :—Geography, English (including English pronunciation and colloquial idiom), Bengali Literature, Mathematics, etc.

The L. T. is a course for Intermediate pass men ; the subjects (except Educational Measurement) are the same.

The M. T. is a two years Research course. Further residence in Dacca is not compulsory for the M. T. in case of B. T.'s of Dacca University

Selections for admission to all courses are made on March 31st. Form of application may be had from the Principal or from any Divisional Inspector of Schools.

There are vacancies for twenty-five non-stipendiary outside candidates.

One vacancy in Government service will be filled from non-stipendiary outside candidates who obtain a First-Class B. T. in 1924-25.

M. WEST, Principal.

Dacca, the 10th January 1924.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest, warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within 10 days from the date of this notice on 4 packages of B. L. & Co.

Brandy marked Calcutta ex. SS. "Dupliex" out of Nos. 874-938

from Marseilles *via* Colombo, bonded by Messrs. Bissonath Law & Co, in their private Warehouse No. 1, Hastings Street, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

W. W. NISD, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta the 23rd February 1924. (375—2)

Road Cess Notification.

THE District Board of Bankura at their special meeting held on the 16th February 1924 resolved to levy the road cess in the district for the ensuing year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc.

BAMA CHARAN RAY, Chairman.

Bankura, the 23rd February 1924. (374—1)

Road Cess Notification.

THE District Board of Rangpur at a special meeting held on the 25th February 1924 resolved to levy road cess in the district at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of land during the ensuing financial year 1924-25.

S. C. CHATTERJEE, Chairman,

Rangpur, the 25th February 1924. (384—2)

Road Cess Notification.

THE District Board of 24-Parganas, at a special meeting held on the 16th February 1924, declared, under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885, that the road cess should be levied during the year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of all lands, etc.

S. BASU, Chairman, District Board.

Alipore, dated the 22nd February 1924.

(352—3)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 219970, 250877, 250679 and 250836 of 1900-1 for face values of Rs. 400, Rs. 500, Rs 1,000 and Rs. 500 respectively, purchased through the Bank of Bengal by late Banka Behari Haldar by whom they have not been known to have been endorsed to any person, have been missing from the estate of the said deceased and no explanation has as yet been obtained as to their disappearance. Notice is therefore hereby given that payment of the above notes and interest thereof has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and the application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of my client Ratan Lal Haldar of Kalinga, police-station Chapra, district Nadia, who is heir of the said Banka Behari Haldar, deceased. The public are hereby cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above securities.

Name of the advertiser :—P. K. Haldar, Pleader.

Address :—Krishnagar, Nadia. (238—3—211)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. G007011 of the 6 per cent. loan of 1930 for Rs. 1,000, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal, and last endorsed to Bejoy Kumar Bhattacharjee, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—Bejoy Kumar Bhattacharjee.

Residence—3, Bhowani Dutt Lane, Calcutta.

(342—3—312)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate F. O. Stevenson, deceased.

PURSUANT to section 320 of Act X of 1865 and section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1866, the creditors and all persons interested in the estate of F. O. Stevenson late of Sagmutia Tea Estate, Nowgong, district Assam, in India, who died on the 7th day of November 1918 and to whose estate letters of administration were granted on the 12th day of December 1923 by the High Court of Calcutta to Thomas Henry Wheeler, of 8, Clive Street, Calcutta, are hereby required to submit particulars of their claims with supporting vouchers to the said administrator on or before the 25th day of March 1924, after which date he will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.

LESLIE & HINDS, Solicitors.

6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, the 26th February 1924.

(383—1—316)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and
In the matter of the Bettybari Tea Company, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at extraordinary general meetings of the abovenamed Company held on the 21st January 1924 and 18th February 1924 the undermoted special resolutions for winding up the said Company were passed and confirmed, viz.:—

"1. That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of this Company with the Tezpore Tea Company, Limited, and that with a view thereto this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that John Macgregor be and he is hereby appointed liquidator for the purposes of such winding up and without remuneration."

"2. That the conditional agreement submitted to this meeting be and the same is hereby approved and that the liquidator be and he is hereby authorized pursuant to section 213 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, to adopt the said agreement and carry the same into effect with such, if any, modification as the said liquidator may think expedient."

J. MACGREGOR, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 20th February 1924. (335—1—272)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Datta Chemical Works, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 209 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on Tuesday, the 18th March 1924, at 3 P.M.

S. K. DAY, *for* Self and Co-liquidator.

Calcutta, the 23rd February 1924. (354—1—317)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Datta Chemical Works, Limited (In liquidation).

THE creditors of the abovenamed Company are required on or before 25th March 1924 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts and claims and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any) to the undersigned at 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, and if so required by notice in writing are to come and prove their said debts and claims at such time as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

S. K. DAY, *for* Self and Co-liquidator.

Calcutta, the 23rd February 1924. (355—1—318)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and
In the matter of Datta Chemical Works, Limited (In liquidation).

AN extraordinary general meeting of the Company was held at the registered office of the Company, 5, Mission Row, Calcutta, on Friday, the 22nd February 1924, at 4 P.M., to consider the present position of the Company and the following resolution was passed as an extraordinary resolution :

"That in view of the inability of the Company to meet its liabilities the Company do go into voluntary liquidation and that Mr. S. K. Day and Mr. N. M. Gupta be appointed liquidators of the Company to act as liquidator jointly and severally on a remuneration not exceeding Rs. 2,500 for both in addition to necessary expenses of liquidation."

S. K. DAY, *for* Self and Co-liquidator.

Calcutta, the 23rd February 1924. (356—1—319)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and
In the matter of the Diamond Drilling and Prospecting Company, Limited (In voluntary liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 209 (*1*) that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named Company will be held on Tuesday, the 18th March 1924, at 3 P.M., at the office of the liquidator, 57, Radha Bazar Street, Calcutta.

A. T. CREET, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 23rd February 1924. (357—1—315)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and
In the matter of the Oriental Products, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a general meeting of the above-named Company will be held on Wednesday, the 16th April 1924, at noon, at 22, Strand Road, Calcutta, in order that there may be laid before the said Company an account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and to pass an Extraordinary Resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and in order that the said Company may hear any explanation that may be given by the liquidator.

I. A. CLARK, Liquidator.

22, Strand Road, Calcutta, the 28th February 1924.

(358—1—311)

Publication of Advertisements in the Bengal Quarterly Civil List.

THE Government of Bengal are prepared to consider applications for the insertion of advertisements in the quarterly issue of the Bengal Civil List which is published early in January, April, July and October of each year. Twenty pages of the publication, which is octavo in size, are available at the following rates :—

	Per annum. Four issues.	Single issue.
	Rs.	Rs.
Full page in print ...	100	30
Half page ...	60	20
Quarter page ...	40	15
One eighth page ...	25	10

No advertisement extending over less than one-eighth of a page will be accepted, and payment must be made before the date of publication.

Applications for insertion of advertisements in the next issue must reach the undersigned not later than the 10th March 1924, and must in all cases be accompanied by a copy of the advertisement which it is proposed to insert.

UNDER-SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, POLITICAL AND APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENTS, WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

The 10th June 1922.—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject, the following revised rates have been fixed for the *Calcutta Gazette* and its parts, with effect from the date of this notice. This will not, however, affect the subscriptions already paid at previous rates until they have expired :—

Per annum.	For Calcutta.	For the Mufassal including postage.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
Parts I and IA together, or any one of them	6 0	10 0
Part IB	4 0	7 0
Part II	2 0	4 0
Parts III and IV together, or any one of them	4 0	6 0
Parts V and VI together, or any one of them	4 0	6 0
Appendix (Marine)	1 0	3 0
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Entire	22 8	27 8

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Parts V and VI together, or any one of them	0 4	
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Do. (Bengal Library Catalogue) ...	0 8	
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The following rates have been fixed for specially heavy issues of the *Calcutta Gazette* or any particular part thereof, viz.—

(*i*) Any issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* (entire) which exceeds 250 pages in bulk, or any part thereof (except Part IB and the Appendix) which exceeds 60 pages, will be considered as specially heavy and will be charged at the rate of one anna for every 16 pages or any fraction thereof.

(*ii*) The specially heavy issue of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* containing results of the Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University will henceforth be sold at a fixed rate of annas eight only per copy.

Postage in both the above cases will be charged according to weight.

N.B.—Extraordinary issues of the *Gazette* can be obtained from the Officer in charge, Bengal Secretariat Book Depôt, at the rate of one anna for every four pages or a fraction thereof. Postage according to weight.

Rates for advertisement in the *Calcutta Gazette*—

	Rs.
Full page, per issue	20
Half page, perissue	10

Casual advertisements, annas 4 per line per insertion.

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :-

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs. 25.

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*" which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post.

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs. Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Re. 2.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

Government reserve the right to alter the price without notice.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Saturday.

The Calcutta Gazette

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PART V.

Acts of the Indian Legislature assented to by the Governor-General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislature received the assent of the Governor General on the 16th February, 1924, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT NO. II OF 1924.

THE CANTONMENTS ACT.

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An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to the administration of cantonments.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the administration of cantonments; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title, extent and commencement.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Cantonments Act, 1924.

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India, including British Baluchistan.

(*3*) The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, direct that this Act, or any provisions thereof which he may specify, shall come into force on such date as he may appoint in this behalf.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*i*) "Assistant Health Officer" means the medical officer appointed by the Officer Commanding the District to be the Assistant Health Officer for a cantonment ;

(*ii*) "Board" means a Cantonment Board constituted under this Act ;

(*iii*) "brigade area" means one of the brigade areas, whether occupied by a brigade or not, into which India is for military purposes for the time being divided, and includes for all or any of the purposes of this Act any area which the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, declare to be a brigade area for such purpose or purposes ;

(*iv*) "building" means any house, but, out-house, shed, stable or other roofed structure, for whatever purpose or of whatever material constructed, or any part thereof, and includes a well, but does not include a tent or other portable and temporary shelter ;

(*v*) "Cantonment Authority" means a Board or in the case of a cantonment where a Board has not been constituted or has ceased to exist, the Commanding Officer of the cantonment ;

(*vi*) "casual election" means an election held to fill a casual vacancy ;

(*vii*) "casual vacancy" means a vacancy occurring otherwise than by efflux of time in the office of an elected member of a Board ;

(*viii*) "Command" means one of the Commands into which India is for military purposes for the time being divided, and includes any area which the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, declare to be a Command for all or any of the purposes of this Act ;

(*ix*) "Commanding Officer of the cantonment" means the military officer for the time being in cammand of the forces in a cantonment, or, if that officer is the Officer Commanding the District, the military officer who would be in command of those forces in the absence of the Officer Commanding the District ;

(*x*) "dairy" includes any farm, cattle-shed, milk-store, milk-shop or other place from which milk is supplied or in which milk is kept for purposes of sale or is manufactured for sale into butter, ghee, cheese or curds, and in relation to a dairyman who does not occupy any premises for the sale of milk, includes any place in which he keeps the vessels used by him for the storage or sale of milk ;

(*xi*) "dairyman" includes the keeper of a cow, buffalo, goat, ass or other animal, the milk of which is offered or is intended to be offered for sale for human consumption, and any purveyor of milk and any occupier of a dairy ;

(*xii*) "Executive Engineer" means the Public Works officer of that grade, or the Military Works officer of the corresponding grade, having charge of the military works in a cantonment, and includes the officer of whatever grade in immediate executive engineering charge of a cantonment ;

(*xiii*) "Executive Officer" means the person appointed under this Act to be the Executive Officer of a cantonment ;

(*xiv*) "Health Officer" means the senior executive medical officer in military employ on duty in a cantonment ;

(*xv*) "hill cantonment" means any cantonment declared by the Local Government, by notification in the local official Gazette, to be a hill cantonment for the purposes of this Act ;

(*xvi*) "hut" means any building, no material portion of which above the plinth level is constructed of masonry or of squared timber framing or of iron framing ;

(*xvii*) "infectious or contagious disease" means cholera, leprosy, enteric fever, small-pox, tuberculosis, diphtheria, plague, influenza, venereal disease, and any other epidemic, endemic or infectious disease which the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare to be an infectious or contagious disease for the purposes of this Act ;

(*xviii*) "inhabitant," in relation to a cantonment, or local area, means any person ordinarily residing or carrying on business or owning or occupying immoveable property therein, and in case of a dispute means any person declared by the District Magistrate to be an inhabitant ;

(*xix*) "intoxicating drug" means opium, ganja, bhang, charas and any preparation or admixture thereof, and includes any other intoxicating substance, or liquid which the Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare to be an intoxicating drug for the purposes of this Act ;

(*xx*) "market" includes any place where persons assemble for the purpose of selling meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, live-stock or any other article of food ;

(*xxi*) "military officer" means—

(*a*) a person who, being an officer within the meaning of the Army Act or the Indian Army Act, 1911, or the Air Force Act, is commissioned and in pay as an officer doing military or air force duty with His Majesty's military or air forces, or is an officer doing such duty in any arm, branch or part of those forces ; or

44 & 45 Vict., c. 58. VIII of 1911.

(*b*) a person doing military or air force duty as a warrant officer with either of those forces or with any arm, branch, or part thereof, whether he is or is not an officer within the meaning of the Army Act or the Indian Army Act, 1911, or the Air Force Act ;

44 & 45 Vict., c. 58. VIII of 1911.

(*xxii*) "nuisance" includes any act, omission, place or thing which causes or is likely to cause injury, danger, annoyance or offence to the sense of sight, smell or hearing, or which is or may be dangerous to life or injurious to health or property ;

(*xxiii*) "occupier" includes an owner in occupation of, or otherwise using, his own land or building;

(*xxiv*) "Officer Commanding the District" means the Officer Commanding any one of the districts into which India is for military purposes for the time being divided, or any brigade area which does not form part of any such district, or any area which the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, declare to be such a district for all or any of the purposes of this Act;

(*xxv*) "ordinary election" means an election held to fill a vacancy in the office of an elected member of a Board arising by efflux of time;

(*xxvi*) "owner" includes any person who is receiving or is entitled to receive the rent of any building or land whether on his own account or on behalf of himself and others or as an agent or trustee, or who would so receive the rent or be entitled to receive it if the building or land were let to a tenant;

(*xxvii*) "party wall" means a wall forming part of a building and used or constructed to be used for the support or separation of adjoining buildings belonging to different owners, or constructed or adapted to be occupied by different persons;

(*xxviii*) "private market" means a market which is not maintained by a Cantonment Authority and which is licensed by a Cantonment Authority under the provisions of this Act;

(*xxix*) "private slaughter-house" means a slaughter-house which is not maintained by a Cantonment Authority and which is licensed by a Cantonment Authority under the provisions of this Act;

(*xxx*) "public market" means a market maintained by a Cantonment Authority;

(*xxxi*) "public place" means any place which is open to the use and enjoyment of the public, whether it is actually used or enjoyed by the public or not;

(*xxxii*) "public slaughter-house" means a slaughter-house maintained by a Cantonment Authority;

(*xxxiii*) "shed" means a slight or temporary structure for shade or shelter;

(*xxxiv*) "slaughter-house" means any place ordinarily used for the slaughter of animals for the purpose of selling the flesh thereof for human consumption;

(*xxxv*) "soldier" means a person who is a soldier or airman within the meaning of the Army Act or the Air Force Act, or is subject to the Indian Army Act, 1911, and who is not a military officer; 44 & 45 Vict., c. 58. VIII of 1911.

(*xxxvi*) "spirituous liquor" means any fermented liquor, any wine, or any alcoholic liquid obtained by distillation or the sap of any kind of palm tree, and includes any other liquid containing alcohol which the Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare to be a spirituous liquor for the purposes of this Act;

(*xxxvii*) "street" includes any way, road, lane, square, court, alley, passage or open space in a cantonment, whether a thoroughfare or not and whether built upon or not, over which the public have a right-of-way and also the road-way or foot-way over any bridge or causeway;

(*xxxviii*) "vehicle" means a wheeled conveyance of any description which is capable of being used on a street and includes a motor-car, motor lorry, motor-omnibus, cart, locomotive, tram-car, hand-cart, truck, motor-cycle, bicycle, tricycle and rickshaw; and

(*xxxix*) "water-works" includes all lakes, tanks, streams, cisterns, springs, pumps, wells, reservoirs, aqueducts, water-trucks, sluices, mains, pipes, culverts, hydrants, stand-pipes, and conduits and all machinery, lands, buildings, bridges and things, used for, or intended for the purpose of, supplying water to a cantonment.

CHAPTER II.

DEFINITION AND DELIMITATION OF CANTONMENTS.

Definition of cantonments.

3. (*1*) The Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare any place or places in which any part of His Majesty's regular forces or regular air force is quartered or which, being in the vicinity of any such place or places, is or are required for the service of such forces to be a cantonment for the purposes of this Act and of all other enactments for the time being in force, and with the like sanction, may, by a like notification, declare that any cantonment shall cease to be a cantonment.

(*2*) The Local Government, with the like sanction, may, by a like notification, define the limits of any cantonment for the aforesaid purposes.

Alteration of limit of cantonments.

4. (*1*) The Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare its intention to include within a cantonment any local area situated in the immediate vicinity thereof or to exclude from a cantonment any local area comprised therein.

(*2*) Any inhabitant of a cantonment or local area in respect of which a notification has been published under sub-section (*1*) may, within six weeks from the date of the notification, submit in writing to the Local Government through the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, an objection to the notification, and the Local Government shall take such objection into consideration.

(*3*) On the expiry of six weeks from the date of the notification, the Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, after considering the objections, if any, which have been submitted under sub-section (*2*), by notification in the local official Gazette, include the local area in respect of which the notification was published under sub-section (*1*), or any part thereof, in the cantonment or, as the case may be, exclude such area or any part thereof from the cantonment.

The effect of including area in cantonment.

5. When, by a notification under section 4, any local area is included in a cantonment, such area shall thereupon become subject to this Act and to all other enactments for the time being in force throughout the cantonment and to all notifications, rules, regulations, bye-laws, orders and directions issued or made thereunder.

Disposal of cantonment fund when area ceases to be a cantonment.

6. (*1*) When, by a notification under section 3, any cantonment ceases to be a cantonment and the local area comprised therein is immediately placed under the control of a local authority, the balance of the cantonment fund and other property vesting in the Cantonment Authority shall vest in such local authority, and the liabilities of the Cantonment Authority shall be transferred to such local authority.

(*2*) When, in like manner, any cantonment ceases to be a cantonment and the local area comprised therein is not immediately placed under the control of a local authority, the balance of the cantonment fund and other property vesting in the Cantonment Authority shall vest in His Majesty, and the liabilities of the Cantonment Authority shall be transferred to the Secretary of State in Council.

Disposal of cantonment fund when area ceases to be included in a cantonment.

7. (*1*) When, by a notification under section 4, any local area forming part of a cantonment ceases to be under the control of a particular Cantonment Authority and is immediatly placed under the control of some other local authority, such portion of the cantonment fund and other property vesting in the Cantonment Authority, and such portion of the liabilities of the Cantonment Authority, as the Governor General in Council may, by general or special order, direct, shall be transferred to that other local authority.

(*2*) When, in like manner, any local area forming part of a cantonment ceases to be under the control of a particular Cantonment Authority and is not immediately placed under the control of some other local authority, such portion of the cantonment fund and other property vesting in the Cantonment Authority shall vest in His Majesty, and such portion of the liabilities of the Cantonment Authority shall be transferred to the Secretary of State in Council, as the Governor General in Council may, by general or special order, direct.

Application of funds and property transferred under sections 6 and 7.

8. Any cantonment fund or portion of a cantonment fund or other property of a Cantonment Authority vesting in His Majesty under the provisions of section 6 or section 7 shall be applied in the first place to satisfy any liabilities of the Cantonment Authority transferred under such provisions to the Secretary of State in Council, and in the second place for the benefit of the inhabitants of the local area which has ceased to be a cantonment or, as the case may be, part of a cantonment.

Limitation of operation of Act.

9. The Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, by notification in the local official Gazette, exclude from the operation of any part of this Act the whole or any part of a cantonment, or direct that any provision of this Act shall, in the case of any cantonment specified in the notification in which there is no Board, apply with such modifications as may be so specified.

CHAPTER III.

CANTONMENT AUTHORITIES AND CANTONMENT BOARDS.

Cantonment Authorities.

Cantonment Authority and Executive Officer.

10. (*1*) For every cantonment beyond the limits of a Presidency-town there shall be a Cantonment Authority and an Executive Officer.

(*2*) Where a cantonment is situated within the limits of a Presidency-town, the functions assigned to any authority by or under this Act shall, subject to the provisions of any other law for the time being in force, be discharged by such authority as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, appoint in this behalf.

Governor General in Council to decide whether Cantonment Board shall be constituted.

11. The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India order in respect of any cantonment that a Cantonment Board shall be constituted therein, and may, by a like notification, order that any Board so constituted shall cease to exist.

Incorporation of Cantonment Authority.

12. (*1*) Every Board shall, by the name of the Board of the place by reference to which the cantonment is known, be a body corporate having perpetual succession and a common seal with the power to acquire and hold property both moveable and immoveable and to contract and shall, by the said name, sue and be sued.

(*2*) In the case of any cantonment where there is no Board, the Cantonment Authority shall be a corporation sole by the name of the Cantonment Authority of the place by reference to which the cantonment is known, and as such Cantonment Authority shall have perpetual succession and an official seal with power to acquire and hold property both moveable and immovable and to contract and shall, by the said name, sue and be sued,

Appointment of Executive Officer.

13. The Executive Officer of every cantonment shall be appointed by the Governor General in Council, or by such person as the Governor General in Council may authorise in this behalf, and, in a cantonment where there is a Board, shall be the Secretary, but shall not be a member, thereof.

Provided that, in the case of any cantonment where there is a Board, the Governor General in Council may direct that the Executive Officer may be appointed by the Board subject to such conditions as the Governor General in Council may impose.

Constitution of Cantonment Board.

14. (*1*) Every Board shall consist of the following members, namely :—

(*a*) the Commanding Officer of the cantonment ;

(*b*) a Magistrate of the first class nominated by the District Magistrate ;

(*c*) the Health Officer ;

(*d*) the Executive Engineer ;

(*e*) such military officers not exceeding four in number as may be nominated by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment by order in writing :

Provided that the Commanding Officer of the cantonment may, if he thinks fit, with the sanction of the Officer Commanding the District, nominate in place of any military officer whom he is empowered to nominate under this clause any person, whether in the service of the Government or not, who is ordinarily resident in the cantonment or in the vicinity thereof, to represent any interest or community not otherwise represented on the Board ;

(*f*) such number of members elected under this Act as is equal to the number of members appointed or nominated by or under clauses (*b*) to (*e*) :

Provided that, in the case of any cantonment—

(*a*) in which the total civil population is, according to the latest census, less than two thousand five hundred in number, or

(*b*) which is situate in the North-West Frontier Province or in the British Baluchistan,

the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare that the provisions of clauses (*e*) and (*f*) shall not apply and may, with the concurrence of the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, by a like notification, nominate as members of the Board not more than three persons who are resident in the cantonment or in the vicinity thereof and who either own land or house property in the cantonment or carry on business therein.

(*2*) Every election, nomination or appointment of a member of a Board and every vacancy in the membership thereof shall be notified by the Local Government in the local official Gazette.

Term of office of members.

15. (*1*) Save as otherwise provided in this section, the term of office of a member of a Board shall be three years and shall commence from the date of the notification of his election or nomination under sub-section (*2*) of section 14, or from the date on which the vacancy has occurred in which he is elected or nominated, whichever date is later.

(*2*) The term of office of an *ex officio* member of a Board shall continue so long as he holds the office in virtue of which he is such a member.

(*3*) The term of office of a member elected to fill a casual vacancy shall commence from the date of election, and shall continue so long only as the member in whose place he is elected would have been entitled to hold office if the vacancy had not occurred.

(4) An outgoing member shall, unless the Local Government otherwise directs, continue in office until the election or nomination of his successor is notified under sub-section (2) of section 14.

(5) Any outgoing member may, if qualified, be re-elected or re-nominated.

Filling of vacancies.

16. (1) Vacancies arising by efflux of time in the office of an elected member of a Board shall be filled by an ordinary election to be held on such date as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, direct.

(2) A casual vacancy shall be filled by a casual election the date of which shall be fixed by the Local Government by notification in the local official Gazette, and shall be, as soon as may be, after the occurrence of the vacancy :

Provided that no casual election shall be held to fill a vacancy occurring within three months of any date on which the vacancy will occur by efflux of time, but such vacancy shall be filled at the next ordinary election.

Vacancies in special cases.

17. (1) If from any cause at an ordinary election no member is elected or if the elected member is unwilling to serve on the Board, the outgoing member shall, if qualified and willing to serve, be deemed to have been re-elected.

(2) If in any such case the outgoing member is not qualified or is not willing to serve, or if at a casual election no member is elected, the vacancy shall be filled by nomination by the Local Government with the concurrence of the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command.

(3) The term of office of a member nominated or deemed to have been re-elected under this section shall expire at the time at which it would have expired if he had been elected at the ordinary or casual election, as the case may be.

Oath or affirmation.

18. (1) Every person who is by virtue of his office, or who is nominated or elected to be, a member of a Board shall, before taking his seat, make at a meeting of the Board an oath or affirmation of his allegiance to the Crown in the following form, namely :—

"I, A. B., having $\frac{\text{become}}{\text{been elected}}{\text{been nominated}}$ a member of this Board, do solemnly swear (*or* affirm) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty the King Emperor of India, his heirs and successors, and that I will faithfully discharge the duty upon which I am about to enter."

(2) If any such person fails to make the oath or affirmation within such time as the Local Government considers reasonable the Local Government shall, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare his seat to be vacant.

Resignation.

19. (1) Any nominated or elected member of a Board who wishes to resign his office may forward his resignation in writing through the President of the Board to the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, who shall forward it for orders to the Local Government.

(2) If the Local Government accepts the resignation, such acceptance shall be communicated to the Board, and thereupon the seat of the member resigning shall become vacant.

President and Vice-President.

20. (1) The Commanding Officer of the cantonment shall be the President of the Board.

(2) There shall be a Vice-President of every Board elected from among the members at a meeting thereof :

Provided that, where the Board includes elected members, the Vice-President shall be elected by those members only from among their number.

Term of office of Vice-President.

21. (*1*) The term of office of a Vice-President shall be—

(*a*) in the case of a person who is not in the service of the Government, three years or the residue of his term of office as a member, whichever is less, or

(*b*) in the case of a person in the service of the Government, the residue of the term of his office as a member.

(*2*) A Vice-President may resign his office by notice in writing to the President and, on the resignation being accepted by the Board, the office shall become vacant.

Duties of President

22. (*1*) It shall be the duty of the President of every Board—

(*a*) unless prevented by reasonable cause, to convene and preside at all meetings of the Board and to regulate the conduct of business thereat;

(*b*) to exercise supervision and control over the financial and executive administration of the Board;

(*c*) to perform all the duties and exercise all the powers specifically imposed or conferred on the President by or under this Act; and

(*d*) subject to any restrictions, limitations and conditions imposed by this Act, to exercise executive power for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this Act and to be directly responsible for the fulfilment of the purposes of this Act.

(*2*) The President may, by order in writing, empower the Vice-President to exercise all or any of the powers and duties rererred to in clause (*c*) of sub-section (*1*) other than any power, duty or function which he is by resolution of the Board expressly forbidden to delegate.

(*3*) The exercise or discharge of any powers, duties or functions delegated by the President under this section shall be subject to such restrictions, limitations and conditions, if any, as may be laid down by the President and to the control of, and to revision by, the President.

(*4*) Every order made under sub-section (*2*) shall forthwith be communicated to the Board and to the Officer Commanding the District.

Duties of Vice-President.

23. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President of every Board—

(*a*) in the absence of the President and unless prevented by reasonable cause, to preside at meetings of the Board and when so presiding to exercise the authority of the President under sub-section (*1*) of section 22;

(*b*) during the incapacity or temporary absence of the President or pending his appointment or succession, to perform any other duty and exercise any other power of the President, and

(*c*) to exercise any power and perform any duty of the President which may be delegated to him under sub-section (*2*) of section 22

Duties of the Executive Officer.

24. The Executive Officer shall perform all the duties imposed upon him by or under this Act, and shall be responsible for the custody of all the records of the Cantonment Authority, and shall arrange for the performance of such duties relative to the proceedings of the Board or of any Committee of the Board or of any Committee of Arbitration constituted under this Act, as those bodies may respectively impose on him, and shall comply with every requisition of the Cantonment Authority on any matter pertaining to the administration of the cantonment.

Special power of the Executive Officer.

25. The executive Officer may, in cases of emergency, direct the execution of any work or the doing of any act which would ordinarily require the sanction of the Cantonment Authority and the immediate execution or doing of which is, in his opinion, necessary for the service or safety of the public, and may direct that the expense of executing such work or doing such act shall be paid from the cantonment fund :

Provided that—

(*a*) where there is a Board, he shall not act under this section without the previous sanction of the President or, in his absence, of the Vice-President,

(*b*) he shall not act under this section in contravention of any order of the Cantonment Authority prohibiting the execution of any particular work or the doing of any particular act, and

(*c*) he shall report forthwith the action taken under this section and the reasons therefor to the Cantonment Authority.

Elections.

Electoral rolls.

26. (*1*) Where a Board is to be constituted in any cantonment, otherwise than in accordance with the proviso to sub-section (*1*) of section 14, the Cantonment Authority shall prepare and publish an electoral roll showing the names of persons qualified to vote at elections to the Board Such roll shall be prepared, revised and finally published in such manner and on such date in each year as the Local Government may by rule prescribe.

(*2*) Every person whose name appears in the final electoral roll shall, so long as the roll remains in force, be entitled to vote at an election to the Board, and no other person shall be so entitled.

(*3*) When a cantonment has been divided into wards, or the inhabitants into classes, the electoral roll shall be divided into separate lists for each ward or class, as the case may be.

(*4*) If a new electoral roll is not published in any year on the date prescribed, the Local Government may direct that the old electoral roll shall continue in operation until the new roll is published.

Qualification of electors.

27. (*1*) The following persons shall, if not otherwise disqualified, be entitled to be enrolled as electors, namely :—

(*a*) every person who in any year has, on or before such date as may be fixed by the Local Government in this behalf by notification in the local official Gazette (hereinafter in this section referred to as the aforesaid date), been assessed directly and on his own account to taxes under this Act (other than octroi, toll or terminal tax), the aggregate value whereof is not less than such amount as the Local Government may by rule prescribe, and who on the aforesaid date is not in arrears in the payment of any such tax,

(*b*) every person who has for a period of not less than twelve months immediately preceding the aforesaid date resided in the cantonment and on the aforesaid date—

(*i*) is the owner or the mortgagee in possession or the lessee of any building or land in the cantonment, of an annual value calculated in such manner and of not less than such amount, as the Local Government may by rule prescribe, or

(*ii*) is carrying on any business in the cantonment from which he derives an annual income calculated in such manner, and of not less than such amount, as the Local Government may by rule prescribe, or

(*iii*) is a graduate of any University established by law in British India, or

(*iv*) is a retired or pensioned officer, whether commissioned or non-commissioned, of His Majesty's forces,

(*c*) every person who has, during a period of not less than twelve months immediately preceding the aforesaid date, resided in the cantonment and has during that period been assessed to income-tax.

(*2*) A person, notwithstanding that he is otherwise qualified, shall not be entitled to be enrolled as an elector if he on the aforesaid date—

(*i*) is not a British subject, or

(*ii*) is less than 21 years of age, or

(*iii*) has been adjudged by a competent Court to be of unsound mind, or

(*iv*) is an undischarged insolvent, or

(*v*) has been sentenced by a Criminal Court to imprisonment for a term exceeding six months or to transportation or has been ordered to find security for good behaviour under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, or has been sentenced by a Criminal Court for any offence under Chapter IXA of the Indian Penal Code: V of 1898. XLV of 1860

Provided that the Local Government may, by order in writing, remove any disqualification incurred by a person under clause (*v*).

(*3*) If any person having been enrolled as an elector in any electoral roll subsequently becomes subject to any of the disqualifications referred to in clauses (*i*), (*iii*), (*iv*) and (*v*) of subsection (*2*), his name shall be removed from the electoral roll unless, in the case referred to in clause (*v*), the disqualification is removed by the Local Government.

Qualification for being a member of the Board.

28. (*1*) Save as hereinafter provided, every person, not being a military officer or soldier, whose name is entered on the electoral roll of a cantonment shall be qualified for election as a member of the Board in that cantonment.

(*2*) No person shall be qualified for election or nomination as a member of a Board if he—

(*a*) has been dismissed from Government service and is debarred from re-employment therein, or is a dismissed servant of the Cantonment Authority,

(*b*) is debarred from practising as a legal practitioner by order of any competent authority,

(*c*) holds any place of profit in the gift or at the disposal of the Board, or is a stipendiary Magistrate or police officer, or is the servant or employer of a member of the Board; or

(*d*) is interested in a subsisting contract made with, or in work being done for, the Board except as a shareholder (other than a director) in an incorporated company; or

(*e*) is disqualified under any other provision of this Act:

Provided that—

(*i*) any of the disqualifications referred to in clauses (*a*) and (*b*) may be removed by an order of the Local Government in this behalf, and

(*ii*) a person shall not be deemed to have any interest in such a contract or work as is referred to in clause (*d*) by reason only of his having a share or interest in—

(*a*) any lease or sale or purchase of immoveable property or any agreement for the same, or

(*b*) any agreement for the loan of money or any security for the payment of money only, or

(*c*) any newspaper in which any advertisement relating to the affairs of the Board is inserted, or

(*d*) the sale to the Board of any articles in which he regularly trades or the purchase from the Board of any articles, to a value in either case not exceeding Rs. 1,000 in the aggregate in any year during the period of the contract or work.

Interpretation.

29. For the purposes of sections 26, 27 and 28—

(*a*) "person" means an individual human being, and

(*b*) a person shall be deemed to pay a tax directly if he pays the tax either himself or through a legally appointed agent.

Joint families, etc.

30. Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the Local Government may make rules conferring on the manager or representative of an undivided family or of any company or firm or other association or body or on any trustee of any land a right to be enrolled as an elector or to be nominated as a candidate at elections to a Board.

Power to make rules regulating elections.

31. The Local Government may, either generally or specially for any cantonment or group of cantonments, after previous publication, make rules consistent with this Act to regulate all or any of the following matters, for the purpose of the holding of elections under this Act, namely :—

(*a*) the division of a cantonment into wards, or of the inhabitants of a cantonment into classes, or both,

(*b*) the determination of the number of members to be elected by each ward or class of persons,

(*c*) the method by which the annual value of buildings and lands shall be calculated for the purposes of section 27,

(*d*) the preparation, revision and final publication of electoral rolls,

(*e*) the registration of electors, the nomination of candidates, the time and manner of holding elections and the method by which votes shall be recorded,

(*f*) the authority by which and the manner in which disputes relating to electoral rolls or arising out of elections shall be decided, and the powers and duties of such authority and the circumstances in which such authority may declare a casual vacancy to have been created or any candidate to have been elected ;

(*g*) any other matter relating to elections or election disputes in respect of which the Local Government is empowered to make rules under this Chapter or in respect of which this Act makes no provision or makes insufficient provision and provision is, in the opinion of the Local Government, necessary.

Members.

Member not to vote on matter in which he is interested.

32. No member of a Board shall vote at a meeting of the Board on any question relating to his own conduct or on any matter other than a matter affecting generally the inhabitants of the cantonment, which affects his own pecuniary interest or the valuation of any property in respect of which he is directly or indirectly interested, or of any property of or for which he is a manager or agent.

Liability of members.

33. Every member of a Board shall be liable for the loss, waste or misapplication of any money or other property belonging to the Board if such loss, waste or misapplication is a direct consequence of his neglect or misconduct while such member ; and a suit for compensation for the same may be instituted against him either by the Board or by the Secretary of State for India in Council.

Removal of members.

34. (*1*) The Local Government may remove from a Board any member thereof who—

(*a*) has absented himself for more than three consecutive months from the meetings of the Board and is unable to explain such absence to the satisfaction of the Board ; or

(*b*) is an undischarged insolvent ; or

(*c*) is adjudged by a competent Court to be of unsound mind, or is deaf and dumb or a leper ; or

(*d*) has been sentenced by a Criminal Court to imprisonment for a term exceeding six months or to transportation, or has been ordered to furnish security for his good behaviour under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, or has been sentenced by a Criminal Court for any offence under Chapter IXA of the Indian Penal Code ; or V of 1898. XLV of 1860.

(*e*) is interested in a subsisting contract made with, or in work being done for, the Board in such a manner as to be disqualified under section 28 for election or nomination as a member ; or

(*f*) has knowingly contravened the provisions of section 32 ; or

(*g*) being a legal practitioner, acts or appears on behalf of any other person against the Board in any legal proceeding or against the Secretary of State in Council in any such proceeding relating to any matter in which the Board is or has been concerned or acts or appears on behalf of any person in any criminal proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the Board against such person.

(*2*) The Local Government may remove from a Board any member who, in the opinion of the Local Government, has so flagrantly abused in any manner his position as a member of the Board as to render his continuance as a member detrimental to the public interests.

(*3*) No member shall be removed from a Board under this section unless he has been given a reasonable opportunity of showing cause against his removal.

Consequences of removal.

35. (*1*) A member removed under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 34 shall, if otherwise qualified, be eligible for re-election or nomination.

(*2*) A member removed under clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 34 shall not be eligible for re-election or nomination until he has obtained his discharge.

(*3*) A member removed under sub-section (*2*) of section 34 shall not be eligible for re-election or nomination until the expiry of three years from the date of his removal.

(*4*) A member removed under any other provision of section 34 shall not be eligible for re-election or nomination until he is declared so eligible by the Local Government by notification in the local official Gazette.

Servants.

Disqualification of person as servant of Cantonment Authority

36. (*1*) No person who has directly or indirectly by himself or his partner any share or interest in a contract with, by or on behalf of a Cantonment Authority or in any employment under, by or on behalf of a Cantonment Authority, otherwise than as a servant of the Cantonment Authority, shall become or remain a servant of such Cantonment Authority.

(2) A servant of a Cantonment Authority who knowingly acquires or continues to have directly or indirectly by himself or his partner any share or interest in a contract with, by or on behalf of the Cantonment Authority or, in any employment under, by or on behalf of, the Cantonment Authority, otherwise than as a servant of the Cantonment Authority, shall be deemed to have committed an offence under section 168 of the Indian Penal Code. XLV of 1860

(3) Nothing in this section shall apply to any share or interest in any contract with, by or on behalf of, or employment under, by or on behalf of, a Cantonment Authority if the same is a share in a company contracting with, or employed by, or on behalf of, the Cantonment Authority or is a share or interest acquired or retained with the permission of the Officer Commanding the District in any lease or sale to, or purchase by, the Cantonment Authority of land or buildings or in any agreement for the same.

Procedure.

Meetings.

37. (1) Every Board shall ordinarily hold at least one meeting in every month on such day as may be fixed, and of which notice shall be given in such manner as may be provided, by regulations made by the Board under this Chapter.

(2) The President may, whenever he thinks fit, and shall upon a requisition in writing by not less than one-fourth of the members of the Board, convene a special meeting.

(3) Any meeting may be adjourned until the next or any subsequent day, and an adjourned meeting may be further adjourned in like manner.

Business to be transacted.

38. Subject to any regulation made by the Board under this Chapter, any business may be transacted at any meeting :

Provided that no business relating to the imposition, abolition or modification of any tax shall be transacted at a meeting unless notice of the same and of the date fixed therefor has been sent to each member not less than seven days before that date.

Quorum.

39. (1) The quorum necessary for the transaction of business at a meeting of a Board shall be five or one-half of the number of members of the Board actually holding office at the time, whichever is the greater number.

(2) If a quorum is not present, the President shall adjourn the meeting and the business which would have been brought before the original meeting if there had been a quorum present thereat shall be brought before, and may be transacted at, an adjourned meeting, whether there is a quorum present or not.

Presiding officer.

40. In the absence of both the President and the Vice-President from any meeting, the members present shall elect one from among their own number to preside.

Minutes.

41. (1) Minutes of the proceedings of each meeting shall be recorded in a book and shall be signed by the President before the close of the meeting, and shall, at such times and in such place as may be fixed by the Board, be open to inspection free of charge by any inhabitant of the cantonment.

(2) Copies of the minutes shall, as soon as possible after each meeting, be forwarded for information to the Officer Commanding the District, the Officer Commanding the brigade area, and the District Magistrate.

Meetings to be public.

42. Every meeting of a Board shall be open to the public unless in any case the President, for reasons to be recorded in the minutes, otherwise directs.

Method of deciding questions.

43. (*1*) All questions coming before a meeting shall be decided by the majority of the votes of the members present and voting.

(*2*) In the case of an equality of votes, the President shall have a second or casting vote.

(*3*) The dissent of any member from any decision of the Board shall, if the member so requests, be entered in the minutes, together with a short statement of the grounds for such dissent.

Power to make regulations.

44. (*1*) A Board may make regulations consistent with this Act and with the rules made thereunder to provide for all or any of the following matters, namely :—

(*a*) the time and place of its meetings ;

(*b*) the manner in which notice of the meeting shall be given ;

(*c*) the conduct of proceedings at meetings and the adjournment of meetings ;

(*d*) the custody of the common seal of the Board and the purposes for which it shall be used ; and

(*e*) the appointment of committees for any purpose and the determination of all matters relating to the constitution and procedure of such committees, and the delegation to such committees, subject to any conditions which the Board thinks fit to impose, of any of the powers or duties of the Board under this Act other than a power to make regulations or bye-laws.

(*2*) No regulation made under clause (*e*) of sub-section (*1*) shall take effect until it has been approved by the Local Government.

(*3*) No regulation made under this section shall take effect until it has been published in such manner as the Local Government may direct.

Joint action with other local authority.

45. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority may—

(*a*) join with any other local authority—

(*i*) in appointing a joint committee for any purpose in which they are jointly interested and in appointing a chairman of such committee ;

(*ii*) in delegating to such committee power to frame terms binding on the Cantonment Authority and such other local authority as to the construction and future maintenance of any joint work or to exercise any power which might be exercised by either of the said authorities ; and

(*iii*) in making rules for regulating the proceedings of any such committee relating to the purposes for which it has been appointed ; or

(*b*) with the previous sanction of the Local Government enter into an agreement with any other local authority regarding the levy of any tax or toll whereby the said tax or toll respectively leviable by the authorities so contracting may be levied together instead of separately within the limits of the aggregate area comprising the areas subject to the control of the said authorities.

(*2*) If any difference of opinion arises between any authorities acting together under this section, the decision thereon of the Local Government or of an officer appointed by the Local Government in this behalf shall be final.

(3) When any agreement such as is referred to in clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) has been entered into, then—

(*a*) where the agreement relates to an octroi or terminal tax or toll, the other local authority with which the Cantonment Authority has made such agreement shall have the same powers to establish octroi limits and octroi stations and places for the collection of the terminal tax and terminal toll within the cantonment, as it has within the area ordinarily subject to its control;

(*b*) such other local authority shall have the same power of collecting such tax or toll in the cantonment, and the provisions of any enactment in force relating to the levy of such tax or toll by such other local authority shall apply in the same manner as if the cantonment were comprised within the area ordinarily subject to its control; and

(*c*) the total of the collection of such tax and toll made in the cantonment and in the area ordinarily subject to the control of such other local authority and the costs thereby incurred shall be divided between the cantonment fund and the fund subject to the control of such other local authority, in such proportion as may have been determined by the agreement.

Control.

Power of Government to require production of documents.

46. The Governor General in Council or the Local Government may at any time require a Cantonment Authority—

(*a*) to produce any record, correspondence, plan or other document in its possession or under its control;

(*b*) to furnish any return, plan, estimate, statement, account or statistics relating to its proceedings, duties or works;

(*c*) to furnish or obtain and furnish any report.

Inspection.

47. The Officer Commanding the District may depute any person in the service of the Government to inspect or examine any department of the office of, or any service or work undertaken by, or thing belonging to, a Cantonment Authority, and to report thereon, and the Cantonment Authority and its officers and servants shall be bound to afford the person so deputed access at all reasonable times to the premises and property of the Cantonment Authority and to all records, accounts and other documents the inspection of which he may consider necessary to enable him to discharge his duties.

Powers of Officer Commanding the district.

48. The Officer Commanding the District may, by order in writing,—

(*a*) call for any book or document in the possession or under the control of the Cantonment Authority;

(*b*) require the Cantonment Authority to furnish such statements, accounts, reports and copies of documents relating to its proceedings, duties or works as he thinks fit.

Power to require execution of work, etc.

49. If, on receipt of any information or report obtained under section 47 or section 48, the Officer Commanding the District is of opinion—

(*a*) that any duty imposed on a Cantonment Authority by or under this Act has not been performed or has been performed in an imperfect, inefficient or unsuitable manner, or

(*b*) that adequate financial provision has not been made for the performance of any such duty;

he may, with the concurrence of the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, and of the Local Government direct the Cantonment Authority, within such period as he thinks fit, to make arrangements to his satisfaction for the proper performance of the duty, or, as the case may be, to make financial provision to his satisfaction for the performance of the duty:

Provided that, unless in the opinion of the Officer Commanding the District, the immediate execution of such order is necessary, he shall, before making any direction under this section, give the Cantonment Authority an opportunity of showing cause why such direction should not be made.

Power to provide for enforcement of direction under section 49.

50. If, within the period fixed by a direction made under section 49, any action the taking of which has been directed under that section has not been duly taken, the Officer Commanding the District may make arrangements for the taking of such action, and may direct that all expenses connected therewith shall be defrayed out of the cantonment fund.

Power to override decision of Board.

51. (*1*) If the President dissents from any decision of the Board, which he considers prejudicial to the health, welfare or discipline of the troops in the cantonment, he may, for reasons to be recorded in the minutes, by order in writing, direct the suspension of action thereon for any period not exceeding one month and, if he does so, shall forthwith refer the matter to the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, through the Officer Commanding the District, who may make such recommendations thereon as he thinks fit.

(*2*) If the District Magistrate considers any decision of a Cantonment Authority to be prejudicial to the public health, safety or convenience, he may, after giving notice in writing of his intention to the Cantonment Authority, refer the matter to the Local Government; and, pending the disposal of the reference to the Local Government, no action shall be taken on the decision.

(*3*) If any Magistrate who is a member of a Board, being present at a meeting, dissents from any decision which he considers prejudicial to the public health, safety or convenience, he may, for reasons to be recorded in the minutes and after giving notice in writing of his intention to the President, report the matter to the District Magistrate; and the President shall, on receipt of such notice, direct the suspension of action on the decision for a period sufficient to allow of a communication being made to the District Magistrate and of his taking proceedings as provided by sub-section (*2*).

Power of Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, on reference under section 51 or otherwise.

52. (*1*) The Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, may at any time on a recommendation made to him in this behalf by the Officer Commanding the District—

(*a*) direct that any matter or any specific proposal other than one which has been referred to the Local Government under sub-section (*2*) of section 51 be considered or re-considered by the Cantonment Authority; or

(*b*) direct the suspension, for such period as may be stated in the order, of action on any decision of a Cantonment Authority, other than a decision which has been referred to him under sub-section (*1*) of section 51, and thereafter cancel the suspension or direct that the decision shall not be carried into effect or that it shall be carried into effect with such modifications as he may specify.

(*2*) When any decision of a Board has been referred to him under sub-section (*1*) of section 51, the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, may, by order in writing,—

(*a*) cancel the order given by the President directing the suspension of action; or

(*b*) extend the duration of the order for such period as he thinks fit; or

(*c*) direct that the decision be carried into effect by the Board with such modifications as he may specify,

Powers of Local Government on a reference made under section 51.

53. When any decision of a Cantonment Authority has been referred to the Local Government under sub-section (*2*) of section 51, the Local Government may, after consulting the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, by order in writing,—

(*a*) direct that no action be taken on the decision ; or

(*b*) direct that the decision be carried into effect either without modification or with such modifications as it may specify.

Supersession of Board.

54. (*1*) If, in the opinion of the Local Government, any Board is not competent to perform or persistently makes default in the performance of the duties imposed on it by or under this Act or otherwise by law, or exceeds or abuses its powers, the Local Government may, with previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, by an order published, together with the statement of the reasons therefor, in the local official Gazette, declare the Board to be incompetent or in default or to have exceeded or abused its powers, as the case may be, and supersede it for such period as may be specified in the order :

Provided that no Board shall be superseded unless a reasonable opportunity has been given to it to show cause against the supersession.

(*2*) When a Board is superseded by an order under sub-section (*1*)—

(*a*) all members of the Board shall, on such date as may be specified in the order, vacate their offices as such members but without prejudice to their eligibility for election or nomination under clause (*c*) ;

(*b*) during the supersession of the Board, all powers and duties conferred and imposed upon the Board by or under this Act or otherwise by law shall be exercised and performed by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment subject to such reservation, if any, as the Local Government may prescribe in this behalf ; and

(*c*) before the expiry of the period of supersession elections shall be held and nominations made for the purpose of reconstituting the Board.

Validity of Proceedings.

Validity of proceedings, etc.

55. (*1*) No act or proceeding of a Board or of any committee of a Board shall be invalid by reason only of the existence of a vacancy in the Board or committee.

(*2*) No disqualification or defect in the election, nomination or appointment of a person acting as the President or a member of a Board or of any such committee shall vitiate any act or proceeding of the Board or committee if the majority of the persons present at the time of the act being done or the proceeding being taken were duly qualified members thereof.

(*3*) Any document or minutes which purport to be the record of the proceedings of a Board or of any committee of a Board shall, if made and signed substantially in the manner prescribed for the making and signing of the record of such proceedings, be presumed to be a correct record of the proceedings of a duly convened meeting, held by a duly constituted Board or committee, as the case may be, whereof all the members were duly qualified.

CHAPTER IV.

SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS AND INTOXICATING DRUGS.

Unauthorised sale of spirituous liquor or intoxicating drug.

56. If within a cantonment, or within such limits adjoining a cantonment as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, define, any person not subject to military or air force law or any person subject to military or air force law otherwise than as a military officer or a soldier knowingly barters, sells or supplies, or offers or attempts to barter, sell or supply, any spirituous liquor or intoxicating drug to or for the use of any soldier or follower or soldier's wife or minor child without the written permission of the Commanding

Officer of the cantonment or of some person authorised by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment to grant such permission, he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with both.

Unauthorised possession of spirituous liquor.

57. If within a cantonment, or within any limits defined under section 56,—

(*a*) any person subject to military or air-force law otherwise than as a military officer or a soldier, or

(*b*) the wife or servant of any such person or of a soldier,

has in his or her possession, except on behalf of the Government or for the private use of a military officer, more than one quart of any spirituous liquor, other than fermented malt-liquor, without the written permission of the Commanding Officer of the cantonment or of some person authorised by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment to grant such permission, he or she shall be punishable, in the case of a first offence, with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and, in the case of a subsequent offence, with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Arrest of persons and seizure and confiscation of things for offences against the two last foregoing sections.

58. (*1*) Any police officer or excise officer may, without an order from a Magistrate and without a warrant, arrest any person whom he finds committing an offence under section 56 or section 57, and may seize and detain any spirituous liquor or intoxicating drug in respect of which such an offence has been committed and any vessels or coverings in which the liquor or drug is contained.

(*2*) Where a person accused of an offence under section 56 has been previously convicted of an offence under that section, an officer in charge of a police-station may, with the written permission of a Magistrate, seize and detain any spirituous liquor or intoxicating drug within the contonment or within any limits defined under that section which, at the time of the alleged commission of the subsequent offence, belonged to, or was in the possession of, such person.

(*3*) The Court convicting a person of an offence under section 56 or section 57 may order the confiscation of the whole or any part of anything seized under sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*).

(*4*) Subject to the provisions of Chapter XLIII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, anything seized under sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) and not confiscated under sub-section (*3*) shall be restored to the person from whom it was taken. V of 1898.

Saving of articles sold or supplied for medicinal purposes

59. The foregoing provisions of this Chapter shall not apply to the sale or supply of any article in good faith for medicinal purposes by a medical practitioner, chemist or druggist authorised in this behalf by a general or special order of the Commanding Officer of the cantonment.

CHAPTER V.

TAXATION.

Imposition of Taxation.

General power of taxation.

60. The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, impose in any cantonment any tax which, under any enactment in force on the date of the notification, may be imposed in any municipality within the province.

Framing of preliminary proposals.

61. (*1*) When the Local Government proposes to impose any tax under section 60, it shall, by notification in the local official Gazette, and in such other manner as is in its opinion best suited for the purpose, give notice of its intention.

(*2*) Every notification issued under sub-section (*1*) shall specify—

(*a*) the tax which it is proposed to impose ;

(*b*) the persons or classes of persons to be made liable and the description of the property or other taxable thing or circumstance in respect of which they are to be made liable ; and

(*c*) the rate at which the tax is to be levied.

Objections.

62. Any inhabitant of the cantonment may, within thirty days from the date of the notification under section 61, submit to the Local Government an objection in writing to all or any of the proposals framed therein, and the Local Government shall take any objection so submitted into consideration.

Consideration of objections and imposition of tax.

63. After the expiry of thirty days from the date of the notification and after considering all objections submitted thereto under section 62, the Local Government may impose the tax either in the original form or, if any such objection has been so submitted, in that form or in such modified form as it thinks fit.

Definition of "annual value."

64. For the purposes of this Chapter, "annual value" means—

(*a*) in the case of railway stations, hotels, colleges, schools, hospitals, factories and any other buildings which a Cantonment Authority decides to assess under this clause, one-twentieth of the sum obtained by adding the estimated present cost of erecting the building to the estimated value of the land appertaining thereto, and

(*b*) in the case of a building or land not assessed under clause (*a*), the gross annual rent for which such building (exclusive of furniture or machinery therein) or such land is actually let or, where the building or land is not let or in the opinion of the Cantonment Authority is let for a sum less than its fair letting value, might reasonably be expected to let from year to year :

Provided that, where the annual value of any building is, by reason of exceptional circumstances, in the opinion of the Cantonment Authority, excessive if calculated in the aforesaid manner, the Cantonment Authority may fix the annual value at any less amount which appears to it to be just.

Incidence of taxation.

65. (*1*) Save as otherwise expressly provided in the notification imposing the tax, every tax on the annual value of buildings or lands or of both shall be leviable primarily upon the actual occupier of the property upon which the said tax is assessed, if he is the owner of the buildings or lands or holds them on a building or other lease from the Secretary of State in Council or from the Cantonment Authority or on a building lease from any person.

(*2*) In any other case, the tax shall be primarily leviable as follows, namely :—

(*a*) if the property is let, upon the lessor ;
(*b*) if the property is sub-let, upon the superior lessor ;
(*c*) if the property is unlet, upon the person in whom the right to let the same vests.

(3) On failure to recover any sum due on account of such tax from the person primarily liable, there may be recovered from the occupier of any part of the buildings or lands in respect of which the tax is due such portion of the sum due as bears to the whole amount due the same ratio which the rent annually payable by such occupier bears to the aggregate amount of rent so payable in respect of the whole of the said buildings or lands, or to the aggregate amount of the letting value thereof, if any, stated in the authenticated assessment list.

(4) An occupier who makes any payment for which he is not primarily liable under this section shall, in the absence of any contract to the contrary, be entitled to be reimbursed by the person primarily liable for the payment, and, if so entitled, may deduct the amount so paid from the amount of any rent from time to time becoming due from him to such person.

Assessment List.

Assessment list.

66. When a tax on the annual value of buildings or lands or both is imposed, the Cantonment Authority shall cause an assessment list of all buildings or lands in the cantonment, or of both, as the case may be, to be prepared in such form as the Local Government may by rule prescribe.

Publication of assessment list.

67. When the assessment list has been prepared, the Cantonment Authority shall give public notice thereof, and of the place where the list or a copy thereof may be inspected, and every person claiming to be the owner, lessee or occupier of any property included in the list, and any authorised agent of such person, shall be at liberty to inspect the list and to make extracts therefrom free of charge.

Revision of assessment list.

68. (1) The Cantonment Authority shall, at the same time, give public notice of a date, not less than one month thereafter, when it will proceed to consider the valuations and assessments entered in the assessment list, and, in all cases in which any property is for the first time assessed or the assessment is increased, it shall also give written notice thereof to the owner and to any lessee or occupier of the property.

(2) Any objection to a valuation or assessment shall be made in writing to the Cantonment Authority before the date fixed in the notice, and shall state in what respect the valuation or assessment is disputed, and all objections so made shall be recorded in a register to be kept for the purpose by the Cantonment Authority.

(3) The objections shall be inquired into and investigated, and the persons making them shall be allowed an opportunity of being heard either in person or by authorised agent, by an Assessment Committee appointed by the Cantonment Authority.

(4) The Assessment Committee shall consist of not less than three persons, and, where there is a Board, it shall not be necessary to appoint to the Assessment Committee any member thereof.

Authentication of assessment list.

69. (1) When all objections made under section 68 have been disposed of, and the revision of the valuation and assessment has been completed, the assessment list shall be authenticated by the signature of the members of the Assessment Committee who shall, at the same time, certify that they have considered all objections duly made and have amended the list so far as is required by their decisions on such objections.

(2) The assessment list so authenticated shall be deposited in the office of the Cantonment Authority, and shall there be open, free of charge, during office hours to all owners, lessees and occupiers of property comprised therein or the authorised agents of such persons, and a public notice that it is so open shall forthwith be published.

Evidential value of assessment list.

70. Subject to such alterations as may thereafter be made in the assessment list under the provisions of this Chapter and to the result of any appeal made thereunder, the entries in the assessment list authenticated and deposited as provided in section 69 shall be accepted as conclusive evidence—

(*i*) for the purpose of assessing any tax imposed under this Act, of the annual value or other valuation of all buildings and lands to which such entries respectively refer, and

(*ii*) for the purposes of any tax imposed on buildings or lands, of the amount of each such tax leviable thereon during the year to which such list relates.

Amendment of assessment list

71. (*1*) The Cantonment Authority may, at any time, amend the assessment list by inserting the name of any person whose name ought to have been or ought to be inserted, or by inserting any property which ought to have been or ought to be inserted, or by altering the assessment on any property which has been erroneously valued or assessed through fraud, accident or mistake, whether on the part of the Cantonment Authority or of the Assessment Committee or of the assessee, or, in the case of a tax payable by an occupier, by a change in the tenancy, after giving notice to any person affected by the amendment of a time not less than one month from the date of service, at which the amendment is to be made:

Provided that no person shall by reason of any such amendment become liable to pay any tax or increase of tax in respect of any period prior to the commencement of the financial year in which the amendment is made.

(*2*) Any person interested in any such amendment may tender an objection to the Cantonment Authority in writing before the time fixed in the notice, and shall be allowed an opportunity of being heard in support of the same in person or by authorised agent.

Preparation of new assessment list.

72. The Cantonment Authority shall prepare a new assessment list at least once in every three years, and for this purpose the provisions of sections 66 to 71 shall apply in like manner as they apply for the purpose of the preparation of an assessment list for the first time.

Notice of transfers

73. (*1*) Whenever the title of any person primarily liable for the payment of a tax on the annual value of any building or land to or over such building or land is transferred, the person whose title is transferred and the person to whom the same is transferred shall, within three months after the execution of the instrument of transfer or after its registration, if it is registered, or after the transfer is effected, if no instrument is executed, give notice of such transfer to the Executive Officer.

(*2*) In the event of the death of any person primarily liable as aforesaid, the person on whom the title of the deceased devolves shall give notice of such devolution to the Executive Officer within six months from the death of the deceased.

(*3*) The notice to be given under this section shall be in such form as the Executive Officer may direct, and the transferee or other person on whom the title devolves shall, if so required, be bound to produce before the Executive Officer any documents evidencing the transfer or devolution.

(*4*) Every person who makes a transfer as aforesaid without giving such notice to the Executive Officer shall continue liable for the payment of all taxes assessed on the property transferred until he gives notice or until the transfer has been recorded in the registers of the Cantonment Authority, but nothing in this section shall be held to affect the liability of the transferee for the payment of the said tax.

Notice of erection of buildings.

74. (*1*) If any building is erected or re-erected within the meaning of section 179, the owner shall give notice thereof to the Executive Officer within thirty days from the date of its completion or occupation, whichever is earlier.

(2) Any person failing to give the notice required by sub-section (1) shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees or ten times the amount of the tax payable on the said building, as erected or re-erected, as the case may be, in respect of a period of three months, whichever is greater.

Remission and Refund.

Demolition, etc., of buildings.

75. If any building is wholly or partly demolished or destroyed or otherwise deprived of value, the Cantonment Authority may, on the application of the owner, remit or refund such portion of the tax payable thereon as it thinks fit.

Remission of tax.

76. In a cantonment other than a hill cantonment, when any building or land has remained vacant and unproductive of rent for ninety or more consecutive days during any year, the Cantonment Authority shall remit or refund, as the case may be, such portion of the tax payble thereon in respect of that year as may be proportionate to the number of days during which the said building or land has remained vacant and unproductive of rent.

Power to require entry in assessment list of details of building.

77. For the purpose of obtaining a partial remission or refund of tax, the owner of a building composed of separate tenements may request the Cantonment Authority, at the time of the assessment of the building, to enter in the assessment list, in addition to the annual value of the whole building, a note recording in detail the annual value of each separate tenement. When any tenement, the annual value of which has been thus separately recorded, has remained vacant and unproductive of rent for ninety or more consecutive days during any year, such portion of the tax payable in respect of that year on the whole building shall be remitted or refunded as would have been remitted or refunded if the tenement had been separately assessed :

Provided that no such remission shall be made unless notice in writing of the circumstances in which it is claimed has been given to the Cantonment Authority, and no remission or refund shall take effect in respect of any period commencing more than fifteen days before the delivery of such notice.

What buildings, etc., are to be deemed vacant.

78. (1) For the purposes of sections 76 and 77 no building tenement or land shall be deemed vacant if maintained as a pleasure resort or town or country house, or be deemed unproductive of rent if let to a tenant who has a continuing right of occupation thereof, whether he is in the actual occupation or not.

(2) The burden of proving all facts entitling any person to claim relief under section 75, or section 76, or section 77, shall be upon him.

Notice to be given of every occupation of vacant building or house.

79. (1) The owner of any building, tenement or land in respect of which a remission or refund of tax has been given under section 76 or section 77 shall give notice of the re-occupation of such building or land within fifteen days of such re-occupation.

(2) Any owner failing to give the notice required by sub-section (1) shall be punishable with fine which shall not be less than twice the amount of the tax payable on such building, tenement or land in respect of the period during which it has been re-occupied and which may extend to fifty rupees, or to ten times the amount of the said tax, whichever sum is greater.

Charge on immoveable Property.

Tax on buildings and land to be a charge thereon.

80. A tax assessed on the annual value of any building or land shall, subject to the prior payment of the land-revenue, if any, due to the Government thereon, be a first charge upon the building or land.

Octroi, Terminal Tax and Toll.

Inspection of imported goods, etc.

81. Every person bringing or receiving any goods, vehicles or animals within the limits of any cantonment in which octroi or terminal tax or toll is leviable, shall, when so required by an officer duly authorised by the Cantonment Authority in this behalf, so far as may be necessary for ascertaining the amount of tax chargeable—

(*a*) permit that officer to inspect, examine or weigh such goods, vehicles or animals; and

(*b*) communicate to that officer any information, and exhibit to him any bill, invoice or document of a like nature, which such person may possess relating to such goods, vehicles or animals.

Evasion of octroi or terminal tax.

82. (*1*) Any person who takes or attempts to take past any octroi station or any other place appointed within a cantonment for the collection of octroi, terminal tax or toll any goods, vehicles or animals, on account of which octroi, terminal tax or toll is leviable and thereby evades, or attempts to evade, the payment of such octroi, terminal tax or toll, and any person who abets any such evasion or attempt at evasion, shall be punishable with fine which may extend either to ten times the value of such octroi, terminal tax or toll, or to fifty rupees, whichever is greater, and which shall not be less than twice the value of such octroi, terminal tax or toll, as the case may be.

(*2*) In case of non-payment of any octroi or terminal tax or toll on demand, the officer empowered to collect the same may seize any goods, vehicles or animals on which the octroi, terminal tax or toll is chargeable or any part or number thereof which is of sufficient value to satisfy the demand.

(*3*) The Cantonment Authority, after the lapse of five days from the seizure, and after the issue of a notice in writing to the person in whose possession the goods, vehicles or animals were at the time of seizure, fixing the time and place of sale, may cause the property so seized, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be sold by auction to satisfy the demand and any expenses occasioned by the seizure, custody and sale thereof, unless the demand and expenses are in the meantime paid:

Provided that the Executive Officer may, in any case, order that any article of a perishable nature which cannot be kept for five days without serious risk of damage, or which cannot be kept save at a cost which, together with the amount of octroi, terminal tax or toll is likely to exceed its value, shall be sold after the lapse of such shorter time as he may, having regard to the nature of the article, think proper.

(*4*) If at any time before the sale has begun, the person whose property has been seized tenders to the Executive Officer the amount of all expenses incurred and of the octroi, terminal tax or toll, the Executive Officer shall release the property seized.

(*5*) The surplus, if any, of the sale-proceeds shall be credited to the cantonment fund, and shall, on application made to the Cantonment Authority within one year after the sale, be paid to the person in whose possession the property was at the time of seizure, and, if no such application is made, shall be the property of the Cantonment Authority.

Lease of octroi, terminal tax or toll.

83. It shall be lawful for the Cantonment Authority, with the previous sanction of the Officer Commanding the District, to lease the collection of any octroi, terminal tax or toll for any period not exceeding one year; and the lessee and all persons employed by him in the management and collection of the octroi, terminal tax or toll shall, in respect thereof,—

(*a*) be bound by any orders made by the Cantonment Authority for their guidance;

(*b*) have such powers exercisable by officers or servants of the Cantonment Authority under this Act as the Cantonment Authority may confer upon them; and

(*c*) be entitled to the same remedies and be subject to the same responsibilities as if they were employed by the Cantonment Authority for the management and collection of the octroi, terminal tax or toll, as the case may be :

Provided that no article distrained may be sold except under the orders of the Cantonment Authority.

Appeals.

Appeals against assessment.

84. (*1*) An appeal against the assessment or levy of, or against the refusal to refund, any tax under this Act shall lie to the District Magistrate or to such other officer as may be empowered by the Local Government in this behalf :

Provided that, where there is a Board and the person to whom the appeal would ordinarily lie is, or was when the tax was imposed, a member of the Board, the appeal shall lie to the Commissioner of the Division, or, in a province where there are no Commissioners, to the District Judge.

(*2*) If, on the hearing of an appeal under this section, any question as to the liability to, or the principle of assessment of, a tax arises on which the officer hearing the appeal entertains reasonable doubt, he may, either of his own motion or on the application of the appellant, draw up a statement of the facts of the case and the point on which doubt is entertained, and refer the statement with his own opinion on the point for the decision of the High Court.

(*3*) On a reference being made under sub-section (*2*), the subsequent proceedings in the case shall be, as nearly as may be, in conformity with the rules relating to references to the High Court contained in Order XLVI of the First Schedule to the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908. V of 1908.

Costs of appeal.

85. In every appeal the costs shall be in the discretion of the officer hearing the appeal.

Recovery of costs from Cantonment Authority.

86. If the Cantonment Authority fails to pay any costs awarded to an appellant within ten days after the date of the order for payment thereof, the officer awarding the costs may order the person having the custody of the balance of the cantonment fund to pay the amount.

Conditions of right to appeal.

87. No appeal shall be heard or determined under this Chapter unless—

(*a*) the appeal is, in the case of a tax assessed on the annual value of buildings or lands or both, brought within thirty days next after the date of the authentication of the assessment list under section 69 (exclusive of the time requisite for obtaining a copy of the relevant entries therein), or, as the case may be, within thirty days of the date on which an amendment is finally made under section 71, and, in the case of any other tax, within thirty days next after the date of the receipt of the notice of assessment or of alteration of assessment or, if no notice has been given, within thirty days next after the date of the presentation of the first bill in respect thereof :

Provided that an appeal may be admitted after the expira- of the period prescribed therefor by this section if the appellant satisfies the Court before whom the appeal is preferred that he had sufficient cause for not preferring it within that period ;

(*b*) the amount, if any, in dispute in the appeal has been deposited by the appellant in the office of the Cantonment Authority.

Finality of appellate orders.

88. The order of an appellate authority confirming, setting aside or modifying an order in respect of any valuation or assessment or liability to assessment or taxation shall be final :

Provided that it shall be lawful for the appellate authority, upon application or on its own motion, to review any order passed by it in appeal if application in this behalf is made within three months from the date of the original order.

Payment and Recovery of Taxes.

Time and manner of payment of taxes

89. Save as otherwise expressly provided under this Act any tax imposed under the provisions of this Act shall be payable on such dates and in such instalments, if any, as the Cantonment Authority may, by public notice, direct.

Presentation of bill.

90. (*1*) When any tax has become due, the Executive Officer shall cause to be presented to the person liable for the payment thereof a bill for the amount due.

(*2*) Every such bill shall specify the particulars of the tax and the period for which the charge is made.

Notice of demand

91. (*1*) If the amount of the tax for which any bill has been presented is not paid to the Cantonment Authority within thirty days from the presentation thereof, the Executive Officer may cause to be served upon the person liable for the payment of the same a notice of demand in the form set forth in Schedule I.

(*2*) For every notice of demand which the Executive Officer causes to be served on any person under this section, a fee of such amount, not exceeding one rupee, as shall in each case be fixed by the Executive Officer, shall be payable by the said person and shall be included in the costs of recovery.

Recovery of tax

92. (*1*) If the person liable for the payment of any tax does not, within thirty days from the service of the notice of demand, pay the amount due, or show sufficient cause for non-payment of the same to the satisfaction of the Executive Officer, such sum, with all costs of recovery, may be recovered under a warrant, issued in the form set forth in Schedule II, by distress and sale of the moveable property of the defaulter:

Provided that the Executive Officer shall not recover any sum the liability for which has been remitted on appeal under this Chapter.

(*2*) Every warrant issued under this section shall be signed by the Executive Officer.

Distress

93. (*1*) It shall be lawful for any servant of the Cantonment Authority to whom a warrant issued under section 92 is addressed to distrain, wherever it may be found, any moveable property of the person therein named as defaulter, subject to the following conditions, exceptions, and exemptions, namely:—

(*a*) the following property shall not be distrained:—

(*i*) the necessary wearing apparel and bedding of the defaulter, his wife and children,

(*ii*) tools of artisans,

(*iii*) books of account, or

(*iv*) when the defaulter is an agriculturist his implements of husbandry, seedgrain, and such cattle as as may be necessary to enable the defaulter to earn his livelihood;

(*b*) the distress shall not be excessive, that is to say, the property distrained shall be as nearly as possible equal in value to the amount recoverable under the warrant, and if any property has been distrained which, in the opinion of the Executive Officer, should not have been distrained it shall forthwith be returned.

(*2*) The person charged with the execution of a warrant of distress shall forthwith make an inventory of the property which he seizes under such warrant, and shall, at the same time, give a written notice in the form set forth in Schedule III to the person in possession thereof at the time of seizure that the said property will be sold as therein mentioned.

Disposal of distrained property.

94. (*1*) When the property seized is subject to speedy and natural decay, or when the expense of keeping it in custody is, when added to the amount to be recovered, likely to exceed its value, the Executive Officer shall give notice to the person in whose possession the property was at the time of seizure that it will be sold at once, and shall sell it accordingly by public auction unless the amount mentioned in the warrant is forthwith paid.

(*2*) If the warrant is not in the meantime suspended by the Executive Officer, or discharged, the property seized shall, after the expiry of the period named in the notice served under sub-section (*2*) of section 93, be sold by public auction by order of the Executive Officer.

(*3*) The surplus of the sale-proceeds, if any, shall forthwith be credited to the cantonment fund, and notice of such credit shall be given at the same time to the person from whose possession the property was taken, and, if the same is claimed by written application to the Cantonment Authority within one year from the date of the notice, a refund thereof shall be made to such person. Any surplus not claimed within one year as aforesaid shall be the property of the Cantonment Authority.

(*4*) For every distraint made under this Chapter a fee of such amount, not exceeding one rupee, as shall in each case be fixed by the Executive Officer shall be charged, and the said fee shall be included in the costs of recovery.

Recovery from a person about to leave cantonment.

95. (*1*) If the Executive Officer has reason to believe that any person from whom any sum is due on account of any tax is about to remove from the cantonment, he may direct the immediate payment by such person of the sum so due or about to become due, and cause a bill for the same to be served on such person.

(*2*) If, on the service of such bill, such person does not forthwith pay the sum so due or about to become due, the amount shall be leviable by distress and sale in the manner hereinbefore provided in this Chapter, except that it shall not be necessary to serve upon the defaulter any notice of demand and the warrant for distress and sale may be issued and executed without any delay.

Power to institute suit for recovery.

96. Instead of proceeding against a defaulter by distress and sale as hereinbefore provided in this Chapter, or after a defaulter has been so proceeded against unsuccessfully or with only partial success, any some due or the balance of any sum due, as the case may be, from such defaulter on account of a tax may be recovered from him by a suit in any Court of competent jurisdiction.

Special Provisions relating to Taxation.

Power to prohibit or exempt from taxation.

97. Every Cantonment Authority shall be deemed to be a Municipal Committee for the purposes of the Municipal Taxation Act, 1881.

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Power to make special provision for conservancy in certain cases.

98. A Cantonment Authority may make special provision for the cleansing of any factory, hotel, club or group of buildings or lands used for any one purpose and under one management, and may fix a special rate and the dates and other conditions for periodical payment thereof, which shall be determined by a written agreement with the person liable for the payment of the conservancy or scavenging tax in respect of such factory, hotel, club or group of buildings or lands :

Provided that, in fixing the amount, proper regard shall be had to the probable costs to the Cantonment Authority of the services to be rendered.

Exemption in the case of buildings.

99. (*1*) When, in pursuance of section 98, a Cantonment Authority has fixed a special rate for the cleansing of any factory, hotel, club or group of buildings or lands, such premises shall be exempted from the payment of any conservancy or scavening tax imposed in the cantonment.

(2) The following buildings and lands shall be exempt from any tax on property, namely :—

(a) places set apart for public worship and either actually so used or used for no other purpose ;

(b) buildings used for educational purposes and public libraries, play-grounds and dharmsalas which are open to the public and from which no income is derived ;

(c) hospitals and dispensaries maintained wholly by charitable contributions ;

(d) burning and burial grounds, not being the property of Government or a Cantonment Authority, which are controlled under the provisions of this Act ;

(e) buildings or lands vested in a Cantonment Authority ; and

(f) any buildings or lands, used or acquired for the public service or for any public purpose, which are the property of, or in the occupation of, the Government.

Exemption of poor persons.

100. A Cantonment Authority may exempt, for a period not exceeding one year at a time from the payment of any tax or any portion of a tax imposed under this Act, any person who is in its opinion by reason of poverty unable to pay the same.

Composition.

101. (1) A Cantonment Authority may, with the previous sanction of the Officer Commanding the District, allow any person to compound for any tax.

(2) Every sum due by reason of the composition of a tax under sub-section (1) shall be recoverable as if it were a tax.

Irrecoverable debts.

102. A Cantonment Authority may write-off any sum due on account of any tax or of the costs of recovering any tax if such sum is, in its opinion, irrecoverable.

Obligation to disclose liability.

103. (1) The Executive Officer may, by written notice, call upon any inhabitant of the cantonment to furnish such information as may be necessary for the purpose of ascertaining—

(a) whether such inhabitant is liable to pay any tax imposed under this Act ;

(b) at what amount he should be assessed ; or

(c) the annual value of the building or land which he occupies and the name and address of the owner or lessee thereof.

(2) If any person, when called upon under sub-section (1) to furnish information, neglects to furnish it or furnishes information which is not true to the best of his knowledge or belief, he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Immaterial error not to effect liability.

104. No assessment and no charge or demand on account of any tax or fee shall be impeached or affected by reason only of any mistake in the name of any person liable to pay such tax or fee, or in the description of any property or thing, or any mistake in the amount of the assessment, charge or demand, if the directions contained in this Act and the rules and bye-laws made thereunder have in substance and effect been complied with ; but any person who sustains any special damage by reason of any such mistake shall be entitled to recover compensation for the same by suit in a Court of competent jurisdiction.

Distraint not to be invalid by reason of immaterial defect.

105. No distress levied under this Chapter shall be deemed unlawful, nor shall any person making the same be deemed a trespasser, on account only of any defect of form in the notice of demand, warrant of distress or other proceeding relating thereto ; nor shall any such person be deemed a trespasser *ab initio* on account of any irregularity afterwards committed by him ; but any person who sustains any special damage by reason of any such irregularity shall be entitled to recover compensation for the same by suit in a Court of competent jurisdiction.

CHAPTER VI.

CANTONMENT FUND AND PROPERTY.

Cantonment Fund.

Cantonment fund.

106. There shall be formed for every cantonment a cantonment fund, and there shall be placed to the credit thereof the following sums, namely :—

(*a*) the balance, if any, of the cantonment fund formed for the cantonment under the Cantonments Act, 1910; XV of 1910.

(*b*) all sums received by or on behalf of the Cantonment Authority, and

(*c*) subject to any deductions made under section 545 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, or under any other law for the time being in force, or under any order of the Local Government, all fines recovered from persons convicted of offences committed within the cantonment— V of 1898

(*i*) under this Act or any rule or bye-law made thereunder, or

(*ii*) under section 34 of the Police Act, 1861, or under any corresponding enactment for the time being in force, or V of 1861.

(*iii*) under Chapter XIII or Chapter XIV of the Indian Penal Code, or XLV of 1860.

(*iv*) under section 156 of the Army Act, or 44 and 45. Vict., c. 58.

(*v*) under the provisions of any enactment wherein or whereunder provision is made for a fine being credited to the cantonment fund, or

(*vi*) under any other enactment for the time being in force in respect of which the Governor General in Council may, by general or special order, direct that fines realised thereunder shall be credited to the cantonment fund.

Custody of cantonment fund.

107. (*1*) Where in or near a cantonment there is a Government treasury or sub-treasury, or a branch of the Imperial Bank of India, the cantonment fund shall be kept in such treasury, sub-treasury or bank, as the case may be.

(*2*) Where there is no such treasury, sub-treasury or bank, the cantonment fund may be deposited with any bank to which the Government treasury business has been entrusted, and, in the absence of such a bank, with any banker or person acting as a banker who has given such security for the safe custody of the fund and the payment on demand of the funds so deposited as the Local Government may in each case direct.

(*3*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*), a Cantonment Authority may, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, place in fixed deposit with the Imperial Bank of India any surplus funds in its hands which may not be required for immediate use, or may invest the same in securities of the Government of India or a Local Government or in such other securities as the Local Government may approve in this behalf, and may vary such investments for others of a like nature, and may dispose of such securities as may be necessary.

(*4*) The income resulting from any fixed deposit or from any such security as is referred to in sub-section (*3*) or from the proceeds of the sale of any such security shall be credited to the cantonment fund.

Property.

Property.

108. Subject to any special reservation made by the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, all property of the nature hereinafter in this section specified which has been acquired or provided or is maintained by a

Cantonment Authority shall vest in and belong to that Cantonment Authority, and shall be under its direction, management and control, that is to say,—

(*a*) all markets, slaughter-houses, manure and nightsoil depôts, and buildings of every description ;

(*b*) all water-works for the supply, storage or distribution of water for public purposes, and all bridges, buildings, engines, materials, and things connected therewith or appertaining thereto ;

(*c*) all sewers, drains, culverts and water-courses, and all works, materials and things appertaining thereto ;

(*d*) all dust, dirt, dung, ashes, refuse, animal matter, filth and rubbish of every kind, and dead bodies of animals collected by the Cantonment Authority from the streets, houses, privies, sewers, cesspools or elsewhere, or deposited in places appointed by the Cantonment Authority for such purpose ;

(*e*) all lamps and lamp-posts and apparatus connected therewith or appertaining thereto ;

(*f*) all land or other property transferred to the Cantonment Authority by His Majesty, or by gift, purchase or otherwise for local public purposes ; and

(*g*) all streets and the pavements, stones and other materials thereof, and also all trees, erections, materials, implements, and things existing on or appertaining to streets.

Application of cantonment fund and property.

109. The cantonment fund and all property vested in a Cantonment Authority shall be applied for the purposes, whether express or implied, for which, by or under this Act or any other law for the time being in force, powers are conferred or duties or obligations are imposed upon the Cantonment Authority :

Provided that the Cantonment Authority shall not incur any expenditure for acquiring or renting land beyond the limits of the cantonment or for constructing any work beyond such limits except—

(*a*) with the sanction of the Local Government, and
(*b*) on such terms and conditions as the Local Government may impose :

Provided, further, that priority shall be given in the order hereinafter set forth to the following liabilities and obligations of a Cantonment Authority, that is to say,—

(*a*) to the liabilities and obligations arising from a trust legally imposed upon or accepted by the Cantonment Authority ;
(*b*) to the repayment of, and the payment of interest on, any loan incurred under the provisions of the Local Authorities Loans Act, 1914 ; IX of 1914.
(*c*) to the payment of establishment charges ;
(*d*) to the payment of such expenses on account of pauper lunatics sent from the cantonment to public lunatic asylums and mental hospitals as the Local Government directs the Cantonment Authority to pay ; and
(*e*) to the payment of any sum the payment of which is expressly required by the provisions of this Act or any rule or bye-law made thereunder.

Acquisition of immoveable property

110. When there is any hindrance to the permanent or temporary acquisition upon payment of any land required by a Cantonment Authority for the purposes of this Act, the Local Government may, at the request of the Cantonment Authority, proceed to acquire it under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, and, on payment by the Cantonment Authority of the compensation awarded under that Act and of the charges incurred by the Government in connection with the proceedings, the land shall vest in the Cantonment Authority. I of 1894.

Power to make rules regarding cantonment fund and property.

111. The Governor General in Council may make rules consistent with this Act to provide for all or any of the following matters :—

(*a*) the conditions on which property may be acquired by Cantonment Authorities or on which property vested in a Cantonment Authority may be transferred by sale, mortgage, lease, exchange or otherwise ; and

(*b*) any other matter relating to the cantonment fund or cantonment property in respect of which no provision or insufficient provision is made by or under this Act, and provision is, in the opinion of the Governor General in Council, necessary.

CHAPTER VII.

CONTRACTS.

Contracts by whom to be executed.

112. Subject to the provisions of this Chapter, every Cantonment Authority shall be competent to enter into and perform any contract necessary for the purposes of this Act.

Sanction

113. (*1*) Every contract—

(*a*) for which budget provision does not exist, or

(*b*) which involves a value or amount exceeding one hundred rupees,

shall require the sanction of the Cantonment Authority.

(*2*) Every contract other than a contract such as is referred to in sub-section (*1*) shall be sanctioned by the Cantonment Authority or by the Executive Officer on behalf of the Cantonment Authority.

Execution of contract.

114. (*1*) Every contract made by or on behalf of a Cantonment Authority, the value or amount of which exceeds fifty rupees, shall be in writing, and every such contract shall, where there is a Board, be signed by two members of whom the President or the Vice-President shall be one, and be countersigned by the Executive Officer and be sealed with the common seal of the Board, or, where there is no Board, be signed by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment and be sealed with the official seal of the Cantonment Authority :

Provided that, where there is a Board, the Executive Officer may in a case of urgency, with the previous sanction of the President of the Board, execute on behalf of the Board any contract the value or amount of which does not exceed two hundred rupees.

(*2*) Where an Executive Officer executes a contract on behalf of a Board under sub-section (*1*), he shall submit a report of his action and of the reasons therefor to the Board at its next meeting.

Contracts improperly executed not to be binding on a Cantonment Authority.

115. If any contract is executed by or on behalf of a Cantonment Authority otherwise than in conformity with the provisions of this Chapter, it shall not be binding on the Cantonment Authority.

CHAPTER VIII.

DUTIES AND DISCRETIONARY FUNCTIONS OF CANTONMENT AUTHORITIES.

Duties of Cantonment Authority.

116. It shall be the duty of every Cantonment Authority, so far as the funds at its disposal permit, to make reasonable provision within the cantonment for—

(*a*) lighting streets and other public places ;

(*b*) watering streets and other public places ;

(*c*) cleansing streets, public places and drains, abating nuisances and removing noxious vegetation ;

(*d*) regulating offensive, dangerous or obnoxious trades, callings and practices ;

(*e*) removing, on the ground of public safety, health or convenience, undesirable obstructions and projections in streets and other public places ;

(*f*) securing or removing dangerous buildings and places ;

(*g*) acquiring, maintaining, changing and regulating places for the disposal of the dead ;

(*h*) constructing, altering and maintaining streets, culverts, markets, slaughter-houses, latrines, privies, urinals, drains, drainage works and sewerage works ;

(*i*) planting and maintaining trees on road-sides and other public places ;

(*j*) providing or arranging for a sufficient supply of pure and wholesome water. where such supply does not exist, guarding from pollution water used for human consumption, and preventing polluted water from being so used ;

(*k*) registering births and deaths ;

(*l*) establishing and maintaining a system of public vaccination ;

(*m*) establishing and maintaining or supporting, public hospitals and dispensaries, and providing public medical relief ;

(*n*) establishing and maintaining primary schools ;

(*o*) rendering assistance in extinguishing fires, and protecting life and property when fires occur ;

(*p*) maintaining and developing the value of property vested in, or entrusted to the management of, the Cantonment Authority ; and

(*q*) fulfilling any other obligation imposed upon it by or under this Act or any other law for the time being in force.

Discretionary functions of Cantonment Authority.

117. A Cantonment Authority may, within the cantonment, make provision for—

(*a*) laying out in areas, whether previously built upon or not, new streets, and acquiring land for that purpose and for the construction of buildings, and compounds of buildings, to abut on such streets ;

(*b*) constructing, establishing or maintaining public parks, gardens, offices, dairies, bathing or washing places, drinking fountains, tanks, wells and other works of public utility ;

(*c*) reclaiming unhealthy localities ;

(*d*) furthering educational objects by measures other than the establishment and maintenance of primary schools ;

(*e*) taking a census and granting rewards for information which may tend to secure the correct registration of vital statistics ;

(*f*) making a survey ;

(*g*) giving relief on the occurrence of local epidemics by the establishment or maintenance of relief works or otherwise ;

(*h*) securing or assisting to secure suitable places for the carrying on of any offensive, dangerous or obnoxious trade, calling or occupation ;

(*i*) establishing and maintaining a farm or other place for the disposal of sewage ;

(*j*) constructing, subsidising or guaranteeing tramways or other means of locomotion, and electric lighting or electric power works ;

(*k*) adopting any measure, other than a measure specified in section 116 or in the foregoing provisions of this section, likely to promote the safety, health or convenience of the inhabitants of the cantonment ; or

(*l*) the doing of anything on which expenditure is declared by the Local Government, or by the Cantonment Authority, with the sanction of the Local Government, to be an appropriate charge on the cantonment fund.

CHAPTER IX.

PUBLIC SAFETY AND SUPPRESSION OF NUISANCES.

General Nuisances.

Penalty for causing nuisances.

118. (*1*) Whoever—

(*a*) in any street or other public place within a cantonment,—

(*i*) is drunk and disorderly or drunk and incapable of taking care of himself ; or

(*ii*) uses any threatening, abusive or insulting words, or behaves in a threatening or insulting manner, with intent to provoke a breach of the peace or whereby a breach of the piece is likely to be occasioned ;

(*iii*) eases himself, or wilfully or indecently exposes his person ; or

(*iv*) loiters, or begs importunately for alms ; or

(*v*) exposes or exhibits, with the object of exciting charity, any deformity or disease or any offensive sore or wound ;

(*vi*) carries meat exposed to public new ; or

(*vii*) is found gaming ; or

(*viii*) pickets animals, or collects carts ; or

(*ix*) being engaged in the removal of night-soil or other offensive matter or rubbish, wilfully or negligently permits any portion thereof to spill or fall, or neglects to sweep away or otherwise effectually to remove any portion thereof which may spill or fall in such street or place ; or

(*x*) without proper authority affixes upon any building, monument, post, wall, fence, tree or other thing, any bill, notice or other document ; or

(*xi*) without proper authority defaces or writes upon or otherwise marks any building, monument, post, wall, fence, tree or other thing ; or

(*xii*) without proper authority removes, destroys, defaces or otherwise obliterates any notice or other document put up or exhibited under this Act ; or

(*xiii*) without proper authority displaces, damages, or makes any alteration in, or otherwise interferes with, the pavement, gulter, stormwater-drain, flags or other materials of any such street, or any lamp, bracket, direction-post, hydrant or water-pipe maintained by the Cantonment authority in any such street or public place, or extinguishes a public light ; or

(*xiv*) carries any corpse not decently covered or without taking due precautions to prevent risk of infection or injury to the public health or annoyance to passers by or to persons dwelling in the neighbourhood ; or

(*xv*) carries night-soil or other offensive matter or rubbish at any hour prohibited by the Cantonment Authority by public notice, or in any pattern of cart or receptacle which has not been approved for the purpose by the Cantonment Authority, or fails to close such cart or receptacle when in use ; or

(*b*) carries night-soil or other offensive matter or rubbish along any route in contravention of any prohibition made in this behalf by the Cantonment Authority by public notice ; or

(*c*) deposits, or causes or permits to be deposited earth or materials of any description, or any offensive matter or rubbish, in any place not intended for the purpose in any street or other public place or waste or unoccupied land under the management of the Cantonment Authority ; or

(*d*) having charge of a corpse fails to bury, burn or otherwise lawfully dispose of the same within twenty-four hours after death ; or

(*e*) makes any grave or buries or burns any corpse in any place not set apart for such purpose ; or

(*f*) keeps or uses, or knowingly permits to be kept or used, any place as a common gaming house, or assists in conducting the business of any common gaming house ; or

(*g*) at any time or place at which the same has been prohibited by the Cantonment Authority by public or special notice, beats a drum or tom-tom, or blows a horn or trumpet, or beats any utensil, or sounds any brass or other instrument, or plays any music ; or

(*h*) disturbs the public peace or order by singing, screaming or shouting ; or

(*i*) lets loose any animal so as to cause, or negligently allows any animal to cause, injury, danger, alarm or annoyance to any person ; or

(*j*) being the occupier of any building or land in or upon which an animal dies neglects within three hours of the death of the animal, or, if the death occurs at night, within three hours after sunrise, either—

(*i*) to report the occurrence to the Executive Officer or to an officer, if any, appointed by him in this behalf with a view to securing the removal and disposal of the carcase by the public conservancy establishment, or

(*ii*) to remove and dispose of the carcase in accordance with any general directions given by the Cantonment Authority by public notice or any special directions given by the Executive Officer on rece pt of such report as aforesaid ; or

(*k*) save with the written permission of the Cantonment Authority and in such manner as it may authorise, stores or uses night-soil, manure, rubbish or any other substance emitting an offensive smell ; or

(*l*) uses or permits to be used as a latrine any place not intended for that purpose ;

shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

(*2*) Whoever does not take reasonable means to prevent any child under the age of twelve years being in his charge from easing himself in any street or other public place within the cantonment shall be punishable with fine which may extend to twenty-five rupees.

(*3*) The owner or keeper of any animal found picketed or straying without a keeper in a street or other public place in a cantonment shall be punishable with fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

(*4*) Any animal found picketed as aforesaid may be removed by any officer or servant of the Cantonment Authority or by any police officer to a pound as if the animal had been found straying.

Dogs.

Registration and control of dogs.

119. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority may make bye-laws to provide for the registration of all dogs kept within the cantonment.

(*2*) Such bye-laws shall—

(*a*) require the registration, by the Officer Commanding each military unit, of all dogs kept in the lines occupied by that unit ;

(*b*) require that every registered dog shall wear a collar to which shall be attached a metal token to be issued by the registration authority, and fix the fee payable for the issue thereof ;

(*c*) require that any dog which has not been registered or which is not wearing such token shall, if found in any public place, be detained at a place set apart for the purpose ; and

(*d*) fix the fee which shall be charged for such detention and provide that any such dog shall be liable to be destroyed or otherwise disposed of unless it is claimed and the fee in respect thereof is paid within one week ;

and may provide for such other matters as the Cantonment Authority thinks fit.

(*3*) A Cantonment Authority may—

(*a*) cause to be destroyed, or to be confined for such period as that Authority may direct, any dog or other animal which is, or is reasonably suspected to be, suffering from rabies, or which has been bitten by any dog or other animal suffering or suspected to be suffering from rabies ;

(*b*) by public notice direct that, after such date as may be specified in the notice, dogs which are without collars or without marks distinguishing them as private property and are found straying on the streets or beyond the enclosures of the houses of their owners, if any, may be destroyed, and cause them to be destroyed accordingly.

(*4*) No damages shall be payable in respect of any dog or other animal destroyed or otherwise disposed of under this section.

(*5*) Whoever, being the owner or person in charge of any dog, neglects to restrain it so that it shall not be at large in any

street without being muzzled and without being secured by a chain lead in any case in which—

(*a*) he knows that the dog is likely to annoy or intimidate any person, or

(*b*) the Cantonment Authority has, by public notice during the prevalence of rabies, directed that dogs shall not be at large without muzzles and chain leads,

shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

(*6*) Whoever in a cantonment—

(*a*) allows any ferocious dog which belongs to him or is in his charge to be at large without being muzzled, or

(*b*) sets on or urges any dog or other animal to attack, worry or intimidate any person, or

(*c*) knowing or having reason to believe that any dog or animal belonging to him or in his charge has been bitten by an animal suffering or reasonably suspected to be suffering from rabies, neglects to give immediate information of the fact to the Executive Officer or gives information which is false,

shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Traffic.

Rule of the road.

12. Whoever in driving, leading or propelling a vehicle along a street fails, except in a case of actual necessity,—

(*a*) to keep to the left when passing a vehicle coming from the opposite direction, or

(*b*) to keep to the right when passing a vehicle going in the same direction as himself,

shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Prevention of Fire, etc.

Use of inflammable materials for building purposes.

121. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority may, by public notice direct that within such limits in the cantonment as may be specified in the notice, the roofs and external walls of huts or other buildings shall not, without the permission in writing of the Cantonment Authority, be made or renewed of grass, mats, leaves or other inflammable materials, and may, by notice in writing, require any person who has disobeyed any such direction as aforesaid to remove or alter the roofs or walls so made or renewed.

(*2*) A Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner of any building in the cantonment which has an external roof or wall made of any such material as aforesaid to remove such roof or wall within such time as may be specified in the notice, notwithstanding that a public notice under sub-section (*1*) has not been issued or that such roof or wall was made with the consent of the Cantonment Authority or before the issue of such public notice:

Provided that, in the case of any such roof or wall in existence before the issue of such a public notice or made with the consent of the Cantonment Authority, that authority shall make compensation, not exceeding the original cost of constructing the roof or wall, for any damage caused by the removal.

Stacking or collecting inflammable materials.

122. A Cantonment Authority may, by public notice, prohibit in any case where such prohibition appears to it to be necessary for the prevention of danger to life or property, the stacking or collecting of wood, dry grass, straw or other inflammable materials, or the placing of mats or thatched huts or the lighting of fires in any place in the cantonment, or within any limits therein, which may be specified in the notice.

Care of naked lights.

123. No person shall set a naked light on or near any building in any street or other public place in a cantonment in such manner as to cause danger of fire:

Provided that nothing in this section shall be deemed to prohibit the use, subject to the permission in writing of the Cantonment Authority, of lights for purposes of illumination on the occasion of a festival or public or private entertainment.

Regulation of cinematographic and dramatic performances.

124. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Cinematograph Act, 1918, no exhibition of pictures or other optical effects by means of a cinematograph or other like apparatus for the purpose of which inflammable films are used, and no public dramatic performance or pantomime, shall be given in any cantonment elsewhere than in premises for which a licence has been granted by the Cantonment Authority under this section. II of 1918.

(*2*) If the owner of a cinematograph or other apparatus uses the apparatus or allows it to be used, or if any person takes any part in any public dramatic performance or pantomime, in contravention of the provisions of this section, or if the occupier of any premises allows them to be used in contravention of the provisions of this section or of any condition of any licence granted under this section, he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, and, in the case of a continuing offence, with an additional fine which may extend to fifty rupees for each day after the first during which the offence continues.

(*3*) Nothing in this section shall be deemed to prohibit the giving of any exhibition or any dramatic performance or pantomime in any theatre or institute which is the property of Government where the exhibition, performance or pantomime is held with the permission and under the control of the military authorities.

Discharging fireworks, fire-arms, etc.

125. Whoever in a cantonment discharges any fire-arms or lets off fireworks or fire-baloons, or engages in any game in such manner as to cause or to be likely to cause danger to persons passing by or dwelling or working in the neighbourhood or risk of injury to property shall be liable to fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Power to require buildings, walls, etc., to be rendered safe.

126. Where in a cantonment any building, or wall, or any thing affixed thereto, or any well, tank, reservoir, pool, depression, or excavation, or any bank or tree, is, in the opinion of the Cantonment Authority, for want of sufficient repairs, protection or enclosure, dangerous to persons passing by or dwelling or working in the neighbourhood, the Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner thereof to repair, protect or enclose the same in such manner as it thinks necessary; and, if the danger is, in the opinion of the Cantonment Authority, imminent, it shall forthwith take such steps as it thinks necessary to avert the same.

Enclosure of waste land used for improper purposes.

127. A Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner or part owner, or person claiming to be the owner or part owner, of any building or land in the cantonment, or the lessee or the person claiming to be the lessee of any such land, which, by reason of disuse or disputed ownership or other cause, has remained unoccupied and has become the resort of idle and disorderly persons or of persons who have no ostensible means of subsistence or cannot give a satisfactory account of themselves, or is used for gaming or immoral purposes, or otherwise occasions or is likely to occasion a nuisance, to secure and enclose the same within such time as may be specified in the notice.

CHAPTER X.

SANITATION AND THE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT OF DISEASE.

Sanitary Authorities.

Responsibility for sanitation.

128. The following officers shall, for the purposes of sanitation, have control over, and be responsible for maintaining in

a sanitary condition, those parts of a cantonment, respectively, which are specified in the case of each, that is to say :—

(*a*) the Commanding Officer of the cantonment—all buildings and lands which are occupied or used for military purposes ;

(*b*) the Officer Commanding the air forces in the cantonment—all buildings and lands which are occupied or used for air-force purposes ;

(*c*) the head of any civil department or railway administration occupying as such any part of the cantonment—all buildings and lands in his charge as head of that department or administration.

General duties of Health Officer.

129. (*1*) The Health Officer shall exercise a general sanitary supervision over the whole cantonment, and shall submit monthly to the Cantonment Authority a report as to the sanitary condition of the cantonment, together with such recommendations in connection therewith as he thinks fit.

(*2*) The Assistant Health Officer shall perform such duties in connection with the sanitation of the cantonment as are, subject to the control of the Cantonment Authority, allotted to him by the Health Officer.

Conservancy and Sanitation.

Public latrines, urinals, and conservancy establishments.

130. All public latrines and urinals provided or maintained by a Cantonment Authority shall be so constructed as to provide separate compartments for each sex and not to be a nuisance, and shall be provided with all necessary conservancy establishments, and shall regularly be cleansed and kept in proper order.

Power of Cantonment Authority to undertake private conservancy arrangements.

131. (*1*) On the application or with the consent of the occupier of any building or land, or, where the occupier of any building or land fails to make arrangements to the satisfaction of the Cantonment Authority for the matters referred to in this section, without such consent, and after giving notice in writing to the occupier, a Cantonment Authority may undertake the house scavenging of any building or land in the cantonment for such period as it thinks fit on such terms as it may prescribe in this behalf.

(*2*) Where the Cantonment Authority has undertaken the duties referred to in this section, all matter removed in the performance of such duties shall be the property of that Authority.

(*3*) For the purposes of this section, "house scavenging" means the removal of filth or rubbish or other offensive matter from a privy, latrine, urinal, drain, cesspool, or other common receptacle for such matter.

Deposit and disposal of rubbish, etc.

132. (*1*) Every Cantonment Authority shall provide or appoint, in proper and convenient situations, public receptacles, depôts or places for the temporary deposit or disposal of household rubbish, offensive matter, carcases of dead animals and sewage.

(*2*) The Cantonment Authority may, by public notice, issue directions as to the time at which, the manner in which, and the conditions subject to which, any matter referred to in subsection (*1*) may be removed along a street or may be deposited or otherwise disposed of.

(*3*) All matter deposited in receptacles, depôts or places provided or appointed under this section shall be the property of the Cantonment Authority.

Cesspools, receptacles for filth, etc.

133. The Executive Officer of any cantonment may, by notice in writing,—

(*a*) require any person having the control whether as owner, lessee or occupier of any land or building in the cantonment—

(*i*) to close any cesspool appertaining to the land or building which is, in the opinion of the Executive Officer, a nuisance, or

(*ii*) to keep in a clean condition, in such manner as may be prescribed by the notice, any receptacle for filth or sewage accumulating on the land or in the building or

(*iii*) to prevent the water of any private latrine, urinal, sink or bath-room, or any other offensive matter, from soaking, draining or flowing, or being put, from the land or building upon any street or other public place, or into any water-course or into any drain not intended for the purpose, or

(*iv*) to collect and deposit for removal by the conservancy establishment of the Cantonment Authority, within such time and in such receptacle or place, situate at not more than one hundred feet from the nearest boundary of the premises, as may be specified in the notice, any offensive matter or rubbish which such person has allowed to accumulate or remain under, in or on such building or land ; or

(*b*) require any person to desist from making or altering any drain leading into a public drain ; or

(*c*) require any person having the control of a drain in the cantonment to cleanse, purify, repair or alter the same, or otherwise put it in good order, within such time as may be specified in the notice.

Filling up of tank, etc.

134. (*1*) Where any well, tank, cistern, reservoir, receptacle, or other place in the cantonment where water is stored or accumulates, whether within any private enclosure or not, is in such a condition as to create a nuisance or, in the opinion of the Health Officer, or the Assistant Health Officer, is or is likely to be a breeding place for mosquitoes, the Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner, lessee or occupier thereof within such period as may be specified in the notice, to fill up or cover the well, cistern, reservoir or receptacle, or to fill up the tank, or to drain off or remove the water, as the case may be.

(*2*) The Cantonment Authority may, if it thinks fit, with the previous sanction of the Officer Commanding the District, meet the whole or any portion of the expenses incurred in complying with a requisition under sub-section (*1*).

Provision of latrines, etc.

135. A Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner or lessee of any building or land in the cantonment to provide, in such manner as may be specified in the notice, any latrine, urinal, cesspool, dust-bin or other receptacle for filth, sewage, or rubbish, or any additional latrine, urinal, cesspool or other receptacle as aforesaid, which should, in its opinion, be provided for the building or land.

Sanitation in factories, etc.

136. Every person employing, whether on behalf of the Government or otherwise, more than ten workmen or labourers, and every person managing or having control of a market, school, theatre or other place of public resort, in a cantonment shall give notice of the fact to the Cantonment Authority, and shall provide such latrines and urinals, and shall employ such number of sweepers, as the Cantonment Authority thinks fit, and shall cause the latrines and urinals to be kept clean and in proper order :

Provided that nothing in this section shall apply in the case of a factory to which the Indian Factories Act, 1911, applies. XII of 1911.

Private latrines.

137. A Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing,—

(*a*) require the owner or other person having the control of any private latrine or urinal in the cantonment not to put the same to public use ; or

(*b*) where any plan for the construction of private latrines or urinals has been approved by the Cantonment Authority, and copies thereof may be obtained free of charge on application,—

(*i*) require any person repairing or constructing any private latrine or urinal not to allow the same to be used until it has been inspected by or under the direction of the Health Officer and approved by him as conforming with such plan, or

(*ii*) require any person having control of any private latrine or urinal to re-build or alter the same in accordance with such plan ; or

(*c*) require the owner or other person having the control of any such private latrine or urinal which, in the opinion of the Cantonment Authority, constitutes a nuisance, to remove the latrine or urinal ; or

(*d*) require any person having the control whether as owner, lessee or occupier of any land or building in the cantonment—

(*i*) to have any latrines provided for the same shut out by a sufficient roof and wall or fence from the view of person passing by or dwelling in the neighbourhood, or

(*ii*) to cleanse in such manner as the Cantonment Authority may specify in the notice any latrine or urinal belonging to the land or building ; or

(*e*) require any person being the owner and having the control of any drain in the cantonment to provide, within ten days from the service of the notice, such covering as may be specified in the notice.

Removal of congested buildings.

138. (*1*) Where it appears to a Cantonment Authority that any block of buildings in the cantonment is in an unhealthy condition by reason of the manner in which the buildings are crowded together, or of the narrowness or closeness of the street or of the want of proper drainage or ventilation, or of the impracticability of cleansing the buildings or other similar cause, it may cause the block to be inspected by a committee consisting of—

(*a*) the Health Officer,

(*b*) the Civil Surgeon of the district or, if his services are not available, some other medical officer of the Government,

(*c*) the Executive Engineer or a person deputed by the Executive Engineer in this behalf, and

(*d*) where there is a board, two non-official members thereof.

(*2*) The committee shall make a report in writing to the Cantonment Authority regarding the sanitary condition of the block, and, if it considers that the condition thereof is likely to cause risk of disease to the inhabitants of the building or of the neighbourhood or otherwise to endanger the public health, it shall clearly indicate on a plan verified by the Executive Engineer or the person deputed by him to serve on the committee, the buildings which should in its opinion wholly or in part be removed in order to abate the unhealthy condition of the block.

(*3*) If, upon receipt of such report, the Cantonment Authority is of opinion that all or any buildings indicated should be removed, it may, by notice in writing, require the owners thereof to remove them :

Provided that the Cantonment Authority shall make compensation to the owners for any buildings so removed which may have been erected under proper authority :

Provided, further, that the Cantonment Authority may, if it considers it equitable in the circumstances so to do, pay to the owners such sum as it thinks fit as compensation for any buildings so removed which have not been erected under proper authority.

(*4*) For the purposes of this section "buildings" includes enclosure walls and fences appertaining to buildings.

Overcrowding of dwelling houses.

139. (*1*) Where it appears to a Cantonment Authority that any building or part of a building in the cantonment which is used as a dwelling house is so overcrowded as to

endanger the health of the inmates thereof, it may, after such inquiry as it thinks fit, by notice in writing require the owner or occupier of the building or part thereof, as the case may be, within such time not being less than one month as may be specified in the notice, to abate the overcrowding of the same by reducing the number of lodgers, tenants or other inmates to such number as may be specified in the notice.

(*2*) Any person who fails, without reasonable cause, to comply with a requisition made upon him under sub-section (*1*) shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and, in the case of a continuing offence, to an additional fine which may extend to five rupees for every day after the first during which the failure has continued.

Power to require repair or alteration of building.

140. (*1*) Where any building in a cantonment is so ill-constructed or dilapidated as to be, in the opinion of the Cantonment Authority, in an insanitary state, the Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner, within such time as may be specified in the notice, to execute such repairs or to make such alterations as it thinks necessary for the purpose of removing such defects.

(*2*) A copy of every notice issued under sub-section (*1*) shall be conspicuously posted on the building to which it relates.

(*3*) A notice issued under sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to have been complied with if the owner of the building to which it relates has, instead of executing the repairs or making the alterations directed by the notice, removed the building.

Power to require land or building to be cleansed.

141. (*1*) The Executive Officer may, by notice in writing, require the owner, lessee or occupier of any building or land in the cantonment, which appears to him to be in a filthy or insanitary state, within twenty-four hours to cleanse the same or otherwise put it in a proper state, in such manner as may be specified in the notice.

(*2*) If, within three months from the date of the service of a notice under sub-section (*1*), any building or land in respect of which the notice was issued is again in a filthy or insanitary state, the owner, lessee or occupier, as the case may be, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Power to order disuse of house.

142. If a Cantonment Authority is satisfied that any building or part of a building in the cantonment which is intended for or used as a dwelling place is unfit for human habitation, it may cause a notice to be posted on some conspicuous part of the building prohibiting the owner or occupier thereof from using the building or room for human habitation, or allowing it to be so used, until it has been rendered fit for such use to the satisfaction of the Cantonment Authority.

Removal of noxious vegetation.

143. A Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner, lessee, or occupier of any land in the cantonment to clear away and remove any thick or noxious vegetation or undergrowth which appears to it to be injurious to health or offensive to persons residing in the neighbourhood.

Agriculture and irrigation.

144. Where, in the opinion of a Cantonment Authority, the cultivation in the cantonment of any description of crop or the use therein of any kind of manure or the irrigation of any land therein in any specified manner is likely to be injurious to the health of persons dwelling in the neighbourhood, the Cantonment Authority may, be public notice, prohibit such cultivation, use or irrigation after such date as may be specified in the notice, or may, by a like notice, direct that it shall be carried out subject to such conditions as the cantonment authority thinks fit :

Provided that if, when a notice is issued under this section, any land to which it relates has been lawfully prepared for cultivation or any crop is sown therein or is standing thereon, the Cantonment Authority shall, if it directs that the notice is

to take effect on a date earlier than that by which the crop would ordinarily be sown or reaped, as the case may be, make compensation to all persons interested in the land or crop for the loss, if any, incurred by them respectively by reason of compliance with the notice.

Burial and Burning Grounds.

Power to call for information regarding burial and burning grounds.

145. A Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner or person in charge of any burial or burning ground in the cantonment to supply such information as may be specified in the notice concerning the condition, management or position of such ground.

Permission for use of new burial or burning ground.

146. (*1*) No place in a cantonment which has not been used as a burial or burning ground before the commencement of this Act shall be so used without the permission in writing of the Cantonment Authority.

(*2*) Such permission may be granted subject to any conditions which the Cantonment Authority thinks fit to impose for the purpose of preventing annoyance to, or danger to the health of, persons residing in the neighbourhood.

Power to require closing of burial or burning ground.

147. (*1*) Where a Cantonment Authority, after making or causing to be made local inquiry, is of opinion that any burial or burning ground in the cantonment has become offensive to, or dangerous to the health of, persons living in the neighbourhood, it may, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, by notice in writing, require the owner or person in charge of such ground to close the same from such date as may be specified in the notice.

(*2*) Where the Local Government sanctions the issue of any notice under sub-section (*1*), it shall declare the conditions on which the burial or burning ground may be re-opened, and a copy of such declaration shall be annexed to the notice.

(*3*) Where the Local Government sanctions the issue of any such notice, it shall require a new burial or burning ground to be provided at the expense of the cantonment fund, or, if the community concerned is willing to provide a new burial or burning ground, the Local Government shall require a grant to be made from the cantonment fund towards the cost of the same.

(*4*) No corpse shall be buried or burnt in any burial or burning ground in respect of which a notice issued under this section is for the time being in force.

Exemption from operation of sections 146 to 147.

148. The provisions of sections 145, 146 and 147 shall not apply in the case of any burial ground which is for the time being managed by or on behalf of the Government.

Removal of corpses.

149. A Cantonment Authority may, by public notice, prescribe routes in the cantonment by which alone corpse may be removed to burial or burning grounds.

Prevention of Infectious or Contagious Diseases.

Obligation to give information of infectious or contagious diseases

150. Whoever, being in charge of, or in attendance, whether as a medical practitioner or otherwise, upon any person in a cantonment whom he knows or has reason to believe to be suffering from a contagious or infectious disease, or being the owner, lessee or occupier of any building in a cantonment in which he knows that any such person is so suffering, shall, if he fails to give information, or if he gives false information, to the Cantonment Authority respecting the existence of such disease, be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees :

Provided that no person shall be punishable under this section for failure to give information if he had reasonable cause to believe that the information had already been duly given :

Provided, further, that this section shall not apply in the case of venereal disease where the person suffering therefrom

is under specific and adequate medical treatment and is, by reason of his habits and conditions of life and residence unlikely to spread the disease.

Special measures in case of outbreak of infectious or epidemic diseases.

151. (*1*) In the event of a cantonment being visited or threatened by an outbreak of any infectious or contagious disease among the inhabitants thereof or of any epidemic disease among any animals therein, the Officer Commanding the District if he thinks that the provisions of this Act or of any law for the time being in force in the cantonment or insufficient for the purpose, may, with the previous sanction of the Local Government,—

(*a*) take such special measures, and

(*b*) by public notice, make such temporary regulations to be observed by the public or by any class or section of the public,

as he thinks necessary to prevent the outbreak or the spread of the disease :

Provided that, where in the opinion of the Officer Commanding the District immediate measures are necessary, he may take action without such sanction as aforesaid and, if he does so, shall forthwith report such action to the Local Government.

(*2*) Whoever commits a breach of any temporary regulation made under sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to have committed an offence under section 188 of the Indian Penal Code. XLV of 1860.

Power to require names of dairyman's customers.

152. Where it is certified to the Executive Officer by a medical practitioner that the outbreak or spread of any infectious or contagious disease in the cantonment is, in the opinion of such medical practitioner, attributable to the milk supplied by any dairyman, the Executive Officer may, by notice in writing, require the dairyman, within such time as may be specified in the notice, to furnish him with a full and complete list of the names and addresses of all his customers within the cantonment, or to give him such information as will enable him to trace the persons to whom the dairyman has sold milk.

Power to require names of a washerman's customers.

153. Where it is certified to the Executive Officer by the Health Officer that it is desirable, with a view to prevent the spread of any infectious or contagious disease in the cantonment, that the Health Officer should be furnished with a list of the customers of any washerman, the Executive Officer may, by notice in writing, require the washerman, within a time to be specified in the notice, to furnish the Health Officer with a full and complete list of the names and addresses of all owners within the cantonment of clothes and other articles which the washerman washes or has washed during the six weeks immediately preceding the date of the notice.

Report after inspection of dairy or washerman's place of business.

154 Where, after inspection, the Health Officer is of opinion that any infectious or contagious disease is caused or is likely to arise in the cantonment from the consumption of the milk supplied from a dairy or from the washing of clothes or other articles in any place, or from any process employed by a washerman, he shall report the matter to the Executive Officer.

Action on report submitted by Health Officer.

155. Upon receipt of a report submitted by the Health Officer under section 154, the Executive Officer may, by notice in writing,—

(*a*) prohibit the supply of milk from the dairy until the notice has been withdrawn ; or

(*b*) prohibit the washerman from washing clothes or other articles in any such place or by any such process as aforesaid until the notice has been withdrawn or unless he uses such place in such manner, or washes by such process, as the Executive Officer may direct in the notice.

Examination of milk or washed clothes.

156. The Health Officer may take possession of any milk, clothes or other articles which are or have recently been in the possession of any dairyman on whom a notice has been served under section 152, or of any clothes or other articles which are or have recently been in the possession of any washerman, on whom a notice has been served under section 153, and may subject the same or cause the same to be subjected to such chemical or other process as he may think necessary; and the Cantonment Authority shall pay from the cantonment fund all the costs of the process and shall also pay to the owner of the milk, clothes or their articles such sum as compensation for any loss occasioned by such process as may appear to it to be reasonable.

Contamination of public conveyance.

157. Whoever in a cantonment—

(*a*) uses a public conveyance while suffering from an infectious or contagious disease, or

(*b*) uses a public conveyance for the carriage of a person who is suffering from any such disease, or

(*c*) uses a public conveyance for the carriage of the corpse of a person who has died from any such disease,

shall be bound to take proper precautions against the communication of the disease to other persons using or who may thereafter use the conveyance and to notify such use to the owner, driver or person in charge of the conveyance, and further to report without delay to the Executive Officer the number of the conveyance and the name of the person so notified.

Disinfection of public conveyance.

158. (*1*) Where any person suffering from, or the corpse of any person who has died from, an infectious or contagious disease has been carried in a public conveyance which ordinarily plies in a cantonment, the driver thereof shall forthwith report the fact to the Executive Officer who shall forthwith cause the conveyance to be disinfected if that has not already been done.

(*2*) No such conveyance shall be brought again into use until the Executive Officer has granted a certificate stating that it can be used without causing risk of infection.

Penalty for failure to report.

159. Whoever fails to make to the Executive Officer any report which he is required to make by section 157 or section 158 shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Driver of conveyance not bound to carry person suffering from infectious or contagious disease.

160. Notwithstanding anything contained in any law for the time being in force, no owner, driver or person in charge of a public conveyance shall be bound to convey or to allow to be conveyed in such conveyance in or in the vicinity of a cantonment any person suffering from an infectious or contagious disease or the corpse of any person who has died from such disease unless and until such person pays or tenders a sum sufficient to cover any loss and expense which would ordinarily be incurred in disinfecting the conveyance.

Disinfection of building or articles therein.

161. Where a Cantonment Authority is, upon the advice of the Health Officer, of opinion that the cleansing and disinfection of any building or part of a building in the cantonment or of any articles in any such building or part which are likely to retain infection, or the renewal of the flooring of any such building or part of such building, would tend to prevent or check the spread of any infectious or contagious disease, he may, by notice in writing, require the owner or occupier to cleanse and disinfect the said building, part or articles, as the case may be, or to renew the said flooring, within such time as may be specified in the notice:

Provided that where, in the opinion of the Cantonment Authority, the owner or occupier is from poverty or any other cause unable effectually to carry out any such requisition, the Cantonment Authority may, at the expense of the cantonment fund, cleanse and disinfect the building, part or articles, or, as the case may be, renew the flooring.

Destruction of infectious hut or shed.

162. (*1*) Where the destruction of any hut or shed in a cantonment is, in the opinion of the Cantonment Authority, necessary to prevent the spread of any infectious or contagious disease the Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner to destroy the hut or shed and the materials thereof within such time as may be specified in the notice.

(*2*) Where the President of a Board or, where there is no Board, the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, is satisfied that the destruction of any hut or shed in the cantonment is immediately necessary for the purpose of preventing the spread of any infectious or contagious disease, he may order the owner or occupier of the hut or shed to destroy the same forthwith, or may himself cause it to be destroyed after giving not less than two hours' notice to the owner or occupier thereof.

(*3*) The Cantonment Authority shall pay compensation to the owner of any hut or shed destroyed under this section.

Temporary shelter for inmates of disinfected or destroyed building or shed.

163. The Cantonment Authority shall provide free of charge temporary shelter or house accommodation for the members of any family in which an infectious or contagious disease has appeared who have been compelled to leave their dwelling by reason of any proceedings taken under section 161 or section 162, and who desire such shelter or accommodation as aforesaid to be provided for them.

Disinfection of building before letting the same.

164. (*1*) Where in a cantonment any building or part of a building is intended to be let in which any person has, within the six weeks immediately preceding, been suffering from an infectious or contagious disease, the person letting the building or part shall before doing so disinfect the same in such manner as the Cantonment Authority may, by public or special notice, direct, together with all articles therein liable to retain infection.

(*2*) For the purposes of this section, the keeper of an hotel lodging house or sarai shall be deemed to let to any person who is admitted as a guest therein that part of the building in which such person is permitted to reside.

Disposal of infected article without disinfection.

165. No person shall, without previous disinfection of the same, give, lend, sell, trasmit or otherwise dispose of to another person any article or thing which he knows or has reason to believe has been exposed to contamination by any infectious or contagious disease and is likely to be used in, or taken into, a cantonment.

Means of disinfection.

166. (*1*) Every Cantonment Authority shall—

(*a*) provide proper places with necessary attendants and apparatus for the disinfection of conveyances, clothing, bedding or other articles which have been exposed to infection ;

(*b*) cause conveyances, clothing or other articles brought for disinfection to be disinfected either free of charge or on payment of such charges as it may fix.

(*2*) A Cantonment Authority may notify places at which articles of clothing, bedding, conveyances or other articles which have been exposed to infection shall be washed, and, if it does so, no person shall wash any such thing at any place not so notified without having previously disinfected such thing.

(*3*) The President of a Board or, where there is no Board, the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, may direct the destruction of any clothing, bedding or other article in the cantonment likely to retain infection, and may give such compensation as he thinks fit for any article so destroyed.

Making or selling of food, etc, or washing clothes by infected person.

167. Whoever, while suffering from, or in circumstances in which he is likely to spread, any infectious or contagious disease,—

(*a*) makes, carries or offers for sale in a cantonment or takes any part in the business of making, carrying or offering for sale therein any article of food or drink or any medicine or drug for human consumption, or any article of clothing or bedding for personal use or wear ; or

(*b*) takes any part in the business of the washing or carrying of clothes,

shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Power to restrict or prohibit sale of food or drink.

168. When a cantonment is visited or threatened by an outbreak of any infectious or contagious disease, the Cantonment Authority may, by public notice, restrict in such manner or prohibit for such period, as may be specified in the notice, the sale or preparation of any article of food or drink for human consumption specified in the notice or the sale of any flesh of any description of animals so specified.

Control over wells, tanks, etc.

169. (*1*) If a Cantonment Authority is of opinion that the water in any well, tank or other place is likely, if used for drinking, to engender, or cause the spread of, any disease, it may,-

(*a*) by public notice, prohibit the removal or use of such water for drinking;

(*b*) by notice in writing, require the owner or person having control of such well, tank or place to take such steps as may be directed by the notice to prevent the public from having access to or using such water ; or

(*c*) take such other steps as it may consider expedient to prevent the outbreak or spread of any such disease.

(*2*) In the event of a cantonment or any part of a cantonment being visited or threatened by an outbreak of any infectious or contagious disease, the Health Officer or any person authorised by him in this behalf may, without notice and at any time, inspect and disinfect any well, tank or other place from which water is, or is likely to be, taken for the purposes of drinking, and may further take such steps as he thinks fit to ensure the purity of the water or to prevent the use of the same for drinking purposes.

Disposal of infectious corpse.

170. Where any person has died in a cantonment from any infectious or contagious disease, the Executive Officer may, by notice in writing,—

(*a*) require any person having charge of the corpse to convey the same to a mortuary, thereafter to be disposed of in accordance with law ; or

(*b*) prohibit the removal of the corpse from the place where death occurred except for the purpose of being buried or burned or of being conveyed to a mortuary.

Hospitals and Dispensaries.

Maintenance or aiding of hospitals or dispensaries.

171. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority may—

(*a*) provide and maintain either within or without the cantonment as many hospitals and dispensaries as it thinks fit ; or

(*b*) make, upon such terms as it thinks fit to impose, a grant-in-aid to any hospital or dispensary, whether within or without the cantonment, not maintained by it.

(*2*) Every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under sub-section (*1*) shall have attached to it a ward or wards for the treatment of persons suffering from infectious or contagious diseases.

(*3*) A medical officer, appointed in such manner as the Local Government may direct, shall be in charge of every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under this section,

Medical supplies, appliances, etc.

172. (*1*) Every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under section 171 shall be maintained in accordance with any general or special orders of the Governor General in Council or the Local Government for the conduct of hospitals and dispensaries or in accordance with the said orders modified in such manner as the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, as the case may be, thinks fit.

(*2*) The Cantonment Authority shall cause every such hospital or dispensary to be provided with all requisite drugs, instruments, apparatus, furniture and appliances and with sufficient cots, bedding and clothing for in-patients.

Free patients.

173. At every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under section 171, the sick poor of the cantonment, and other inhabitants of the cantonment suffering from infectious or contagious diseases, and, with the sanction of the Cantonment Authority, any other sick persons, may receive medical treatment free of cost, and, if treated as in-patients, shall be either dieted gratuitously or, if the medical officer in charge so directs, shall be granted subsistence allowance on such scale as the Cantonment Authority may fix :

Provided that the subsistence allowance shall not be less than the lowest allowance for the time being fixed for the subsistence of judgment-debtors by the Local Government under section 57 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908. V of 1908

Paying patients.

174. Any sick person who is ineligible to receive medical treatment free of cost in any hospital or dispensary under section 173 may be admitted to treatment therein upon such terms as the Cantonment Authority thinks fit.

Power to order person to attend hospital or dispensary.

175. (*1*) If the Health Officer or the medical officer in charge of a hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under section 171 has reason to believe that any person living in the cantonment is suffering from an infectious or contagious disease, he may, by notice in writing, call upon such person to attend for examination at any such hospital or dispensary at such time as may be specified in the notice and not to quit it without the permission of the medical officer in charge ; and, on the arrival of such person at the hospital or dispensary, the medical officer in charge thereof may examine him for the purpose of satisfying himself whether or not such person is suffering from an infectious or contagious disease :

Provided that, if, having regard to the nature of the disease or the condition of the person suffering therefrom, or the general environment and circumstances of such person, the Health Officer or medical officer, as the case may be, considers that the attendance of such person at a hospital or dispensary is likely to prove unnecessary or inexpedient, he shall examine such person at such person's own residence.

(*2*) If any person, on examination under sub-section (*1*), is found to be suffering from an infectious or contagious disease, the Health Officer or medical officer, as the case may be, may cause him to be detained in hospital until he is free from the infection or contagion :

Provided that, if having regard to the nature of the disease or the condition of the person suffering therefrom, or the general environment and circumstances of such person, he considers that the detention of such person at a hospital or dispensary is unnecessary or inexpedient, he shall discharge such person and take such measures or give such directions in the matter as he thinks necessary.

Power to exclude from cantonment persons refusing to attend hospital or dispensary.

176. (*1*) If the Health Officer or the medical officer in charge of a hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under section 171 reports in writing to the Commanding Officer of the Cantonment that any person having received a notice under section 175 has refused or omitted to attend at the hospital or dispensary, specified in the notice, or that such person, having attended the hospital or dispensary, has quitted it without the permission of such medical officer, or that any person has failed

to comply with any direction given to him under section 175, the Commanding Officer of the cantonment may, by order in writing, direct such person to remove from the cantonment within twenty-four hours and not to re-enter it without his permission in writing.

(2) No person who has under sub-section (1) been ordered to remove from and not to re-enter a cantonment shall enter any other cantonment in British India without the written permission of the Commanding Officer of that cantonment.

Control of Traffic for Hygienic Purposes.

Routes for pilgrims and others.

177. (1) A Cantonment Authority may provide or prescribe suitable routes for the use of persons through the cantonment—

(a) on their way to or from fairs or places of pilgrimage or other places of public resort; or

(b) during times when an infectious or contagious disease is prevalent;

and may, by public notice, require such persons as aforesaid to use such routes and no others.

(2) All routes provided or prescribed under sub-section (1) shall be clearly and sufficiently indicated by the Cantonment Authority.

Special Conditions regarding Essential Services.

Conditions of service of sweepers.

178. (1) Whoever, being a sweeper employed by a Cantonment Authority, in the absence of a written contract authorising him so to do and without reasonable cause, resigns his employment or absents himself from his duty, without having given one month's notice to the Cantonment Authority, or neglects or refuses to perform his duties, or any of them, shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to one month.

(2) The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, direct that on and from such date as may be specified in the notification, the provisions of this section shall apply in the case of any specified class of servants employed by a Cantonment Authority whose functions intimately concern the public health or safety.

(3) For the purposes of this section, "sweeper" includes any menial servant employed by a Cantonment Authority in the removal or disposal of filth or rubbish.

CHAPTER XI.

CONTROL OVER BUILDINGS, STREETS, BOUNDARIES, TREES, ETC.

Buildings.

Notice of new buildings.

179. (1) Whoever intends to erect or re-erect any building in a cantonment shall give notice in writing of his intention to the Cantonment Authority.

(2) For the purposes of this Act, a person shall be deemed to erect or re-erect a building who—

(a) makes any material alteration or enlargement of any building, or

(b) converts into a place for human habitation any building not originally constructed for that purpose, or

(c) converts into more than one place for human habitation a building originally constructed as one such place, or

(*d*) converts two or more places of human habitation into a greater number of such places, or

(*e*) converts into a stable, cattled-shed or cow-house any building originally constructed for human habitation, or

(*f*) makes any alteration which there is reason to believe is likely to affect prejudicially the stability or safety of any building or the condition of any building in respect of drainage, sanitation or hygiene, or

(*g*) makes any alteration to any building which increases or diminishes the height of, or area covered by, or the cubic capacity of, the building, or which reduces the cubic capacity of any room in the building below the minimum prescribed by any bye-law made under this Act.

Conditions of valid notice.

180. (*1*) A person giving the notice required by section 179 shall specify the purpose for which it is intended to use the building to which such notice relates.

(*2*) No notice shall be valid until the information required under sub-section (*1*) and any further information and plans which may be required under bye-laws made under this Act have been furnished to the satisfaction of the Cantonment Authority along with the notice.

Power of Cantonment Authority to sanction or refuse.

181. The Cantonment Authority may either refuse to sanction the erection or re-erection, as the case may be, of the building, or may sanction it either absolutely or subject to such directions as it thinks fit to make in writing in respect of all or any of the following matters, namely :—

(*a*) the free passage or way to be left in front of the building ;

(*b*) the space to be left about the building to secure free circulation of air and facilitate scavenging and the prevention of fire ;

(*c*) the ventilation of the building, the minimum cubic area of the rooms, and the number and height of the storeys of which the building may consist ;

(*d*) the provision and position of drains, latrines, urinals, cesspools or other receptacles for filth ;

(*e*) the level and width of the foundation, the level of the lowest floor and the stability of the structure ;

(*f*) the line of frontage with neighbouring buildings if the building abuts on a street ;

(*g*) the means to be provided for egress from the building in case of fire ;

(*h*) the materials and method of construction to be used for external and party walls for rooms, floors, fireplaces and chimneys ;

(*i*) the height and slope of the roof above the uppermost floor upon which human beings are to live or cooking operations are to be carried on ; and

(*j*) any other matter affecting the ventilation and sanitation of the building ;

and the person erecting or re-erecting the building shall obey all such written directions in every particular.

(*2*) If the Cantonment Authority decides to refuse to sanction the erection or re-erection of the building, it shall communicate in writing the reasons for such refusal to the person by whom the notice was given.

(*3*) Where the Cantonment Authority neglects or omits, for one month after the receipt of a valid notice, to make and deliver to the person who has given the notice any order of any nature specified in this section, and such person thereafter, by a written communication, sent by registered post to the Cantonment Authority calls the attention of the Cantonment Authority to the neglect or omission, then, if such neglect or

omission continues for a further period of fifteen days from the date of such communication, the Cantonment Authority shall be deemed to have given sanction to the erection or re-erection as the case may be, unconditionally.

(*4*) The Cantonment Authority may refuse to sanction the erection or re-erection of any building either on grounds affecting the particular building or in pursuance of a general scheme sanctioned by the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, restricting the erection or re-erection of buildings within specified limits for the prevention of overcrowding or in the interests of persons residing within such limits or for any other public purpose.

Compensation.

182. (*1*) No compensation shall be claimable by any person for any damage or loss which he may sustain in consequence of the refusal of the Cantonment Authority of sanction to the erection of any building or in respect of any direction issued by it under sub-section (*1*) of section 181.

(*2*) The Cantonment Authority shall make compensation to the owner of any building for any actual damage or loss sustained by him in consequence of the prohibition of the re-erection of any building or of its requiring any land belonging to him to be added to the street :

Provided that the Cantonment Authority shall not be liable to make any compensation in respect of the prohibition of the re-erection of any building which for a period of three years or more immediately preceding such refusal has not been in existence or has been unfit for human habitation.

Lapse of sanction.

183. Every sanction for the erection or re-erection of a building given or deemed to have been given by the Cantonment Authority as hereinbefore provided shall be available for one year from the date on which it is given, and, if the building so sanctioned is not begun by the person who has obtained the sanction or some one lawfully claiming under him within that period, it shall not thereafter be begun without fresh sanction obtained in the manner hereinbefore provided.

Illegal erection and re-erection.

184. Whoever begins, continues or completes the erection or re-erection of a building :—

(*a*) without having given a valid notice as required by sections 179 and 180, or before the building has been sanctioned or is deemed to have been sanctioned, or

(*b*) without complying with any direction made under sub-section (*1*) of section 181, or

(*c*) when sanction has been refused, or has ceased to be available,

shall be punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Power to stop erection or re-erection or to demolish.

185. A Cantonment Authority may, at any time, by notice in writing, direct the owner, lessee or occupier of any land in the cantonment to stop the erection or re-erection of a building in any case in which the Cantonment Authority considers that such erection or re-erection is an offence under section 184, and may in any such case in like manner direct the alteration or demolition, as it thinks necessary, of the building, or any part thereof, so erected or re-erected :

Provided that the Cantonment Authority may, instead of requiring the alteration or demolition of any such building or part thereof, accept by way of composition such sum as it thinks reasonable.

Power to make bye-laws.

186. A Cantonment Authority may make bye-laws prescribing—

(*a*) the manner in which notice of the intention to erect or re-erect a building in the cantonment shall be given to the Cantonment Authority and the information and plans to be furnished with the notice ;

(*b*) the type or description of buildings which may or may not, and the purpose for which a building may or may not, be erected or re-erected in any specified area or areas ;

(*c*) the minimum cubic capacity of any room or rooms in a building which is to be erected or re-erected ; and

(*d*) the fees payable on provision by the Cantonment Authority of plans or specifiations of the type of buildings which may be erected in the cantonment or any part thereof.

Projections and obstructions.

187. (*1*) No owner or occupier of any building in a cantonment shall, without the permission in writing of the Cantonment Authority, add to or place against or in front of the building any prejection or structure overhanging, projecting into, or encroaching on, any street or any drain, sewer or aqueduct therein.

(*2*) The Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner or occupier of any such building to alter or remove any such projection or encroachment as aforesaid :

Provided that, in the case of any projection or encroachment lawfully in existence at the commencement of this Act, the Cantonment Authority shall make compensation for any damage caused by the removal or alteration.

(*3*) The Cantonment Authority may, by order in writing, give permission to the owners or occupiers of buildings in any particular street to put up open verandahs, balconies or rooms projecting from any upper storey thereof to an extent beyond the line of the plinth or basement wall at such height from the level ground or street as may be specified in the order.

Unauthorised buildings over drains, etc.

188. A Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require any person who has, without its permission in writing, newly erected or re-erected any building over any public sewer, drain, culvert, water-course or water pipe in the cantonment to pull down or otherwise deal with the same as it thinks fit.

Drainage and sewer connections.

189. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner or lessee of any building or land in any street at his own expense and in such manner as the Cantonment Authority thinks fit, to put up and keep in good condition proper troughs and pipes for receiving and carrying rain water from the building or land and for discharging the same or to establish and maintain any other connection or communication between such building or land and any drain or sewer.

(*2*) For the purpose of efficiently draining any building or land in the cantonment, the Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner or lessee of the building or land—

(*a*) to pave, with such materials and in such manner as it thinks fit, any courtyard, ally or passage between two or more buildings, or

(*b*) to keep any such paving in proper repair.

Power to attach brackets for lamps.

190. A Cantonment Authority may attach to the outside of any building, or to any tree in the cantonment, brackets for lamps in such manner as not to occasion injury thereto or inconvenience.

Streets.

Temporary occupation of street, land, etc.

191. A Cantonment Authority may, by order in writing, permit the temporary occupation of any street, or of any land vested in the Cantonment Authority, for the purpose of depositing any building materials or making any temporary excavation therein or erection thereon, subject to such conditions as it may prescribe for the safety or convenience of the public, and may charge a fee for such permission and may in its discretion withdraw such permission.

Closing and opening of streets.

192. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority shall not permanently close any street or open any new street without the previous sanction of the Officer Commanding the District.

(*2*) A Cantonment Authority may, by public notice, temporarily close any street or any part of a street for repair or for the purpose of carrying out any work connected with drainage, water-supply or lighting or any other work which it is by or under this Act required or permitted to carry out :

Provided that where, owing to any works or repairs or from any other cause, the condition of any street or of any waterworks, drain, culvert or premises vested in the Cantonment Authority, is such as to be likely to cause danger to the public, the Cantonment Authority shall—

(*a*) take all reasonable means for the protection of the adjacent buildings and land and provide reasonable means of access thereto ;

(*b*) cause sufficient barriers or fences to be erected for the security of life and property, and cause such barriers or fences to be sufficiently lighted from sunset to sunrise.

Names of streets and numbers of buildings.

193. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority may cause a name to be given to any street and to be affixed on any building in the cantonment in such place as it thinks fit, and may also cause a number to be affixed to any such building.

(*2*) Whoever destroys, pulls down, defaces or alters any such name or number or puts up any name or number differing from that put up by the order of the Cantonment Authority shall be punishable with fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

Boundaries and Trees.

Boundary walls, hedges and fences.

194. (*1*) No boundary wall, hedge or fence of any material or description shall be erected in a cantonment without the permission in writing of the Cantonment Authority.

(*2*) A Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner or lessee of any land in the cantonment :—

(*a*) to remove from the land any boundary wall, hedge or fence which is, in its opinion, unsuitable, unsightly or otherwise objectionable ; or

(*b*) to construct on the land sufficient boundary walls, hedges or fences of such material, description or dimensions as may be specified in the notice ; or

(*c*) to maintain the boundary walls, hedges or fences of such land in good order :

Provided that, in the case of any such boundary wall, hedge or fence which was erected with the consent or under the orders of the Cantonment Authority, or which was in existence at the commencement of this Act, the Cantonment Authority shall make compensation for any damage caused by the removal thereof.

(*3*) The Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing require the owner, lessee or occupier of any such land to cut or trim any hedge on the land in such manner and within such time as may be specified in the notice.

Felling, lopping and trimming of trees.

195. (*1*) Where, in the opinion of a Cantonment Authority, the felling of any tree of mature growth standing in a private enclosure in the cantonment is necessary for any reason, the Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner, lessee or occupier of the land to fell the tree within such time as may be specified in the notice.

(*2*) A Cantonment Authority may—

(*a*) cause to be lopped or trimmed any tree standing on land in the cantonment which belongs to the Government ; or

(*b*) by public notice require all owners, lessees or occupiers of land in the cantonment, or by notice in writing require the owner, lessee or occupier of any such land, to lop or trim, in such manner as may be specified in the notice, all or any trees standing on such land or to remove any dead trees from such land.

Digging of public land.

196. Whoever, without the permission in writing of the Cantonment Authority, digs up the surface of any open space in the cantonment, which is not private property, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to twenty rupees, and, in the case of a continuing offence, to an additional fine which may extend to five rupees for every day after the first during which the offence continues.

Improper use of land.

197. (*1*) If, in the opinion of a Cantonment Authority, the working of a quarry in the cantonment, or the removal of stone, earth or other material from the soil in any place in the cantonment, is dangerous to persons residing in or frequenting the neighbourhood of such quarry or place, or creates, or is likely to create, a nuisance, the Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, prohibit the owner, lessee or occupier of such quarry or place or the person responsible for such making or removal, from continuing or permitting the working of such quarry or the moving of such material, or require him to take such steps in the matter as the Cantonment Authority may direct for the purpose of preventing danger or abating the nuisance arising or likely to arise therefrom.

(*2*) If, in any case referred to in sub-section (*1*), the Cantonment Authority is of opinion that such a course is necessary in order to prevent imminent danger, it may, by order in writing, require a proper hoarding or fence to be put up for the protection of passers-by.

CHAPTER XII.

MARKETS, SLAUGHTER-HOUSES, TRADES AND OCCUPATIONS.

Public markets and slaughter-houses.

198. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority may provide and maintain, either within or without the cantonment, public markets and public slaughter-houses, to such number as it thinks fit together with stalls, shops, sheds, pens and other buildings or conveniences for the use of persons carrying on trade or business in or frequenting such markets or slaughter-houses, and may provide and maintain in any such market buildings, places, machines, weights, scales and measures for the weighment or measurement of goods sold therein.

(*2*) When such market or slaughter-house is situated beyond cantonment limits, the Cantonment Authority shall have the same power for the inspection and proper regulation of the same as if it were situated within those limits.

(*3*) The Cantonment Authority may at any time, by public notice, close any public market or public slaughter-house or any part thereof.

(*4*) Nothing in this section shall be deemed to authorise the establishment of a public market or public slaughter-house within the limits of any area administered by any local authority other than the Cantonment Authority without the permission of such local authority or otherwise than on such conditions as such local authority may approve.

Use of public market.

199. (*1*) No person shall, without the general or special permission in writing of the Cantonment Authority, sell or expose for sale any animal or article in any public market.

(*2*) Any person contravening the provisions of this section, and any animal or article exposed for sale by such person, may be summarily removed from the market by or under the orders of the Executive Officer or any officer or servant of the Cantonment Authority authorised by it in this behalf.

Levy of stallages, rents and fees.

200. A Cantonment Authority may—

(*a*) charge for the occupation or use of any stall, shop, standing, shed or pen in a public market, or public slaughter-house, or for the right to expose goods for sale in a public market, or for weighing or measuring goods sold therein, or for the right to slaughter animals in any public slaughter-house, such stallages, rents and fees as it thinks fit ; or

(*b*) with the sanction of the Officer Commanding the District, farm the stallages, rents and fees leviable as aforesaid or any portion thereof for any period not exceeding one year at a time ; or

(*c*) put up to public auction, or, with the sanction of the Officer Commanding the District, dispose of by private sale, the privilege of occupying or using any stall, shop, standing, shed or pen in a public market or public slaughter-house for such term and on such conditions as it thinks fit.

Stallages, rents, etc., to be published.

201. A copy of the table of stallages, rents and fees, if any, leviable in any public market or public slaughter-house, and of the bye-laws made under this Act for the purpose of regulating the use of such market or slaughter-house, printed in the English language and in such other language or languages as the Cantonment Authority may direct, shall be affixed in some conspicuous place in the market or slaughter-house.

Private markets and slaughter-houses.

202. (*1*) No place in a cantonment other than a public market shall be used as a market, and no place in a cantonment other than a public slaughter-house shall be used as a slaughter-house, unless such place has been licensed as a market or slaughter-house, as the case may be, by the Cantonment Authority :

Provided that nothing in this sub-section shall apply in the case of a slaughter-house established and maintained by the Government.

(*2*) Nothing in sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed—

(*a*) to restrict the slaughter of any animal in any place on the occasion of any festival or ceremony, subject to such conditions as to prior or subsequent notice as the Executive Officer with the previous sanction of the District Magistrate may, by public or special notice, impose in this behalf, or

(*b*) to prevent the Executive Officer, with the sanction of the Cantonment Authority, from setting apart places for the slaughter of animals in accordance with religious custom, when such animals are slaughtered for consumption by the troops or for the purpose of the sale of the flesh thereof to the troops.

(*3*) Whoever omits to comply with any condition imposed by the Executive Officer under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*2*) shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees and, in the case of a continuing offence, with an additional fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day after the first during which the offence is continued.

Conditions of grant of licence for private market or slaughter-house.

203. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority may charge such fees as it thinks fit to impose for the grant of a licence to any person to open a private market or private slaughter-house in the cantonment, and may grant such licence subject to such conditions, consistent with this Act and any bye-laws made thereunder, as it thinks fit to impose.

(*2*) The Cantonment Authority may refuse to grant any such licence without giving reasons for such refusal.

Penalty for keeping market or slaughter-house open without licence, etc.

204. (*1*) Any person who keeps open for public use any market or slaughter-house in respect of which a licence is required by or under this Act, without obtaining licence therefor, or while the licence therefor is suspended, or after the same

has been cancelled, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees and, in the case of a continuing offence, with an additional fine which may extend to five rupees for every day after the first during which the offence is continued.

(*2*) When a licence to open a private market or private slaughter-house is granted or refused or is suspended or cancelled, the Cantonment Authority shall cause a notice of the grant, refusal, suspension or cancellation to be posted in English, and in such other language or languages as it thinks necessary, in some conspicuous place by or near the entrance to the place to which the notice relates.

Penalty for using unlicensed market or slaughter-house.

205. Whoever, knowing that any market or slaughter-house has been opened to the public without a licence having been obtained therefor when such licence is required by or under this Act, or that the licence granted therefor is for the time being suspended or that it has been cancelled, sells or exposes for sale any article in such market, or slaughters any animal in such slaughter-house, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees and, in the case of a continuing offence, with an additional fine which may extend to five rupees for every day after the first during which the offence is continued.

Prohibition and restriction of use of slaughter-houses.

206. (*1*) Where, in the opinion of the Cantonment Authority, it is necessary on sanitary grounds so to do, it may, by public notice, prohibit for such period, not exceeding one month, as may be specified in the notice, or for such further period, not exceeding one month, as it may specify by a like notice, the use of any private slaughter-house specified in the notice, or the slaughter therein of any animal of any description so specified.

(*2*) A copy of every notice issued under sub-section (*1*) shall be conspicuously posted in the slaughter-house to which it relates.

Power to inspect slaughter-houses.

207. (*1*) Any servant of a Cantonment Authority, authorised by order in writing in this behalf by the President of the Board, if any, or the Health Officer, may, if he has reason to believe that any animal has been, is being, or is about to be slaughtered in any place in contravention of the provisions of this Chapter, enter into and inspect any such place at any time, whether by day or by night.

(*2*) Every such order shall specify the place to be entered and the locality in which the same is situated and the period, which shall not exceed seven days, for which the order is to remain in force.

Power to make bye-laws.

208. A Cantonment Authority may, with the approval of the Local Government, make bye-laws consistent with this Act to provide for all or any of the following matters, namely :—

(*a*) the days on, and the hours during, which any private market or private slaughter-house may be kept open for use ;

(*b*) the regulation of the design, ventilation and drainage of such markets and slaughter-houses, and the material to be used in the construction thereof ;

(*c*) the keeping of such markets and slaughter-houses and lands and buildings appertaining thereto in a clean and sanitary condition, the removal of filth and refuse therefrom, and the supply therein of pure water and of a sufficient number of latrines and urinals for the use of persons using or frequenting the same ;

(*d*) the manner in which animals shall be stalled at a slaughter-house ;

(*e*) the manner in which animals may be slaughtered ;

(*f*) the disposal or destruction of animals offered for slaughter which are, from disease or any other cause, unfit for human consumption ; and

(*g*) the destruction of carcases which from disease or any other cause are found after slaughter to be unfit for human consumption.

Trades and Occupations.

Provision of washing places.

209. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority may provide suitable places for the exercise by washermen of their calling, and may require payment of such fees for the use thereof as it thinks fit.

(*2*) Where the Cantonment Authority has provided such places as aforesaid it may, by public notice, prohibit the washing of clothes by washermen at any other place in the cantonment :

Provided that such prohibition shall not be deemed to apply to the washing by a washerman of his own clothes or of the clothes of any other person who is an occupier of the place at which they are washed.

(*3*) Whoever contravenes any prohibition contained in a notice issued under sub-section (*2*) shall be punishable with fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

Licences required for carrying on of certain occupations.

210. (*1*) No person of any of the following classes, namely :—

(*a*) butchers and vendors of poultry, game or fish ;

(*b*) persons keeping pigs for profit, and dealers in the flesh of pigs which have been slaughtered in India ;

(*c*) persons keeping milch cattle or milch goats for profit ;

(*d*) persons keeping for profit any animals other than pigs, milch cattle or milch goats ;

(*e*) dairymen, buttermen and makers and vendors of ghee ;

(*f*) makers of bread, biscuits or cake, and vendors of bread, biscuits or cake made in India ;

(*g*) vendors of fruit or vegetables ;

(*h*) manufacturers of ærated or other potable waters or of ice or ice-cream, and vendors of the same ;

(*j*) vendors of any medicines, drugs or articles of food or drink for human consumption (other than the flesh of pigs, milk, butter, bread, biscuits, cake, fruit, vegetables, ærated or other potable waters or ice or ice-cream) which are of a perishable nature ;

(*k*) vendors of water to be used for drinking purposes ;

(*l*) Washermen ;

(*m*) dealers in hay, straw, wood, charcoal or other inflammable material ;

(*n*) dealers in fire-works, kerosene oil, petroleum or any other inflammable oil or spirit ;

(*o*) tanners and dyers ;

(*p*) persons carrying on any trade or occupation from which offensive or unwholesome smells arise ;

(*q*) vendors of wheat, rice and other grain or of flour ; and

(*r*) makers and vendors of sugar or sweetmeats ;

shall carry on his trade, calling or occupation in any part of a cantonment unless he has applied for and obtained a licence in this behalf from the Cantonment Authority.

(*2*) A licence granted under sub-section (*1*) shall be valid for one year, and the grant of such licence shall not be withheld by the Cantonment Authority unless it has reason to believe that the business which it is intended to establish or maintain would be offensive or dangerous to the public.

(*3*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (*1*),—

(*a*) no person who was, at the commencement of this Act, carrying on his trade, calling or occupation in any part of a cantonment shall be bound to apply for a licence for carry on such trade or occupation in that part until he has received from the Cantonment Authority not less than three months' notice in writing of his obligation to do so, and if the Cantonment Authority refuses to grant him a licence, it shall pay compensation for any loss incurred by reason of such refusal;

(*b*) no person shall be required to take out a licence for the sale or storage of petroleum or for the sale or possession for sale of poisons or white arsenic in any case in which he is required to take out a licence for such sale, storage or possession for sale by or under the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, or the Poisons Act, 1919. VIII of 1899. XII of 1919.

(*4*) The Cantonment Authority may charge for the grant of licences under this section such fees as it may fix with the previous sanction of the Local Government.

Conditions which may be attached to licences.

211. A licence granted to any person under section 210 shall specify the part of the cantonment in which the licensee may carry on his trade, calling or occupation, and may regulate the hours and manner of transport within the cantonment of any specified articles intended for human consumption, and may contain any other conditions which the Cantonment Authority thinks fit to impose in accordance with bye-laws made under this Act.

General provisions.

Power to vary licence.

212. If a Cantonment Authority is satisfied that any place used under a licence granted under this Chapter is a nuisance or is likely to be dangerous to life, health or property, the Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner, lessee or occupier thereof to discontinue the use of such place or to effect such alterations, additions, or improvements as will, in the opinion of the Cantonment Authority, render it no longer a nuisance or dangerous.

Carrying on trade, etc, without licence or in contravention of section 212.

213. Whoever carries on any trade, calling or occupation for which a licence is required without obtaining a licence therefor or while the licence therefor is suspended or after the same has been cancelled, and whoever, after receiving a notice under section 212, uses or allows to be used any building or place in contravention thereof, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees and, in the case of a continuing offence, with an additional fine which may extend to forty rupees for every day after the first during which the offence is continued.

Feeding animals on dirt, etc.

214. Whoever feeds or allows to be fed on filthy or deleterious substances any animal, which is kept for the purpose of supplying milk to, or which is intended to be used as food for, the inhabitants of a cantonment or allows it to graze in any place in which grazing has, for sanitary reasons, been prohibited by public notice by the Cantonment Authority, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Entry, Inspection and Seizure.

Powers of entry and seizure.

215. (*1*) The President or the Vice-President of a Board, the Executive Officer, the Health Officer, the Assistant Health Officer, or any other officer or servant of a Cantonment Authority authorised by it in writing in this behalf,—

(*a*) may at any time enter into any market, building, shop, stall or other place in the cantonment for the purpose of inspecting, and may inspect, any animals, articles or thing intended for human food or drink or for medicine, whether exposed or hawked about for sale or deposited in or brought to any place for the purpose of sale, or of preparation for sale, or any utensil or vessel for preparing, manufacturing or containing any such article, or thing, and may enter into and inspect any place used as a slaughter-house and may examine any animal or article therein ;

(*b*) may seize any such animal, article or thing which appears to him to be deceased or unwholesome or unfit for human food or drink or medicine, as the case may be, or to be adulterated or to be not what it is represented to be, or any such utensil or vessel which is of such a kind or in such a state as to render any article prepared, manufactured or contained therein unwholesome or unfit for human food or for medicine, as the case may be.

(*2*) Any article seized under sub-section (*1*) which is of a perishable nature may, under the orders of the Health Officer or the Assistant Health Officer, forthwith be destroyed if, in his opinion, it is diseased, unwholesome or unfit for human food, drink or medicine, as the case may be.

(*3*) Every animal, article, utensil, vessel or other thing seized under sub-section (*1*) shall, if it is not destroyed under sub-section (*2*), be taken before a Magistrate.

(*4*) The owner or person in possession, at the time of seizure under sub-section (*1*), of any animal or carcase which is diseased or of any article or thing which is unwholesome or unfit for human food, drink or medicine, as the case may be, or is adulterated or is not what it is represented to be, or of any utensil or vessel which is of such kind or in such state as is described in clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*), shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and the animal, article, utensil, vessel or other thing shall be liable to be forfeited to the Cantonment Authority or to be destroyed or to be so disposed of as to prevent its being exposed for sale or used for the preparation of food, drink or medicine, as the case may be.

Explanation I.—If any such article, having been exposed or stored in, or brought to, any place mentioned in sub-section (*1*) for sale as ghee, contains any substance not exclusively derived from milk, it shall be deemed, for the purposes of this section, to be an article which is not what it is represented to be.

Explanation II.—Meat subjected to the process of blowing shall be deemed to be unfit for human food.

Explanation III.—The article of food or drink shall not be deemed to be other than what it is represented to be merely by reason of the fact that there has been added to it some substance not injurious to health :

Provided that—

(*a*) such substance has been added to the article because the same is required for the preparation or production thereof as an article of commerce in a state fit for carriage or consumption and not fraudulently to increase the bulk, weight or measure of the food or drink or conceal the inferior quality thereof, or

(*b*) in the process of production, preparation or conveyance of such article of food or drink, the extraneous substance has unavoidably become intermixed therewith, or

(*c*) the owner or person in possession of the article has given sufficient notice by means of a label distinctly and legibly written or printed thereon or therewith, or by other means of a public description, that such substance has been added, or

(*d*) such owner or person has purchased the article with a written warranty that it was of a certain nature, substance and quality and had no reason to believe that it was not of such nature, substance, and quality and has exposed it or hawked it about or brought it for sale in the same state and by the same description as that in and by which he purchased it.

Import of Cattle and Flesh.

Import of cattle and flesh

216. (*1*) No person shall, without the permission in writing of the Cantonment Authority, bring into a cantonment any animal intended for human consumption, or the flesh of any animal slaughtered outside the cantonment otherwise than in a slaughter-house maintained by the Government or the Cantonment Authority.

(*2*) Any animal or flesh brought into a cantonment in contravention of sub-section (*1*) may be seized by the Executive Officer or by any servant of the Cantonment Authority and sold or otherwise disposed of as the Cantonment Authority may direct, and, if it is sold, the sale-proceeds may be credited to the cantonment fund.

(*3*) Whoever contravenes the provisions of sub-section (*1*) shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

(*4*) Nothing in this section shall be deemed to apply to cured or preserved meat or to animals driven or meat carried through a cantonment for consumption outside thereof, or to meat brought into a cantonment by any person for his immediate domestic consumption :

Provided that the Cantonment Authority may, be public notice, direct that the provisions of this section shall apply to cured or preserved meat of any specified description or brought from any specified place.

CHAPTER XIII.

WATER SUPPLY, DRAINAGE AND LIGHTNING.

Water Supply.

Maintenance of water-supply.

217. (*1*) In every cantonment where a sufficient supply of pure water for domestic use does not already exist, the Cantonment Authority shall provide or arrange for the provision of such a supply.

(*2*) The Cantonment Authority shall, as far as possible, make adequate provision that such supply shall be continuous throughout the year, and that the water shall be at all times pure and fit for human consumption.

Control over sources of public water-supply.

218. (*1*) The Cantonment Authority may, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, by public notice, declare any lake, stream, spring, well, tank, reservoir or other source, whether within or without the limits of the cantonment (other than a source of water-supply under the control of the Military Works Services or the Public Works Department) from which water is or may be made available for the use of the public in the cantonment to be a source of public water-supply.

(*2*) Every such source shall be under the control of the Cantonment Authority.

Power to require maintenance or closing of private source of public drinking water-supply.

219. The Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner or any person having the control of any source of public water-supply which is used for drinking purposes—

(*a*) to keep the same in good order and to clear it from time to time of silt, refuse and decaying vegetation, or

(*b*) to protect the same from contamination in such manner as the Cantonment Authority may direct, or

(*c*) if the water therein is proved to the satisfaction of the Cantonment Authority to be unfit for drinking purposes, to take such measures as may be specified in the notice to prevent the public from having access to or using such water :

Provided that, in the case of a well, such person as aforesaid may, instead of complying with the notice, signify in writing his desire to be relieved of all responsibility for the proper maintenance of the well and his readiness to place it under the control and supervision of the Cantonment Authority for the use of the public, and, if he does so, he shall not be bound to carry out the requisition, and the Cantonment Authority shall undertake the control and supervision of the well.

Supply of water.

220. (*1*) The Cantonment Authority may permit the owner, lessee or occupier of any building or land to connect the building or land with a source of public water-supply by means of communication pipes of such size and description as it may prescribe for the purpose of obtaining water for domestic use.

(*2*) The occupier of every building so connected with the water-supply shall be entitled to have for domestic use, in return for the water tax, if any, such quantity of water as the Cantonment Authority may determine.

(*3*) All water supplied in excess of the quantity to which such supply is limited under sub-section (*2*) and, in a cantonment in which a water tax is not imposed, all water supplied under this section, shall be paid for at such rate as the Cantonment Authority may fix.

(*4*) The supply of water for domestic use shall not be deemed to include any supply—

(*a*) for animals or for washing vehicles where such animals or vehicles are kept for sale or hire ;

(*b*) for any trade, manufacture or business ;

(*c*) for fountains, swimming baths or any ornamental or mechanical purpose ;

(*d*) for gardens or for purposes of irrigation ;

(*e*) for making or watering roads or paths ; or

(*f*) for building purposes.

Power to require water-supply to be taken.

221. If it appears to the Cantonment Authority that any building or land in the cantonment is without a proper supply of pure water, the Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require the owner, lessee or occupier of the building or land to obtain from a source of public water-supply such quantity of water as is adequate to the requirements of the persons usually occupying or employed upon the building or land, and to provide communication pipes of the prescribed size and description, and to take all necessary steps for the above purpose.

Supply of water under agreement.

222. (*1*) The Cantonment Authority may, by agreement, supply, from any source of public water-supply, the owner, lessee or occupier of any building or land in the cantonment with any water for any purpose, other than a domestic purpose, on such terms and conditions, consistent with this Act and the rules and bye-laws made thereunder, as may be agreed upon between the Cantonment Authority and such owner, lessee or occupier.

(2) The Cantonment Authority may withdraw such supply or curtail the quantity thereof at any time if it should appear necessary to do so for the purpose of maintaining sufficient supply of water for domestic use by inhabitants of the cantonment.

Cantonment Authority not liable for failure of supply.

223. Notwithstanding any obligation imposed on Cantonment Authorities under this Act, a Cantonment Authority shall not be liable to any forfeiture, penalty or damages for failure to supply water or for curtailing the quantity thereof if the failure or curtailment, as the case may be, arises from accident or from drought or other unavoidable cause unless, in the case of an agreement for the supply of water under section 222, the Cantonment Authority has made express provision for forfeiture, penalty or damages in the event of such failure or curtailment.

Conditions of universal applications.

224. Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained or contained in any agreement under section 222, the supply of water by a Cantonment Authority to any building or land shall be, and shall be deemed to have been, granted subject to the following conditions, namely :—

(*a*) the owner, lessee or occupier of any building or land in or on which water supplied by the Cantonment Authority is wasted by reason of the pipes, drains or other works being out of repair shall, if he has knowledge thereof, give notice of the same to such officer as the Cantonment Authority may appoint in this behalf ;

(*b*) the Executive Officer or any other officer or servant of the Cantonment Authority authorised by it in writing in this behalf may enter into or on any premises supplied with water by the Cantonment Authority, for the purpose of examining all pipes, taps, works and fittings connected with the supply of water and of ascertaining whether there is any waste or misuse of such water ;

(*c*) the Cantonment Authority may, after giving notice in writing, cut off the connection between any source of public water-supply and any building or land to which water is supplied for any purpose therefrom, or turn off such supply if—

(*i*) the owner or occupier of the building or land neglects to pay the water tax or other charges connected with the water supply within one month from the date on which such tax or charge falls due for payment ;

(*ii*) the occupier refuses to admit the Executive Officer or other authorized officer or servant of the Cantonment Authority into the building or land for the purpose of making any examination or inquiry authorized by clause (*b*) or prevents the making of such examination or inquiry ;

(*iii*) the occupier wilfully or negligently misuses or causes waste of water ;

(*iv*) the occupier wilfully or negligently injures or damages his meter or any pipe or tap conveying water from the water-works ;

(*v*) any pipes, taps, works or fittings connected with the supply of water to the building or land are found, on examination by the Executive Officer, to be out of repair to such an extent as to cause a waste of water ;

(*d*) the expense of cutting off the connection or of turning off the water in any case referred to in clause (*c*) shall be paid by the owner or occupier of the building or land ;

(*e*) no action taken under or in pursuance of clause (*c*) shall relieve any person from any penalty or liability which he may otherwise have incurred.

Supply to persons outside cantonment.

225. A Cantonment Authority may allow any person not residing within the limits of the cantonment to take or be supplied with water for any purpose from any source of public water-supply on such terms as it may prescribe, and may at any time withdraw or curtail such supply.

Penalty

226. Whoever—

(*a*) uses for other than domestic purposes any water supplied by a Cantonment Authority for domestic use, or

(*b*) where water is supplied by agreement with a Cantonment Authority for a specified purpose, uses that water for any other purpose,

shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and the Cantonment Authority shall be entitled to recover from him the price of the water misused.

Water, Drainage and other Connections.

Power of Cantonment Authority to lay wires, connections, etc

227. A Cantonment Authority may carry any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel of any kind,—

(*a*) for the purpose of carrying out, establishing or maintaining any system of water-supply, lighting, drainage or sewerage, through, across, under or over any road or street, or any place laid out or intended as a road or street, or, after giving reasonable notice in writing to the owner or occupier, into, through, across, under or over any land or building, or up the side of any building situated within the cantonment or

(*b*) for the purpose of supplying water or of the introduction or distribution of outfall of water or for the removal or outfall of sewage, after giving reasonable notice in writing to the owner or occupier, into, through, across, under or over any land or building, or up the side of any building, situated outside the cantonment ;

and may at all times do all acts and things which may be necessary or expedient for repairing or maintaining any such cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel in an effective state for the purpose for which the same may be used or is intended to be used :

Provided that no nuisance shall be caused in excess of what is reasonably necessary for the proper execution of work :

Provided, further, that compensation shall be payable to the owner or occupier for any damage sustained by him which is directly occasioned by the carrying out of any such operation.

Wires, etc, laid above surface of ground

228. In the event of any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel being laid or carried above the surface of any land or through, over or up the side of any building, such cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel shall be so laid or carried as to interfere as little as possible with the rights of the owner or occupier to the due enjoyment of such land or building, and compensation shall be payable by the Cantonment Authority in respect of any substantial interference with the right to any such enjoyment.

Connection with main not to be made without permission.

229. No person shall, for any purpose whatsoever, without the permission of the Cantonment Authority, at any time make or cause to be made any connection or communication with any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel constructed or maintained by, or vested in, a Cantonment Authority.

Power to prescribe ferrules and to establish meters, etc.

230. A Cantonment Authority may prescribe the size of the ferrules to be used for the supply of gas, if any, and may establish meters or other appliances for the purpose of testing the quantity of any water, or the quantity or quality of any gas supplied to any premises by the Cantonment Authority.

Power of inspection.

231. The ferrules, communication pipes, connections, meters, stand-pipes and all fittings thereon or connected therewith leading from water mains or from pipes, drains, sewers or channels into any house or land, to which water or gas is supplied by a Cantonment Authority, and the pipes, fittings and works inside any such house or within the limits of any such land, shall in all cases be executed subject to the inspection and to the satisfaction of the Cantonment Authority.

Power to fix rates and charges.

232. A Cantonment Authority may fix the charges to be made for the establishment by them or through their agency of communications from, and connections with, mains, or pipes for the supply of water, or gas, or for meters or other appliances for testing the quantity or quality thereof supplied, and may levy such charges accordingly.

Application of this Chapter to Government Water Supplies.

Government water-supply.

233. (*1*) Where in any cantonment there is a water-supply under the control of the Military Works Services or the Public Works Department, the Officer of the Military Works Services or of the Public Works Department, as the case may be, in charge of such water-supply (hereinafter in this section and in section 234 referred to as the Officer) may publish in the cantonment in such manner as he thinks fit a notice declaring that any lake, stream, spring, well, tank, reservoir or other source, whether within or without the limits of the cantonment (other than a source of public water-supply under the control of the Cantonment Authority) is a source of public water-supply and may, for the purpose of keeping any such source in good order or of protecting it from contamination or from use, require the Cantonment Authority to exercise any power conferred upon that Authority by section 219.

(*2*) In the case of any water-supply such as is referred to in sub-section (*1*), the following provisions of this Chapter, namely, the provisions of sections 220, 222, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231 and 232 shall, as far as may be, be applicable in respect of the supply of water to the cantonment, and for the purpose of such application references to the Cantonment Authority shall be construed as references to the Officer, and references to the Executive Officer or other officer or servant of the Cantonment Authority shall be construed as references to such person as may be authorised in this behalf by the Officer.

Recovery of charges.

234. In any case in which the provisions of section 233 apply, the water-tax, if any, imposed in the cantonment and all other charges arising out of the supply of water which may be imposed under the provisions of this Chapter as applied by section 233 shall be recovered by the Cantonment Authority, and all monies so recovered, or such proportion thereof as the Local Government may in each case determine, shall be paid by the Cantonment Authority to the Officer.

CHAPTER XIV.

REMOVAL AND EXCLUSION FROM CANTONMENTS AND SUPPRESSION OF SEXUAL IMMORALITY.

Power to remove brothels and prostitutes.

235. The Commanding Officer of a cantonment may, on receiving information that any building in the cantonment is used as a brothel or for purposes of prostitution, by order in writing setting forth the substance of the information received, summon the owner, lessee, tenant or occupier of the building to appear before him either in person or by an authorised agent, and, if the Commanding Officer of the cantonment is then satisfied as to the truth of the information, he may, by order in writing, direct the owner, lessee, tenant or occupier, as the case may be, to discontinue such use of the building within such period as may be specified in the order.

Penalty for loitering and importuning for purposes of prostitution.

236. (*1*) Whoever in a cantonment loiters for the purpose of prostitution or importunes any person to the commission of sexual immorality, shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to one month, or with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

(*2*) No prosecution for an offence under this section shall be instituted except on the complaint of the person importuned, or of a military officer in whose presence the offence was committed, or of a member of the Military or Air Force Police, being employed in the cantonment and authorised in this behalf by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, in whose presence the offence was committed, or of a police officer not below the rank of a sub-inspector who is employed in the cantonment and authorised in this behalf by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment.

Removal of lewd persons from cantonment.

237. If the Commanding Officer of a cantonment is, after such inquiry as he thinks necessary, satisfied that any person residing in or frequenting the cantonment is a prostitute or has been convicted of an offence under section 236, or of the abetment of such an offence, he may cause to be served on such person an order in writing requiring such person to remove from the cantonment within such time as may be specified in the order, and prohibiting such person from re-entering it without the permission in writing of the Commanding Officer of the cantonment.

Removal and exclusion from cantonments of disorderly persons.

238. (*1*) A Magistrate of the first class, having jurisdiction in a cantonment, on receiving information that any person residing in or frequenting the cantonment—

(*a*) is a disorderly person who has been convicted more than once of gaming or who keeps or frequents a common gaming house, a disorderly drinking shop or a disorderly house of any other description, or

(*b*) has been convicted more than once, either within the cantonment or elsewhere, of an offence punishable under Chapter XVII of the Indian Penal Code, or — XLV of 1860.

(*c*) has been convicted, either within the cantonment or elsewhere, of any offence punishable under section 156 of the Army Act, or — 44 & 45 Vict., c. 58.

(*d*) has been ordered under Chapter VIII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, either within the cantonment or elsewhere, to execute a bond for his good behaviour, — V of 1898

may record in writing the substance of the information received, and may issue a summons to such person requiring such person to appear and show cause why he should not be required to remove from the cantonment and be prohibited from re-entering it.

(*2*) Every summons issued under sub-section (*1*) shall be accompanied by a copy of the record aforesaid, and the copy shall be served along with the summons on the persons against whom the summons is issued.

(3) The Magistrate shall, when the person so summoned appears before him, proceed to inquire into the truth of the information received and take such further evidence as he thinks fit, and if, upon such inquiry, it appears to him that such person is a person of any kind described in sub-section (1) and that it is necessary for the maintenance of good order in the cantonment that such person should be required to remove therefrom and be prohibited from re-entering the cantonment, the Magistrate shall report the matter to the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, and, if the Commanding Officer of the cantonment so directs, shall cause to be served on such person an order in writing requiring him to remove from the cantonment within such time as may be specified in the order and prohibiting him from re-entering it without the permission in writing of the Commanding Officer of the cantonment.

Removal and exclusion from cantonment of seditious persons.

239. (1) If any person in a cantonment causes or attempts to cause or does any act which he knows is likely to cause disloyalty, disaffection or breaches of discipline amongst any portion of His Majesty's forces or is a person who, if the Commanding Officer of the cantonment has reason to believe, is likely to do any such act, the Commanding Officer of the cantonment may make an order in writing setting forth the reasons for the making of the same and requiring such person to remove from the cantonment within such time as may be specified in the order and prohibiting him from re-entering it without the permission in writing of the Commanding Officer of the cantonment:

Provided that no order shall be made under this section against any person unless he has had a reasonable opportunity of being informed of the grounds on which it is proposed to make the order and of showing cause why the order should not be made.

(2) Every order made under sub-section (1) shall be sent to the Superintendent of Police of the district, who shall cause a copy thereof to be served on the person concerned.

(3) Upon the making of any order under sub-section (1), the Commanding Officer of the cantonment shall forthwith send a copy of the same to the Local Government.

(4) The Local Government may, of its own motion, and shall, on application made to it in this behalf within one month of the date of the order by the person against whom the order has been made, call upon the District Magistrate to make, after such inquiry as the Local Government may prescribe, a report regarding the justice of the order and the necessity therefor. At every such inquiry the person against whom the order has been made shall be given an opportunity of being heard in his own defence.

(5) The Local Government may, at any time after the receipt of a copy of an order sent under sub-section (3) or, where a report has been called for under sub-section (4), on receipt of that report, if it is of opinion that the order should be varied or rescinded, refer the case to the Governor General in Council, who shall pass such orders thereon as he thinks fit.

(6) Any person who has been excluded from a cantonment by an order made under this section may, at any time after the expiry of one month from the date thereof, apply to the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, for the recission of the same and, on such application being made, the said Officer may, after making such inquiry, if any, as he thinks necessary, neither reject the application or rescind the order.

Penalty.

240. Whoever—

(a) fails to comply with an order issued under this Chapter within the period specified therein, or, whilst an order prohibiting him from re-entering a cantonment without permission is in force re-enters the cantonment without such permission, or

(*b*) knowing that any person has, under this Chapter, been required to remove from the cantonment and has not obtained the requisite permission to re-enter it, harbours or conceals such person in the cantonment,

shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, and, in the case of a continuing offence, with an additional fine which may extend to twenty rupees for every day after the first during which he has persisted in the offence.

CHAPTER XV.

POWERS, PROCEDURE, PENALTIES AND APPEALS.

Entry and Inspection.

Powers of entry.

241. It shall be lawful for the President or the Vice-President of a Board, or the Executive Officer, or the Health Officer or Assistant Health Officer, or any person specially authorised by the Health Officer or the Assistant Health Officer, or for any other person authorised by general or special order of a Cantonment Authority in this behalf, to enter into or upon any building or land with or without assistants or workmen in order to make any inquiry, inspection, measurement, valuation or survey, or to execute any work, which is authorised by or under this Act or which it is necessary to make or execute for any of the purposes or in pursuance of any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule, bye-law or order made thereunder:

Provided that nothing in this section shall be deemed to confer upon any person any power such as is referred to in section 207 or section 215 or to authorise the conferment upon any person of any such power.

Powers of inspection by member of a Board.

242. With the previous sanction of the President, any member of a Board may inspect any work or institution constructed or maintained, in whole or part, at the expense of the Board, and any register, book, accounts or other document belonging to, or in the possession of, the Board.

Powers of inspection, etc.

243. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority may, by general or special order, authorise any person—

(*a*) to inspect any drain, privy, latrine, urinal, cesspool, pipe, sewer or channel in or on any building or land in the cantonment, and, in his discretion, to cause the ground to be opened for the purpose of preventing or removing any nuisance arising from the drain, privy, latrine, urinal, cesspool, pipe, sewer or channel, as the case may be;

(*b*) to examine works under construction in the cantonment, to take levels or to remove, test, examine, replace or read any meter.

(*2*) If, on such inspection, the opening of the ground is found to be necessary for the prevention or removal of a nuisance, the expenses thereby incurred shall be paid by the owner or occupier of the land or building, but if it is found that no nuisance exists or but for such opening would have arisen, the ground or portion of any building, drain or other work opened, injured or removed for the purpose of such inspection shall be filled in, reinstated, or made good, as the case may be, by the Cantonment Authority.

Power to enter land adjoining land where work is in progress.

244. (*1*) The Executive Officer of a cantonment may, with or without assistants or workmen, enter on any land within fifty yards of any work authorised by or under this Act for the purpose of depositing thereon any soil, gravel, stone or other materials, or of obtaining access to such work, or for any other purpose connected with the carrying on of the same.

(*2*) The Executive Officer shall, before entering on any land under sub-section (*1*), give the occupier, or, if there is no

occupier, the owner not less than three days' previous notice in writing of his intention to make such entry, and shall state the purpose thereof, and shall, if so required by the occupier or owner, fence off so much of the land as may be required for such purpose.

(3) The Executive Officer shall, in exercising any power conferred by this section, do as little damage as may be, and compensation shall be payable by the Cantonment Authority to the owner or occupier of such land, or to both, for any such damage whether permanent or temporary.

Breaking into premises

245. It shall be lawful for any person, authorised by or under this Act to make any entry into any place, to open or cause to be opened any door, gate or other barrier—

(a) if he considers the opening thereof necessary for the purpose of such entry; and

(b) if the owner or occupier is absent, or being present refuses to open such door, gate or barrier.

Entry to be made in the day time.

246. Save as otherwise expressly provided in this Act, no entry authorised by or under this Act shall be made except between the hours of sunrise and sunset.

Owner's consent ordinarily to be obtained.

247. Save as otherwise expressly provided in this Act, no building or land shall be entered without the consent of the occupier, or if there is no occupier, of the owner thereof, and no such entry shall be made without giving the said occupier or owner, as the case may be, not less than four hours' written notice of the intention to make such entry:

Provided that no such notice shall be necessary if the place to be inspected is a stable for horses or a shed for cattle, or a latrine, privy or urinal, or a work under construction.

Regard to be had to social and religious usages.

248. When any place used as a human dwelling is entered under this Act, due regard shall be paid to the social and religious customs and usages of the occupants of the place entered, and no apartment in the actual occupancy of a female shall be entered or broken open until she has been informed that she is at liberty to withdraw and every reasonable facility has been afforded to her for withdrawing.

Penalty for obstruction

249. Whoever obstructs or molests any person employed by a Cantonment Authority, who is not a public servant within the meaning of section 21 of the Indian Penal Code or any person with whom the Cantonment Authority has lawfully contracted, in the execution of his duty or of anything which he is empowered or required to do by virtue or in consequence of any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule, bye-law or order made thereunder, or in fulfilment of his contract, as the case may be, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees. XLV of 1860.

Powers and Duties of Police Officers.

Arrest without warrant.

250. Any member of the police force employed in a cantonment may, without a warrant, arrest any person committing in his view a breach of any of the provisions of this Act which are specified in Schedule IV:

Provided that—

(a) in the case of the breach of any such provision as is specified in Part B of Schedule IV, no person shall be so arrested who consents to give his name and address, unless there is reasonable ground for doubting the accuracy of the name or address so given, the burden of proof of which shall lie on the arresting officer, and no person so arrested shall be detained after his name and address have been ascertained; and

(*b*) no person shall be so arrested for an offence under section 236 except—

(*i*) at the request of the person importuned or of a military officer in whose persence the offence was committed ; or

(*ii*) by or at the request of a member of the Military or Air Force Police, who is employed in the cantonment and authorised in this behalf by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, and in whose presence the offence was committed or by or at the request of any police officer not below the rank of a sub-inspector who is employed in the cantonment and authorised in this behalf by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment.

Duties of police officers.

251. It shall be the duty of all police officers to give immediate information to the Cantonment Authority of the commission of any offence against the provisions of this Act or of any rule or bye-law made thereunder, and to assist all cantonment officers and servants in the exercise of their lawful authority.

Notices.

Notices to fix reasonable time.

252. Where any notice, order or requisition made under this Act or any rule or bye-law made thereunder requires anything to be done for the doing of which no time is fixed in this Act or in the rule or bye-law, the notice, order or requisition shall specify a reasonable time for doing the same.

Authentication and validity of notices issued by Cantonment Authority.

253. Every notice, order or requisition issued by a Cantonment Authority under this Act or any rule or bye-law made thereunder shall be signed—

(*a*) where there is a Board, either by the President of the Board or by the Executive Officer, or, where there is no Board, by the Executive Officer ; or

(*b*) by the members of any committee especially authorised by the Cantonment Authority in this behalf.

Service of notice, etc.

254. (*1*) Every notice, order or requisition issued under this Act or any rule or bye-law made thereunder shall, save as otherwise expressly provided, be served or presented—

(*a*) by giving or tendering the notice, order or requisition, or sending it by post, to the person for whom it is intended ; or

(*b*) if such person cannot be found, by affixing the notice, order or requisition on some conspicuous part of his last known place of abode or business, if within the cantonment, or by giving or tendering the notice, order or requisition to some adult male member or servant of his family, or by causing it to be affixed on some conspicuous part of the building or land, if any, to which it relates.

(*2*) When any such notice, order or requisition is required or permitted to be served upon an owner, lessee or occupier of any building or land, it shall not be necessary to name the owner, lessee or occupier therein, and the service thereof shall, save as otherwise expressly provided, be effected either—

(*a*) by giving or tendering the notice, order or requisition or sending it by post, to the owner, lessee or occupier, or, if there are more owners, lessees or occupiers than one, on any one of them ; or

(*b*) if no such owner, lessee or occupier can be found, by giving or tendering the notice, order or requisition to the authorised agent, if any, of any such owner, lessee or occupier, or to an adult male member or servant of the family of any such owner, lessee or occupier, or by causing it to be affixed on some conspicuous part of the building or land to which it relates.

(3) When the person on whom a notice, order or requisition is to be served is a minor, service upon his guardian or upon an adult male member or servant of his family shall be deemed to be service upon the minor.

Method of giving notice.

255. Every notice which, by or under this Act, is to be given or served as a public notice or as a notice which is not required to be given to any individual therein specified shall, save as otherwise expressly provided, be deemed to have been sufficiently given or served if a copy thereof is affixed in such conspicuous part of the office of the Cantonment Authority, or in such other public place, during such period, or is published in such local newspaper or in such other manner, as the Cantonment Authority may direct.

Powers of cantonment Authority in case of non-compliance with notice, etc.

256. In the event of non-compliance with the terms of any notice, order or requisition issued to any person under this Act, or any rule or bye-law made thereunder, requiring such person to execute any work or to do any act, it shall be lawful for the Cantonment Authority, whether or not the person in default is liable to punishment for such default or has been prosecuted or sentenced to any punishment therefor, after giving notice in writing to such person, to take such action or such steps as may be necessary for the completion of the act or work required to be done or executed by him, and all the expenses incurred on such account shall be recoverable by the Cantonment Authority.

Recovery of Money.

Liability of occupier to pay in default of owner.

257. (1) If any such notice as is referred to in section 256 has been given to any person in respect of property of which he is the owner, the Cantonment Authority may require any occupier of such property or of any part thereof to pay to it, instead of to the owner, any rent payable by him in respect of such property, as it falls due, up to the amount recoverable from the owner under section 256:

Provided that, if the occupier, on application made to him by the Cantonment Authority, refuses truly to disclose the amount of his rent or the name or address of the person to whom it is payable, the Cantonment Authority may recover from the occupier the whole amount recoverable under section 256.

(2) Any amount recovered from an occupier instead of from an owner under sub-section (1) shall, in the absence of any contract between the owner and the occupier to the contrary, be deemed to have been paid to the owner.

Relief to agents and trustees.

258. (1) Where any person, by reason of his receiving the rent of immoveable property as an agent or trustee, or of his being as an agent or trustee the person who would receive the rent if the property were let to a tenant, would under this Act be bound to discharge any obligation imposed on the owner of the property for the discharge of which money is required, he shall not be bound to discharge the obligation unless he has, or but for his own improper act or default might have had, funds in his hands belonging to the owner sufficient for the purpose.

(2) The burden of proving any fact entitling an agent or trustee to relief under sub-section (1) shall lie upon him.

(3) Where any agent or trustee has claimed and established his right to relief under this section, the Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, require him to apply to the discharge of such obligation as aforesaid the first monies which may come to his hands on behalf, or for the use, of the owner, and, on failure to comply with the notice, he shall be deemed to be personally liable to discharge the obligation.

Method of recovery.

259. All money recoverable by a Cantonment Authority under this Act shall, save as otherwise expressly provided, be recoverable either by suit or, on application to a Magistrate, by

the distress and sale of the moveable property of the person from whom it is recoverable, and, if payable by the owner of any property as such, it shall, until it is paid, be a charge on the property.

Committees of Arbitration.

Application for a Committee of Arbitration.

260. In the event of any disagreement as to the liability of a Cantonment Authority to pay any compensation under this Act, or as to the amount of any compensation so payable, the person claiming such compensation may apply to the Cantonment Authority for the reference of the matter to a Committee of Arbitration, and the Cantonment Authority shall forthwith proceed to convene a Committee of Arbitration to determine the matter in dispute.

Procedure for convening Committee of Arbitration.

261. When a Committee of Arbitration is to be convened, the Cantonment Authority shall cause a public notice to be published stating the matter to be determined, and shall forthwith send copies of the order to the District Magistrate, and to the other party concerned, and shall, as soon as may be, nominate such members of the Committee as it is entitled to nominate under section 262, and, by notice in writing, call upon the other persons who are entitled to nominate a member or members of the Committee to nominate such member or members in accordance with the provisions of that section.

Constitution of Committee of Arbitration.

262. (*1*) Every Committee of Arbitration shall consist of five members, namely :—

(*a*) a Chairman who shall be a person not in the service of the Government or the Cantonment Authority, and who shall be nominated by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment ;

(*b*) two persons nominated by the Cantonment Authority ; and

(*c*) two persons nominated by the other party concerned, who shall be persons liable to pay taxes in the cantonment and ordinarily resident therein or in the immediate vicinity thereof.

(*2*) If the Cantonment Authority or the other party concerned or the Commanding Officer of the cantonment fails within seven days of the date of issue of the notice referred to in section 261 to make any nomination which it or he is entitled to make or, if any member who has been so nominated neglects or refuses to act and the Cantonment Authority or other person by whom such member was nominated fails to nominate another member in his place within seven days from the date on which it or he may be called upon to do so by the District Magistrate, the District Magistrate shall forthwith appoint a member or members, as the case may be, to fill the vacancy or vacancies.

No person to be nominated who has direct interest or whose services are not immediately available.

263. (*1*) No person who has a direct interest in the matter under reference, or whose services are not immediately available for the purposes of the Committee, shall be nominated a member of a Committee of Arbitation.

(*2*) If, in the opinion of the District Magistrate, any person who has been nominated has a direct interest in the matter under reference, or is otherwise disqualified for nomination, or if the services of any such person are not immediately available as aforesaid, and if the Cantonment Authority or other person by whom any such person was nominated fails to nominate another member within seven days from the date on which it or he may be called upon to do so by the District Magistrate, such failure shall be deemed to constitute a failure to make a nomination within the meaning of section 262.

Meetings and powers of Committees of Arbitration.

264. (*1*) When a Committee of Arbitration has been duly constituted, the Cantonment Authority shall, by notice in writing, inform each of the members of the fact, and the Committee shall meet as soon as may be thereafter.

(*2*) The Chairman of the Committee shall fix the time and place of meetings, and shall have power to adjourn any meeting from time to time as may be necessary.

(*3*) The Committee shall receive and record evidence, and shall have power to administer oaths to witnesses, and, on requisition in writing signed by the Chairman of the Committee, the District Magistrate shall issue the necessary processes for the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents required by the Committee, and may enforce the said processes as if they were processes for attendance or production before himself.

Decisions of Committees of Arbitration.

265. (*1*) The decision of every Committee of Arbitration shall be in accordance with the majority of votes taken at a meeting at which the Chairman and at leas' three of the other members are present.

(*2*) If there is not a majority of votes in favour of any proposed decision, the opinion of the Chairman shall prevail.

(*3*) The decision of a Committee of Arbitration shall be final and shall not be questioned in any Court.

Prosecutions.

Prosecutions.

266. Save as otherwise expressly provided in this Act, no Court shall proceed to the trial of any offence made punishable by or under this Act, other than an offence specified in Schedule IV, except on the complaint of, or upon information received from, the Cantonment Authority concerned or a person authorised by the Cantonment Authority by a general or special order in this behalf.

Composition of offences.

267. (*1*) A Cantonment Authority, or any person authorised by it, by general or special order in this behalf, may, either before or after the institution of the proceedings, compound any offence made punishable by or under this Act other than an offence under Chapter XIV :

Provided that no offence shall be compoundable which is committed by failure to comply with a notice, order or requisition issued by or on behalf of the Cantonment Authority, unless and until the same has been complied with in so far as compliance is poossible.

(*2*) Where an offence has been compounded, the offender, if in custody, shall be discharged and no further proceedings shall be taken against him in respect of the offence so compounded.

General Penalty Provisions.

General penalty.

268. Whoever, in any case in which a penalty is not expressly provided by this Act, fails to comply with any notice, order or requisition issued under any provision thereof, or otherwise contravenes any of the provisions of this Act, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, and, in the case of a continuing failure or contravention, with an additional fine which may extend to twenty rupees for every day after the first during which he has peristed in the failure or contravention.

Cancellation and suspension of licences.

269. Where any person to whom a licence has been granted under this Act or any agent or servant of such person commits a breach of any of the conditions thereof or of any bye-law made under this Act for the purpose of regulating the manner or circumstances in, or the conditions subject to, which anything permitted by such licence is to be or may be done, the Cantonment Authority may, without prejudice to any other penalty which may have been incurred under this Act, by order in writing, cancel the licence or suspend it for such period as it thinks fit :

Provided that no such order shall be made until an opportunity has been given to the holder of the licence to show cause why it should not be made.

Recovery of amount payable in respect of damage to cantonment property.

270. Where any person has incurred a penalty by reason of having caused any damage to the property of a Cantonment Authority, he shall be liable to make good such damage, and the amount payable in respect of the damage shall, in case of dispute, be determined by the Magistrate by whom the person incurring such penalty is convicted, and, on non-payment of such amount on demand, the same shall be recovered by distress and sale of the moveable property of such persons, and the Magistrate shall issue a warrant for its recovery accordingly.

Limitation.

Limitation for prosecution.

271. No Court shall try any person for an offence made punishable by or under this Act, after the expiry of six months from the date of the commission of the offence, unless complaint in respect of the offence has been made to a Magistrate within the six months aforesaid.

Suits.

Protection of Cantonment Authority, Executive Officer etc.

272. No suit or prosecution shall be entertained in any Court against any Cantonment Authority or authority appointed under sub-section (*2*) of section 10, or against any Commanding Officer of a cantonment, or against any member of a Board, or against any officer or servant of a Cantonment Authority, for anything in good faith done, or intended to be done, under this Act or any rule or bye-law made thereunder.

Notice to be given of suits

273. (*1*) No suit shall be instituted against any Cantonment Authority or against any member of a Board, or against any officer or servant of a Cantonment Authority in respect of any act done, or purporting to have been done, in pursuance of this Act or of any rule or bye-law made thereunder, until the expiration of two months after notice in writing has been left at the office of the Cantonment Authority, and, in the case of such member, officer or servant, unless notice in writing has also been delivered to him or left at his office or place of abode, and unless such notice states explicitly the cause of action, the nature of the relief sought, the amount of compensation claimed, and the name and place of abode of the intending plaintiff, and unless the plaint contains a statement that such notice has been so delivered or left.

(*2*) If the Cantonment Authority, member, officer or servant has, before the suit is instituted, tendered sufficient amends to the plaintiff, the plaintiff shall not recover any sum in excess of the amount so tendered, and shall also pay all costs incurred by the defendant after such tender.

(*3*) No suit, such as is described in sub-section (*1*), shall, unless it is an action for the recovery of immoveable property or for a declaration of title thereto, be instituted after the expiry of six months from the date on which the cause of action arises.

(*4*) Nothing in sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to apply to a suit in which the only relief claimed is an injunction of which the object would be defeated by the giving of the notice or the postponement of the institution of the suit or proceeding.

Appeals and Revision.

Appeals from executive orders.

274. (*1*) Any person aggrieved by any order described in the second column of Schedule V may appeal to the authority specified in that behalf in the third column thereof.

(*2*) No such appeal shall be admitted if it is made after the expiry of the period specified in that behalf in the fourth column of the said Schedule.

(*3*) The period specified as aforesaid shall be computed in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Limitation Act, 1908, with respect to the computation of periods of limitation thereunder. I of 1908.

Petition of appeal.

275. (*1*) Every appeal under section 274 shall be made by petition in writing accompanied by a copy of the order appealed against.

(*2*) Any such petition may be presented to the authority which made the order against which the appeal is made, and that authority shall be bound to forward it to the appellate authority, and may attach thereto any report which it may desire to make by way of explanation.

Suspension of action pending appeal.

276. On the admission of an appeal from an order, other than an order contained in a notice issued under clause (*a*) of section 137, section 140, section 176, or section 238, all proceedings to enforce the order and all prosecutions for any contravention thereof shall be held in abeyance pending the decision of the appeal, and, if the order is set aside on appeal, disobedience thereto shall not be deemed to be an offence.

Revision.

277. (*1*) Where an appeal from an order dismissing a servant of the Cantonment Authority whose salary is not less than one hundred rupees per mensem has been disposed of by the Officer Commanding the District, the servant so dismissed may, within thirty days from the date thereof, apply for revision of the decision to the Officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command, whose decision thereon shall be final.

(*2*) Where an appeal from an order made by the Cantonment Authority has been disposed of by the District Magistrate, the Cantonment Authority may, within thirty days from the date thereof, apply, through the Officer Commanding the District, to the Local Government or to such authority as the Local Government may appoint in this behalf for a revision of the decision.

(*3*) The provisions of this Chapter with respect to appeals shall apply, as far as may be, to applications for revision made under this section.

Finality of appellate orders.

278. Save as otherwise provided in section 277, every order of an appellate authority shall be final.

Right of appellant to be heard.

279. No appeal shall be decided under this Chapter unless the appellant has been heard, or has had a reasonable opportunity of being heard in person or through a legal practitioner

CHAPTER XVI.

RULES AND BYE-LAWS.

Power to make rules.

280. (*1*) The Governor General in Council may, after previous publication, make rules to carry out the purposes and objects of this Act.

(*2*) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for all or any of the following matters, namely :—

(*a*) the manner in which, and the authority to which, application for permission to occupy land belonging to Government in a cantonment is to be made ;

(*b*) the authority by which such permission may be granted and the conditions to be annexed to the grant of any such permission ;

(*c*) the appointment, control, supervision, suspension, removal, dismissal and punishment of servants of Cantonment Authorities ;

(*d*) the circumstances in which security shall be demanded from servants of Cantonment Authorities and the amount and nature of such security ;

(*e*) the grant of leave, absentee or acting allowance to servants of Cantonment Authorities ;

(*f*) the creation and management of Provident Funds, and the circumstances in which, and the conditions subject to which, contributions thereto shall be made from cantonment funds and by servants of Cantonment Authorities;

(*g*) the keeping of accounts by Cantonment Authorities and the manner in which such accounts shall be audited and published;

(*h*) the definition of the persons by whom, and the manner in which, money may be paid out of a cantonment fund;

(*i*) the preparation of estimates of income and expenditure by Cantonment Authorities and the difinition of the persons by whom, and the conditions subject to which, such estimates may be sanctioned;

(*j*) the regulation of the procedure of Committees of Arbitration; and

(*k*) the prescribing of registers, statements and forms to be used and maintained by any authority for the purposes of this Act.

Supplemental provisions respecting rules.

281. (*1*) A rule under section 280 may be made either generally for all cantonments or for the whole or any part of any one or more cantonments.

(*2*) All rules so made shall be published in the *Gazette of India* and in such other manner, if any, as the Governor General in Council may direct and, on such publication, shall have effect as if enacted in this Act.

Power to make bye-laws.

282. Subject to the provisions of this Act and of the rules made thereunder, a Cantonment Authority may, in addition to any bye-laws which it is empowered to make by any other provision of this Act, make bye-laws to provide for all or any of the following matters in the cantonment, namely:—

(*1*) the registration of births, deaths and marriages, and the taking of a census;

(*2*) the enforcement of compulsory vaccination;

(*3*) the regulation of the collection and recovery of taxes, tolls and fees under this Act and the refund of taxes;

(*4*) the regulation or prohibition of any description of traffic in the streets;

(*5*) the manner in which vehicles standing, driven, led or propelled in the streets between sunset and sunrise shall be lighted;

(*6*) the seizure and confiscation of ownerless animals straying within the limits of the cantonment;

(*7*) the prevention and extinction of fire;

(*8*) the construction of scaffolding for building operations to secure the safety of the general public and of persons working thereon;

(*9*) the regulation in any manner not specifically provided for in this Act of the construction, alteration, maintenance, preservation, cleaning and repairs of drains, ventilation-shafts, pipes, water-closets, privies, latrines, urinals, cesspools and other drainage works;

(*10*) the regulation or prohibition of the discharge into, or deposit in, drains of sewage, polluted water and other offensive or obstructive matter;

(*11*) the regulation or prohibition of the stabling or herding of animals, or of any class of animals, so as to prevent danger to public health;

(*12*) the proper disposal of corpses, the regulation and management of burial and burning places and other places for the disposal of corpses, and the fees chargable for the use of such places where the same are provided or maintained by Government or at the expense of the cantonment fund;

(*13*) the permission, regulation or prohibition of the use or occupation of any street or place by itinerant vendors or by any person for the sale of articles or the exercise of any calling or the setting up of any booth or stall, and the fees chargeable for such use or occupation ;

(*14*) the regulation and control of encamping grounds, pounds, washing-places, serais, hotels, dak-bungalows, lodging-houses, boarding-houses, buildings let in tenements, residential clubs, restaurants, eating-houses, cafes, refreshment-rooms and places of public recreation, entertainment or resort ;

(*15*) the regulation of the ventilation, lighting, cleansing, drainage and water-supply of the buildings used for the manufacture or sale of aerated or other potable waters and of butter, milk, sweet-meats and other articles of food or drink for human consumption ;

(*16*) the matters regarding which conditions may be imposed by licences granted under section 210 ;

(*17*) the control and supervision of places where dangerous or offensive trades are carried on so as to secure cleanliness therein or to minimise any injurious, offensive or dangerous effects arising or likely to arise therefrom ;

(*18*) the regulation of the erection of any enclosure, fence, tent, awning or other temporary structure of whatsoever material or nature on any land situated within the cantonment ;

(*19*) the laying out of streets, and the regulation and prohibition of the erection of buildings without adequate provision being made for the laying out and location of streets ;

(*20*) the regulation of the use of public parks and gardens and other public places, and the protection of avenues, trees, grass and other appurtenances of streets and other public places ;

(*21*) the regulation of the grazing of animals ;

(*22*) the fixing and regulation of the use of public bathing and washing places ;

(*23*) the regulation of the posting of bills and advertisements, and of the position, size, shape or style of name-boards, sign-boards and sign-posts ;

(*24*) the fixation of a method for the sale of articles whether by measure, weight, piece or any other method ;

(*25*) the rendering necessary of licences within the cantonment—

(*a*) for person working as job porters for the conveyance of goods ;

(*b*) for animals or vehicles let out on hire ;

(*c*) for the proprietors or drivers of vehicles, boats or other conveyances, or of animals, kept or plying for hire ; or

(*d*) for persons impelling or carrying such vehicles or other conveyances ;

(*26*) the prescribing of the fee payable for any licence required under clause (*25*), and of the conditions subject to which such licences may be granted, revised, suspended or withdrawn ;

(*27*) the regulation of the charges to be made for the services of such job porters and of the hire of such animals, vehicles or other conveyances, and for the remuneration of persons impelling or carrying such vehicles or conveyances as are referred to in clause (*25*) ;

(*28*) the regulation or prohibition, for purposes of sanitation or the prevention of disease or the promotion of public safety or convenience, of any act which occasions or is likely to occasion a nuisance, and for the regulation or prohibition of which no provision is made elsewhere by or under this Act ;

(29) the circumstances and the manner in which owners of buildings or land in the cantonment, who are temporarily absent from, or are not resident in, the cantonment, may be required to appoint as their agents, for all or any of the purposes of this Act or of any rule or bye-law made thereunder, persons residing within or near the cantonment;

(30) the prevention of the spread of infectious or contagious diseases within the cantonment;

(31) the segregation in, or the removal and exclusion from, the cantonment, or the destruction, of animals suffering or reasonably suspected to be suffering from any infectious or contagious disease;

(32) the supervision, regulation, conservation and protection from injury, contamination or trespass of sources and means of public water-supply and of appliances for the distribution of water whether within or without the limits of the cantonment;

(33) the manner in which connections with water-works may be constructed or maintained, and the agency which shall or may be employed for such construction and maintenance;

(34) the regulation of all matters and things relating to the supply and use of water including the collection and recovery of charges therefor and the prevention of evasion of the same;

(35) the maintenance of schools, and the furtherance of education generally;

(36) the regulation or prohibition of the cutting or destruction of trees or shrubs, or of the making of excavations, or of the removal of soil or quarrying, where such regulation or prohibition appears to the Cantonment Authority to be necessary for the maintenance of a water-supply, the preservation of the soil, the prevention of the landslips or of the formation of ravines or torrents, or the protection of land against erosion, or against the deposit thereon of sand, gravel or stones;

(37) the rendering necessary of licences for the use of premises within the cantonment as stables or cow-houses or as accommodation for sheep, goats or fowls;

(38) the control of the use in the cantonment of mechanical whistles, syrens or trumpets; and

(39) generally for the regulation of the administration of the cantonment under this Act.

Penalty for breach of bye-laws.

283. Any bye-law made by a Cantonment Authority under this Act may provide that a contravention thereof shall be punishable—

(a) with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees; or

(b) with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees and, in the case of a continuing contravention, with an additional fine which may extend to twenty rupees for every day during which such contravention continues after conviction for the first such contravention, or

(c) with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the contravention continues after the receipt of a notice from the Cantonment Authority by the person contravening the bye-law requiring such person to discontinue such contravention.

Supplemental provisions regarding bye-laws.

284. (1) Any power to make bye-laws conferred by this Act is conferred subject to the condition of the bye-laws being made after previous publication and of their not taking effect until they have been approved and confirmed by the Local Government and published in the local official Gazette.

(2) The Local Government in confirming a bye-law may make any change therein which appears to it to be necessary.

(3) The Local Government may, after previous publication of its intention, cancel any bye-law which it has confirmed, and thereupon the bye-law shall cease to have effect.

Rules and bye-laws to be available for inspection and purchase.

285. (1) A copy of all rules and bye-laws made under this Act shall be kept at the office of the Cantonment Authority and shall, during office hours, be open free of charge to inspection by any inhabitant of the cantonment.

(2) Copies of all such rules and bye-laws shall be kept at the office of the Cantonment Authority for sale to the public.

CHAPTER XVII.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS.

Extension of certain provisions of the Act and rules to places beyond cantonments.

286. The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, and subject to any conditions as to compensation or otherwise which it thinks fit to impose, extend to any area beyond a cantonment and in the vicinity thereof, with or without restriction or modification, any of the provisions of Chapters IX, X, XI, XII, XIII, XIV and XV or of any rule or bye-law made under this Act for the cantonment which relates to the subject-matter of any of those Chapters, and every enactment, rule or bye-law so extended shall thereupon apply to that area as if the area were included in the cantonment.

Registration.

287. (1) Pragraphs 2 and 3 of section 54, and sections 59, 107 and 123 of the Transfer of Property Act, 1882, with respect to the transfer of property by registered instrument, shall, on and from the commencement of this Act, extend to every cantonment. IV of 1882.

(2) Where a cantonment has not been constituted a sub-district or district for the purpose of the Indian Registration Act, 1908, under section 9 of that Act, the Registrar of the district in which the cantonment is situated shall cause a copy of such entries in Indexes Nos. I and II as relate to immoveable property within the cantonment to be forwarded to the Cantonment Authority annually or at such shorter intervals as the Local Government may prescribe. XVI of 1908.

Validity of notices and other documents.

288. No notice, order, requisition, licence, permission in writing or other such document issued under this Act shall be invalid merely by reason of any defect of form.

Admissibility of document or entry as evidence.

289. A copy of any receipt, application, plan, notice, order or other document or of any entry in a register, in the possession of a Cantonment Authority shall, if duly certified by the legal keeper thereof or other person authorised by the Cantonment Authority in this behalf, be admissible in evidence of the existence of the document or entry, and shall be admitted as evidence of the matters and transactions therein recorded in every case where, and to the same extent to which, the original document or entry would, if produced, have been admissible to prove such matters.

Evidence by officer or servant of the Cantonment Authority.

290. No officer or servant of a Cantonment Authority shall, in any legal proceeding to which the Cantonment Authority is not a party, be required to produce any register or document the contents of which can be proved under section 289 by a certified copy, or to appear as a witness to prove any matter or transaction recorded therein save by order of the Court made for special cause.

Application of Act IV of 1899.

291. For the purposes of the Government Buildings Act, 1899, cantonments and Cantonment Authorities shall be deemed to be municipalities and municipal authorities respectively. IV of 1899

Repeals.

292. The enactments mentioned in Schedule VI are repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof:

Provided that licences and permits given under the Cantonments Act, 1910, and in force at the commencement of this Act, shall be deemed to have been given under this Act. XV of 1910.

SHEDULE I.

NOTICE OF DEMAND.

(*See* section 91.)

To

residing at

Take notice that the Cantonment Authority demands from the sum of due from on account of (here describe the property, occupation, circumstance or thing in respect of which the sum is payable) leviable under for the period of com-mencing on the day of 19 , and ending on the day of 19 , and that if, within thirty days from the service of this notice, the said sum is not paid to the Cantonment Authority at , or sufficient cause for non-payment is not shown to the satisfaction of the Executive Officer, a warrant of distress will be issued for the recovery of the same with costs.

Dated this day of 19

(Signed.)

Executive Officer,
Cantonment.

SCHEDULE II.

FORM OF WARRANT.

(*See* section 92.)

(Here insert the name of the officer charged with the execution of the warrant.)

Whereas A. B. of has not paid, and has not shown satisfactory cause for the non-payment of, the sum of due on account of for the period of commencing on the day of 19 , and ending with the day of 19 , which sum is leviable under ;

* (Here describe the liability.)

And whereas thirty days have elapsed since the service on him of notice of demand for the same ;

This is to command you to distrain, subject to the provisions of the Cantonments Act, 192 , the moveable property of the said A. B. to the amount of the said sum of Rs. ; and forthwith to certify to me, together with this warrant, all particulars of the property seized by you thereunder.

Dated this day of 19 .

(Signed)

Executive Officer,
Cantonment.

SCHEDULE III.

FORM OF INVENTORY OF PROPERTY DISTRAINED AND NOTICE OF SALE.

(*See* section 93.)

To

residing at

Take notice that I have this day seized the property specified in the inventory annexed hereto, for the value of due for the liability * mentioned in the margin for the period commencing with the day of 19 , and ending with the day of 19 , together with Rs. due for service of notice of demand, and that, unless within seven days from the date of the service of this notice you pay to the Cantonment Authority the said amount, together with the costs of recovery, the said property will be sold by public auction.

* (Here describe the liability.)

Dated this day of 19 .

(*Signature of officer executing the warrant.*)

INVENTORY.

(Here state particulars of property seized.)

SCHEDULE IV.

CASES IN WHICH POLICE MAY ARREST WITHOUT WARRANT.

(*See* section 250.)

1	2
Section.	Subject.
PART A.	
118 (*1*) (*a*) (*i*) ...	Drunkenness, etc.
167 ...	Making or selling of food, etc., or washing of clothes, by infected person.
PART B.	
118 (*1*) (*a*) (*ii*) ...	Using threatening or abusive words, etc.
118 (*1*) (*a*) (*iii*) ...	Indecent exposure of person, etc.
118 (*1*) (*a*) (*iv*) ...	Begging
118 (*1*) (*a*) (*v*) ...	Exposing deformity, etc.
118 (*1*) (*a*) (*vii*) ...	Gaming.
118 (*1*) (*a*) (*xii*) ...	Destroying notice, etc.
118 (*1*) (*a*) (*xiii*) ...	Breaking direction-post, etc.
118 (*1*) (*f*) ...	Keeping common gaming-house, etc.
118 (*1*) (*g*) ...	Beating drum, etc.
118 (*1*) (*h*) ...	Singing, etc., so as to disturb public peace or order.

SCHEDULE IV—*concld.*

1	2
Section.	Subject.
	PART B—*concld*
119 (*b*) ...	Letting loose, or setting on, ferocious dog.
125 ...	Discharging fire-arms, etc., so as to cause danger.
176 (*1*) ...	Remaining in, or re-entering, cantonment after notice of expulsion for failure to attend hospital or dispensary.
193 (*2*) ...	Destroying, etc., name of street or number affixed to building.
214 ...	Feeding animal on filth, etc.
236 ...	Loitering or importuning for sexual immorality.
240 (*a*) ...	Remaining in, or returning to, a cantonment after notice of expulsion.

SCHEDULE V.

APPEALS FROM ORDERS.

(*See* section 274.)

1	2	3	4
Section.	Executive Order.	Appellate Authority.	Time allowed for appeal.
126	Cantonment Authority's notice to repair, protect or enclose a building, wall or anything affixed thereto, or well, tank, reservoir, pool, depression or excavation.	Officer Commanding the District.	Thirty days from service of notice.
134	Cantonment Authority's notice to fill up well, tank, etc., or to drain off or remove water	Officer Commanding the District.	Thirty days from service of notice.
137	Cantonment Authority's notice to porvide sufficient drainage, etc	Officer Commanding the District.	Fifteen days from service of notice.
140	Cantonment Authority's notice requiring a building to be repaired or altered so as to remove sanitary defects.	Officer Commanding the District.	Thirty days from service of notice.
176	Order of Commanding Officer of cantonment, on report of Medical Officer, directing a person to remove from the cantonment and prohibiting him from re-entering it without permission.	Officer Commanding the District.	Thirty days from service of notice.
181	Cantonment Authority's refusal to sanction the erection or re-erection of a building	Officer Commanding the District	Thirty days from date of refusal.
185	Cantonment Authority's notice to alter or demolish a building.	Officer Commanding the District.	Thirty days from service of notice.

SCHEDULE V—*concld.*

1	2	3	4
Section.	Executive Order.	Appellate Authority.	Time allowed for appeal.
188	Cantonment Authority's notice to pull down or otherwise deal with a building newly erected or rebuilt without permission over a sewer, drain, culvert, watercourse or water-pipe.	Officer Commanding the District.	Thirty days from service of notice
206	Cantonment Authority's notice prohibiting or restricting the use of a slaughter-house.	Officer Commanding the District.	Twenty-one days from service of notice.
238	Magistrate's notice directing disorderly person to remove from cantonment and prohibiting him from re-entering it without permission.	District Magistrate.	Thirty days from service of notice.

SCHEDULE VI.

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

(*See* section 292.)

Year.	No.	Short title.	Extent of repeal.
1910	XV	The Cantonments Act, 1910.	So much as has not been repealed.
1914	X	The Repealing and Amending Act, 1914.	So much of the First and Second Schedules as relates to the Cantonments Act, 1910.
1919	XVIII	The Repealing and Amending Act, 1919.	So much of the First Schedule as relates to the Cantonments Act, 1910.
1919	XXII	The Cantonments (Amendments) Act, 1919.	The whole.

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PART VI.

Bills introduced in the Council of State and Legislative Assembly, Reports of Select Committees presented to the Council and Assembly and Bills published under Rule 18 of the Indian Legislative Rules.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of State on the 30th January 1924 :—

No. 1 OF 1924.

A Bill to consolidate the law relating to Criminal Tribes.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate the law relating to criminal tribes ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Preliminary.

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Criminal Tribes Act, 192 . Sec 1, Act III of 1911

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India.

Definitions

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,— Sec 2, Act III of 1911

(1) " district " includes a Presidency-town and the town of Rangoon ; Sec. 2, Act I of 1923

(2) " District Magistrate " means, in the case of a Presidency-town or the town of Rangoon, the Commissioner of Police ;

(3) " prescribed " means prescribed by rules made under this Act ; and

(4) " Superintendent of Police " means, in the case of a Presidency-town or the town of Rangoon, any officer appointed by the Local Government to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police under this Act. Sec 2, Act I of 1923

Notification of Criminal Tribes.

Power to declare any tribe, gang or class a criminal tribe.

3. If the Local Government has reason to believe that any tribe, gang or class of persons, or any part of a tribe, gang or class, is addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences, it may, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare that such tribe, gang or class, or, as the case may be, that such part of the tribe, gang or class, is a criminal tribe for the purposes of this Act. Sec. 2 (1) and (3) and sec. 3, Act III of 1911.

Registration of Members of Criminal Tribes.

Registration of members of Criminal tribes.

4. The Local Government may direct District Magistrate to make or to cause to be made a register of the members of any criminal tribe, or part of a criminal tribe, within his district. Sec. 4, Act III of 1911. Secs. 3 & 12, Act I of 1923.

Procedure in making register.

5. Upon receiving such direction, the District Magistrate shall publish notice in the prescribed manner at the place where the register is to be made and at such other places as he may think fit, calling upon all the members of the criminal tribe or part, as the case may be,— Sec. 5, Act III of 1911. Secs. 4 & 12, Act I of 1923

(*a*) to appear at a time and place therein specified before a person appointed by him in this behalf ;

(*b*) to give to that person such information as may be necessary to enable him to make the register, and

(*c*) to allow their finger-impressions to be recorded :

Provided that the District Magistrate may exempt any member from registration and may cancel any such exemption.

Charge of register.

6. The register, when made, shall be placed in the keeping of the Superintendent of Police, who shall, from time to time, report to the District Magistrate any alterations which ought, in his opinion, to be made therein, either by way of addition or erasure. Sec. 6, Act III of 1911.

Alterations in register.

7. (*1*) After the register has been placed in the keeping of the Superintendent of Police, no person's name shall be added to the register, and no registration shall be cancelled, except by, or under an order in writing of, the District Magistrate. Sec. 7, Act III of 1911.

(*2*) Before the name of any person is added to the register under this section, the Magistrate shall give notice in the prescribed manner to the person concerned—

(*a*) to appear before him or an authority appointed by him in this behalf at a time and place therein specified ;

(*b*) to give to him or such authority such information as may be necessary to enable the entry to be made ; and

(*c*) to allow his finger-impressions to be recorded.

Complaints of entries in register.

8. Any person deeming himself aggrieved by any entry made, or proposed to be made, in such register, either when the register is first made or subsequently, may complain to the District Magistrate against such entry, and the Magistrate shall retain such person's name on the register, or enter it therein or erase it therefrom, as he may think fit. Sec 8, Act III of 1911.

Power to take finger-impressions at any time.

9. The District Magistrate or any officer empowered by him in this behalf may at any time order the finger-impressions of any registered member of a criminal tribe to be taken. Sec. 9, Act III of 1911.

Members of criminal tribes to report themselves or notify residence

10. The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, issue in respect of any criminal tribe either or both of the following directions, namely, that every registered member thereof shall, in the prescribed manner, Sec. 10, Act III of 1911. Schedule I of Act XI, 1915.

(*a*) report himself at fixed intervals ;

(*b*) notify his place of residence and any change or intended change of residence, and any absence or intended absence from his residence.

Restriction of Movements of Criminal Tribes.

Power to restrict movements of, or settle criminal tribes.

11. (*1*) If the Local Government considers that it is expedient that any criminal tribe, or any part or member of a criminal tribe, should be— Sec. 2 and Schedule I, Act XXXVII of 1920.

(*a*) restricted in its or his movements to any specified area, or Sec. 12, Act I of 1923.

(*b*) settled in any place of residence, the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare that such criminal tribe, part or member, as the case may be, shall be restricted in its or his movements to the area specified in the notification or shall be settled in the place of residence so specified, as the case may be.

(*c*) Before making any such declaration, the Local Government shall consider the following matters, namely :—

(*i*) the nature and the circumstances of the offences in which the members of the criminal tribe or part or the individual member, as the case may be, are or is believed to have been concerned ;

(*ii*) whether the criminal tribe, part or member follows any lawful occupation, and whether such occupation is a real occupation or merely a pretence for the purpose of facilitating the commission of crimes ;

(*iii*) the suitability of the restriction area, or of the place of residence, as the case may be, which it is proposed to specify in the notification ; and

(*iv*) the manner in which it is proposed that the persons to be restricted or settled shall earn their living within the restriction area or in the place of residence, and the adequacy of the arrangements which are proposed therefor.

Power to vary specified area or place of residence.

12. The Local Government may by a like notification vary the terms of any notification issued by it under section 11 for the purpose of specifying another restriction area or another place of residence, as the case may be, and any officer empowered in this behalf by the Local Government may, by order in writing, vary any notification made under section 11 or under this section for the purpose of specifying another restriction area, or, as the case may be, another place of residence, in the same district. Sec 13, Act III of 1911. Secs. 5 & 12, Act I of 1923.

Power of Local Government to restrict or settle criminal tribe in another province

13. Any notification made by the Local Government under section 11 or section 12 may specify, as the restriction area or as the place of residence, an area or place situated in any other province, provided that the consent of the Local Government of that province shall first have been obtained. Secs. 6 & 12, Act I of 1923.

Verification of presence of members of tribe within prescribed area or place of residence.

14. Every registered member of a criminal tribe, whose movements have been restricted or who has been settled in a place of residence in pursuance of any notification under section 11 or section 12, shall attend at such place and at such time and before such person as may be prescribed in this behalf. Sec. 14, Act III of 1911.

Application of Act when criminal tribe is transferred from one province or district to another.

15. (*1*) Where, in pursuance of any such notification, any member of a criminal tribe is restricted in his movements to an area, or is settled in a place of residence, situated in a province other than that by the Local Government of which the notification under section 3 relating to the criminal tribe was issued, all the provisions of this Act and the rules made thereunder shall apply to him as if the notification under section 3 had been issued by the Local Government of such other province. Secs. 7 & 12, Act I of 1923.

(*2*) If any criminal tribe, or any part of a criminal tribe, which has been registered under section 4 in any district, or any member of such tribe or part, is restricted in its or his movements to an area, or is settled in a place of residence, situated in another district (whether in the same province or not), the register or, as the case may be, the relevant entries or entry therein shall be transferred to the Superintendent of Police of the last mentioned district, and all the provisions of this Act and the rules made thereunder shall apply as if the criminal tribe or part had been registered in that district, and the District Magistrate of that district shall have power to cancel any exemption granted under section 5.

Settlements and Schools.

Power to place tribe in settlement.

16. The Local Government may establish industrial, agricultural or reformatory settlements and may order to be placed in any such settlement any criminal tribe, or any part or member of a criminal tribe, in respect of which or of whom a notification has been issued under section 11: Sec. 16, Act III of 1911.

Provided that no such order shall be made, unless the necessity for making it has been established to the satisfaction of the Local Government, after an inquiry held by such authority and in such manner as may be prescribed. Secs. 8 & 12, Act I of 1923.

Power to place children in schools and to apprentice them.

17. (*1*) The Local Government may establish industrial, agricultural or reformatory schools for children, and may order to be separated and removed from their parents or guardians and to be placed in any such school or schools the children of members of any criminal tribe, or part of a criminal tribe, in respect of which a notification has been issued under section 11. Sec. 17, Act III of 1911. Sec. 12, Act I of 1923.

(*2*) For every school established under sub-section (*1*), a Superintendent shall be appointed by the Local Government.

(*3*) The provisions of sections 18 to 22 of the Reformatory Schools Act, 1897, shall, so far as may be, apply in the case of every school for children established under this section as if the Superintendent of such school were a Superintendent and the children placed in such school were youthful offenders within the meaning of that Act. VII of 1897.

(*4*) For the purposes of this section the term "children" includes all persons under the age of eighteen and above the age of six years.

(*5*) The decision of the District Magistrate as to the age of any person for the purposes of this section shall be final.

Power to discharge or transfer persons from settlement or school.

18. The Local Government or any officer authorised by it in this behalf may at any time, by general or special order, direct any person who may be in any industrial, agricultural or reformatory settlement or school in the province— Sec. 18, Act III of 1911. Sec. 9, Act I of 1923

(*a*) to be discharged, or

(*b*) to be transferred to some other settlement or school in the province.

Power to direct use of any settlement or school in British India for reception of persons.

19. Any order made under section 16, section 17 or section 18 may specify as the settlement or school in which any person is to be placed or to which he is to be transferred, as the case may be, any industrial, agricultural or reformatory settlement or school in any other province, provided that the consent of the Local Government of that province shall first have been obtained. Sec. 19, Act III of 1911. Schedule I, Act XXXVIII of 1920.

Rules.

Power to make rules.

20. (*1*) The Local Government may make rules to carry out the purposes and objects of this Act. Sec. 20, Act III of 1911.

(*2*) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for or regulate—

(*a*) the form and contents of the register referred to in section 4 ;

(*b*) the manner in which the notice referred to in section 5 shall be published and the means by which the persons whom it concerns, and the village headmen, village watchmen and landowners and occupiers of the village in which such persons reside, and the agents of such landowners or occupiers, shall be informed of its publication ;

(*c*) the addition of names to the register and the erasure of names therein, and the mode in which the notice referred to in sub-section (*2*) of section 7 shall be given ;

(*d*) the manner in which persons mentioned in section 10 shall report themselves, or notify their residence or any change or intended change of residence, or any absence or intended absence ;

(*e*) the nature of the restrictions to be observed by persons whose movements have been restricted by notifications under section 11 or section 12 ;

(*f*) the circumstances in which members of a criminal tribe shall be required to possess and produce for inspection certificates of identity, and the manner in which such certificates shall be granted ; Sec. 10, Act I of 1923.

(*g*) the conditions as to holding passes under which persons may be permitted to leave the place in which they are settled or confined, or the area to which their movements are restricted ;

(*h*) the conditions to be inserted in any such pass in regard to—

(*i*) the places where the holder of the pass may go or reside ;

(*ii*) the persons before whom, from time to time, he shall be bound to present himself ; and

(*iii*) the time during which he may absent himself ;

(*i*) the place and time at which, and the persons before whom, members of a criminal tribe shall attend in accordance with the provisions of section 14 ;

(*j*) the authority by whom and the manner in which the inquiry referred to in section 16 shall be held ; Sec. 10, Act I of 1923.

(*k*) the inspection of the residences and villages of any criminal tribe ;

(*l*) the terms upon which registered members of criminal tribes may be discharged from the operation of this Act ;

(*m*) the management, control and supervision of industrial, agricultural or reformatory settlements and schools ;

(*n*) the works on which, and the hours during which, persons placed in an industrial, agricultural or reformatory settlement shall be employed, the rate at which they shall be paid, and the disposal, for the benefit of such persons, of the surplus proceeds of their labour ; and

(*o*) the discipline to which persons endeavouring to escape from any industrial, agricultural or reformatory settlement or school, or otherwise offending against the rules for the time being in force, shall be subject, the periodical visitation of such settlement or school and the removal from it of such persons as it shall seem expedient to remove.

Penalties and Procedure.

Penalties for failure to comply with terms of notice under section 5 or section 7.

21. Whoever, being a member of a criminal tribe, without lawful excuse, the burden of proving which shall lie upon him,— Sec. 21, Act III of 1911.

(*a*) fails to appear in compliance with a notice issued under section 5 or section 7, or

(*b*) intentionally omits to furnish any information required under either of those sections, or,

(*c*) when required to furnish information under either of those sections, furnishes as true any information which he knows or has reason to believe to be false, or

(*d*) refuses to allow his finger-impressions to be taken by any person acting under an order passed under section 9,

may be arrested without warrant, and shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, or with both.

Penalties for breach of rules.

22. (*1*) Whoever, being a registered member of a criminal tribe, contravenes a rule made under clause (*e*), clause (*g*) or clause (*h*) of section 2 shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend,— Sec. 22, Act III of 1911. Sec. 11, Act I of 1923.

(*a*) on a first conviction, to one year,

(*b*) on a second conviction, to two years, and

(*c*) on any subsequent conviction, to three years,

or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

(2) Whoever, being a registered member of a criminal tribe, contravenes any other rule made under section 20 shall be punishable,—

(*a*) on a first conviction, with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, or with both; and

(*b*) on any subsequent conviction, with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

(*3*) Any person who commits or is reasonably suspected of having committed an offence made punishable by this section which is not a cognizable offence as defined in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 may be arrested without a warrant by any officer in charge of a police-station or by any police-officer not below the rank of a sub-inspector. Sec. 11, Act I of 1923. V of

Enhanced punishment for certain occurences by members of criminal tribe after previous conviction.

23. (*1*) Whoever, being a member of any criminal tribe and having been convicted of any of the offences under the Indian Penal Code specified in Schedule I, is convicted of the same or of any other such offence shall, in the absence of special reasons to the contrary which shall be stated in the judgment of the Court, be punished,— Sec 23, Act III of 1911. XLV of 1860.

(*a*) on a second conviction, with imprisonment for a term of not less than seven years, and

(*b*) on a third or any subsequent conviction, with transportation for life :

Provided that not more than one of any such convictions which may have occurred before the 1st day of March, 191 , shall be taken into account for the purposes of this sub-section.

(*2*) Nothing in this section shall affect the liability of such person to any further or other punishment to which he may be liable under the Indian Penal Code or any other law. XLV of 1862

Punishment for registered members of criminal tribe found under suspicious circumstances

24. Whoever, being a registered member of any criminal tribe, is found in any place under such circumstances as to satisfy the Court— Sec 24, Act III of 1911.

(*a*) that he was about to commit, or aid in the commission of, theft or robbery, or

(*b*) that he was waiting for an opportunity to commit theft or robbery,

shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years, and shall also be liable to fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

Arrest of registered person found beyond prescribed limits

25. (*1*) Whoever, being a registered member of a criminal tribe— Section 25, Act III of 1911

(*a*) is found in any part of British India, beyond the area or place of residence, if any, to which his movements have been restricted or in which he has been settled without the prescribed pass, or in a place or at a time not permitted by the conditions of his pass, or

(*b*) escapes from an industrial, agricultural or reformatory settlement or school,

may be arrested without warrant by any police-officer, village-headman or village watchman, and may be taken before a Magistrate, who, on proof of the facts, shall order him to be removed to such area or place or to such settlement or school, as the case may be, there to be dealt with in accordance with this Act or any rules made thereunder.

(*2*) The rules for the time being in force for the removal of prisoners shall apply to all persons removed under this section or under any other provision of this Act :

Provided that an order from the Local Government or from the Inspecter-General of Prisons shall not be necessary for the removal for such persons.

Duties of village-headmen, village-watchmen, and owners or occupiers of land to give information in certain cases.

26. (*1*) Every village-headman and village-watchman in a village in which any members of a criminal tribe reside, and every owner and occupier of land on which any such persons reside, and the agent of any such owner or occupier, shall forthwith communicate to the officer-in-charge of the nearest police-station any information which he may obtain of— Sec 26, Act III of 1911

(*a*) the failure of any such person to appear and give information when required to do so by a notice issued under section 5 ; or

(*b*) the departure of any registered member of a criminal tribe from such village or from such land, as the case may be

(*2*) Every village-headman and village-watchman in a village, and every owner or occupier of land and the agent of any such owner or occupier, shall forthwith communicate to the officer-in-charge of the nearest police-station any information which he may obtain of the arrival at such village or on such land, as the case may be, of any persons who may reasonably be suspected of being members of any criminal tribe.

Penalty for breach of such duties.

27. Any village-headman, village-watchman, owner or occupier of land, and the agent of any such owner or occupier, who fails to comply with the requirements of section 26 shall be deemed to have committed an offence punishable under the first part of section 186 of the Indian Penal Code. Sec. 27, Act III of 1911. XLV of 1860

Power to deport certain criminal tribes to States in India.

28. The Local Government if it is satisfied that adequate provision has been made by the law of any State in India for the restriction of the movements or the settlement in a place of residence of persons such as are referred to in section 3, and for securing the welfare of persons so restricted or settled, may, with the consent of the Prince or Chief of that State, direct the removal to that State of any criminal tribe, or part of a criminal tribe, for the time being in the province, and may authorise the taking of all measures necessary to effect such removal : Sec. 12, Act I of 1928.

Provided that no person shall be so removed if the Local Government is satisfied that he is a subject of His Majesty.

Supplemental.

Bar of jurisdiction of Courts in questions relating to certain notifications.

29. No Court shall question the validity of any notification issued under section 3, section 11, or section 12, on the ground that the provisions hereinbefore contained or any of them have not been complied with, or shall entertain in any form whatever the question whether they have been complied with ; but every such notification shall be conclusive proof that it has been issued in accordance with law. Section 28, Act II of 1911.

Repeals.

30. The enactments mentioned in Schedule II are hereby repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof. Sec. 29, Act III of 1911.

SCHEDULE I.

(*See section 23.*)

CHAPTER XII.

SECTIONS.

231. Counterfeiting coin.

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The Schedule, Act III of 1911.

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234. Making or selling instrument for counterfeiting Queen's coin.

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239. Delivery of coin, possessed with the knowledge that it is counterfeit.

240. Delivery of Queen's coin, possessed with the knowledge that it is counterfeit.

242. Possession of counterfeit coin by a person who knew it to be counterfeit when he became possessed thereof.

243. Possession of Queen's coin by a person who knew it to be counterfeit when he became possessed thereof.

CHAPTER XVI.

SECTIONS.

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SECTIONS.

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324. Voluntarily causing hurt by dangerous weapons or means.

326. Voluntarily causing grievous hurt by dangerous weapons or means.

327. Voluntarily causing hurt to extort property or to constrain to an illegal act.

328. Causing hurt by means of poison, etc., with intent to commit an offence.

329. Voluntarily causing grievous hurt to extort property or to constrain to an illegal act.

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333. Voluntarily causing grievous hurt to deter public servant from his duty.

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SECTIONS.

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383. Extortion.

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390. Robbery.

391. Dacoity.

393. Attempt to commit robbery.

394. Voluntarily causing hurt in committing robbery.

397. Robbery or dacoity, with attempt to cause death or grievous hurt.

398. Attempt to commit robbery or dacoity when armed with deadly weapon.

399. Making preparation to comit dacoity.

402. Assembling for purpose of committing dacoity.

457. Lurking house-trespass or house-breaking by night in order to the commission of an offence punishable with imprisonment.

458. Lurking house-trespass or house-breaking by night after preparation for hurt, assault or wrongful restraint.

459. Grievous hurt caused whilst committing, lurking house-trespass or house-breaking.

460. All persons jointly concerned in lurking house-trespass or house-breaking by night punishable where death or grievous hurt caused by one of them.

SCHEDULE II.

(See section 30.)

1	2	3	4
Year.	Numbers.	Short title.	Extent of repeal.
1911	III	The Criminal Tribes Act, 1911.	So much of the Act as has not been repealed.
1914	X	The Repealing and Amending Act, 1914.	So much of Schedule II as relates to the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911.
1915	XI	The Repealing and Amending Act, 1915.	So much of Schedule I as relates to the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911.
1920	XXXVIII	The Devolution Act, 1920.	So much of Schedule I as relates to the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911.
1923	I	The Criminal Tribes (Amendment) Act, 1923.	The whole Act.

TABLES SHOWING DISTRIBUTION IN THE BILL OF SECTIONS OF ACTS REPEALED BY THE BILL.

The Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911).

Section of Act.	Clause of Bill.	REMARKS.
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11	11	Substituted by Schedule I, Act XXXVIII of 1920.
12		Repealed by Schedule I, Act XXXVIII of 1920.
13	12	
14	14	
15	15	Substituted by section 7, Act I of 1923.
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29		Repealed by Act X of 1914, Schedule II.

The Criminal Tribes (Amendment) Act, 1923
(I of 1923).

Section of Act.	Clause of Bill.	REMARKS.
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12	4, 5, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 28	

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The law relating to criminal tribes has to be collected from five Acts of the Legislature. The original Act, the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911, has been amended on four occasions, and an additional difficulty arises from the fact that some of the amendments were made in Schedules to other Acts. The present Bill, which is, save for one slight alteration, purely a consolidating measure, brings the law together in the compass of one enactment. The alteration referred to is the substitution in clause 14 of the word "who" for the word "which." This is necessitated by the fact that, since the enactment of the amending Act, I of 1923, individual members of a criminal tribe may be restricted to an area or settled in a place of residence.

G. S. KHAPARDE.

The 28th January 1924.

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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APPENDIX.

Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

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for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The 23rd February 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST

Rangoon river approach—Steam Pilot Vessel replaced on station.

No. 54 (first publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 383 of 1923.

Subject.—On or about the 28th February 1924, the temporary pilot brig "Kyauktan" will be relieved on the Pilot station by the Steam Pilot Vessel "Beacon" painted white with the word "Pilot" in black letters on each side of the vessel. She will exhibit the lights and signals as provided for by Article 6 of the regulations for preventing collisions at sea.

Charts affected.— No. 833, Rangoon river and approaches.
„ 823, Koronge island to White point.
„ 830, Passein river to Pulo Penang.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 456.

Authority.—Deputy Conservator of the Port of Rangoon, Notice dated 15th February 1924.

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip West Channel—Information re Shoal.

No. 55 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 104 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) Existence of shoal :

Position.—At a distance of 9·8 cables 109° from Swan beacon, Swan island.

Lat. 38° 15′ S., long. 144° 43′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—17 feet (5^{m}2).

(*b*) Less water reported :

Position.—On the leading line south-westward of (*a*).

Details.—The note "*Considerably less water repd. (1923)*" is to be inserted on charts Nos. 309 and 2747 between (*a*) and Swan spit No. 3 buoy.

Caution.—When navigating in the above locality Mariners are warned to keep at least 400 feet (121^{m}9) eastward of the leading line.

Charts affected.—No. 309, Port Phillip west channel.
„ 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 109.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 10 of 1923. (*H. 58-24.*)

INDIA, WEST COAST—GULF OF KUTCH APPROACH.

Lushington Shoal—Amended position and details.

No. 56 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 12M. of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 22° 38′ N.
Long. 68° 47′ E. } approx.

Details.—Lushington shoal is a large bank with depths from 2¼ fathoms to 5 fathoms, sand and rock. The shoal is about 3 miles long and ½ mile broad in places, lying in a 060° and 240° direction, from lat. 22° 37′ N., long. 68° 45′ E., to lat. 22° 38¼′ N., long. 68° 48′ E.

The least depth found is 2¼ fathoms, rock, in lat. 22° 37′ 50″ N., long. 68° 47′ 00″ E.

The shoal is usually marked by the discoloration of the water over it.

Charts affected.—No. 43, Gulf of Kutch.
„ 39, Coasts of Sind and Kutch.
„ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, Northern portion.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1919, page 299.

Authority.—Commanding Officer, R. I. M. Surveying Ship "Palinurus," Karachi, dated 1st February 1924.

The 16th February 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—ANDAMAN ISLANDS—PORT BLAIR.

Ross Island—Buoy removed, westward of.

No. 47 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 9M of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ cables south-westward of pier end of Ross Island.

Lat. 11° 40½′ N.
Long. 92° 46′ E. } approx.

Details.—The mooring buoy painted black and white in checks, for the Government Vessel, stationed approximately in the above position, has been removed.

Charts affected.—No. 514, Port Blair.
„ 1398, Port Blair to Little Andaman Island.
„ 1419, Long Island to Port Blair.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 420.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, R. I. M. S. "Minto" Hydrographic Note, dated 7th January 1924.

STRAIT OF MALACCA—MALAY PENINSULA.

North Klang Strait—Amended Position of Light-Buoy.

No. 48 (second publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 57 of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1770 of 1923. (*This office No. 417 of 1923.*)

Position.—At a distance of about 4½ cables north-westward of the position quoted in former Notice.

Lat. 3° 04′ 30″ N., long. 101° 20′ 00″ E., on chart No. 3453.

Description.—A light-buoy, exhibiting a *flashing white* light *every ten seconds.*

Charts affected.—No. 3453, Klang strait and approaches.

„ 794, Pulo Berhala to Cape Rachado.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 210.

Authority.—The Harbour Master, Selangor. (*H. 8791-23.*)

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—AUCKLAND HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Rangitoto Channel—Alteration in Light on Light-Buoy.

No. 49 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 58 of 1924), are republished :—

Position—At a distance of about 9½ cables north-eastward of North head flagstaff.

Lat. 36° 49′ S., long. 174° 50′ E. (approx.).

Details.—The character of the light on the light-buoy, painted red, in the above position has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every five seconds*, thus :—Flash 1 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.

„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.

„ 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour, and Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1919, page 186.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 72 of 1923. (*H. 8813-23.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, SOUTH COAST.

Salayar—Rock westward of.

No. 50 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 77 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—In the channel between Salayar and Pasi (Varkens) island, at a distance of 9 cables 251° from Salayar flagstaff.

Lat. 6° 07′ S., long. 120° 27′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—3 feet (0m9), rock.

Note.—The Symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1m 8) is to be inserted on the charts.

Chart affected.—No. 2674, Plan of channel between Salayar and Pasi or Varkens island.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 450.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 3165 of 1923. (*H. 8729-23*).

CHINA SEA—FRENCH COCHIN CHINA.

Vung Moe Bay Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 51 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 78 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Westward of Nuok islet.

Lat. 14° 15′ N., long. 109° 10′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—**Fl. ev. 7 sec. 167 ft. 16 M.**

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every seven seconds*, thus:—Flash 1 sec., eclipse 6 sec.

Remarks.—The visibility of the light is now 16 miles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1342, Fan rang bay to Tong king gulf.
„ 2661*a*, China sea, northern portion—western sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 1429.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 2295 of 1923. (*H. 8779-23.*)

STRAIT OF MALACCA—MALAY PENINSULA.

Klang Strait, Dredged Channel—Wreck marked by Buoy.

No. 52 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 85 of 1924), are republished:—

(*a*) Wreck:

Position.—In the centre of the dredged channel, at a distance of 6·5 cables 103½° from Tanjong Sau (Deepwater point) lighthouse.
Lat. 3° 00′ N., long. 101° 21′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—Wreck of a junk, sunk in the year 1923.

(*b*) Buoy:

Position.—Marking the above wreck.
Description.—Not stated.

Remarks.—The dredged channel, referred to above, is unsafe for navigation owing to this wreck.

Charts affected.—No. 2153, Port Swettenham.
„ 3453, Klang strait and approaches.

Authority.—The Harbour Master, Selangor. (*H. 8793-23.*)

INDIA, WEST COAST—BEIT HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Sumiani Island Light—Error in sectors corrected.

No. 53 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 11M. of 1924), are republished:—

Former Notice.—No. 80M. of 1923 (this Office No. 379 of 1923) hereby cancelled.

Position.—Lat. 22° 29′ N.
Long. 69° 05′ E. } approx.

Details.—The limits of the white and red sectors of the above light have been altered, and now shows as formerly detailed in the Admiralty List of Lights, viz.:—

White from 057°, through east to 217°; red thence to 247° over Chinri reef; white thence to 260°; red thence to 290° over Paga Bank; white thence to 009°.

Charts affected.—No. 47, Beit Harbour.
„ 43, Gulf of Cutch.
„ 39, Coasts of Sind and Cutch.

Publication.—Admiralty List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 339.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, R.I.M.S. "Palinurus," dated 26th January 1924.

The 8th February 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA, BASSEIN RIVER ENTRANCE.

Diamond Island—W/T. Station in operation.

No. 39 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 5M of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 4-M. of 1923 (*This Office No. 29 of 1923*); hereby cancelled.

Position.—Lat. 15° 52′ N. } approx.
Long. 94 17′ E. }

Details.—The W/T Station at Diamond Island has not been dismantled. It is still maintained in working order and carries out a considerably reduced service for local purposes only.

Charts affected.—No. 834, Bassein River and approaches.
„ 3772, Calventuras to Bassein River.
„ 823, Koronge Island to White Point.
„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.
„ 748b, Indian Ocean, northern portion.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 447.

Authority.—The Director of Wireless, Simla, dated Simla, 11th January 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—ANDAMAN ISLANDS.

Port Blair—Sesostris Shoal Buoy adrift.

No. 40 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 6M of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 11° 39′ N. } approx.
Long. 92° 47′ E. }

Details.—The black conical buoy, which was moored on the eastern edge of the Sesostris Shoal, is reported to have broken adrift and now lies in South Corbyns Cove.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 514, Port Blair.
„ 1398, Port Blair to Little Andaman Islands.
„ 825, Andaman Islands.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 421.

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, dated Rangoon, 7th January 1924.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Malvan Bay—Ordinary buoy replaced by a new Buoy.

No. 41 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 8M of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 16° 03′ N. } approx.
Long. 73° 28′ E. }

Details.—The Ordinary, flat topped black No. 2 Port hand Malvan Harbour buoy was removed on the 15th December 1923, and a new buoy of the following description has been placed in its position.

Description of new buoy.—A Conical buoy surmounted with a perch and globe. The upper part of the buoy and the perch and globe are painted white.

Chart affected.—No. 902, Malvan to Vengurla, with inset.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1919, page 191.

Authority.—The Commissioner of Customs, Salt and Excise, Bombay, dated 17th January 1924.

BRITISH POSSESSIONS.

Caution when approaching British Ports.

No. 42 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1 of 1924), are republished :—

PART I.

Closing of Ports.

Former Notice.—No. 1 of 1923 (*This office No. 34 of 1923*) ; hereby cancelled.

(1) My Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, having taken into consideration the fact that it may be necessary to forbid all entrance to certain ports of the Empire, this is

to give notice that on approaching the shores of the United Kingdom, or any of the ports or localities of the British Empire, a sharp look-out should be kept for the signals described in the following paragraph, and for the vessels mentioned in paragraph (5), Part II, of this Notice, and the distinguishing and other signals made by them. In the event of such signals being displayed, the port or locality should be approached with great caution, as it may be apprehended that obstructions may exist.

(2) If entrance to a port is prohibited, three *red* vertical lights by night, or three *red* vertical balls by day, will be exhibited in some conspicuous position, in or near to its approach, which signals will also be shown by the vessels indicated in paragraph (5), Part II, of this Notice.

If these signals are displayed, vessels must approach the port with the greatest caution and implicitly obey all orders or signals given them by the Examination vessel or signal station.

(3) At some ports or localities at home or abroad, search-lights are occasionally exhibited for exercise.

Instructions have been given to avoid directing movable search lights during practice on to vessels under way, but mariners are warned that great care should be taken to keep a sharp look-out for the signals indicated in paragraph (2) above, when search-lights are observed to be working.

PART II.

Examination Service.

(4) In certain circumstances it is also necessary to take special measures to examine vessels desiring to enter ports or localities at home or abroad.

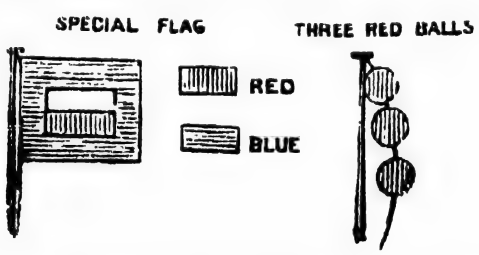
(5) In such case, vessels carrying the distinguishing flags or lights mentioned in paragraph (7) will be charged with the duty of examining ships which desire to enter the port and of allotting positions in which they shall anchor. If Government vessels, or vessels belonging to the local port authority, are found patrolling in the offing, merchant vessels are advised to communicate with such vessels with a view to obtaining information as to the course on which they should approach the port. Such communication will not be necessary in cases where the pilot on board has already received this information from the local authorities.

(6) As the institution of the Examination Service will probably be unknown to vessels desiring to enter the port, especial care should be taken in approaching the ports, by day or night, to keep a sharp look-out for any vessel carrying the flags or lights mentioned in paragraph (7) and to be ready to "bring to" at once when hailed by her or warned by the firing of a gun or sound rocket.

In approaching by night any British port in the United Kingdom or abroad, serious delay and risk will be avoided if four efficient all-round lanterns, two *red* and two *white*, are kept available for use.

(7) By day the distinguishing flag of the Examination Steamer will be a special flag (white and red horizontal surrounded by a blue border).

Also, three red vertical balls if the port is closed.



Usually the Examination Steamers will fly the blue ensign, but in certain circumstances they may fly the white ensign.

By night the steamer will carry :—

(*a*) Three *red* vertical lights if the port is closed.

(*b*) Three *white* vertical lights if the port is open.

The above lights will be carried in addition to the ordinary navigation lights, and will show an unbroken light around the horizon.

(8) Masters are warned that, when approaching a British port where the Examination Service is in force, they must have the signal letters of their vessel ready to hoist immediately the Examination Steamer makes the signal : "What ship is that ?"

(9) Masters are warned that, before attempting to enter any port when the Examination Service is in force, they must in their own interests strictly obey all instructions given to them by the Examination Steamer.

Whilst at anchor in the Examination Anchorage, Masters are warned that it is forbidden, except for the purpose of avoiding accident, to do any of the following things, without permission from the Examining Officer :—

To lower any boat.

To communicate with the shore or with other ships.

To move the ship.

To work cables.

To allow any person or thing to leave the ship.

(10) In case of fog, Masters are enjoined to use the utmost care, and the port should be approached with caution.

(11) When the Examination Service is in force merchant vessels when approaching ports are especially cautioned against making use of private signals of any description, either by day or night ; the use of them will render a vessel liable to be fired on.

(12) The pilots attached to the ports will be acquainted with the regulations to be followed.

PART III.

Mine-Sweeping operations.

H.M. Vessels engaged in mine-sweeping operations or exercises are hampered to a considerable extent in their manœuvring powers.

With a view to indicating the nature of the work on which they are engaged, these vessels will show the signals hereinafter mentioned. For the public safety all other vessels, whether steamers or sailing craft, should endeavour to keep out of the way of vessels flying these signals and not approach them inside the distances mentioned herein, specially remembering that it is dangerous to pass between the vessels of a pair or group sweeping together.

1. SIGNALS THAT WILL BE SHOWN BY DAY.

(*a*) By vessels working singly :

A black ball at the foremast head, and a similar ball at the yard-arm or where it can best be seen on that side on which it is dangerous to pass. (If a ball is shown at each yard-arm it is dangerous to pass either side.)

Vessels showing this signal should not be approached nearer than 900 yards (822^{m}9).

(*b*) By vessels working in pairs or groups :

A black ball at the foremast head and, a similar ball at the yard-arm or where it can best be seen, on that side on which it is dangerous to pass.

Vessels should not pass within a distance of 400 yards (365^{m}8) astern of a pair or group of sweepers, or when more than one pair or group are working in company within a distance of 400 yards (365^{m}8) astern of the rear pair or group. They should on no account attempt to pass between pairs or groups working in company.

2. SIGNALS THAT WILL BE SHOWN BY NIGHT.

As for day, except that all-round green lights will be used in a similar manner to and in place of the black balls.

Note.

This Notice is a repetition of Notice No. 1 of 1923. (This Office No. 34 of 1923.)

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 7789-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Kilimán River Entrance—Information re Depths and Fairway-Buoy.

No. 43 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 10 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) Caution re depths :

Position.—Southern end of Tangalane banks.
Lat. 18° 06′ S., long. 36° 58′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The caution shown near the lower margin, on the right hand side of the plan quoted, concerning the bar, banks and buoys, is to be deleted.

The following caution is to be inserted below the title of the same plan :—

CAUTION.

The Bar and Banks are subject to constant change, the Leading Beacons and Buoys are moved accordingly. No confidence can be placed on the depths shown on this chart.

8½ feet reported on the Bar (1923).

The words "*See Caution*" are also to be inserted on the plan near the outer end of the entrance leading line "Beacons in line 313°."

(*b*) Alteration in position of Fairway-buoy :

New position.—At a distance of about 8 cables northward of charted position and 5·2 miles 096° from Vilhena lighthouse.

Description.—A fairway-buoy, painted in black and white horizontal stripes, with topmark.

Remarks.—The note "(*posn. approx.*)." is to be re-inserted against the new position of this buoy.

Chart affected.—No. 650, Plan of Kilimán river.
Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 253, 255, 256; Supplement No. 7, 1923.
Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 49 of 1923. (*H. 8223-23.*)

NEW GUINEA, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Waigeo, North Coast—Information re Shoal and Rocks.

No. 44 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 17 of 1924), are republished :—

(1) Existence of shoal :

Position.	Depth.
Lat. 0° 05′ 00″ N., long. 130° 51′ 30″ E.	7 fathoms (12m8).

(2) Non-existence of rocks, which are to be expunged from the charts :

Position.	Description.
(*a*) Lat. 0° 04′ 30″ N., long. 130° 57′ 00″ E.	A rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1m8).
(*b*) Lat. 0° 03′ 00″ N., long. 130° 59′ 30″ E.	Two rocks, each with a depth of less than 6 feet (1m8).

Remarks.—The positions quoted refer to chart No. 942*b*.
Charts affected.—No. 942*b*, Eastern Archipelago—sheet 4.
„ 1263, China sea.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. III, 1921, page 222.
Authority.—Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 8474-23.*)

TASMANIA—River Derwent Entrance.

Port Hobart—Works in Progress.

No. 45 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 18 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Queen's pier, Sullivan's cove.
Lat. 42° 53′ S., long. 147° 21′ E. (*approx.*).
Details.—The note "*Works in Progress (1923)*" is to be inserted on the chart against the outer end of Queen's pier.
Chart affected.—No. 105, Port Hobart.
Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 374.
Authority.—Hobart Notice, dated 27th October 1923. (*H. 8628-23.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Mindanao, North-East coast.

Bukas Island—Rocks and Shoals eastward and south-eastward of.

No. 46 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 35 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Close eastward of Bukas island.
Lat. 9° 35′ 40″ N., long. 125° 59′ 10″ E.
Depth.—4¼ fathoms (8m7).
(*b*) *Position.*—Between Bukas and Anahauan islands.
Lat. 9° 35′ 45″ N., long. 126° 04′ 40″ E.
Depth.—6 fathoms (11m0), rock.
(*c*) *Position.*—Close southward of Anahauan island.
Lat. 9° 34′ 45″ N., long. 126° 09′ 05″ E.
Depth.—7 fathoms (12m8), rock.
(*d*) *Position.*—Close south-eastward of Anahauan island.
Lat. 9° 35′ 55″ N., long. 126° 10′ 00″ E.
Depth.—1½ fathoms (2m7).
(*e*) *Position.*—Close westward of Lahanosa island.
Lat. 9° 38′ 00″ N., long. 126° 09′ 45″ E.
Depth.—3½ fathoms (6m4).
(*f*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 3½ miles north-eastward of Point Kauit lighthouse.
Lat. 9° 19′ 25″ N., long. 126° 16′ 15″ E.
Depth.—8 fathoms (14m6), rock.
Remarks.—The positions quoted refer to chart No. 2578.
Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, pages 426, 427.
Authority.—U. S. Government Chart. (*H. 8634-23.*)

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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES, BENGAL, FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH 1923.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES DEPARTMENT.

Fisheries.

CALCUTTA, THE 25TH FEBRUARY 1924.

RESOLUTION—No. 853.

READ—

The Report of the Department of Fisheries, Bengal, for the year ending 31st March 1923.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

The report concludes with the remark that it will probably be "the last report of the Fishery Department in its present form." This anticipation has proved correct, for the Department of Fisheries has been abolished since the middle of the year 1923 as a result of the recommendations of the Bengal Retrenchment Committee. To the end with its exiguous staff it continued

to do substantially good work as this report will show, but it remains nevertheless true that without an expert head and a much larger organisation it could not be expected to make much impression on the problems presented by the fisheries of the province. It was therefore decided to close the department for the present at least, to preserve the records of its work carefully and to prepare a scheme for a more suitable and more effective organisation in the hope that when the finances of the province improve it will be possible to take up the work where it has been set down and to pursue with it greater promise of more comprehensive and important results.

2. The depletion of the superior staff noticed in the previous years' reports was not remedied, and the temporary arrangement under which the Director of Agriculture was placed in charge of the department pending the appointment of a permanent Director continued.

3. Important work during the year was the confirmation of the previous observation that the carp (*Rahu*, *Katla* and *Mirgal*) breeds in certain bundhs in West Bengal and Chota Nagpur. The breeding commences with the onset of heavy monsoon rain. Another important discovery is that the *jatka* fish well known in East Bengal, where it is caught in large quantities in the early part of the year, is the young of the *hilsa*. The identification was made by Mr. C. Tate Regan of the British Museum. With this discovery the possibility of the artificial culture of *hilsa* becomes much nearer realization.

4. Experiments in the artificial culture of mussels in tanks did not show much progress. The investigation into the mosquito larvae-eating species of fish was continued and a consignment of such fish was supplied to the Anti-malarial Officer attached to the British Station Hospital at Rawalpindi.

5. Propaganda work among fishermen had increasing effect, and as a result it is gratifying to notice that fishermen are taking more interest in the practical education of their children. In the Dacca district there are ten schools for the children of fishermen. Among them the most noteworthy is the Rohitpur school where, in addition to ordinary lessons in reading, writing and arithmetic, the boys are taught the elements of pisiculture, fish curing, net repairing, boat-making and boat-repairing. In the district of Faridpur there are two primary schools for the children of fishermen.

6. Considerable progress was made during the year under review in the organisation of fishery co-operative societies. During the year five fishery societies were registered against two in the previous year. The total number of such societies was 54 at the end of the year.

7. The two fishery companies of Madaripur subdivision mentioned in the last year's report have survived the year under review, and the Hon'ble Minister notices with satisfaction the fact that they have been able to get into working order with some prospects of success. Another company "The Faridpur Agricultural and Industrial Association, Limited," was started in that district during the year. The object of the Company is to carry on agriculture on improved methods, to raise poultry and live-stock and to rear fish in tanks. It remains to be seen if this Company will succeed in settling down to work.

8. During the carp season of the year under review 513,000 selected fry were supplied to the public by the department, 304,000 in Bengal and 209,000 in Bihar and Orissa, against the total of 690,000 in 1921-22 The unsteady nature of the monsoon was responsible for a falling off in the supply. One notable feature of the last year's work was the despatch of a consignment of fry to Port Blair for stocking certain tanks in the Andamans.

9. The statistics of fish imported into Calcutta during the year under review show imports of 435,194 maunds as compared with 417,684 maunds in the preceding year. This has exceeded all past records, but the supply appears to be still far short of the demand, a fact which points to the importance of re-establishing an effective Fishery Department when funds permit.

10. During the last years of its existence the Fishery Department has been unfortunate in not having an expert Director with a special knowledge of fisheries. Although the Director of Agriculture, who was in executive charge of the department, carried out the work on the lines laid down by Mr. Southwell, the late Director of Fisheries, it is obvious that he could not be expected to produce the results which a specialist could have hoped to produce. His main occupation was in the Agriculture Department and his special knowledge and training did not concern fisheries.

11. The Hon'ble Minister has much pleasure in acknowledging the services of Mr. G. Evans and Mr. R. S. Finlow who held charge of the department in addition to their own duties as Director of Agriculture, Bengal. The names of the subordinate officers of the department specially mentioned in the report are also noted with pleasure.

By order of the Government of Bengal

(Ministry of Agriculture and Public Works),

J. T. DONOVAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (*offg.*).

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH, THE SANITARY BOARD AND THE CHIEF ENGINEER, PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT, FOR THE YEAR 1922.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

Public Health.

CALCUTTA, THE 1ST MARCH 1924.

RESOLUTION—No. 401P.H.

READ—

The Report of the Director of Public Health, the Sanitary Board and the Chief Engineer, Public Health Department, for the year 1922.

1. **Public Health.**—(Statistical, Epidemiological and General Public Health Administration.)

Population.—For the purposes of this review the total population of Bengal, excluding the Chittagong Hill Tracts, is taken as 46,522,293 (1921 Census).

2. **Birth-rate and Death-rate.**—In 1922, the total number of births recorded in Bengal was 1,275,614 against 1,301,001 in the preceding year, while the number of recorded deaths fell from 1,403,031 in 1921 to 1,73,246 in 1922.

The provincial birth-rate in 1922 was 27·4 per mille as compared with 28·0 in 1921 and the quinquennial average of 30·2. The birth-rate of 1922 was the lowest since the year 1892, the first year of general birth registration throughout Bengal. Only one other province in India, viz., the North-West Frontier Province, recorded a lower birth-rate (23·7 per mille) during the year. The birth-rate of Bengal for 1922 was 2·1 per cent. below that of 1921 and 12·5 per cent. below the average of the previous ten years. The Director of Public Health has pointed out that the trend of the birth-rate has been going down steadily during the last sixteen years, and he is of opinion that "the declining birth-rate is suggestive of pressure on subsistence resulting from the growth of population outstripping that of production." An important factor contributing to the lowering of the birth-rate in Bengal is the large influx of the surplus population of other provinces which materially affects the economic life of the local population. In this connection the Director of Public Health makes the following observations :—

"For many years past, Bengal has been accommodating a portion of the surplus population of a number of other provinces. The influx of large numbers of these people into a country, much of which is already more densely crowded than any other rural tract in the world, must serve as an effective check to the growth of the indigenous population".

There are other contributory factors at work, such, for example, as the gradual postponement of marriage to a later age, but the Director of Public Health is of opinion that economic conditions are the main cause of the declining birth-rate and that the serious depression through which the country has been passing since the middle of 1918 is primarily responsible for the great diminution of births which has followed and which has been specially marked in the year under report.

The provincial death-rate in 1922 was 25·2 per mille as compared with 30·1 in 1921, the quinquennial average being 31·3 per mille. The death-rate of 1922 was lower than that of any year since 1890. The Director of Public

Health points out that the low death-rate, while partly due to improved economic conditions resulting from the relatively favourable harvest of 1921-22, was largely due to the natural reaction following upon the excessive mortality and the low birth-rates of the previous years. In fact the year 1922 was generally noticeable for low death-rates throughout India. Of the other provinces only two, viz., Assam and North-West Frontier Provinces, recorded a death-rate higher than Bengal. As was pointed out last year, it is the rate of natural increase (of births over deaths) and not the death-rate alone which affords the best evidence of a country's health, and judged by this standard Bengal compared very unfavourably with most of the other provinces, two only, viz., Assam and the North-West Frontier Province, showing a small rate of increase.

Comparing the divisional birth-rates of the last few years it is observed that while there was an improvement in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions, a considerable diminution of births occurred in the other three divisions. The divisions which show a reduced birth-rate are those specially interested in the cultivation of jute, and in the opinion of the Director of Public Health the relatively low price obtained by the cultivator for this commodity during the period from 1919 to 1921 has had an unfavourable influence on the birth-rate of all the jute-growing districts.

The Director of Public Health has drawn attention to the interesting fact that contrary to the general belief, mortality goes down when prices go up, and that *vice versâ*, mortality rises as prices fall, and he explains that the agriculturist benefits most when he can obtain a reasonable return for the produce he has to sell:

"It will be seen that prices underwent a very sudden fall of over 30 per cent. between the summer of 1920 and the cold weather of 1920-21, and that this change was accompanied by a very great relative rise in mortality. On the other hand, the seasonal change in the price level in 1922 was only about 15 per cent.; in other words, prices were much more stable in the latter year; and co-incidentally with this the corresponding fluctuations of mortality were far smaller than in the former year. The most favourable condition for all classes of the population appears to be when prices are neither unduly high nor unduly low but remain at a more or less stable or fixed position, whereas if they fluctuate widely it is merely the small class of middlemen and speculators who benefit at the expense of both the consumer and the producer; and the alternating periods of relative prosperity and economic stress that result are reflected in the oscillations that occur in the birth and death-rate of the community as a whole."

3. **Infant mortality.**—In 1922, 239,451 infants died under the age of one year, as compared with 268,162 during the preceding year, the total mortality showing a net reduction of 11·1 per cent The rate of infant mortality declined from 206 per mille in 1921 to 188 per mille in 1922. An examination of the figures of infant mortality at different age periods reveals the interesting phenomenon that while deaths of infants under one month and under six months actually increased by 5·1 and ·5 per cent., the mortality of infants between the ages of 6 and 12 months showed a large reduction (33·8 per cent.). In the opinion of the Director of Public Health the small increase of mortality in 1922 among infants aged one to six months and the greater increase among infants below one month is the direct consequence of the increasing number of births that took place in the later months of the year. A healthy year generally keeps down mortality among grown up infants, while improved economic conditions which follow in its wake help to promote the birth-rate. As births increase, however, the mortality of children under one month also increases under existing conditions.

In 1922 only 2,567 deaths from child births were reported, but the figure is obviously unreliable, and the Director of Public Health estimates that maternal causes must have been responsible for the death of about 45,000 mothers in Bengal.

As the Director of Public Health has pointed out, with few exceptions the death of a mother during child-birth or shortly afterwards leads also to the death of her child, and it is obvious therefore that there is a great scope in Bengal for work in the sphere of maternal and infant welfare.

As noticed last year, infant and maternal welfare centres have been doing good work for some time in Calcutta and Dacca A scheme was inaugurated during the year for the training of indigenous village *dais*, and the Minister is glad to learn that several district boards have arranged to start training centres for this purpose. The Asansol Mines Board of Health have set a good example by employing a small number of trained midwives with considerable success, and it is reported that an increasing number of trained midwives have settled down to private practice within the mining area.

The Minister for Local Self-Government hopes that the widespread interest which has recently been aroused in the subject of maternity and child-welfare throughout the province as the result of the National Baby Week Exhibition held under the initiative of Her Excellency the Countess of Lytton will lead to a systematic organization being formed in every district for the training of *dais*, for the education of mothers, and for the formation of baby clinics and maternity welfare centres.

4. **Child mortality.**—Referring to the older children the Director of Public Health has drawn attention to the fact that over 25 per cent. of the total mortality of the province was made up of child deaths as distinguished from infant deaths, and that the aggregate loss of life among children between the ages of one and 15 years is much greater than that of infants.

It is evident that a serious loss is being occasioned to the community by the deaths of so many young children, and the Minister for Local Self-Government is convinced that vigorous efforts must be made to reduce this evil.

In this connection the Minister lays great stress on the value of school hygiene work and is glad to note that work in connection with school hygiene was continued throughout the year and that a systematic inspection of schools and school children is now proceeding in a number of municipalities under the supervision of an Assistant Director of Public Health and a small staff of assistants specially deputed for the purpose. The Director of Public Health reports that of the total number of boys examined no less than 55 per cent. showed physical defects. The Minister hopes that increasing attention will be paid to the health of the school-going population on whom the future prosperity of the province so largely depends.

5. **Registration of Births and Deaths.**—The Director of Public Health has again drawn attention to the continued neglect by municipal authorities in administrating the law in regard to birth and death registration. In many towns the machinery of registration is still very defective, and incredibly low figures continue to be reported. In 1922, 71 towns out of 117 returned birth-rates below 20 per mille, while in ten towns the rate was lower than 10 per mille. Dinajpur and Suri reported figures as low as 4·9 and 5·5 per mille, respectively.

In the opinion of the Director of Public Health even in the best of years the healthiest town in Bengal has a death-rate not much below 30 per mille. In 1922, however, 78 towns reported death-rates below 20 per mille, while in 12 towns the recorded death-rate was even lower than 10 per mille, Suri and Garulia returning the absurdly low figures of 4·5 and 4·7 per mille respectively.

The importance of the maintenance of an accurate record of vital statistics for the purposes of public health administration was emphasized in last year's resolution, and the Minister for Local Self-Government once more desires to draw the attention of municipal authorities to the urgent need for an improvement in this direction.

The continued neglect of birth registration in towns is an obstacle to infant and maternal welfare work and reveals the urgent necessity for the appointment of responsible officers as registrars of births and deaths in municipal areas.

6. **Cholera.**—The mortality from cholera was 51,712 in 1922 as compared with 80,547 in 1921, giving a death-rate of 1·1 against 1·7 per mille of the population. It is satisfactory to note that the prevalence of the disease is on the decline, and the Minister is glad to learn that the local bodies and

the general public are beginning to realize that cholera is essentially a preventible disease which can be properly controlled by the adoption of effective sanitary measures. The provision of an adequate and pure water-supply in rural and urban areas is obviously of primary importance in this connection. At the same time the Director of Public Health lays very great stress on the importance of taking preventive measures and of starting an anti-cholera campaign on organized lines in order to check the spread of the disease. As successful examples of measures of this kind he refers to the effective steps taken by the District Board of the 24-Parganas to prevent the occurrence of cholera at the last Ganga Sagor Mela, and the strenuous efforts made by the District Boards of Bogra, Rajshahi and Pabna, assisted by large bands of voluntary workers, for the prevention of cholera in areas which suffered from devastating floods in the latter part of the year. Enquiries made by the Director of Public Health have revealed that there are special centres of infection in various parts of Bengal, and that there are grounds for believing that cholera infection is often spread along lines of communication from other provinces. As he has pointed out, it is within the power of municipalities and district boards in Bengal to reduce cholera mortality to a minimum at a very small expenditure. The experience gained in anti-cholera work in several districts has shown that a reduction in cholera mortality is almost automatically brought about by the appointment of a trained sanitary staff, and the Director of Public Health is confident that not only would cholera mortality be almost entirely checked if a small trained staff were provided for every thana in the province, but that many other diseases of a like infectious nature would also eventually be brought under control as a result of the establishment of an organization of this kind in each district under the direct supervision of the District Health Officer. The Minister for Local Self-Government trusts that this suggestion will meet with careful consideration on the part of local bodies.

7. **Small-pox.**—In 1922 the mortality from small-pox remained comparatively low, being 7,864 as compared with 8,157 in 1921, 36,190 in 1920 and 37,010 in 1919. This periodic decline may be followed in the near future by a recrudescence of the disease, and the Director of Public Health draws the attention of the local bodies to the need for carrying out vaccination measures specially in areas where the infection appears to be localized.

The total number of vaccinations reported in 1922-23 was 2,006,140 as compared with 1,761,626 in 1921-22. Of the total operations, 1,526,385 were recorded as primary and 479,755 as re-vaccinations, against 1,266,551 primary and 495,075 re-vaccinations during the year 1921-22. There was thus during the year 1922-23 an increase of 20·5 per cent. in primary and a decrease of 3·02 per cent. in re-vaccination operations.

During 1922-23 out of 998,829 infants requiring vaccination 290,172 or 290·4 per mille were reported to have been successfully vaccinated in the rural areas, as compared with 271·735 or 269·11 per mille during the previous year. In nine districts, including Calcutta, the protection was said to have been over 500 per mille. In municipal areas 553·3 per mille of the surviving infants were protected in 1922-23 against 627·5 per mille during the previous year.

Free vaccination has now been introduced all over the Presidency, but for want of funds most of the local bodies were unable to appoint an adequate staff of paid vaccinators. In several districts, licensed vaccinators were also employed, while some district boards employed paid vaccinators only for short periods. In the district of Dacca, some of the union boards undertook to provide free vaccination and employed a few paid vaccinators. In 1922-23 Government made a total grant of Rs. 25,000 to district boards for free vaccination.

The Minister desires to call the attention of all local authorities to the likelihood pointed out by the Director of Public Health of a recrudescence of small-pox epidemic in the province in the course of the next 12 or 18 months and trusts that all early cases of small-pox will be carefully watched and that every effort will be made to check the spread of infection by the efficient vaccination of all contacts.

8. **Fever.**—In 1922 the mortality from fever was 885,268 as compared with 1,070,368 in 1921, the death-rate falling to 19·0 per mille, against 23·0 per mille in previous year and the quinquennial average of 24·4 per mille. As usual, deaths from fever represented about 75 per cent. of the total mortality. The reduced fever mortality of 1922 was largely influenced by the improved conditions existing in the post-monsoon period of 1921.

(*a*) **Malaria.**—Of the febrile diseases, malaria continues to be the most important, the recorded mortality from malarial fever in 1922 being 11·6 per mille against 15·8 per mille in the preceding year. The actual rate of death from malarious fever per mille of population has declined in every districts of the Presidency. But although the number of deaths has shown a decline, sickness has not diminished and a comparison of the mean fever indices for the period of 1920-22 with that in 1912 shows a very large increase in the prevalence of malarial fever in all parts of the Presidency. The classification of mortality returns under the different kinds of fever is still far from accurate, and the recorded malarial death-rate is vitiated in many instances by the inclusion of figures of mortality from pneumonia, tuberculosis, enteric fever, kala-azar and other febrile diseases. The Director of Public Health estimates that "ordinarily, malaria appears to be the direct or indirect cause of from 20 to 33 per cent of the reported fever deaths."

If to the death-rate caused by malaria be added the physical degeneration of the people among whom it is prevalent, the imperative necessity for a vigorous anti-malarial campaign and for utilising all the available resources of the community for fighting the disease becomes apparent.

The Minister therefore lays great stress on the local bodies initiating the policy of enlisting the services of all the social service organizations in this cause, and in particular of the Central Co-operative Anti-malaria Society, Limited, whose work has been rousing the dormant energies of the rural population and organizing them for taking effective measure not only against malaria but kala-azar and other diseases which present such a menace to the rural population. Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) will give every possible support to the work of this important organization. The Minister also desires in this connection to impress upon district boards the urgent necessity of organizing the rural population of the province into union boards, so that they may be furnished with an effective machinery for fighting disease by taking preventive measures generally and in particular by providing adequate sources of drinking water supply and maintaining the existing water-supply against pollution.

The Director of Public Health lays great stress on a sufficient use of quinine against malaria for both preventive and curative purposes, and mentions the significant fact that the districts which appear to be least malarious consumed by far the largest proportion of quinine.

Investigations made by the Director of Public Health lead to the conclusion that interference with the natural flow of water across country from field to field, obstruction or silting up of water-courses and any condition which seriously diminishes the supply of water and promotes stagnation either on the surface of the land or in the beds of streams and drainage channels lead to a local increase of malaria. Increase of malaria in parts of Eastern Bengal, which until recently were comparatively free from malaria, is directly attributed to the haphazard construction of embankments which restrict the natural flow of water. On the other hand, experiments made by the Public Health Department in several areas of intense malaria infection, which aim at the restoration of the natural flow of water in stagnant channels and the flushing out of drains, ditches and insanitary tanks, have been attended with successful results, and have definitely led to a reduction in the prevalence of malaria. Reference was made last year to the good results obtained from experiments carried on in the colliery area (Singaran-Toposi) and at Meenglas in the Duars, and to the effect of the Banka Valley scheme in reducing the spleen index in adjacent villages and improving local agricultural conditions. A "flood and flush" scheme was carried out at Jangipur, and the results recorded so far show that there has been a general improvement in the health of the town. A portion of the bed of the Saraswati river has been re-excavated in recent years, and the restoration of the flow in the

channel has had the effect of improving the health of the adjacent villages. There has also been a great diminution of malaria at Kumarkhali where a small scheme has been carried out for flushing out the drains, ditches and hollows in and about the town with an abundant supply of water from the river. The Minister reiterates the policy laid down last year with regard to measures for the abatement of malaria and trusts that local bodies will show their readiness in undertaking projects which aim at the removal of restrictions on natural inundation, the flushing out of swampy areas which breed anopheles, and the general improvement of agriculture.

(*b*) **Kala-azar.**—The kala-azar survey has been carried out in 13 districts, and up to the present, 23 per cent. of the villages examined have been found infected with kala-azar. The enquiry has served to stimulate general interest in kala-azar, and about 300 medical officers practising in the rural areas have been trained in the diagnosis and treatment of the disease. As a result of this the number of cases of kala-azar admitted into hospitals and dispensaries in Bengal has risen from a total of 4,300 in 1919 to over 18,000 in 1922, which represents an increase of over 70 per cent. on the last year's figures. The Director of Public Health estimates that when investigations have been completed in all parts of Bengal the average incidence of the disease may be found to be as high as in Assam, viz., 2·8 per mille of the total population, which represents roughly 130,000 cases of kala-azar in Bengal. He also refers to pockets of intensive kala-azar infection. The Minister lays very great importance on stamping out this disease in as short a time as possible. As an effective remedial measure has been found, this can be easily effected if a sufficient number of medical men can be encouraged to take part in the work. The Minister is of opinion that the scheme for encouraging medical officers on the subsidy system adopted by the Central Co-operative Anti-malaria Society offers the most economical and efficient method for fighting this disease.

Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) have in a recent resolution outlined the general line of an effective plan of campaign against kala-azar and have also made substantial grants to district boards towards anti-kala-azar work.

Sanitary Engineering.—A number of municipal water-supply, drainage and sewerage schemes were prepared by the Chief Engineer, Public Health Department. Seven water-works and two sewerage schemes were under construction during the year. Some sanitary works were also carried out on benalf of the Public Works Department at the Bengal Engineering College, Sibpur, and the Kurseong water-supply project was completed. The total capital expenditure on water-supply was Rs. 4,23,601, and the total expenditure on municipal drainage works amounted to Rs. 6,22,015 in 1922. There was no improvement in the general financial position of Government or of the local bodies, and the progress with the execution of sanitary engineering schemes was in consequence hampered.

In 1921 Government (Ministry of Local Self-Government) appointed a committee to enquire into the question of the water-supply of the riparian municipalities on the east bank of the river Hooghly. The committee submitted their report in 1922, and recommended the adoption of cheaper water-supply schemes, based on tube-wells, for the towns lying to the north of Calcutta. Several schemes have accordingly been prepared by the Chief Engineer, Public Health Department, and it is expected that, as soon as funds are available, some at any rate of these schemes will be undertaken by the municipalities concerned. A second committee was appointed during the year to enquire into the question of the water-supply of the municipalities on the west bank of the river, and their report is awaited. Enquiries are being made as to whether tube-wells will be found suitable as sources of water-supply in other municipal towns.

Tube-wells furnish a generally reliable and a comparatively inexpensive source of water-supply. The Minister accordingly hopes that chemical constituents of the water causing brackishness in isolated instances will not stand in the way of an extensive adoption of this method of water-supply, particularly by small municipalities which cannot afford a more expensive system of water-works.

Personal.—The Minister for Local Self-Government desires once more to record his appreciation of the very valuable work done by Dr. C. A. Bentley in his capacity as Director of Public Health, and of the efficient management of the engineering branch of the Public Health Department by the Chief Engineer, Mr. G. B. Williams, during the year under report. Dr. Bentley has presented the public health problems of the province with singular lucidity and has produced a report which will be of absorbing interest alike to sanitarians, medical men, and the general public. The interesting graphs which constitute a new feature in this year's report have considerably added to its value.

The Minister also desires to thank the other officers of the department whose services have been brought to the notice of Government. As the rousing of the sanitary conscience of the people is a most important factor in fighting disease, the Minister appreciates the services of Mr. K. P. Ray, publicity officer of the department of Public Health, and hopes that an improvement in the financial situation will make it possible to strengthen the publicity staff in the near future.

Thanks are also due to the Sanitary Board for advising on a number of sanitary schemes submitted by local bodies.

Among voluntary workers the names of Rai Bahadur Gopal Chandra Chatterjee, M.B., Secretary of the Central Co-operative Anti-malaria Society, Limited, and of Dr. D. N. Maitra, Secretary of the Bengal Social Service League, deserve prominent mention.

The Minister takes this opportunity of recording his thanks to both these gentlemen for their indefatigable services in the cause of public health in the province.

By order of the Government of Bengal,

(Ministry of Local Self-Government),

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (*offg.*).

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Second Forecast of the Wheat Crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

[NOTE.—On an average of the five years ending 1921-22, the area under wheat in Bengal has represented some 0·4 per cent. of the total area under wheat in India. The ratio of the irrigated wheat acreage to total wheat acreage in (*a*) British India and (*b*) in the territory now reported on has, in the five years ending 1921-22, averaged (*a*) 44·3 and (*b*) 18·2 per cent., respectively]

Character of the season.—The rainfall in September and October was sufficient for the field operations and for the sowings which began in the usual time. Slight showers during the first half of November helped the germination for a while, but subsequent continued drought during December seriously interfered with the growth of the crop. Slight rainfall in January has not generally been beneficial. On the whole the season has been unfavourable.

Area sown.—According to District officers' estimates, the total area sown was 120,200 acres this year against 124,800 and 124,400 acres respectively in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

Outturn.—From the District officers' estimates the provincial outturn works out at 63 per cent. of the normal against 74 and 75 per cent. reported respectively in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

R. S. FINLOW,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

DACCA, *the 27th February 1924.*

APPENDIX.

Second Forecast of the Wheat Crop of Bengal, 1923-24.

District.	Estimated normal area under the wheat crop.	Estimated area under wheat.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date on which the sowing of the crop was begun this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the District officers.
		Last year (1922-23).	This year (1923-24).	Last year.	This year.		
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Nadia	23,100	11,700	11,900	83	50	Beginning of November. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable for want of rain. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal for want of timely rainfall.
Murshidabad ...	35,500	21,800	21,300	67	58	October to middle of November.	The effects of weather on cultivation and growth of the crops have not been favourable owing to drought and want of timely rainfall. Some damage has been done to the crop by continued drought.
Jessore ...	3,800	900	700	50	50	October and first week of November. Normal.	Weather has been unfavourable.
Burdwan ...	1,600	2,300	1,500	100	75	Early November. Normal	The weather was dry and unfavourable for the crop.
Birbhum ...	4,800	3,100	2,800	83	60	Beginning of November. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with that of last year is due to scanty rainfall. Six annas damage has been done by drought.
Bankura ...	6,500*	3,400	3,000	100	83	Middle of November ...	The weather has not been very favourable.
Midnapore ...	800	800	800	83	75	November. Normal ...	The outturn will fall below the normal owing to want of rain since November last.
Hooghly ...	400	900	900	67	58	Middle of November. Late	The weather has not been favourable for want of rain.
Rajshahi ...	18,600	10,000	9,300	67	50	November. Normal ...	The weather has not been favourable for want of sufficient rain. Some damage has been reported from the Natore subdivision owing to drought. The decrease in area is due to want of rain at sowing time.
Dinajpur ...	1,800	1,600	1,800	59	53	End of October. Normal	Owing to unfavourable weather condition the outturn is anticipated to fall much below the normal.
Jalpaiguri ...	600	500	600	92	92	First week of November. Normal.	The weather has been fair. The outturn is anticipated to fall below the normal owing to absence of rain.
Darjeeling ...	2,900	2,500	2,500	83	92	October and November. Normal.	The weather has been fair. The outturn is anticipated to fall below the normal for want of sufficient rain at the time of sowing.
Rangpur ...	3,400	3,400	3,400	100	100	Beginning of November. Normal.	The weather has been favourable.
Bogra ...	100	300	300	70	50	Middle of November ...	The weather has not been favourable.
Pabna ...	8,800	6,600	4,700	67	58	Middle of November. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with that of the first forecast is due to revision. The weather has not been favourable owing to continued drought which retarded the growth of the crop.
Malda ...	43,000	48,000	48,000	75	66	Latter part of October. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable. Continued drought has retarded the growth of the crop; the recent rain has benefited the crop to some extent.
Dacca ...	4,100	3,500	3,500	76	82	Middle of November. Normal.	Want of timely rainfall has caused the outturn to fall below the normal. The recent rainfall, however, has facilitated the growth of the crop.
Mymensingh ...	500	600	600	100	100	November. Normal ...	The weather has been fair.
Faridpur ...	2,700	2,900	2,700	63	54	Latter part of October. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable and the outturn is expected to fall much below the normal.
TOTAL BENGAL	162,700	124,800	120,900	75	63		

*Revised.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Second Forecast of the Spring Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1923-24.

(NOTE.—On an average of the five years ending 1921-22, the area under linseed in Bengal has represented some 5·4 per cent. and that under rape and mustard 17·5 per cent. of the total area under these crops in British India.)

Character of the season.—As indicated in the first forecast, conditions were favourable in the beginning of the season, but subsequent drought has reduced the outturn in most of the important districts.

Area sown.—Oilseeds are grown chiefly in the Rajshahi, Dacca and Presidency Divisions, the other two divisions contributing little. The total area under these crops (excepting sesamum, for which separate forecasts are issued) is returned at 881,300 acres this year, as against 904,600 acres and 905,400 acres, respectively, in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

Outturn.—From the District Officers' estimates, the provincial outturn of the different oilseed crops works out at 73 per cent. of the normal as against 78 per cent. reported in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

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Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

DACCA, *the 27th February 1924.*

APPENDIX.

Second Forecast of the Spring Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1923-24.

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1922-23).	This year (1923-24).	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas...	Linseed	1,000	600*	600*	75	92	December and January. Normal.	The weather has been favourable on the whole. The outturn in anticipated to fall below the normal for want of rain at proper time.
	Rape and mustard ...	1,000	800*	800*	75	83		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	400†	400†	500†	87	88		
	Total ...	2,400	1,800	1,900	78	87		
Nadia ...	Linseed	55,700	34,100	33,600	83	67	End of January. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with the first forecast is due to revision made by the circle officer of Kushtia after personal enquiry and that with last year is due to unfavourable weather conditions at sowing time. The outturn is expected to fall much below the normal owing to want of rain all through.
	Rape and mustard ...	23,500	12,400	13,000	83	67		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*)	18,900	3,500†	3 100†	75	67		
	Total ...	98,100	50,000	47,700	82	67		
Murshidabad	Linseed	15,100	13,300	13,200	67	58	Middle of February to beginning of March. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of rainfall at sowing time The weather has been generally fair but its effects have not been favourable on account of continued drought. The outturn is anticipated to fall below the normal owing to damage caused by drought and insect pests in some places.
	Rape and mustard ...	14,200	13,500	13,000	67	58		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	6,800	3,900	3,800	67	58		
	Total ...	36,100	30,700	29,800	67	58		
Jessore ...	Linseed	8,100	10,300	11,000	65	54	By the end of February. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable. Continued drought since the sowing time has retarded the growth of the crops. The outturn is therefore anticipated to fall much below the normal.
	Rape and mustard ...	38,300	26,000	20,000	60	56		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	2,900	1,900	2,400	65	50		
	Total ...	49,300	38,200	33,400	62	55		
Khulna ...	Linseed	300	200	300	67	100	January. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of timely rain. The weather has been fair; its effects have not been favourable. The outturn is expected to be below the normal for want of timely rain and for the slight damage caused by insects.
	Rape and mustard ...	25,000	5,300	4,600	67	83		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	1,000†	500†	500†	78	86		
	Total ...	26,300	5,900	5,400	68	84		
Burdwan ...	Linseed	2,900	5,400	5,400	92	75	Not commenced yet.	The weather has been unfavourable and the outturn is expected to be below the normal.
	Rape and mustard ...	6,800	6,800	6,700	92	75		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	300	200	200	83	67		
	Total ...	9,900	12,400	12,300	92	75		
Birbhum ...	Linseed	800	800	800	67	50	...	The weather has not been favourable. The outturn is expected to be below the normal owing to want of rain which has caused damage to the extent of 50 per cent.
	Rape and mustard ...	1,900	1,800	1,800	67	50		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	200	200	67	50		
	Total ...	2,900	2,800	2,800	67	50		

* Conventional area. | †Including the area under cocoanut.

District.	Name of spring oil-seed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1922-23).	This year (1923-24).	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bankura ...	Linseed	2,200	1,800	2,000	100	83	January and February.	The weather has not been favourable owing to absence of timely rain.
	Rape and mustard ...	4,300	3,000	3,500	100	83	February.	
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	10,500†	5,700†	7,700†	100	83	End of January.	
	Total ...	17,300	10,500	13,200	100	83		
Midnapore ...	Linseed	4,900	1,100	1,100	75	83	January. Normal	The increase in area as compared with last year is due to extended cultivation. The weather has been fair. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal owing to insufficient rain at sowing time.
	Rape and mustard ...	13,200	5,400	10,800	83			
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	5,900	3,700	3,700	83			
	Total ...	24,000	10,200	15,300	83	83		
Hooghly ...	Linseed	100	100	100	75	83	End of January. Late.	The decrease in area as compared with last year is due to unfavourable weather condition at sowing time. The weather has been fair. The outturn is anticipated to fall below the normal for want of timely rain.
	Rape and mustard ...	2,900	1,900	1,500		83		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	400	300	400		83		
	Total ...	3,400	2,300	2,000	75	82		
Howrah ...	Linseed	300	300	100	50	50	End of January. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with last year is due to want of rain. The weather has not been favourable on account of drought which has caused some damage.
	Rape and mustard ...	600	600	600	50	62		
	Total ...	900	900	700	50	60		
Rajshahi ...	Linseed	14,500	13,300	10,600	58	58	January. Normal	The decrease in area as compared with last year is due to want of rain. The weather has not been favourable. The outturn is expected to be much below the normal owing to want of rain and to considerable damage caused by drought and insect pests.
	Rape and mustard ...	53,100	40,900	36,800	58	58	Latter part of January. Normal.	
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	2,300	1,200	1,300	58	58	Beginning of March. Normal.	
	Total ...	69,900	55,400	48,700	58	58		
Dinajpur ...	Linseed	(40)*	(40)*	(40)*	75	50	By the middle of January. Normal.	The increase in area as compared with last year is due to high price of oil. The weather has not been favourable. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal owing to drought which caused damage.
	Rape and mustard ...	62,400	57,100	65,300	71	66		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	100	100	...	75	...		
	Total ...	62,500	57,200	65,300	71	66		
Jalpaiguri ...	Rape and mustard ...	52,400	39,800	41,200	100	100	Middle of January to middle of February. Normal.	The increase in area is due to extension of cultivation. The weather has been favourable and a normal outturn is anticipated.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	100	100	100	100		
	Total ...	52,600	39,900	41,300	100	100		

* Conventional area.

† Including area under groundnut.

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1922-23).	This year (1923-24).	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Darjeeling	Rape and mustard	3,100	1,500	1,600	100	100	January. Normal	The weather has been favourable.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	200	200	100	100		
	Total	3,300	1,700	1,800	100	100		
Rangpur	Rape and mustard	138,400	60,700	62,700	100	100	Beginning of January. Normal.	The weather has been favourable. Slight damage has been done by drought.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	300	200	200	100	100		
	Total	138,700	60,900	62,900	100	100		
Bogra	Linseed	1,300	1,600	1,600	70	60	Middle of March.	The weather has not been favourable owing to absence of moisture.
	Rape and mustard	26,000	14,000	16,000	75	60	Middle of January.	
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	300	300	300	50	60	End of December.	
	Total	27,600	15,900	17,700	74	60		
Pabna	Linseed	14,300	10,400	10,700	67	58	Not yet commenced	The increase in area as compared with the first forecast is due to revision and that with last year is due to extension of cultivation.
	Rape and mustard	81,900	72,700	74,900	67	58	Third week of January.	The weather was favourable at sowing time, but want of seasonable rainfall since then has retarded the growth of the crops. The damage caused by drought is about 5 annas.
	Total	96,100	83,100	85,600	67	58		
Malda	Linseed	4,000	4,500	4,500	66	72	End of February...	The decrease in area as compared with the first forecast and with last year is due to want of timely rainfall.
	Rape and mustard	10,000	15,000	12,000	74	67	Middle of January. Normal.	The weather has been unfavourable. Want of rain has retarded the growth of the crops and is likely to reduce the outturn considerably.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	3,300	800	800	59	54	End of February. Normal.	
	Total	17,300	20,300	17,300	72	67		
Dacca	Linseed	5,200	4,400	4,400	67	92	Middle of February	Want of sufficient rain since the submission of the first forecast has affected the growth of the crops. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal owing to damage caused by drought.
	Rape and mustard	73,500	72,800	71,200	77	75	January.	
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	1,100	300	300	67	83	Will begin in March.	
	Total	79,800	77,200	75,800	76	76		
Mymensingh	Linseed	3,500	3,100	2,400	75	75	Middle of January	The decrease is mainly attributed to increase in the area under sugarcane in Kishorganj subdivision. The weather has been fair.
	Rape and mustard	284,000	233,300	208,500	75	75		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	800	(5)	...	75	...		
	Total	288,300	236,400	210,900	75	75		
Faridpur	Linseed	6,000	6,000	6,000	82	83	Not yet commenced	The decrease in area under rape and mustard as compared with last year is due to want of rain at proper time. The weather has not been favourable and the outturn is anticipated to fall below the normal by 34 per cent.
	Rape and mustard	24,600	24,400	23,500	88	70	End of January ...	
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	1,100	1,200	1,100	90	60	Not yet commenced	
	Total	31,700	31,600	30,600	87	66		

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1922-23).	This year (1923-24).	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bakarganj	Linseed	4,200	4,000	4,100	100	92	Not yet commenced.	Heavy shower of rain in November last caused late sowing. The outturn is below the normal due to late sowings.
	Rape and mustard ...	1,800	2,000	1,900	100	92		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	100	100	100	100	92		
	Total ...	6,100	6,100	6,100	100	92		
Chittagong	Linseed	100	100	100	83	100	March	The weather has been favourable and the outturn is expected to be normal.
	Rape and mustard ...	2,000	2,000	2,000	83	100	January.	
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	100	100	100	83	100	February.	
	Total ...	2,200	2,200	2,200	83	100	The dates are normal.	
Tippera	Linseed	4,200	4,200	4,000	100	83	February. Normal	The slight decrease in area as compared with last year is due to drought. The weather has been fair. The outturn is anticipated to fall below the normal owing to damage caused by drought and insect-pests.
	Rape and mustard ...	28,000	25,400	24,000	100	83		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	600	500	500	100	67		
	Total ...	32,800	30,100	28,500	100	83		
Noakhali	Linseed	6,300	7,100	7,100	100	83	Not yet commenced.	Want of rain has affected the growth of the crops to some extent and is likely to reduce the outturn.
	Rape and mustard ...	1,000	600	600				
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	700	900†	900†				
	Total ...	8,000	8,600	8,600	100	83		
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rape and mustard ...	13,000	13,500	13,500	83	100	Last week of January. Normal.	The weather has been favourable and a normal outturn is anticipated.
Total Bengal	Linseed	154,800	126,700	122,600	77	67		
	Rape and mustard ...	986,100	753,700	730,700	78	76		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	58,400	26,000	28,000	81	68		
	Total ...	1,199,300	905,400	881,300	78	73		

† Including the area of 100 acres under cocoanut.

Vital Statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 23rd February 1924.

District.	No.	Towns	Population under Registration according to Census of 1921.			Births Registered		Deaths Registered.																								
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding week of the previous year. Male.	Female.	Total.
Calcutta	1	Calcutta	617,550	290,261	907,851	319	14	13	...	1	21	12	14	...	10	36	29	5	11	73	41	67	10	1	182	276	250	526	246	192	438
Burdwan	2	Asansol Mining Settlement.	176,814	152,539	329,353	124	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	7	1	...	..	7	...	11	1	...	32	44	39	83	65	61	126
Howrah	3	Howrah	128,472	66,329	195,801	63	4	10	2	...	6	5	1	...	1	18	8	11	...	12	...	22	1	...	17	68	46	114	53	42	95
Dacca	4	Dacca	67,333	52,117	119,450	90	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	19	3	1	...	12	3	8	2	...	11	39	22	61	24	21	45
24-Parganas	5	Manikтala	40 998	26,376	67,372	23	3	3	...	...	9	...	2	...	...	3	3	1	...	5	8	16	...	...	6	25	31	56	26	24	50
	6	Bhatpara	45,723	19,886	65,609	9	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	5	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	5	10	8	18	5	5	10
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur.	36,289	20,185	56,474	11	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	3	...	5	...	...	10	19	5	24	13	12	25
	8	Titagarh	36,533	15,918	52,451	10	...	3	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	5	18	11	29	8	14	22

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 1st March 1924.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Irrigation operations for the official year 1923-24.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of December 1923.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Details of areas leased.							Rainfall, 1923-24.		Rainfall, 1922-23.	
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.						During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.
									Kharif.	*Rabi.*	Sugarcane.	Hot weather.	Total.	Grand total.				
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres	Acres.	Acres.	Inches	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
S.-W. Circle.	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	60	...	53,929	73,309	62,648	1,283	...	...	...	1,283	63,931	0·08	43·96	...	52·93
		Panchkura	522	23	...	5,415	4,869	6,099	...	...	...	...	...	6,099	0·13	43·06	...	57·95
	Howrah	Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43·85	...	81·56
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	69,344	78,178	68,747	1,283	...	...	...	1,283	70,030	...	...	...	...
		Total of the corresponding period last year.	...	...	...	...	...	76,266	3,689	...	...	...	3,689	79,955	...	...	...	...
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	3	1	20,316	21,417	19,292	168*	269	34	...	471	19,763	...	55·30	...	69·83
		Total of the corresponding period last year	...	...	...	...	...	20,912	72	105	21	...	198	21,110	...	...	...	...
		Grand Total	...	...	...	89,660	99,595	88,039	1,451	269	34	...	1,754	89,793	...	...	...	...
		Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	97,178	3,761	105	21	...	3,887	101,065	...	...	..	...

* Of which 5 acres are "single watering."

CALCUTTA, *the 26th February 1924.*

A. G. MAFLIN, *Personal Assistant*
to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 23rd February 1924.

Month and date	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year	Remarks.
1924					
17th February ...	7 A.M	5·8	5·8	6·9	Zero is placed at mean sea level.
18th ,, ...	7 ,,	5·9	5·9	6·9	
19th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·0	6·0	6·8	The bench mark for this gauge is
20th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·1	6·1	6·8	marked on a pucca pillar
21st ,, ...	7 ,,	6 4	6 4	6·9	between the passenger ghat and
22nd ,, ...	7 ,,	6 7	6 7	6 6	Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
23rd ,, ...	7 ,,	6·9	6 9	6 4	

Highest water level of the year	...	24·1.
Lowest water level of the year	...	5·7
Highest recorded flood ...	...	24 1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood	...	25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25 66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Lowest recorded water-level	...	5 7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923
Previous recorded low water-level	...	1 0 on the 9th February 1914.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909

C. H. DE, for *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAJBARI, *the 24th February 1924.* *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 23rd February 1924.

Date	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks
1924.					
17th February ...	7 A M.	38·60	38 60	36·75	P. W. D. datum 6 25
18th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·60	38·60	36 75	feet above Kidderpur
19th ,, ...	7 ,,	38 55	38 55	36 65	old dock sill.
20th ,, ...	7 ,,	38 55	38 55	36·55	B. M. on Rajshahi
21st ,, ...	7 ,,	38·45	38·45	36·55	College step 64·93.
22nd ,, ...	7 ,,	38 35	38 35	36·55	Value of zero = 0·00
23rd ,, ...	7 ,,	38 30	38 30	36 55	P. W. D.

			Old value.	According to P. W. Datum.
The previous year	...	Highest water level ...	on 27th August 1923	... 61·05
Do	...	Lowest ,, ...	on 4th May 1923	... 35·80
Record	...	Highest ,, ...	69 25 on 26th August 1879	... 64 44
Do	...	Ditto ,, ...	69 08 on 9th September 1885	... 64 27
Do	...	Ditto ,, ...	68 80 on 25th August 1906	... 63·47
Do.	...	Ditto ,, ...	68 21 on 26 h August 1890	... 63 40
Do	..	Lowest ,, ...	37 63 on 25th April 1884	... 32 82
Do	...	Ditto ,, ...	38 13 on 14th and 15th April 1883	... 33 32
Do	...	Ditto ,, ...	39 02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	... 34 21
Do.	...	Ditto ,, ...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	... 34 47
Do	...	Ditto ,, ...	on 9th May 1922	... 34·70

N B –The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

SYED MOBARAK HOSAIN, for *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAMPUR BOALIA, *the 23rd February 1924.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 27th February 1924.

Summary.—With the exception of scattered showers in parts of North Bengal, there was practically no rainfall throughout the province. Ploughing of lands for jute and paddy is in full swing but rain is needed for their sowings. Gathering of mustard is nearing completion. Reaping of other spring crops and pressing of sugarcane are progressing favourably. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 0·28 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	Nil	6½	6¾	Effects of weather on crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8	8¼	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	Nil	7⅛	7⅛	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8	8	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and sugarcane and cultivation of *bhadoi* crops continue. Rain is badly needed. Cattle-disease is reported from Sadar. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7½	(a)	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	8	8	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	8	8	Prospects of the standing crops are discouraging in Lalbagh subdivision and fair elsewhere. Fodder is sufficient. No large import or export. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Jaiganj in Lalbagh.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Jangipur ...	0·02	8¼	8¼	
	Kandi ...	0·00	8¼ to 8½	8	
4	Jessore .	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Lands are being prepared for the sowing of jute and paddy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large import or export.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	9	
	Magura ...	Nil	9¼	9¼	
	Narail ...	Nil	9¾	10	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

(a) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	0·01	8	8	Weather seasonable and its effects on crops are beneficial. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Threshing of *aman* paddy, harvesting of potatoes and pressing of sugarcane are going on. Stock of rice is sufficient. Export and import as usual. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	
7	BIRBHUM ...	0·05	8	8	Pressing of sugarcane is going on. Cattle-disease is reported from Rampurhat and Nalhati thanas. Fodder is sufficient but water is insufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	Nil	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane has commenced. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cattle-disease is reported from Ranibandh thana. Export of rice and paddy continues. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	8	8½	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	8½	8½	Transplantation of *boro* paddy and harvesting of *rabi* crops are progressing. Fodder and water are sufficient. Import and export are normal.
	Contai ...	Nil	9	8½	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8	8	
	Jhargram ...	Nil	8	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Rain is needed Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	6½	7	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8½	8½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	*Rabi* and other standing crops are thriving.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Drought is apprehended in Nator subdivision. Fodder is sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	0·04	8½	8½	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	0·10	7⅛	7⅛	Harvesting of mustard is completed. Cattle-disease is reported from Patnitola police-station. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	0·13	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8	8	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	7	
15	DARJEELING ...	0·01	5	5	Potatoes, mustard, sugarcane, wheat and barley are being harvested. Maize and potatoes are being sown in places. Fodder and water are sufficient
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong ...	Nil	5½	5½	

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	Rangpur ...	0·05	6½	6½	Harvesting of *rabi* crops is nearly finished. Lands are under preparation for jute and *aus* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. Rain is badly wanted. Cattle-disease is reported from Palashbari, Gaibandha and Govindaganj Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	0·13	6½	6⅝	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	6½	6½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6	6	
17	Bogra ...	0·04	7⅛	7⅛	Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Preparation of lands for jute and *aus* paddy continues. Rain is required for the sowing of jute. Stray cases of cattle-disease is reported from Gabtali thana.
18	Pabna ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	Rains are badly wanted. Fodder and water are adequate. Stock of food-grains is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	0·02	6	6	
19	Malda ...	0·03	8	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair.
20	Cooch Behar	0·02	(*n*)	8	Preparation of lands for *bitri* paddy and jute are going on. Cattle-disease exists in the interior.
21	Dacca ...	Nil	7½	7½	Fields are being prepared for jute and *aus* paddy. Rain is needed for the growth of standing *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are not satisfactory for want of rain. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Narayanganj ...	Nil	7½	7	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	Nil	7½	7½	
22	Mymensingh ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *rabi* crops is nearly finished and preparation of lands for *aus* paddy and jute are going on. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Fodder and water are available.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	Nil	7	7	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	7½	8	Cultivation of lands for jute and *aus* paddy is going on. Prospects and state of the standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	Nil	7½	7⅝	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	9½	9½	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	Nil	9½	9½	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	8 7½†	8 7½†	Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	8	8	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	8	8	
25	Chittagong ...	Nil	7 6½*	7 6½*	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and cultivation of *panic aus* crops have commenced. Prospects of standing crops are good. Water and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Satkania and Lanskhali. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	7	7	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	Weather hot and sometimes cloudy at Brahmanbaria but seasonable elsewhere. Standing crops are progressing fairly. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Brahmanbaria and good elsewhere. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	6⅝	6⅝	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7⅛	7⅛	
27	Noakhali ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are not bad in Sadar and are fair in Feni subdivision. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	7	8	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	Tripura State	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Clearing of *jhooms* is going on and transplantation of *boro* paddy is finished. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are fair. Condition of cattle is good. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 25 to Rs. 40 and jute at Rs. 7 to Rs. 9 per maund.

* Burma rice. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. Roy, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, *the 1st March 1924.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION—No. 989Misc.

Calcutta, the 25th February 1924.

THE price-lists of staple food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), for the period from 1st October to 31st December 1923, having been approved by the Board of Revenue, Bengal, are published for general information.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,

F. W. ROBERTSON,

Secretary.

Price-list (retail) of Staple Food-Crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39 of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), for three months from October to December 1923.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Mart at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st December 1923.
					October.	November.	December.	
	Subdivision—				S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Burdwan.	Sadar ...	Burdwan Nutun-ganj.	Rice ...	Last day of every month ...	8 4	8 8	7 11	7 15
	Asansol ...	Raniganj ...	Do. ...	27th of every month ...	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 5
	Katwa ...	Katwa ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	8 6	8 0	8 0	8 2
	Kalna ...	Kalna ...	Do. ...	28th of every month ...	7 4	7 2	7 0	7 2
Birbhum.	Sadar ...	Suri ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Rampur Hât ...	Rampur Hât ...	Do. ...	Last Monday or Friday of every month.	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 12
Bankura.	Sadar ...	Bankura ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	8 2	8 2	8 0	8 1
	Vishnupur ...	Vishnupur ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	8 8	8 0	9 0	8 8
Midnapore.	Sadar ...	Colonelgola and School Bazar, town Midnapore.	Do. ...	Do. ...	8 11	8 6	8 11	8 9
	Ghatal ...	Ghatal Municipal Market.	Do. ...	27th of every month ...	7 8	7 4	7 12	7 8
	Tamluk ...	Tamluk Bazar ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 9
	Contai ...	Kantanala Bazar, town Contai.	Do. ...	Last market day, *i.e.*, last Sunday or Thursday, whichever is nearer to the last day of every month.	10 0	11 0	9 8	10 2
Hooghly.	Sadar ...	Hooghly ...	Do. ...	Last Thursday of every month.	6 7	6 14	6 13	6 11
	Serampore ...	Serampore ...	Do. ...	First or last Saturday of every month.	6 6	6 0	8 0	6 12
	Arambagh ...	Arambagh ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 5
Howrah.	Sadar ...	Ramkristopur ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 13
	Uluberia ...	Uluberia ...	Do. ...	Last Saturday of every month.	7 8	8 0	7 8	7 10

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

	Subdivision—				S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
24-Parganas.	Sadar ...	Chetla Hât ...	Rice ...	Last Wednesday of every month.	7 2	6 4	6 4	6 8
	Barasat and Barrackpore.	Barasat ...	Do. ...	Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	7 0	7 4	8 0	7 6
	Diamond Harbour.	Magrahat ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	8 0	9 8	8 5	8 9
	Basirhat ...	Baduria ...	Do. ...	Second Tuesday of every month.	7 9	8 4	8 4	8 0

PRESIDENCY DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st December 1923.
					October.	November.	December.	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Nadia.	Subdivision—							
	Sadar ...	Goari ...	Rice ...	Last day of every month ...	7 5	7 4	7 4	7 4
	Ranaghat ...	Ranaghat ...	Do. ...	28th of every month ...	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
	Meherpur ...	Meherpur Kalibazar.	Do. ...	Last Monday of every month	7 4	7 4	8 0	7 8
	Chuadanga ...	Chuadanga ...	Do. ...	Saturday immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	8 14	8 6	8 0	8 6
	Kushtia ...	Bahadurkhali ...	Do. ...	28th of every month ...	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
Murshidabad.	Sadar ...	Berhampore Khagra.	Do. ...	Do. ...	7 15	8 1	7 8	7 13
	Lalbagh ...	Jiaganj ...	Do ...	First Monday of every month	7 2	8 8	8 14	8 2
	Kandi ...	Kandi ..	Do. ...	The last market day before the 28th of every month.	8 4	8 8	8 4	8 5
	Jangipur ...	Raghunathganj	Do. ...	Do. ...	8 6	8 6	8 0	8 4
Jessore.	Sadar ...	Jessore ...	Do. ...	Monday or Friday falling on or next before the last day of every month.	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 5
	Narail ...	Rupganj ...	Do. ...	Sunday or Thursday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	10 0	10 0	9 4	9 12
	Magura ...	Magura ..	Do. ...	Thursday or Sunday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Thursday falling on or next before the 26th.	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Jhenida ...	Jhenida ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	8 0	9 0	9 0	8 10
	Bongaon ...	Bongaon ...	Do. ...	Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	7 0	6 8	8 8	7 5
Khulna.	Sadar ...	Khulna Bazar (*alias* Sahebertat).	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Satkhira ...	Satkhira Bazar (*alias* Prausbire).	Do. ...	28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the 26th.	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Bagerhat ...	Bagerhat ...	Do. ...	Sunday falling on or before the 28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the Sunday falling on or before the 26th.	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0

DACCA DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Dacca.	Subdivision—							
	Narayanganj ..	Narayanganj Bazar.	Rice ...	Last market day before the 13th of every month.	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 13
	Sadar ...	Dacca Town Imamganj Bazar.	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	7 6	7 8	8 2	7 10
	Manikganj ...	Dasora Bazar ...	Do. ...	Market day falling on or immediately before the 28th of every month.	7 8	7 8	8 0	7 10
	Munshiganj ...	Munshirhat ...	Do. ...	Last Sunday of every month	8 8	8 4	8 4	8 5

DACCA DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st December 1923.
					October.	November.	December.	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
	Subdivision—							
Mymensingh.	Jamalpur ...	Raniganj ...	Rice ...	Last market day of the 3rd week of every month.	7 8	9 8	7 8	8 2
	Tangail ...	Kagmari ...	Do. ...	Do. do. ...	6 12	6 6	6 6	6 8
	Netrakona ...	Netrakona ...	Do. ...	Do. do. ...	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 5
	Sadar ...	Nasirabad ...	Do. ...	Do. do. ...	7 10	7 0	7 5	7 5
	Kishorganj ...	Kishorganj ...	Do. ...	Do. do. ...	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 3
Faridpur.	Sadar ...	Faridpur ...	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	7 8	7 12	8 0	7 12
	Madaripur ...	Madaripur ...	Do. ...	On the market day preceding the 28th of every month.	10 0	9 0	9 0	9 5
	Goalundo ...	Rajbari ...	Do. ...	Do. do. ...	7 4	7 0	7 8	7 3
	Gopalganj ...	Gopalganj ...	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	8 0	9 0	10 0	9 0
Bakarganj.	Patuakhali ...	Patuakhali ...	Do. ...	Last market day preceding the last day of every month.	6 8	7 14	7 14	7 9
	Pirojpur ...	Pirojpur ...	Do. ...	Do. do. ...	7 8	8 0	8 4	7 12
	Sadar ...	Barisal ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	7 0	7 8	7 5	7 4
	Dakhin Shahbazpur.	Bhola Hât ...	Do. ...	Last market day preceding the last day of every month.	7 7	8 4	8 0	7 14

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

	Subdivision—				S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Tippera.	Brahmanbaria	Brahmanbaria ...	Rice ...	Market day immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	7 4	7 4	7 10	7 6
	Sadar ...	Rajganja Bazar, Comilla.	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	6 13	6 14	8 4	7 5
	Chandpur ...	Chandpur Old Bazar.	Do. ...	Market day immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	6 10	6 14	6 13	6 12
Noakhali.	Sadar ...	Kalitara Hât ...	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	7 6	7 6	7 11	7 7
	Feni ...	Feni Bazar ...	Do. ...	Do. do. ...	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 5
Chittagong.	Sadar ...	Buxl Hât ...	Do. ...	Last Saturday of every month	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 10
	Cox's Bazar ..	Cox's Bazar ...	Do. ...	Friday immediately preceding the 26th, or the 26th if that day happens to be a Friday.	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 5

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

	Subdivision—				S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Rajshahi.	Sadar ...	Saheb Bazar ...	Rice ...	Last day of every month ...	7 5	7 8	7 8	7 7
	Naogaon ...	Naogaon ...	Do. ...	Do. do. ...	6 8	6 8	8 0	7 0
	Nator ...	Nator ...	Do. ...	Do. do ...	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12
Dinajpur.	Sadar ...	Railway Bazar Hât.	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	7 13	7 0	7 8	7 1
	Thakurgaon ...	Lahirihat ...	Do. ...	.....	9 2	8 6	8 0	8 8
	Balurghat ...	Balurghat ...	Do. ...	.....	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 10
Jalpaiguri.	Alipur Duars ...	Alipur Duars ...	Do. ...	.....	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8
	Sadar ...	Dinbazar ...	Do. ...	15th of every month ...	6 6	6 13	7 1	6 12

RAJSHAHI DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending 31st December 1923.
					October.	November.	December.	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Rangpur.	Subdivision—Sadar ...	Nawabganj Chaliamad, Rangpur.	Rice ...	Last Wednesday or Saturday, whichever may be next to the last day of every month.	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 1
	Nilphamari ...	Sagarmacha ...	Do. ...	Last Wednesday or Sunday, whichever may be close to the 28th of every month.	6 0	7 0	6 0	6 5
	Kurigram ...	Kurigram ...	Do. ...	Last Saturday or Tuesday next to the 28th of every month.	5 8	5 12	6 2	5 12
	Gaibandha ...	Gaibandha Bazar	Do. ...	27th of every month ...	6 0	6 4	6 0	6 1
Bogra	District of Bogra	Kalitala Hat ...	Do. ...	Last Sunday of every month.	6 4	6 8	7 8	6 12
Pabna.	Subdivision—Sadar ...	Pabna Bazar ...	Do. ...	15th of every month ...	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4
	Serajganj ...	Fariapati at Serajganj.	Do. ...	Do. ...	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0
Malda	District of Malda	Balia Nawabganj	Do. ...	Second Wednesday of every month.	7 13	8 0	8 12	8 3

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 16th February 1924.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1924.							
10th Feb.	52·5	16-40	53·1	10-20	51·75	52·9	R. T. at 16-45. F. T. at 10-32.
11th ,, ...	52·4	17-30	52·7	11-5	51·45	52 55	R. T. at 17-45. F. T. at 11-10.
12th ,, ...	52·3	18-20	52·5	11-50	51·25	52·45	R. T. at 18-27. F. T. at 11-55.
13th ,, ...	52·2	Dark		12 45	51·05	52·0	F. T. at 12-57.
14th ,, ...	51·75	6-30	52·0	13-30	50·8	51·8	R. T. at 6-38. F. T. at 13-38.
15th ,, ...	51·6	7-35	51·95	14 5	50·75	51·4	R. T. at 7-42. F. T. at 14-15.
16th ,, ...	51·55	8-30	51·75	14-50	50·5	51·1	R. T. at 8-37. F. T. at 15-6.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

High.				Low.			
27th August	1906	...	70·5	23rd February	1907	...	51·06
5th September	1909	...	67·86	18th ,,	1908	...	51·06
10th August	1910	...	69·86	12th March	1912	...	51·06
1st ,,	1911	...	68·46	6th ,,	1914	...	50·60
18th ,,	1912	...	67·16	22nd February	1915	...	50·80
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7	15th ,,	1916	...	50·60
18th ,,	1916	...	68·1	3rd March	1917	...	51·0
12th ,,	1917	...	67·1	21st February	1918	...	51·40
31st ,,	1918	...	69·12	26th ,,	1919	...	50·4
2nd ,,	1919	...	66·5	18th ,,	1920	...	50·9
8th September	1920	...	66·9	19th ,,	1921	...	50·8
28th July	1921	...	68·4	8th March	1922	...	51·05
10th August	1922	...	68·00				

Taken at high tide. Taken at low tide.

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48·51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

M. SINGH, for *Executive Engineer,*
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 27th February 1924.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF [redacted]AL

during March 1924.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
March.	HOURS.		
12th, Wednesday ...	7-10	Arrive Bogra.	
	17-50	Leave Bogra ...	By special train.
13th, Thursday ...	7-25	Arrive Siliguri.	
	8-30	Leave Siliguri ...	By motor.
	12-30	Arrive Darjeeling.	

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
March.	HOURS.		
14th, Friday and 15th, Saturday.	.....	Halt.	
16th, Sunday ...	16-15	Leave Darjeeling ...	By motor car and from Ghoom by trolly.
	20-0	Arrive Siliguri.	
	21-0	Leave Siliguri ...	By mail train.
17th, Monday ...	4-55	Arrive Santahar.	
	5-45	Leave Santahar.	
	11-16	Arrive Sealdah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Countess of Lytton* (up to Darjeeling).
Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Private Secretary.
Major E. H. V. Hodge, I.M.S., Surgeon* (up to Darjeeling).
Major H. G. Benton, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain S. B. Horn, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.
Captain G. B. Fyldes, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.
Captain D. W. M. Prinsep, Aide-de-Camp* (up to Darjeeling).
Captain H. Bruce Johnstone, Aide-de-Camp* (up to Darjeeling).

(2) All letters and telegrams should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the name of any post town.*

(3) The arrivals at Rangpur and Bogra will be public; all other arrivals and departures will be private.

* Will not go to Rangpur and Bogra

J. MACKENZIE, LIEUT.-COL.,
Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 27th February 1924.*

No. 3753A.—The 3rd March 1924.—Under the provisions of section 93 of the Government of India Act, His Excellency the Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. George Tremenheere Huntingford of his office of member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 3756A.—The 3rd March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 26 (*2*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Christopher Addams-Williams, C.I.E., an official, to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 1186A.R.—The 4th March 1924.—In modification of the orders contained in this Government notification No. 881A.R., dated the 5th February 1924, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. Muhammad Yusuf, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Mymensingh, to be a Commissioner in the place of Mr. J. F. Graham, I.C.S., to enquire into the petition presented by Babu Shyam Chand Basak against the election of Rai Pyari Lal Das Bahadur to the Bengal Legislative Council. His Excellency the Governor is also pleased to appoint Mr. Muhammad Yusuf to be the President of the Commissioners.

Mymensingh.

No. 1193A.R.—The 6th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 26 (*2*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Satyendra Nath Roy, I.C.S., being an official, to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 1250A.R.—The 6th March 1924.—Under section 93 of the Government of India Act, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mr. D. H. Lees, I.C.S., of his office of member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 1275A.R.—The 11th March 1924.—Under section 93 of the Government of India Act, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mr. Herbert Philip Duval, C.I.E., I.C.S., of his office of member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 1278A.R.—The 11th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 26 (*2*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Henry Crawford Liddell, I.C.S., being an official, to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 4217A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3797A.—The 4th March 1924.*—The orders dated the 25th January 1924, posting Babu Surendra Mohan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, to the Presidency Division, are cancelled.

Presy. Divn.

No. 4031A.—The 5th March 1924.—Mr. Suresh Chandra Ghatak, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Dacca district.

Dacca.

No. 4034A.—The 5th March 1924.—Babu Amarendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Khulna district.

Mymensingh.
Khulna.

No. 4037A.—The 5th March 1924.—Babu Basanta Kumar Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Murshidabad district.

Murshidabad.

No. 4040A.—The 5th March 1924.—Babu Charu Chandra Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Nadia district.

Nadia.

No. 4043A.—The 5th March 1924.—Babu Kali Das Bagchi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kishoreganj, Mymensingh, is appointed to have charge of the Jangipur subdivision of the Murshidabad district.

Mymensingh.
Murshidabad.

No. 4046A.—The 5th March 1924.—Maulvi Abdus Sobhan Mahmud, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jangipur, Murshidabad, is appointed to have charge of the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

Murshidabad.
Mymensingh.

No. 4050A.—The 5th March 1924.—Babu Brajendra Nath Das Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Faridpur, on probation, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Mymensingh district.

Faridpur.
Mymensingh.

No. 4073A.—The 6th March 1924.—Mr. Satyendra Nath Roy, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 4078A.—The 6th March 1924.—Mr. Atul Chandra Datta, Additional District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Bogra.

24-Parganas.
Bogra.

No. 4081A.—The 6th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Rai Kumud Bandhu Das Gupta Bahadur, Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, to be Additional District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, and to direct that he shall have during the period he is so employed all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code and under all other laws in force in that district.

Calcutta. 24-Parganas.

No. 4087A.—The 6th March 1924.—Mr. W. S. Hopkyns, O.B.E., I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Mymensingh, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department.

Mymensingh.

No. 4090A.—The 6th March 1924.—Mr. J. R. Blair, Additional District Magistrate, Mymensingh, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 4092A.—The 6th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. L. B. Burrows, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, to be Additional District Magistrate, Mymensingh, and to direct that he shall have during the period he is so employed all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code and under all other laws in force in that district.

Chittagong. Mymensingh.

No. 4142A.—The 7th March 1924.—Mr. L. W. H. D. Best, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Alipur, Jalpaiguri, is appointed to have charge of the Barrackpore subdivision of the 24-Parganas district.

Jalpaiguri. 24-Parganas.

No. 4145A.—The 7th March 1924.— Mr. A. E. Porter, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to have charge of the Alipur subdivision of the Jalpaiguri district.

Midnapore. Jalpaiguri.

POLICE.—*No. 4103A.—The 6th March 1924.*—Mr. T. J. Clark, probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Dacca, under orders of transfer to Kharagpur, Midnapore, was temporarily attached to the headquarters station of the Midnapore district from the 13th to the 19th February 1924, both days inclusive.

Dacca. Midnapore.

CONFIRMATION.

POLICE.—*No. 3778A.—The 4th March 1924.*—Maulvi Muhammad Yusuf, Deputy Superintendent of Police, on probation is confirmed in his appointment with effect from the 21st February 1924.

No. 4063A.—The 5th March 1924.—The probationary Assistant Superintendents of Police named below are confirmed in the inferior scale of the Indian (Imperial) Police Service:—

Mr. E. E. English.
„ T. J. Clark.
„ A. J. Kennedy.
„ W. A. B. Price.
Mr. C. J. Minister.
„ R. Higgins.
„ G. E. T. H. Evans.
„ D. A. Brayden.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3782A.—The 4th March 1924.*—Mr. R. W. Morde, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for four months, viz., leave on average pay for two months and twenty-seven days (of which fourteen days are on account of privilege leave at his credit) and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rules 77 (*b*) and 81 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules with effect from the 24th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which his services may be replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3784A.—The 4th March 1924.—Mr. Satyendra Nath Mustafi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is allowed leave on average pay for one week, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders dated the 19th December 1923.

Mymensingh.

No. 3791A.—The 4th March 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Amjad Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on quarter average pay from the 4th September 1923 to 20th November 1923 under articles 81 (*d*) and 88 of the Fundamental Rules and extraordinary leave from the 21st November 1923 to 28th January 1924 under article 85 (*a*) of those rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 24th April 1923.

No. 3800A.—The 4th March 1924.— Babu Rash Behari Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 19th November 1923.

No. 4055A.—The 5th March 1924.—Mr. Kali Charan Som, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on average pay for six weeks (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders dated the 26th December 1923.

No. 4057A.—The 5th March 1924.—The orders contained in notification No. 3362A., dated the 15th February 1924, granting leave to Babu Jatindra Mohan Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, Brahmanbaria, Tippera, for a period of three months, are cancelled.

Tippera.

No. 4059A.—The 5th March 1924.—Babu Priya Nath Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, Birbhum, is allowed leave for two months, viz., leave on average pay for one month and twenty-six days and leave on half average pay for the remaining period, under articles 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 15th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Birbhum.

No. 4070A.—The 6th March 1924.—Mr. J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for two years and four months, viz., leave on average pay for eight months (including privilege leave for twenty-three days), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 25th March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Hooghly.

No. 4084A.—The 6th March 1924.—Mr. M. C. McAlpin, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department, is allowed leave for twenty-eight months, viz., leave on average pay for eight months under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules with effect from the 10th April 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

No. 4104A.—The 6th March 1924.—Mr. Harold Graham, I.C.S., has been granted by the High Commissioner for India an extension of leave for three months on medical certificate.

No. 4137A.—The 7th March 1924.—Babu Akhil Chandra Gangali, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for one month, viz., leave on average pay for four days under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 26th December 1923.

No. 4148A.—The 7th March 1924.—Mr. H. W. Lyne, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Barrackpore, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for eight months, viz., leave on average pay for one month and twenty-six days (entirely on account of privilege leave), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 28th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

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No. 4152A.—The 8th March 1924.—Mr. J. D. Tyson, I.C.S., Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Finance, Commerce and Marine Departments, is allowed leave on half average pay for eight months, under rule 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 14th March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 4156A.—The 8th March 1924.—In modification of the orders contained in notification No. 3343A., dated 15th February 1924, Mr. J. W. Nelson, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for six months and eighteen days (of which four days are on account of privilege leave), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 10th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Chittagong.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3795A.—The 4th March 1924.—In the last line of notification No. 2845A., dated the 31st January 1924, published at page 205, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th February 1924, announcing the result of the second half-yearly departmental examination held in November 1923, *for* "Prafulla Kumar Ray" *read* "Prafulla Kumar Ray Chaudhuri."

No. 3833A.—The 4th March 1924.—The following are substituted for rules 3 (*d*) and 3 (*e*) in Appendix XIV to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others :—

3 (*d*). Civil Service Regulations, Chapters XV to XIX and Chapter XXI.
3 (*e*). Bengal Treasury Manual, Chapter VIII, paragraphs 204, 205 and 206.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2448P.—The 4th March 1924.— In supersession of notification No. 11409P., dated the 28th November 1923, it is hereby notified that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 85 of the Code of Civil Procedure (Act V of 1908), and in compliance with a request made by the Political Agent on behalf of His Highness Maharaja Manikya Bir Bikram Kishore Deb Barman Bahadur of Tripura, a minor Prince, the Governor in Council appoints Rai Jyotish Chandra Sen Bahadur, Manager of His Highness' estates situated in British India, to be the Agent of the Maharaja for the purposes of that Code.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 940Pl.—The 21st February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 134 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that any person committing any offence against the said Act or any rule thereunder in any of the places mentioned in columns 1 and 2 of the following Table shall be triable for such offence in any place within the jurisdiction of the Court mentioned in column 3 of the table : —

Area according to railway mileage within the limits of which offence is committed.	Names of railway stations within the limits of which offence is committed.	Place of trial, viz., any place within the jurisdiction of the following court.
1	2	3
Miles from Calcutta *vid* Bonarpara, 287 to 301½ miles.	Gitaldaha, Bamanhat ...	Court of the Subdivisional Officer of Kurigram in the district of Rangpur.

No. 941Pl.—The 21st February 1924.—The following amendment in notification No. 2447P., dated the 21st February 1917, relating to the special jurisdictions of Magistrates under section 134 of the Indian Railways Act, is published for information :—

Omit the following from page 2 under "Eastern Bengal Railway and Branch Lines :"—

69½ to 77½	...	Darsana, Joyrampur	... Court of the Subdivisional Officer of Chuadanga in the district of Nadia.

No. 942Pl.—The 21st February 1924.—The following amendment in the statement showing the ordinary jurisdictions retained by local Magistrates on the railway lines under the administrative control of the Government of Bengal, published under notification No. 2448P., dated the 21st February 1917, is published for information :—

In page 3 under "Eastern Bengal Railway and Branch Lines" include :—

69¼ to 77¼	...	Darsana, Joyrampur	... Court of the Subdivisional Officer of Chuadanga in the district of Nadia.

No. 939Pl.—The 21st February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon the Magistrates mentioned in column 3 of the following table all the powers conferred under the Code on a Magistrate of the first class in regard to cases occurring in any of the places mentioned opposite to them in columns 1 and 2 of that table :—

Area according to railway mileage within the limits of which the case arises.	Names of railway stations within the limits of which the case arises.	Magistrates who are specially empowered.
1	2	3
M. M.	*Eastern Bengal Railway and Branch Lines.*	
From Calcutta—		
4 to 28¾ (up to the north abutment of Bageerkhal bridge).	Dum-Dum South Cabin, Dum-Dum Junction, Belghurriah, Agarpara, Sodepur, Khardaha, Tittaghur, Barrackpore, Palta, Ichhapur, Shamnagar, Kankinara, Naihati Junction including the Bandel Branch Line up to the distant signal, Halishahar, Kanchrapara.	Police Magistrate, Sealdah, in the district of the 24-Parganas.
51¼ to 69¼ (from down distance signal of Aranghata to down distant signal of Banpur).	Bagoola, Majdia, Banpur ...	Subdivisional Officer of Ranaghat in the district of Nadia.
119¼ to 120	From span No. 8 (middle of the Lower Ganges Bridge) to Paksey North Cabin.	Subdivisional Officer of Kushtia in the district of Nadia.
134¼ to 145½	Krishnapur, Lalgola, Lalgola Ghat.	Subdivisional Officer of Lalbagh in the district of Murshidabad.
From Calcutta (Sealdah South)—		
1¼ to 7¼	Ballygunge Junction, Tiljala, Kalighat, Majerhat, Dock Junction, Brace Bridge.	Police Magistrate, Sealdah, in the district of the 24-Parganas.
7¼ to 8¾	Brace Bridge Hall ...	
7¾ to 16¼	Santoshpur, Akra, Nangi, Budge-Budge.	
From Ballygunge Junction—		
3½ to 37	Dhakuria, Jadabpur, Garia, Sonarpur Junction, Changripota, Mallikpur, Baruipur, Kalyanpur, Hotar, Dhamuah, Mogra Hat, Songrampur, Deula, Netra, Basuldanga, Diamond Harbour.	
From Canning—		
0 to 18	Canning, Taldi, Ghutiyari Shariff, Piali, Champahati, Kalikapur.	

Area according to railway mileage within the limits of which the case arises.	Names of railway stations within the limits of which the case arises.	Magistrates who are specially empowered.
1	2	3
M. M.	*Eastern Bengal Railway and Branch Lines*—concld.	
From Calcutta—		
4½ to 8¾	Dum-Dum Cantonment, Pattipooker.	Subdivisional Officer of Baraset in the district of the 24-Parganas.
6½ to 8½	Birati	
From Bongaon—		
11½ to 20¾	Gangnapur, Ranaghat East ...	Subdivisional Officer of Bongaon in the district of Jessore.
From Sara—		
0 to 6¾	Sara Ghat to Gopalpore ...	Subdivisional Officer of Nator in the district of Rajshahi.
0 to 3	Sara Ghat to Ishurdi *via* C. Bellhat.	
1 to 3	C. Bellhat to Paksey Goods Office.	
From Calcutta—		
120 to 125	Paksey, Ishurdi ...	
160 to 168¾ (up to Bridge No. 49).	Atraighat, Raghurampore, Raninagar.	
125 to 152 T. P. 5	Mooladuli, Dhanbila, Chatmohar, Gookhora, Bhangoora, Sarat Nagar, Dilpashar.	Subdivisional Officer of Sirajganj in the district of Pabna.
From Narayanganj—		
131¾ to 136 (up to terminus).	Sarisabari, Jagannathganj ...	Subdivisional Officer of Jamalpur in the district of Mymensingh.
From Calcutta—		
208 to 222½	Chorkai, Phulbari ...	Senior Deputy Magistrate of the Sadar subdivision of the Dinajpur district.
255½ to 270	Chowdhurani, Pirgacha, Annadanagar.	Subdivisional Officer of Gaibandha in the district of Rangpur.
From Calcutta *via* Bonarpara—		
287 to 301¼	Gitaldaha, Bamanhat ...	Subdivisional Officer of Kurigram in the district of Rangpur.
From Calcutta—		
279¼ to 287¼	Haldibari	Senior Deputy Magistrate of the Sadar subdivision of the Jalpaiguri district.
From Lalmonirhat—		
52 (T. P. Nos. 17 and 18) 55 (T. P. Nos. 14 and 15)	Changribandha	
121½ to 136	Dalgaon, Mujnai, Madarihat, Ferry Service between Barnes Ghat and Korla Ghat.	
From Katihar—		
91½ to 105½	Digram, Godagari, Godagari Ghat.	Senior Deputy Magistrate of the Sadar subdivision of the Malda district.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased to direct, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*2*) of the same section, that the said Magistrates shall exercise the same powers for a term of seven years from the date of this notification.

Dacca.

No. 963Pl.—The 8th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*)(*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of the Political (Police) Department notification No. 14249P., dated the 17th November 1917, published at pages 1800-1801 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem relating to the area included in the Sonakanda police-station in the district of Dacca, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station is abolished and that the villages specified in the following schedule which have hitherto been included in that police-station shall be included in the police-station Narayanganj in the same district :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Narayanganj	Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Narayanganj.
Lakshmankhola ...	206	Enatnagar (Municipality) ...	257
Nangalbanda ...	212	Enatnagar ...	258
Kamtal ...	213	Kalyandi ...	259
Baligaon ...	214	Adampur ...	260
Barapara ...	215	Jindhara ...	261
Musapur ...	216	Madhabpasa ...	262
Dakhin Kulcharitra ...	217	Namchar (Municipality) ...	263
Uttar Kulcharitra	218	Namchar ...	264
Gobindakul ...	219	Balia ...	265
Dasergaon ...	220	Tartaria ...	266
Deuli ...	221	Naigaon ...	267
Amirabad ...	222	Gharmora ...	268
Uttar Nadya ...	223	Ailsardi ...	269
Nandirgaon ...	224	Gokungobindabardi ...	270
Satenga ...	225	Suchia ...	271
Tingaon ...	226	Subhakardi ...	272
Kusiara ...	227	Katagachhia ...	273
Bara Baraikhali ...	228	Mohanpur ...	274
Bandar ...	229	Nisang ...	275
Bandar Barabari ...	230	Nurpaddi ...	276
Ganpara ...	231	Barundi ...	277
Chhota Baraikhali ...	232	Sagardi ...	278
Gobindamandali ...	233	Dakshin Chandpur ...	279
Sonapur ...	234	Hazradi ...	280
Sonapur (Municipality) ...	235	Dighaldi ...	281
Uttar Bandar Krishnapara (Municipality) ...	236	Sabdi ...	282
Bandar Krishnapura ...	237	Uttar Sabdi ...	283
Dakshin Bandar Krishnapura (Municipality) ...	238	Selsardi ...	284
Gangakul Bandar ...	239	Mukfaldi ...	285
Gangakul Bandar (Municipality) ...	240	Nayanagar ...	286
Dariakandi ...	241	Hardi ...	287
Dariakandi (Municipality) ...	242	Kulcharitra ...	288
Gobindapur ...	243	Raghabdi ...	289
Swalpa ...	244	Sadasibdi ...	290
Nabiganj ...	245	Mayapur ...	291
Nabiganj (Municipality) ...	246	Chinardi ...	292
Ayama Kadamrasul (Municipality) ...	247	Sibkundi ...	293
Ekrampur (Municipality) ...	248	Tamodardi ...	294
Sonakanda (ditto) ...	249	Mirkundi Char ...	295
Noadha (ditto) ...	250	Mirkundi ...	296
Madanganj (ditto) ...	251	Bibijhora ...	297
Madanganj ...	252	Joar Jatrabari ...	298
Jirakdi ...	253	Indradi ...	299
Hajipur ...	254	Bejergaon ...	300
Hajipur (Municipality) ...	255	Lambadardi ...	301
Bijaydi ...	256	Bhajandi ...	302
		Srirampur ...	303, 304
		Jaharpur ...	305
		Char Ulukanda ...	306

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Commissioner of Police.

IN exercise of the power conferred on me in rule 63 (*2*) of the Bengal Jail Code, I appoint Hon'ble Mr. Justice B. B. Newbould to be a non-official visitor of the Presidency Jail, Calcutta, *vice* Hon'ble Mr. Justice G. C. Rankin, resigned.

C. A. TEGART, *Commissioner of Police.*

CALCUTTA, *the 7th March 1924.*

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4218A.

POWERS.

No. 4021A.—The 5th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Ashutosh Banarji, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Netrakona, in the district of Mymensingh, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

Mymensingh.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2406J.—The 8th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Jogendra Nath Biswas the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the 16th March 1924,

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(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Khardah bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 2435J.—The 10th March 1924.—Babu Manmatha Chandra Basu, Munsif of Jalpaiguri, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge, Tippera, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh, or until further orders.

Jalpaiguri.
Tippera.

No. 2445J.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased,—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen named below the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Tippera, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

Tippera.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Comilla Bench in the said district :—

1. Maulvi Syed Fazlur Rahman.
2. Babu Girindra Mohan Naha.

POWERS.

No. 2288 J.—The 5th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 26 of the Succession Certificate Act, 1889 (VII of 1889), the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel the notification vesting Maulvi Hasibuddin Ahmad, munsif of Bankura, with the functions of a District Court under the said Act and so much of the notifications as vest Babu Gopeswar Banarji, munsif of Hooghly, Babu Kshirada Ranjan Dhar, munsif of Bankura, Babu Khagendra Nath Dutta, munsif of Burdwan, Babu Ashwini Kumar Das, munsif of Chittagong, Babu Nata Bihari Ghosh, munsif of Faridpur, Babu Jyotish Chandra Neogi, munsif of Mymensingh, Babu Madhu Sudan Ray, munsif of Mymensingh, Babu Nishi Kanta Guha, munsif of Dacca, and Babu Kunja Bihari Ballav, munsif of Asansol, in the district of Burdwan, with similar functions.

Bankura.
Hooghly.
Burdwan.
Chittagong.
Faridpur.
Mymensingh.
Dacca.

H. C. LIDDELL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2266J.—The 7th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 26 of the Succession Certificate Act, 1889 (VII of 1889), and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to invest the officers mentioned in column 1 of the following schedule *ex officio* with

the functions of a District Court under the said Act, within the local limits mentioned in column 2 of the said schedule opposite to such officers, respectively :—

Schedule.

Officers	Local limits.
1	2
I. The Subordinate Judges of—	
(1) Bankura	Sadar munsifi of Bankura.
(2) Birbhum	Suri munsifi.
(3) Burdwan	Sadar munsifi of Burdwan.
(4) Asansol in the district of Burdwan	Asansol munsifi.
(5) Dinajpur and Jalpaiguri ...	Sadar munsifi of Dinajpur and Jalpaiguri munsifi, when sitting at Jalpaiguri.
(6) Jessore	Sadar munsifi at Jessore.
(7) Murshidabad	Berhampore munsifi.
(8) Nadia	Krishnagar munsifi.
(9) Noakhali	Sudharam munsifi.
(10) Khulna	Sadar munsifi at Khulna.
(11) Bogra in the district of Pabna and Bogra	Bogra munsifi.
(12) Rajshahi and Malda ...	Rampur-Boalia munsifi and Malda munsifi, when sitting at Malda.
(13) Rangpur	Sadar munsifi of Rangpur.
II. The Senior Subordinate Judges of—	
(1) Chittagong	Sadar munsifi of Chittagong.
(2) Dacca	Ditto of Dacca.
(3) Faridpur	Ditto of Faridpur.
(4) Hooghly	Ditto of Hooghly.
(5) Midnapore	Ditto of Midnapore.
(6) Mymensingh	Ditto. of Mymensingh.
(7) Pabna in the district of Pabna and Bogra	Pabna munsifi.
(8) Tippera	Comilla munsifi.

III. The senior munsifs of—			
(1) Bhola ...	District Bakarganj ...	His own jurisdiction	
(2) Patuakhali ...			
(3) Pirojpur ...			
(4) Vishnupur ...	District Bankura ...	Ditto.	
(5) Rampurhat ...	District Birbhum ...	Ditto.	
(6) Katwa ...	District Burdwan ...	Ditto.	
(7) Narayanganj ...	District Dacca ...	Ditto.	
(8) Manikganj ...			
(9) Munshiganj ...			
(10) Jalpaiguri ...	District Dinajpur ...	Ditto.	
(11) Goalundo ...	District Faridpur ...	Ditto.	
(12) Madaripur ...			
(13) Serampore ...	District Hooghly ...	Ditto.	
(14) Ulubaria ...			
(15) Narail ...	District Jessore ...	Ditto.	
(16) Jhenidah ...			
(17) Magura ...			
(18) Bongaon ...			
(19) Satkhira ...	District Khulna ...	Ditto.	
(20) Bagerhat ...			
(21) Netrakona ...	District Mymensingh ...	Ditto.	
(22) Kishoreganj ...			
(23) Tangail ...			
(24) Kushtia ...	District Nadia ...	Ditto.	
(25) Feni ...	District Noakhali ...	Ditto.	
(26) Kurigaon ...	District Rangpur ...	Ditto.	
(27) Nilphamari ...			
(28) Gaibandha ...			
(29) Brahmanbaria ...	District Tippera ...	Ditto.	
(30) Chandpur ...			
(31) Diamond Harbour ...	District 24-Parganas ...	Ditto.	
(32) Basirhat ...			
(33) Sealdah ...			

Officers.		Local limits.		
		2		
IV. The munsifs of—				
(1) Kalna	...	District Burdwan	...	His own jurisdiction.
(2) Cox's Bazar	...	District Chittagong	...	Ditto.
(3) Jhargram	...	District Midnapore	...	Ditto.
(4) Jamalpore	...	District Mymensingh	...	Ditto.
(5) Meherpur	...	District Nadia	...	Ditto.
(6) Chuadanga	...			
(7) Ranaghat	...			

H. C. LIDDELL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M. A., B. L.

Mymensingh.

No. 795L.S.-G.—The 29th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the election by the members of the Mymensingh District Board of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Muhammad Ismail to be their Chairman.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M. A., B. L.

Rajshahi.

No. 797M.—The 29th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Nator Municipality in the district of Rajshahi, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend all the provisions of Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act to Wards VIII and IX of the Municipality.

2. This cancels notification No. 2054T.M., dated the 24th September 1904, so far as it relates to the extension of Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act to Wards VIII and IX of the Nator Municipality.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

Dacca.

No. 800M.—The 29th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Mr. J. W. R. Steven to be a Commissioner of the Narayanganj Municipality, in the district of Dacca, *vice* Mr. J. A. deLisle, on leave.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. S. N. Mallik, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas.

No. 802M.—The 29th February 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 23 of the Act, electing Rai Baroda Kanta Mitra Bahadur to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

Calcutta.

No. 851M.—The 5th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 8 (*2*) (*d*) and 62 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Dr. H. W. B. Moreno, M.L.C., to be a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. W. J. Traise, resigned.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

Calcutta.

No. 882M.—The 7th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*4*) of section 367 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to confirm in the form shown below the following declaration submitted by the Corporation of Calcutta under sub-section (*3*) :—

In the area south and east of Karbala Tank within a depth of 250 feet from Beadon Street and Upper Circular Road, the erection of huts will not be allowed without the special permission of the General Committee.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MEDICAL.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 799Medl.—The 6th March 1924.—On return from leave, Major A. Denham White, I.M.S., did general duty at the Medical College, Calcutta, from the afternoon of the 27th December 1923 till the afternoon of the 5th January 1924.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 818Medl.—The 7th March 1924.—The following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the managing committee of the Ayurvedic Charitable Dispensary at Ghatbhoge in the district of Khulna :—

Khulna.

1. Babu Trailokya Nath Chatarji.
2. „ Srimanta Chatarji.
3. „ Jadunath Mukharji.
4. „ Suresh Nath Bhattacharyya, M.A.
5. „ Kalipada Chatarji.
6. „ Kalikanto Chatarji.
7. „ Kailash Chandra Chatarji.
8. „ Kedarnath Mukharji.
9. „ Jatindra Nath Banarji, B.A.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

PUBLIC HEATH.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 443P.H.—The 1st March 1924.—Dr. Manindra Nath Bhattacharji, Second Assistant Health Officer, Port of Calcutta, is granted leave on average pay for twenty-seven days, from the 25th February to the 22nd March 1924 (both days inclusive).

Calcutta.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 459P.H.—The 5th March 1924.—Dr. J. W. Tomb, M.D., D.P.H., O.B.E., Chief Sanitary Officer of the Asansol Mines Board of Health, is allowed combined leave for eight months, viz., privilege leave for four months and furlough for the remaining period on average salary, under article 316A of the Civil Service Regulations, read with the Government of India, Finance Department resolution No. 1514C.S.R., dated the 29th December 1919, with effect from the 1st March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he avails himself of the leave.

Burdwan.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 460P.H.—The 5th March 1924.—Dr. W. P. O. O'Connor is appointed to act as Chief Sanitary Officer of the Asansol Mines Board of Health during the absence of Dr. J. W. Tomb, on leave, or until further orders.

Burdwan.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 469P.H.—The 7th March 1924.—The following draft of a by-law, which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to confirm under section 351 of the Act, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

24-Parganas.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st May 1924, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft by-law.

"Any person having possession of or control over any land or water on or in which there exists any water-hyacinth so as to affect public health shall, if so required by a notice in writing signed by the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Municipality, and stating clearly the boundaries of the area to which the notice applies, destroy or remove such water-hyacinth within the period mentioned in such notice.

Penalty Rs. 10 ; in a continuous offence, Rs. 2 per day."

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 5065, dated Calcutta, the 4th March 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Prafulla Kumar Banerji is appointed to be Emergency Officer, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Monoj Nath Gupta.

No. 5067, dated Calcutta, the 4th March 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Pramathes Kumar Bhattacherji, on leave, is appointed to be House Physician, Carmichael Hospital for Tropical Diseases, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Charu Chandra Banerji.

No. 5246, dated Calcutta, the 5th March 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Harendra Nath Bagchi is placed on general duty at the Carmichael Hospital for Tropical Diseases with effect from the 28th February 1924.

E. WATERS,
Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal (offg.).

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Chittagong.

No. 732Edn.—The 29th February 1924.—Khan Bahadur Muhammad Hasan, Professor, Chittagong College, in the Bengal Educational Service, was allowed leave on average pay for four days, with effect from the 17th December 1923, under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Chittagong. Calcutta.

No. 785Edn.—The 7th March 1924.—Dr. Surendra Nath Das Gupta, Professor, Chittagong College, is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service as Professor, Presidency College, *vice* Dr. Aditya Nath Mukharji, transferred, or until further orders.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 795Edn.—The 7th March 1924.—Mr. T. A. Achary, officiating head master, Government School of Art, Calcutta, in the Bengal Educational Service, was allowed leave for three months with effect from the 3rd December 1923, viz., leave on average pay for five days under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 796Edn.—The 7th March 1924.—Babu Iswari Prasad, teacher, Government School of Art, Calcutta, acted in the Bengal Educational Service as head master in the same school, during the absence, on leave of Mr. T. A. Achary.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Burdwan.

No. 799Edn.—The 7th March 1924.—Miss Niroj Bashini Shome, Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Burdwan Division, in the Bengal Educational Service (Women's branch), is allowed privilege leave for four months, with effect from the 15th February 1924, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations (New).

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Mymensingh.

No. 801Edn.—The 7th March 1924.—Mrs. Swarna Prova Sen Gupta, officiating Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Mymensingh, in the Bengal Educational Service (Women's branch), is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate for three months, with effect from the 6th February 1924, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 804Edn.—The 7th March 1924.—Miss Surabala Ghosh, Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Comilla, was allowed combined leave for eight months and eight days with effect from the 6th February 1923 under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for twenty-four days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, commuted furlough on medical certificate for the period from the 2nd March 1923 to the 5th October 1923 under the Government of India, Finance Department resolution No 2099 C.S.R., dated the 27th November 1920, and article 301 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations (New), and ordinary furlough for the remaining period from the 6th October 1923 to the 13th October 1923 under article 301 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations (New). This cancels notification No. 2488Edn., dated the 7th December 1922.

Tippera.

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 462Mis.—The 4th March 1924.—In pursuance of sub-section (*1*) of section 7 of the Indian Registration Act, XVI of 1908, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to establish an office at Syamgram, in the registration sub-district of Nabinagar, in the district of Tippera, having concurrent jurisdiction with that office, as an experimental measure for one year with effect from the 1st April 1924. The office is to be styled "the office of the 2nd Joint Sub-Registrar of Nabinagar at Syamgram."

Tippera.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 482Mis.—The 5th March 1924.—Babu Anadi Nath Lahiri, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jhargram, in the district of Midnapore, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Jhargram, in addition to his own duties, from the afternoon of the 25th January 1924 to the forenoon of the 31st January 1924.

Midnapore.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 484Mis.—The 5th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Abdul Jabbar Choudhury to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Kharagpur and Kharagpur town in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 485Mis.—The 5th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Abdul Jabbar Choudhury to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Kharagpur and Kharagpur town, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 490Mis.—The 5th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Saiyid Shah Abdul Wahebul Quaderi to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Midnapore, Salboni, Dantan, Mohanpur, Narayangarh, Keshiari, Binpur, Jhargram, Gopiballavpur and Nayagram, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 491Mis.—The 5th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Saiyid Shah Abdul Wahebul Quaderi to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Midnapore, Salboni, Dantan, Mohanpur, Narayangarh, Keshiari, Binpur, Jhargram, Gopiballavpur and Nayagram, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 106.- The 5th March 1924.—Maulvi Siddique Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Chakaria, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Hatiya, in the district of Noakhali.

Chittagong. Noakhali.

No. 107.—The 5th March 1924.—Maulvi Ayub Ali Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar of Hatiya, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Chakaria, in the district of Chittagong.

Noakhali. Chittagong.

No. 108.—The 6th March 1924.—Babu Sarada Prasanna Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Harirampur, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 24, dated the 19th January 1924.

Dacca.

No. 109.—The 6th March 1924.—Babu Sarat Chandra Banarji, Sub-Registrar of Meherpur, in the district of Nadia, is allowed leave on average pay for fourteen days (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 88, dated the 8th February 1924.

Nadia.

No. 110.—The 6th March 1924.—Maulvi Abul Faiz, Sub-Registrar of Gopiballavpur, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 45, dated the 23rd January 1924.

Midnapore.

No. 111.—The 6th March 1924.—Babu Prabhat Chandra Sarkar, Probationary Sub-Registrar attached to Malda, acted as Sub-Registrar of Nawabganj, in the same district, from the 26th October 1923 to the 24th November 1923, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Maniruddin, on leave.

Malda.

No. 112.—The 6th March 1924.—Maulvi Mataherul Karim, Sub-Registrar attached to Calcutta, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances for one month, under rule 85 (*a*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 19, dated the 19th January 1924.

Calcutta.

J. N. RAY,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal (offg.).

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1550Com.—The 1st March 1924.- The following draft of amendments, which, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council and in exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), the Governor in Council intends to make in the rules for regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum, published under the Government of Bengal, Marine Department, notification No. 143Marine, dated the 30th November 1914, and subsequently amended, is published, as required by sub-section (*1*) of section 24 of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft amendments will be taken into consideration on or after the 22nd April 1924, and any objections or suggestions with regard thereto received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft amendments.

In rules 3, 4 and 5 of Chapter II of Part II of the said rules after the words "and its products" *insert* the words "or coal."

No. 1671Com.—The 7th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 30 and 32 of the Indian Factories Act, 1911, as modified up to 1st July 1922, the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt, as a temporary measure, factories situated on and used solely for the purposes of tea plantations in the Presidency of Bengal from the provisions of sections 22 and 27 of the Act, during the manufacturing season, from 1st April to 30th November, provided that no one shall be required to work continuously without a whole day's leave for more than fourteen days at a time.

This order will remain in force up to 31st December 1924.

No. 1677 Com.—The 7th March 1924—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 32 of the Indian Factories Act, 1911, as modified up to 1st July 1922, the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt, as a temporary measure, factories situated on and used solely for the purposes of tea plantations in the Presidency of Bengal from all the provisions of section 21 of the Act :

Provided that the number of workers employed on a particular job is always at least 25 per cent. greater than the number actually required to do the work at any given time.

This order will remain in force up to the 31st December 1924.

A MARR,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 1667 Com.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas certain land was acquired by Government under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885 for the public purpose, viz., for such portion of the Toposi-Baraboni Chord, E. I. Railway, as lies between chainage 488·00 and chainage 588·58 and as is edged with pink on the plan L. A. M. A. No. 482, and whereas coal mines at Charanpur Colliery are situate under the said land, and whereas the Burrakur Coal Company, Limited, have given notice to Government, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seams known as the Koithi or Charanpur seam and the Sibpur or Poniati seam, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by Government for the purpose under section 5 (*1*) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Burrakur Coal Company, Limited, have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected, or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working :

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (*2*), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Burrakur Coal Company, Limited, in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz. :—

(1) No gallery shall be driven nor shall any coal be extracted under the area hatched with yellow on the plan.

(2) No gallery shall be driven nor shall any coal be extracted where the distance from the natural surface of the ground or the bottom of an artificial cutting to the top of the excavation, if made, is less than 50 feet.

(3) Where the distance from the natural surface of the ground or the bottom of an artificial cutting to the top of the excavation, if made, is 50 feet or more :

Top Seam.

(*a*) *North of the dyke shown on the plan*, galleries, not exceeding 10 feet in width by 10 feet in height, may be driven at distances apart not less than 90 feet, centre to centre, forming pillars not less than 80 feet square, to be left unworked.

(*b*) *South of the dyke shown on the plan*, galleries, not exceeding 15 feet in width by 10 feet in height, may be driven at distances apart not less than 90 feet, centre to centre, forming pillars not less than 75 feet square, to be left unworked.

Bottom Seam.

(*c*) *North of the dyke shown on the plan*, no further work shall be done in the galleries already driven.

(*d*) The area referred to in clause (*c*) shall be walled off to prevent access to it and no other connections shall be made to this area.

(*e*) *South of the dyke shown on the plan*, galleries, not exceeding 18 feet in width by 14 feet in height, may be driven at distances apart not less than 100 feet along the dip and 80 feet on the strike centre to centre, leaving pillars not less than 82 feet by 62 feet, to be left unworked.

(4) Manholes not exceeding six feet in height by three feet in width by four feet in depth may be made where required by any rules made under the Indian Mines Act, 1901.

(5) Any inrush of water, quicksand or soft material shall be reported to the Chief Inspector of Mines without delay.

(6) These restrictions apply to the Koithi or Charanpur seam and the Sibpur or Poniati seam only at Charanpur colliery and to the area edged with pink on the plan, and Messrs. Burrakur Coal Company, Limited, shall give notice under section IV of the Land Acquisition (Mines) Act, 1885, of their intention to work any other seam under such area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land and that in all the above cases except to comply with the above conditions no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L. A. M. A. No. 482 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 28-Marine.—The 18th February 1924.—The following by-law framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, in exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Howrah Bridge Act, 1871, is published as required by section 24 of the said Act :—

Fee for passes permitting motor lorries and other heavy vehicles to cross the Bridge.

The fee for each pass issued under by-law 2 of the by-laws for the safe and convenient use of the Howrah Bridge, published under this department notification No. 132Mne., dated the 29th December 1922, shall be Re. 1 yearly.

No. 32Marine.—The 1st March 1924.—Mr. C. A. D. Greenland, Senior Master Pilot, is appointed to act as a Branch Pilot, with effect from the afternoon of the 14th February 1924.

No. 33Marine.—The 4th March 1924.—Mr. A. J. R. Coachafer, Branch Pilot, is appointed to the command of the S. P. V, "Lady Fraser" with effect from the 21st February 1924, *vice* Mr. A. W. Michie, Branch Pilot, reverted to the running list.

No. 34Marine.—The 4th March 1924.—Mr. W. M. Taylor, Acting Senior Master Pilot, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 27th February 1924.

No. 35 Marine.—The 7th March 1924.—It is hereby notified for general information—

(1) that under the provisions of section 11 of the Chittagong Port Act, V of 1914, the resignation tendered by Mr. L. B. Burrows of his office of Commissioner for the Port of Chittagong and Vice-Chairman of the Commissioners for that port is accepted, and that

(2) under the provisions of section 10 of the said Act Mr. F. A. Sachse, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to be a Commissioner for the Port of Chittagong. He is also appointed to be the Vice-Chairman of the Commissioners for that port, *vice* Mr. Burrows.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 9.—The 7th March 1924.—Mr. A. F. L. H. Harrison, Executive Engineer, is, on return from leave, placed on special duty and attached to the office of the Chief Engineer Bengal, until further orders.

G. G. DEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Sixth publication.]

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 81.—The 28th January 1924.—The following draft of revised rules and rates of tolls for the Calcutta and Eastern Canals, Tolly's Nala and Sunderbans Steamer Route, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Revised Rules and Rates of Tolls.

The rules shall apply to the following navigable channels which are included under the designation "Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala" and the "Sundarbans Steamer Route."

I. The Circular Canal comprising the still-water canals between the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks and the New Cut Canal from Ultadingi to Dhapa Lock, together with its junction with the river Hooghly and Orange Soorah at Dhapa.

II. The Central Lake Channel from its junction with the Circular Canal at the Dhapa Lock to its junction with the Bidyadhari at Bamunghatta.

III. The Nowbhanga khal extending northwards for a mile from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock.

IV. The Soorah from its junction with the Central Lake Channel below the Dhapa Lock and extending to the fish market situated adjacent to, and to the west of, the Dhapa Inspector's residence.

V. Tolly's Nala extending from a line drawn across the Nala 25 feet west of the Hastings Bridge at Kidderpore to the Bidyadhari river at Samukpota.

VI. The Kristopore Canal extending from a point in the New Cut Canal, 1 mile 4,700 feet from the Chitpore Lock to a point where it joins the Bhangore khal at Kantatala.

VII. The outfall channel of the Thakurdhari sluice, 4,180 feet in length, extending from a point in village Thakurdhari near the 5th mile-post of the Kristopore Canal to the Thakurdhari sluice on the Paran Chaprasi's khal.

VIII. The Sundarbans Steamer Route as defined in notification No. 71 of the 22nd July 1922.

1. Every vessel on entering the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala shall be liable to measurement for the purpose of ascertaining the tolls payable ; in case of any reasonable doubt arising, the persons appointed by the Governor in Council to collect tolls and officers to whom such persons are subordinate shall have authority to enter upon and again measure a vessel notwithstanding that it was measured on entering the canals.

2. Vessels for the purposes of the determination of tonnage shall be divided into two classes as below :—

Class I.—To include all vessels of the usual native types of build, including *saltees* and *hapars* (fish cages).

Class II.—To include all steamers, flats and barges, and other square built vessels.

The net tonnage of every vessel, whether laden or empty, shall, for the purposes of Act V (B.C.) of 1864 and of these rules, be determined by the following measurements :—

Class I.—

A.—The product of one quarter the length of the vessel from stem to stern, measured along the water-line, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel multiplied by the depth from the water-line to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which toll shall be levied.

B.—The measurement of the length is to be made in feet, rejecting inches : the measurement of breadth and depth is to be made in feet and quarters of a foot, rejecting any remainder of less than a quarter of a foot.

C.—The maundage on which the amount of toll is calculated shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 12½ maunds, any remainder of less than 12½ maunds being rejected. In the case of vessels exceeding 500 maunds by measurement, the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 50 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 50 maunds.

D.—**Saltees.**—The product of one quarter of the inside length of the vessel measured along the centre line from stem to stern, multiplied by the interior greatest breadth of the vessel, multiplied by the greatest depth measured from the top to the interior bottom of the vessel, is to be taken as equal to the number of maunds upon which tolls shall be levied.

Class II.—

For vessels of class II the number of maunds obtained by the system of measurement prescribed for vessels of class I, shall be increased by one-half. For vessels of this class above 5,000 maunds measurement the maundage shall be reckoned to the nearest integral multiple of 500 maunds, rejecting any remainder of less than 500 maunds. In the case of steamers, the maundage determined as above shall be reduced by one-third as an allowance for engine space.

For vessels of class II which are furnished with reliable way-bills, the gross maundage of cargo shown by the way-bills, or in the case of steamers, the maundage obtained from multiplying the registered tonnage of the steamer by 27, may, at the option of the employer of the vessel or the steamer (as the case may be), be taken as the maundage on which toll will be charged :

Provided that firms or individuals, who wish to make use of this rule, must be approved by the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle, and that such approval may be withdrawn for any just cause.

3. Every vessel entering the canals shall be furnished with a ticket on which the name of the serang, manjee or other person in charge of the vessel, the date of entry, the maundage of the vessel, the cargo it contains, the amount of toll charged, and the number of days for which the ticket remains current, shall be entered.

4. All tolls are payable on demand and shall be paid at the toll station before a vessel is permitted to proceed : Provided that the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle may at his direction permit vessels belonging to individuals or firms of recognised standing to proceed without pre-payment, on an undertaking that the bills for tollage due shall be liquidated monthly on presentation.

5. The ticket must be kept on board the vessel and must be produced for inspection when demanded by any person authorised to collect tolls, or by any officer to whom such person is subordinate. If on demand the ticket is not produced, such person or officer shall assess the tollage as provided in rule 2 and shall require payment of toll, and unless and until the toll is paid, or the original ticket or a duplicate is produced as evidence that toll has already been paid, the vessel shall be liable to seizure and detention under the provisions of section IX of the Act.

6. Duplicates of lost tickets, of which the numbers and dates can be satisfactorily established, will be granted by the collector of tolls on payment of a sum of one rupee and annas eight. Provided that for tickets on which the total tollage is less than six rupees the fee to be charged for a duplicate shall be one quarter of the total tollage. The minimum fee will be eight annas per ticket.

7. A vessel which has been detained under these rules or under section IX of the Act may not be removed from the canals without the order of the collector of tolls until the toll due has been paid and a ticket obtained for presentation at the exit station. During such detention the manjee, owner or agent must make arrangements for the safety of the vessel and cargo.

8. All vessels, whether the property of Government or of private owners, are liable for toll except those specially exempted under any Government orders in force for the time being.

9. Vessels may be hauled up for repairs on the banks of the canals with the previous written permission of the supervisor appointed by the Governor in Council under section XIII. A rent calculated at one-sixth the rate of ordinary demurrage will be charged for the time the vessel occupies the bank. No vessel may be launched in the canal without the previous written permission of the supervisor.

10. At places where mooring posts have been provided by the supervisor, vessels desiring to moor shall be made fast in single line along the banks to such posts in such manner as the supervisor may direct and shall not be moored in any other manner.

11. The Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle, may fix the limit within which vessels are permitted to remain free of toll, and may also define the limits within which no loading or unloading shall be permitted.

12. No vessel whose extreme breadth including overhanging cargo exceeds 35 feet will be permitted to enter the locks at Chitpore or Dhapa : in the case of the Kulti and Bamunghatta Locks the maximum width allowable is 29 feet.

13. The supervisor may, by written notices to be posted at the toll offices, prohibit the dropping of anchors or the putting up of bamboos or *luggees* in any specified part of the canals or on the banks.

14. Vessels shall be allowed to make fast in single line along the canal banks in such manner as may be directed by the supervisor, and no vessel shall be made fast or be placed outside of vessels so secured. No vessel or raft shall be placed in such a position as to endanger the safety, or obstruct the passage, of other vessels. Every vessel shall at all times have some responsible person on board when the vessel is within the locked canals between toll stations or on Tolly's Nala.

15. Vessels passing through the canals shall keep in separate lines, in accordance with the rules in force as laid down by the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle from time to time.

16. No person shall deposit goods of any description on the berms of the canals between the frontage roads or towpaths and the canals, except during the actual process of loading or unloading vessels, without the previous permission of the supervisor.

17. Iron built cargo boats, with outside angle irons projecting beyond the wooden fenders, will not be allowed to enter the locks unless permanent fenders are fixed over the edges of the angle irons so as to prevent them from causing damage to the lock.

18. No fire or open or unprotected light of any description shall be used on vessels containing petroleum, jute, hay or straw while in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala ; and no fire or open or unprotected light (except in the case of steamers, the galley and engine-room fires and the electric light) shall be used on any vessel while in a lock basin.

19. No person shall wilfully or negligently allow a vessel to sink in the canals. No vessel which is obviously overloaded or unseaworthy will be permitted to proceed along any part of the canals until made safe to the satisfaction of the supervisor or his staff.

20. In every case of a sunken vessel, whether due to negligence or otherwise, the supervisor and his subordinates shall offer every assistance in removing the same.

If three days after the occurrence of a wreck, it is seen that prompt measures are not being taken by the owner to remove the sunken vessel from the line of navigation, the supervisor and his subordinates shall make their own arrangements for the removal of the same at the expense of the owner, provided that when the wreck obstructs the fairway they shall take immediate steps to remove the same.

21. When a sunken vessel has been recovered, the supervisor shall cause notices to be posted at the locks, toll-offices, or other prominent places, calling on those concerned to pay to the collector of tolls all toll or demurrage which may be due, as well as the expenses incurred in the recovery of the vessel and cargo ; should the sum due be not paid within fifteen days of the date of notice, the boat and its furniture, or so much of it as may be necessary for the recovery of the dues, will be sold under the procedure directed in section IX of the Act.

22. The purchaser of a vessel sold under the provisions of section IX of the Act shall have the right to take it out of the canals on the day of purchase, or within such time as may be allowed by the collector of tolls, without payment of tolls.

23. When any laden vessel which has sunk has been recovered or when, any laden vessel has been seized under the provisions of the Act, or of these rules, the supervisor shall give immediate notice of the recovery or seizure to the owner of the cargo or his agent, requiring the removal of the cargo without delay, and informing him that he will be required to pay all expenses necessary for the proper custody and storage of the cargo until removed.

24. If the supervisor be unable to ascertain the name and place of business or the abode of the owner of the cargo of such vessel, the notice prescribed in rule 23 shall be effected by a notice exhibited in his office, and by advertisement in at least one English and one vernacular Calcutta newspaper.

25. Steamers are not allowed to tow flats or cargo boats in the Circular Canal, but may tow one flat or barge at a time astern in the New Cut Canal or Kristopore Canal within toll limits.

26. **Lights and signals.**—All vessels, whether travelling or moored in the Calcutta Canals or Tolly's Nala, must, between sunset and sunrise, carry a white light properly protected from the weather on the forepart of the vessel where it can be distinctly seen from all sides. All steam vessels in motion shall carry the lights prescribed by the Board of Trade Regulations. Barges or boats attached to a steam vessel, whether in motion or moored, shall carry the light prescribed above.

27. **Speed of vessels.**—Every vessel proceeding through the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala must, between sunset and sunrise, limit her speed to three miles per hour.

28. For any contravention of rules 7, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 25, 26 and 27 the person in charge of the vessel or other person in fault shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 or Rs. 5 a day for any continuing infringement.

29. No boats will be allowed to remain in the entrance channels to the Dhapa and Chitpore Locks.

30. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given ; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained.

SCHEDULE OF TOLLS.

Tolly's Nala.

No.	Description of vessels.	Entering at Kidderpore.		Entering at Russa.	
		Not proceeding beyond Russa and returning *via* Kidderpore.	Proceeding beyond Russa.	Not proceeding beyond Kidderpore and returning *via* Russa.	Proceeding beyond Kidderpore.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
2	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber.	0 4 0	0 6 0	0 4 0	0 6 0
3	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
4	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred.	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
5	On *saltees* under 25 maunds, each *saltee* ...	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0
6	On *saltees* of 25 maunds and less than 50 maunds, each *saltee*.	0 12 0	1 0 0	0 12 0	1 0 0
7	On *saltees* of 50 maunds and less than 75 maunds, each *saltee*.	1 2 0	1 8 0	1 2 0	1 8 0
8	On *saltees* of 75 maunds and not exceeding 100 maunds, each *saltee*.	1 8 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	2 0 0
9	Minimum toll on all vessels	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0

NOTE 1.—Loaded vessels entering the Nala and again leaving by the station of entry will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement and when leaving will again pay tolls in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty they will be passed out free of any further charge. A boat returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the Nala.

NOTE 2.—Empty vessels entering "to load" and again leaving by the station of entry will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion, and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 3.—Through vessels entering at Kidderpore and leaving at Russa or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 4.—The tollage rates for items 2, 3 and 4 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 5.—The tollage charged for items 5, 6, 7 and 8 includes the return journey; *saltees* over 100 maunds will pay the tolls prescribed under item 1.

Calcutta Canals.

No.	Description of vessels.	Entering at Chitpore.		Entering from the east at Kristopore or Dhapa and leaving at either Chitpore, Dhapa or Kristopore.
		Not proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.	Proceeding beyond Dhapa or Kristopore.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	On all boats, steamers or other vessels except those loaded with fire-wood per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 12 0	2 12 0
2	On all boats, steamers or other vessels laden with fire-wood per hundred maunds.	1 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0
3	On floats of roughly squared timbers, each timber ...	0 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
4	On floats of unwrought timber, each timber ...	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
5	On rafts of bamboos, for each hundred or portion of each hundred.	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
6	Minimum toll on all vessels	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0

NOTE 6.—Loaded vessels entering the canal at Chitpore and again leaving *via* Chitpore will be charged the prescribed toll on entry according to canal measurement, and when leaving will again pay toll in accordance with canal measurement, if loaded. If empty, they will be passed out free of any further charge. A vessel returning with the same cargo will be assessed a second time on leaving the canal.

NOTE 7.—Empty vessels entering at Chitpore "to load" and again leaving *via* Chitpore will pay toll on entry according to the usual line of immersion and no further toll will be payable on leaving, provided the draft of the vessel does not exceed the usual line of immersion as previously determined. If there is an excess, toll will be payable on the additional maundage at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 8.—Through vessels entering at Chitpore and leaving at Dhapa or Kristopore or *vice versa* will be passed out at the terminal station free, provided the maundage on leaving, according to canal measurement does not exceed that on entry: if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 9.—The tollage rates for items 3, 4 and 5 are for the single trip only.

NOTE 10.—Vessels entering at Dhapa and Kristopore will be passed out free at the station of entry, provided the maundage does not exceed that when entering; if there is an excess, the additional maundage will be charged for at the prescribed rate.

NOTE 11.—(1) Monthly tickets are, at the option of the payers, issued to boats carrying passengers, grass or perishable articles going to the Orphangunj Bazar or proceeding outside the Dhapa Lock. The cost of these tickets is at six times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the supervisor's office, and at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated by the above rates if the tickets are issued at the toll stations at Dhapa or Kidderpore.

(2) Monthly tickets at ten times the ordinary toll as calculated under item 1 of the Schedule for entering the canals from the eastward will be issued to boats carrying passengers, vegetables and perishable goods for plying within the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals. These tickets will not entitle the boats to pass through the Dhapa or Chitpore Lock, but they will be allowed to pass the Kristopore toll-station.

NOTE 12.—*Demurrage.*—Every vessel, raft or float, which has paid toll, shall be allowed three days for passing through the Circular, New Cut and Kristopore Canals and two days for Tolly's Nala between Russa and Kidderpore, and three days for the reach outside Dhapa Lock, the days of entering and leaving being both included. In addition to these periods, they may, without further payment, remain in the canals for the additional undermentioned periods, that is to say—

Vessels—Two days for the first hundred maunds and one day for every hundred maunds above the first hundred maunds.

Floats.—Two days for any number of timbers not exceeding fifty, and one day for every additional fifty.

Rafts.—Two days for any number of bamboos not exceeding five hundred and one day for every additional five hundred.

Every vessel, raft or float remaining in any part of the aforesaid canals longer than the period allowed under the foregoing rules shall, for each day in excess of such period, be charged demurrage equal to one-half of the toll payable under the schedules above, provided that the demurrage charged shall in no case exceed Rs. 7-8 per diem.

(Open *dinghies* accompanying large boats are entitled to the same demurrage allowance of time as the parent boats.)

NOTE 13.—Steamers or flats passing through the Lower Sundarbans channels must pay tolls at the rate of Rs. 20 each per single trip.

NOTE 14.—*Additional toll.*—All boats, steamers and flats, after passing out of the Dhapa Lock must proceed outside the toll limit at Bamunghatta within 48 hours; otherwise a fresh toll will be levied in accordance with the rules in force.

NOTE 15.—(1) During the period of closure of Tolly's Nala at Samukpotta, vessels laden with firewood will be permitted to proceed from the Bidyadhari or Bhangore khal to Tolly's Nala and back through the Circular, New Cut and Kiderpore Canals *vid* Kidderpore on payment of three rupees per hundred maunds by canal measurement. Vessels plying under this concession will not be permitted to unload their cargo except in Tolly's Nala and must return empty. Infringement of this rule will render such vessels liable to the ordinary tollage in force.

(2) Vessels laden with cargo other than firewood will be allowed a similar concession for journeys mentioned in the foregoing rule on payment of Rs. 2-12 per hundred maunds. On the return voyage only they may load in the Hooghly or any of the canals including Tolly's Nala and will pay in accordance with the following schedule :—

(*a*) If vessels accomplish the return trip empty, no further toll will be levied.

(*b*) If vessels leave Tolly's Nala with a load not exceeding that on entry and proceed out at Dhapa or Kristopore without taking in extra cargo on the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals, no further toll will be levied.

(*c*) Vessels leaving Tolly's Nala with a load exceeding that on entry will be charged for the additional cargo at Rs. 4 per hundred maunds.

(*d*) Vessels picking up cargo in the Hooghly or in the Calcutta Canals will pay the ordinary schedule tolls on all cargo thus loaded.

NOTE 16.—Tolls will be levied at the toll offices at Russa and Kidderpore on Tolly's Nala and at Chitpore, Kristopore, Dhapa and Bantolla on the Circular Canals.

[Sixth publication.]

No. 91.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix for the inner main channel, branch channels and outlets, viz., the Gouri khal, Kedar khal, and Matler khal and for the outfall channel on the river side of the Sarenga sluice of the Burrojolla drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessel along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying toll.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls —

(*a*) For the inner channel—

			A.	P.
For passenger boats	...	6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.		
Per trip either way	..	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage ...	12	0
		For each 12½ maunds ...	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

			A.	P.
Per trip either way	...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage ...	4	0
		For each 12½ maunds ...	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Sarenga near the sluice.
(2) Ghoraghata at the junction of an old side khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(3) Dhulagori at the junction of Matler khal with the Burrojolla main channel.
(4) Kushadanga at the junction of Gouri khal outlet with the branch channels leading to the bridge at Joyrampur.

[Sixth publication.]

No. 101.—The 4th February 1924.—The following draft of rules and schedule of rates of tolls, which, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to make and fix, for the inner channels, as well as the outfall channel on the river side of the Nazirganj sluice, in the Howrah drainage channels, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March 1924, and any objections or suggestions received by the undersigned before that date will be considered :—

Draft Rules and Schedule of Rates of Tolls.

1. The tonnage of every vessel shall be determined by the following measurements in feet only :—

(*a*) The product of half the length of the vessels along the water line, the breadth of the vessel (or the greatest breadth of the cargo, if it should overhang) and the greatest depth from the water line to the bottom of the vessel (inside) is to be taken as the number of maunds for levying tolls.

(*b*) Tolls shall be calculated in multiples of 12½ maunds, any fraction of 12½ maunds being neglected.

2. Schedule of rates of tolls—

(*a*) For the inner channels—

For passenger boats ... 6 pies per mile each boat per trip either way.

		As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds measured tonnage	12	0
	For each 12½ maunds	1	6

(*b*) For the outfall channel only—

		As.	P.
Per trip either way ...	For cargo boats (loaded) per 100 maunds tonnage	4	0
	For each 12½ maunds	0	6

Goods passing from the inner to the outer or from the outer to the inner channels shall be charged for the inner channels only.

Empty cargo boats shall be charged at half the above rates.

No charge shall be made on empty passenger boats.

3. Places where tolls shall be levied are—

(1) Panchpara (Nazirganj).
(2) Chamrali.
(3) Tentulkuli.
(4) Unshani.

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.)

ESTABLISHMENTS.

No. 8.—The 8th March 1924.—Mr. C. Addams-Williams, C.I.E., on reversion from his special duty as Chief Engineer, Grand Trunk Canal, resumed charge of the office of the Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government in the Irrigation Department on the afternoon of the 8th March 1924.

T. C. BHATTACHARYA,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

No. 2825A.—The 5th March 1924.—Babu Nalini Kanta Sen, District Agricultural Officer, Narayanganj, is granted leave on average salary for one week with effect from the 3rd March 1924 under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

R. S. FINLOW,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

Orders by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

No. 1689.—The 1st March 1924.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Rajbari Co-operative Stores, Limited (registered No. 300 of 1919), in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Rajbari, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 1930.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Khariati No. III Rural Co-operative Credit Society (registered No. 248 of 1907), in the district of Khulna, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the auditor of Co-operative Societies, Raruli, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

M. THORP,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

Orders by the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

No. 61Exc.—The 5th March 1924.—Babu Bani Kanta Mukherjee, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Bogra, is allowed extension of leave on average pay up to the 15th February 1924, in continuation of the six months' privilege leave already granted to him, with effect from the 18th June 1923, under Government notification No. 88T.A.I., dated the 14th May 1923.

G. P. HOGG,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2340L.R.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 189 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to prescribe the form of certificate used under section 6 of the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913 (Bengal Act III of 1913), as the form to be used for the purposes of sub-section (*5*) of section 158A of the said Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

No. 2218L.A.—The 6th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·53 acres, and bounded as described below, which was included in the area (plot A) notified for acquisition under declaration No. 10904 L.A., dated the 14th December 1922, published at page 2215, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of

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the 20th idem, and required by the East Indian Railway Company for alterations in west yard at Asansol station, in the village of Boodha, pargana Shergarh, district Burdwan :—

BOUNDARIES.

North—By the lands of Mahammad Khurshed Munshi, Lal Behari Dhopa, Mukunda Kahar, Suknandan Saha, Ram Sharan Mistry, Nanku Singh, Gagan Mistry, Hari Charan Mistry, Semsria Mesamat, Bhiku Goala, Karu Rajwar, Ranjit Rajwar and Khusru Rajwar.

East—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company.

South—By the lands of Mahammad Khurshed Munshi, Emam Bux Mistry, Debi Lal Mistry, Gunilal Mistry, Ram Sharan Mistry, Lal Behari Dhopa, Bula Mistry, Bhikhari Hazam, Tin Couri Pashi, Gorfu Dosad, Shekh Khoda Bux, Ram Narayan Mistry, Kali Charan Missra, Benilal Mistry, Raghu Nath Mistry, Jadu Nath Mistry, Pravu Nath Mistry, Sambhu Nath Mistry, Ganesh Ghatwar, Bepath Mahato, Ram Lall Mistry, Buniadi Kahar, Ram Lagan Bania, Chinta Bauri, Lakhia Mosamat, Sundari Tatwoani and Kudrat Mia.

West—By the lands of Khusru Rajwar, Bakas Tandail and Kudrat Mia.

Pabna. *No. 2233L.A.—The 7th March 1924.*—Babu Abhay Charan Chatarji, Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, in the district of Pabna, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Howrah. *No. 2245L.A.—The 7th March 1924.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta for a public purpose, viz., for the erection of brick column No. 2 for navigational and surveying purposes, in the village of Hatgatchee pargana Dharsha, zilla Howrah, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·012 of an acre, bounded on the—

North, East, South and West—By the lands of Giribala Dasi,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Hatgatchee.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Howrah.

Bakarganj. *No. 2248L.A.—The 7th March 1924.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Barisal Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Sagordi village road, in the village of Bagura Alekanda, pargana Chandradwip, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·09 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By settlement plot No. 2661 (road),
East—By settlement plot No. 2539,
South and West—By settlement plot No. 2537,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Bagura Alekanda.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Bakarganj.

Chittagong. *No. 2251L.A.—The 7th March 1924.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Chittagong Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a night-soil depôt at Paltan Muchipara in the village of Pahartali Khulshi, thana

Kotwali, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·16 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 190 and 191,
East—By a road (cadastral survey plot No. 202),
South—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 193, 194 and 189,
West—By cadastral survey plot No. 182,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Pahartali Khulshi.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Chittagong.

Dacca.

No. 2254L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Narayanganj Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for Deobhog branch road, in the village of Deobhog in municipal area, pargana Kashipur, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·302 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 220,
East—By the Deobhog Municipal road,
South and West—By the cadastral survey plot No. 216,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Deobhog in municipal area.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

Howrah.

No. 2257L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of Dihibhursut union board for a public purpose, viz., for charitable dispensary at Rampur in the village of Rampur, pargana Bhursut, zilla Howrah, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·27 of an acre, bounded on the —

North—By Thanda Ram Kamila's tank and Purna Chandra Bose's garden land,
East—By Purna Chandra Bose's garden and Probodh Chandra Roy's tank,
South—By union board road,
West—By Thanda Ram Kamila's bamboo garden,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Rampur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Howrah.

Bakarganj.

No. 2260L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bakarganj for a public purpose, viz., for a tank at Bhaijora, in the village of Bhaijora, pargana Salimabad, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·14 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the remaining portion of plots Nos. 450 and 451,
East and South—By the remaining portion of plots Nos. 451, 452 and 460,
West—By the District Board road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Bhaijora.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Bakarganj.

Howrah.

No. 2263L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta for a public purpose, viz., for the erection of brick column No. 1 for navigational and surveying purposes in the village of Radhadashee Chak, pargana Arsa, zilla Howrah, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·012 of an acre, bounded on the—

North, East, South and West—By the land of Naphar Chandra Pal,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Radhadashee Chak.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Howrah.

24-Parganas.

No. 2266L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Kanchrapara Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the Murgipara road connecting the Balooghata road with Mondal Bazar road, in the village of Bijpur, pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·3154 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Debnarain Ghosh, Sedi Dhopi, Lal Chand Mondal, Khatir Mondal, Sheik Nalu, Shaik Izatali, Sheik Jadu, Sheik Rohim, Sheik Lalu, Lal Chand Dass, Manik Chand Dass, Icha Bewa, Panchi Bewa, Bharat Chaprasi, Shaik Abdul and Gour Mohan Sadhu Khan and village road,

East—By the lands of Deb Narain Ghose, Sedi Dhapi, Lal Chand Mondal, Khatir Mondal, Sheik Nalu, Sheik Ijjatali, Sheik Jadu, Sheik Rohim, Sheik Lalu, Lal Chand Dass, Manik Chand Dass, Icha Bewa, Panchi Bewa, Bharat Chaprasi, Sheik Abdul and Gour Mohan Sadhu Khan and the village road and Balooghata road,

South—By the lands of Debendra Narain Ghosh, Sadi Dhopi, Lal Chand Mondal, Khatir Mondal, Sheik Nalu, Sheik Ijjatali, Sheik Jadu, Sheik Rahim, Sheik Lalu, Lal Chand Dass, Manik Chand Dass, Icha Bewa, Panchi Bewa, Bharat Chaprasi, Sheik Abdul, Sarojini Bewa and Nani Lal Sadhu Khan and by village road,

West—By the Mondal Bazar road and village road, and the lands of Deb Narain Ghosh, Sidi Dhopi, Lal Chand Mondal, Khatir Mondal, Sheik Nalu, Sheik Ijjatali, Sheik Jadu, Sheik Rohim, Sheik Lalu, Lal Chand Dass, Manik Chand Dass, Icha Bewa, Panchi Bewa, Bharat Chaprasi, Sheik Abdul, Sarojini Bewa and Nani Lal Sadhu Khan,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Bijpur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of the 24-Parganas.

No. 2269L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for dumping depot No. 43 in the mahalla of Manahar Khan Bazar, pargana Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·0076 of an acre, bounded on the— **Dacca.**

North and West—By the remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 111,

East—By the Municipal lane,

South—By the cadastral survey plot No. 112,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid mahalla of Manahar Khan Bazar.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

No. 2272L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bally Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the night-soil depot in ward IV of the Bally Municipality in the village of Echapur, pargana Boro, zilla Howrah, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·0826 of an acre, bounded on the— **Howrah.**

North—By the land and compound wall of Chandra Kishore Biswas,

East—By Kalupara lane,

South and West—By the lands of Kristo Kishore Bose and Banku Behari Bose,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Echapur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Howrah.

No. 2275L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at expense of Bhagyakul union board for a public purpose, viz., for a cremation ground at Kamargaon, in the village of Kamargaon, pargana Dohar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·10 of an acre, bounded on the— **Dacca.**

North—By the union board Halat,

East—By the cadastral survey plot No. 399,

South—By the cadastral survey plot No. 406,

West—By the cadastral survey plot No. 397 and union board Halat,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Kamargaon.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

No. 2278L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Baira union board for a public purpose, viz., for a Primary School at Baira, in the village of Baira, pargana Saha-uzial *tappeh* Paril, **Dacca.**

zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·35 acres, bounded on the—

North—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 491, 571 and 570,

East—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 564, 565 and 566,

South—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 497 and 495,

West—By cadastral survey plot No. 490,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Baira.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 2281L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dacca for a public purpose, viz., for improvement of Mirkadim-Bajrojogini Road, in the villages of Sukhabaspur and Khanka, parganas Bikrampur and Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring more or less, 0·583 of an acre, bounded on the—

BLOCK "A :"

North—By the remaining portion of the cadastral survey plot No. 1,

East—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 1, 2, 7, 6 and 9,

South and West—By the cadastral survey plot No. 10,

BLOCK "B :"

North—By the cadastral survey plot No. 37,

East—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 38, 39, 40, 104 and 103,

South—By the cadastral survey plot No. 69,

West—By the cadastral survey plots Nos. 102 and 105,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Sukhabaspur and Khanka.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 2284L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Kolapara union board for a public purpose, viz., for a union board road in the village of Dakshinpaiksha, parganas Rajnagar, Majidpur and Bikrampur, zilla Dacca, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 0·619 of an acre, bounded on the—

BLOCK I :

North—By the cadastral survey plots Nos. 1238 and 1564 and remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 1224, 1217, 1214, 1213, 1211, 1156 1157 and 1158,

East—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 1224, 1223, 1222, 1218, 1217 and 1209,

South—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 1216, 1215, 1209, 1210, 1205, 1204 and 1172,

West—By the cadastral survey plot No. 1564 and remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 1214, 1219 and 1221,

BLOCK II:

North—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 1169, 1166, 811, 810, 809, 808, 803, 802 and 786,

East—By the cadastral survey plot No. 1170,

South—By the remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 787, 801, 800, 799 and 798 and cadastral survey plots Nos. 1198, 1176 and 1175,

West—By the Local Board road and remaining portions of the cadastral survey plots Nos. 787, 802, 810 and 811,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Dakshinpaiksha.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dacca.

Bakarganj.

No. 2287L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bakarganj for a public purpose, viz, for a lower primary school at South Ratanpura, in the village of Char Ratanpura, pargana Uttar Shahabazpur, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·33 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By remaining portion of jote land of Afiraddi Molla and others (plot No. 1197),

East—By remaining portion of jote land of Asrab Ali (plot No. 1201), and that of Ara Gazi and others (plot No. 1202),

South—By the Local Board road,

West—By remaining portion of the jote land of Afiraddi Molla and others (plot No. 1197) and that of Sona Mia (plot No. 1196),

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Char Ratanpura.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Bakarganj.

Calcutta.

No. 2298L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 cottahs 1 chitak and 19 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·1005 of an acre, being a portion of premises No. 1-2, Dhakuria Road, and bounded as described below, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under declaration No. 1939L.A., dated the 21st February 1916, published at pages 370-72, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, and required by the Calcutta Improvement Trust for scheme No IV A (Russa Road extension) in wards Nos. XXI and XXII of the Calcutta Municipality in the town of Calcutta:—

Boundaries.

North—By premises No. 1 and 1-3, Dhakuria Road,

East—By premises No. 1-3, Dhakuria Road,

South—By that portion of the premises acquired under declaration No. 1939L.A. dated the 21st February 1916,

West—By premises No. 1-1, Dhakuria Road.

Khulna.

No. 2318L. A.—The 10th March 1924.—Babu Satish Chandra Upadhaya, Subdivisional Officer of Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Noakhali.

No. 2342L.A.—The 10th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Noakhali for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Harni, pargana Sundwip, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·27 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 11268 and 11274,
East—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 11274 and 11272,
South—By a khal intervening between the mauzas Harni and Maij chara,
West—By District Board Road with side drain,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Harni.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Noakhali.

Calcutta.

No. 2345L.A.—The 10th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Improvement Trust for a public purpose, viz., for Alignment No. XII (Ballygunge Main Road) in Ward No. XXI of the Calcutta Municipality, a plan of which has been sanctioned by the Governor in Council under section 63 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land being a portion of premises No. 49, Gariahat Road, and measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs and 9 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·3067 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By Garcha 1st Lane,
East—By Gariahat Road,
South—By premises No. 48, Gariahat Road,
West—By the remaining portion of premises No. 49, Gariahat Road, and land belonging to the Corporation of Calcutta,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid Ward No. XXI of the Calcutta Municipality in the town of Calcutta.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the First Land Acquisition Collector, Calcutta, at No. 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

Noakhali.

No. 2348L.A.—The 10th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Noakhali District Board for a public purpose, viz., for a portion of Dalta village road, in the village of Debanagar No. 137, pargana Amrabad, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·69 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By portion of cadastral survey plot No. 456 of Lakhmidharapara, No. 135,
East—By portions of cadastral survey plots Nos. 530, 531, 541, 536, 542, 543, 558, 559, 560, 576, 577, 580, 581, 582, 584 and 583,
South—By portion of cadastral plot No. 602,
West—By portion of cadastral survey plot No. 530 and by a khal—cadastral survey plot No. 536,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Debanagar.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Noakhali.

Midnapore.

No. 2351L.A.—The 10th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of the proposed Distributary No. 3B at Kasiganj in the village of Digbarasati, pargana Sahapur, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land being a portion of settlement plot No. 56 and measuring, more or less, 0·04 of an acre, bounded on the—

North and East—By the remaining portion of settlement plot No. 56 belonging to Rasmani Dasi and Niroda Moyi Dasi,

South and West—By the land already acquired for the retired line at Kasiganj under declaration No. 4321L.A., dated the 27th May 1921,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Digbarasati.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 2354L.A.—The 10th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for closing breach by constructing a ring bund at Nandabari in the 16th mile of Cossye left embankment No. 3, Hoodah No. 2, in the village of Nandabari, pargana Kasijora, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·16 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By P. W. D. embankment,

East—By lands of Dasimani Dasi and others,

West and South—By lands of Khudiram Mandal and others and Dasi Moni Dasi and others,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Nandabari.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 2357L.A.—The 10th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Tamluk Municipality for widening and straightening the pathway to recently excavated municipal tank and for keeping the excess earth of the tank in the village of Parbatipur, pargana Tamluk, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·37 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By district settlement plot Nos. 312 and 311 and pathway to municipal tank,

East—By pathway to municipal tank,

South—By recently excavated municipal tank with its banks,

West—By district settlement plot Nos. 313 and 274,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Parbatipur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act, I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Midnapore.

Birbhum.

No. 2360L.A.—The 10th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for staff quarters at Sainthia station in the village of Sainthia, pargana Sabek Moureswar, zilla Birbhum, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·08 of an acre, bounded on the—

North, East and West—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company,
South—By the District Board Dak Bungalow,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Sainthia.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Birbhum.

Midnapore.

No. 2363L.A.—The 10th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for closing breach by constructing two ring bunds at Shanrpur in 19th and 20th miles of Cossye right embankment No. I, Huddah No. I, in the village of Shanrpur, pargana Sahapur, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 0·74 of an acre, bounded on the—

BLOCK A :

North—By lands of Sheik Abujan and others and Bijoy Krishna De Bakshi and others,
East—By lands of Bijoy Krishna De Bakshi and others,
South—By P. W. D. embankment,
West—By lands of Morion Bibi and Sheik Abujan and others,

BLOCK B:

North—By lands of Sheik Ahamad Ali and others and Sheik Balat Ali,
East—By land of Sheik Balat Ali,
South—By P. W. D. embankment,
West—By lands of Sheik Ahamad Ali and others,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Shanrpur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Midnapore.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Howrah.

No. 2295L.A.—The 7th March 1924.—In line 7 of declaration No. 10180L.A., dated the 23rd November 1922, published at page 2117, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, regarding the acquisition of land required by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for an assisted siding to New North Mill of Messrs. Kettlewell Bullen and Company from Nalpur station, in villages Dahuka, etc., in the district of Howrah, *for* the words "more or less, 5·9237 acres" *read* "more or less, 5·9696 acres."

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests.

No. 8For.—The 29th February 1924.—Mr. D. A. G. Davidson, Assistant Conservator of Forests, on special duty in the Chittagong Division, is transferred from the Direction to the Jalpaiguri Division with headquarters at Jalpaiguri.

Direction. Jalpaiguri.

R. C. MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

No. 3345.—The 4th March 1924.—Major E. B Munro, I.M.S., made over charge of the Midnapore Central Jail to Major A. Denham White on the afternoon of the 23rd February 1924.

Midnapore.

W. G. HAMILTON, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal (offg.).

TREASURY NOTICE.

MAULVI LEHAZUDDIN AHMED, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Bankura Treasury from the 4th March 1924 and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

BROJA D. HAJARA, *Collector.*

BANKURA, *the 6th March 1924.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—CIVIL.

The 29th February 1924.

No. 2881E.—The following Rule amending the rules as to the qualifications, admission and certificates, etc., of Pleaders and Mukhtars in Courts subordinate to the High Court having been made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, under section 6 of the Legal Practitioners' Act, 1879, is published for general information :—

Rule.

I. In clause (*a*) of Rule 2, Chapter XI, Volume I of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil,—

(*i*) *Omit* the word "or" after the word "Allahabad" and *insert* the words "or of the Muslim University of Aligarh" after "Punjab" in line 4;

(*ii*) *insert* the words "and also of the Muslim University of Aligarh" after the word "Punjab" in line 13.

II. In Rule 21, *ibid*, *insert* the words "or of the Muslim University of Aligarh" after the word "Punjab" in line 6.

III. In the "Note" to Rule 25 *ibid*, *insert* the words "or of the Muslim University of Aligarh" after the word "Punjab" in line 4.

No. 2882E.—The following amendments made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the Rules relating to Legal Practitioners contained in Chapter XIV of the "Rules of the High Court, Calcutta, Appellate Side, 1922," are published for general information :—

I.

In sub-rules (*1*) and (*6*) of Rule I, pages 135-136, *insert* the words "or the Muslim University of Aligarh" after the word "Bombay."

II.

In sub-rules (*18*) and (*19*), pages 138-139, *ibid*, *insert* the words "or in the Muslim University of Aligarh" after the word "Punjab."

By order of the High Court,

J. D. V. HODGE,
Registrar.

COURT OF SMALL CAUSES, CALCUTTA.

THE following list of holidays, to be observed in the year 1924 as holidays in the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, has been drawn up with the approval of the Local Government, and is published in accordance with the provisions of section 92 of Act XV of 1882 (Presidency Small Cause Courts Act) :—

Names of holidays	English date.	Bengali date.	Days of the week	Number of days.
		1330.		
New Year's Day ...	1st January ...	16th Pous ...	Tuesday ...	1
Sri Panchami ...	9th and 10th February.	26th and 27th Magh	Saturday and Sunday	2
Shiva Ratri ...	3rd March ...	20th Falgoon ...	Monday ...	1
Dol Jatra ...	21st ,, ...	8th Chaitra ...	Friday ...	1
Barani Gangasnan ...	1st April ...	19th ,, ...	Tuesday ...	1
Chaitra Sankranti ...	13th ,, ...	31st ,, ...	Sunday ...	1
		1331.		
Good Friday to Easter Monday	18th to 21st April	5th to 8th Baisakh	Friday to Monday	4
Id-ul-Fitr ...	6th and 7th May ...	23rd and 24th Baisakh	Tuesday and Wednesday.	2
Empire Day ...	24th May ...	10th Jaistha ...	Saturday ...	1
King Emperor's Birthday ...	The day which may be fixed for celebration in India of the King-Emperor's Birthday will be notified separately in due course.			1
Dasahara Gangasnan ...	12th June ...	29th Jaistha ...	Thursday ...	1
Half-yearly closing of Bank Accounts.	30th ,, ...	16th Asar ...	Monday ...	1
Ratha Jatra ...	4th July ...	20th ,, ...	Friday ...	1
Punar Jatra (Ulta Rath) ...	12th ,, ...	28th ,, ...	Saturday ...	1
Id uz-Zuha ...	13th ,, ...	29th ,, ...	Sunday ...	1
Muharram ...	11th and 12th August.	26th and 27th Sravan	Monday and Tuesday.	2
Janmastami ...	22nd August ...	6th Bhadra ...	Friday ...	1
Dassera Vacation including Mahalaya, Durga, Lakshmi and Kali Pujas, Bhatridwitya and Fatiha Duwazdaham.	28th September to 30th October	12th Aswin to 13th Kartik.	Sunday to Thursday.	33
Jagadhatri Puja ...	5th and 6th November.	19th and 20th Kartik.	Wednesday and Thursday.	2
Kartic Puja ...	15th November ...	29th Kartik ...	Saturday ...	1
Christmas Holidays ...	24th to 31st December.	9th to 16th Pous	Wednesday to Wednesday.	8
			Total ...	67

NOTE:—Muhammadan officials are allowed to absent themselves from office for the following days in addition to those mentioned above :—

Muharram	3 days
Akhiri Chahar Shamba ..	1 day.
Shab-i-Barat	1 ,,
Id-uz-Zuha	1 ,,
Total ...	6 days.

J. C. GUPTA,
N. C. SEN,
S. C. MITTER,
MOWDUDUR RAHMAN,
J. W. CHIPPENDALE,
K. N. BANERJEE,
M. C. GHOSH,
Judges, Court of Small Causes Calcutta

COURT OF SMALL CAUSES, CALCUTTA, *the 28th February 1924.*

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 of Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act) that during the months of April, May and June 1924, until further orders, the 2nd Additional Sub-Judge of Howrah and Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore and Howrah, will hold his sittings as detailed below :—

April 1924.

1st to 13th as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge, Howrah.
14th to 22nd as Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore.
23rd to 30th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.

May 1924.

1st to 14th as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge, Howrah.
15th to 20th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore.
21st to 31st as Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.

June 1924.

1st to 13th as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge, Howrah.
14th to 19th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore.
20th to 30th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.

(Excluding Sundays and holidays.)

TEJ CHANDRA MITTER, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

HOWRAH, *the 25th February 1924.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 21Jct.—Maulvi Nurul Haq, Sub-Deputy Collector, Balurghat, in the district of Dinajpur, is allowed leave on average pay for six weeks, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP PABNA, *the 3rd March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 24Jct.—Maulvi Zillur Rahman, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, Pabna, is posted to the Balurghat subdivision of the Dinajpur district.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP PABNA, *the 3rd March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1502R.G.—Babu Jitendriya Mukherji, Sub-Deputy Collector and Second Officer Lalbagh, Murshidabad, is appointed a Circle Officer and is transferred to the Sadar station of the district of the 24-Parganas.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1507R.G.—Maulvi Khonker Ali Taher, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Sadar, 24-Parganas, is transferred to Lalbagh, Murshidabad, as Second Officer.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 724J.G.—Babu Hari Charan Banerji, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, who has been posted to the Burdwan Division under Government notification No. 3691A., dated the 29th February 1924, is posted to the headquarters station of the Hooghly district.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1269G.—Babu Apurba Ranjan Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, transferred to this division by Government notification No. 3584A., dated the 27th February 1924, is posted to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1521K.G.—Maulvi Mirza Yahya Shirazi, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed as Circle Officer and posted to the Sadar station of the district of Nadia.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1202J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 63 (*1*) of the Bengal Jail Code, 1919, Maulvi Syed Abdur Rob Chaudhury, member of the Bengal Legislative Council, is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Madaripur and Gopalganj sub-jails in the district of Faridpur.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 3rd March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 81Jcl.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Kalimpong sub-jail in the district of Darjeeling for a period of two years:—

1. Mr. W. Moor.
2. Rai Ram Chandra Mintri Bahad.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP SERAJGANJ, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 978J.—It is hereby notified for general information that Khan Bahadur Dr. Elahi Baksh is appointed to be non-official visitor of the Serajganj sub-jail in the district of Pabna, *vice* Babu Jadav Chandra Chakrabartti, deceased.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1341G.—It is hereby notified for general information that the gentlemen named below are appointed to be non-official visitors of the district and subsidiary jails for the period of their membership of the Bengal Legislative Council:—

Chittagong District Jail.	Cox's Bazar Sub-Jail.
1. Mr. J. M. Sen Gupta.	Maulvi Amanat Khan.
2. Maulvi Nurul Haque Choudhury.	

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 7th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 31M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on the 26th January 1924 in ward No. VI of the Panihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, Babu Haripada Sen has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Haridas Sen, resigned.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 10th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 32M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on the 23rd February 1924 in ward No. VIII of the North Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, Babu Kshetra Mohan Bhattacharjya has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Tryolakha Nath Manna, deceased.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 10th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 123L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power conferred on me by section 19 (*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint Babus Shyama Charan Biswas and Sailendra Chandra Maulik as members of the Chuadanga local board in the Nadia district in place of Babus Ramjadu Lahiri and Bhujendra Nath Banerji, removed.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1246J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 19 (*1*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, Munshi Abedulla Sarkar has been duly elected to be a member of Sadar local board in the district of Mymensingh, *vice* Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, B.L., resigned.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 106L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Rajapur union board in the police-station of Mahammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district:—

1. Babu Jagot Bandhu Biswas.
2. „ Umapada Kuri Chaudhuri.
3. „ Jatindra Kumar Sikdar.
4. Babu Ashok Chandra Biswas.
5. Munshi Abder Hossain *alias* Abu Mia.
6. Babu Ganga Charan Chakraverty.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Munshi Panjutulla Biswas.
2. „ Abdul Wahed Biswas.
3. Babu Sarat Chandra Nandi.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 107L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Palashberia union board in the police-station of Mahammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Bhuban Mohan Das.
2. Munshi Abdur Rahman Khan.
3. „ Abdul Malek Molla.
4. Munshi Rajan Sharif.
5. „ Derasatulla Biswas.
6. Syed Jalaladdin Ahmed.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Babu Satish Chandra Chakraverty.
2. „ Srinath Biswas.
3. Syed Aptabuddin Ahmed.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 108L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Amalsar union board in the police-station of Sripur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Abinash Chandra Sarkar.
2. „ Rohini Kanta Sarkar.
3. „ Biswambar Das.
4. Munshi Emanuddin Biswas.
5. Babu Pran Gopal Chakraverty.
6. „ Tarak Brahma Sarkar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Babu Behary Lal Biswas.
2. „ Purna Chandra Nandi.
3. Munshi Safiuddin.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 109L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kadirpara union board in the police-station of Sripur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Dina Nath Sen.
2. Munshi Torap-Uddin Biswas.
3. Babu Basanta Kumar Roy.
4. Babu Trailakya Nath Munshi.
5. Munshi Elam Hossain.
6. „ Nazir Ahmed.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Babu Sashi Bhusan Datta.
2. „ Bepin Behary Roy.
3. Munshi Abdur Rashid Mia.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 110L.S.-G.- It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gangarampur union board in the police-station of Salikha in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Nagendra Nath Bhattacharjya.
2. ,, Keshab Lal Mitra.
3. ,, Kiran Chandra Datta.
4. Munshi Aftabuddin Molla.
5. ,, Mahammad Abdul Hakim Mia.
6. ,, Abdul Aziz.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Munshi Abdul Latif.
2. ,, Fazler Rahman Shekh.
3. Babu Aghore Nath Bhattacharjya.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 111L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bunagati union board in the police-station of Salikha in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Rehajuddin Molla.
2. ,, Amiruddin Molla.
3. ,, Jonab Molla.
4. Babu Lal Behary Biswas.
5. ,, Durjyadhan Biswas.
6. ,, Kailash Chandra Biswas.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Babu Jogendra Nath Sarkar.
2. ,, Kanchiram Ghosh.
3. Mir Gauhar Ali.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 112L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bogia union board in the police-station of Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Manmatha Nath Chakravarti.
2. Khondakar Mahammad Abdul Jabbar.
3. Khondakar Serajal Huq.
4. Molla Abdur Rahman.
5. Babu Bhupendra Nath Raha.
6. ,, Hriday Nath Rai.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Munshi Bazler Rahman Sikdar.
2. Babu Sita Nath Sen.
3. Syed Abdul Majid.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 113L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Satrujitpur union board in the police-station of Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Harendra Nath Sinha.
2. ,, Nripendra Nath Pal.
3. ,, Bisweswar Sinha.
4. Munshi Nabab Khan.
5. Babu Hriday Nath Sarkar.
6. ,, Sisir Kumar Sarkar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board:—

1. Babu Upendra Lal Sarkar.
2. Munshi Soltan Ali Khondkar.
3. Munshi Golam Rahman Biswas.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 114L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919) the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Batajor union board in the police-station of Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district:—

1. Babu Jogendra Chandra Das.
2. „ Bepin Behari Ray.
3. „ Nagendra Nath Goswami.
4. Babu Gopal Chandra Mazumdar.
5. „ Ambica Charan Sen.
6. „ Subodh Chandra Sen.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Hazi Abdul Aziz Khondkar.
2. Kazi Mozaffar Hossain.
3. Munshi Sorur Ahmed.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 115L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Chaulia union board in the police-station of Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Ram Chandra Kabyatirtha.
2. Munshi Nepal Molla.
3. „ Abbas Biswas.
4. Munshi Ketabuddin Biswas.
5. „ Abdul Aziz Molla.
6. „ Baser Molla.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Mahammed Tejarat Molla.
2. Munshi Yanus Sikdar.
3. Babu Suresh Chandra Dey.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 116L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Srikol union board in the police-station of Sripur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Manindra Nath Biswas.
2. „ Aswini Kumar Biswas.
3. Syed Abdur Razzak.
4. Kazi Rai-han-uddin.
5. Munshi Abdur Razzak.
6. Babu Nibaran Chandra Sikdar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Babu Manmatha Nath Biswas.
2. „ Surendra Nath Bagchi.
3. Babu Madan Chandra Biswas.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 117L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section(*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Sripur union board in the police-station Sripur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Narendra Nath Sikdar.
2. „ Aswini Kumar Sarkar.
3. Kazi Abdul Gani.
4. Munshi Abdul Latif Mia.
5. Babu Jogendra Nath Kundu.
6. Kazi Bazler Rahman.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Babu Lalit Mohan Chakraverty.
2. Mir Abdul Wahed.
3. Munshi Nehaj-uddin Joardar.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 118L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Hariharnagar union board in the police-station Muhammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Sarat Chandra Mukherjee.
2. Munshi Taher Molla.
3. „ Ahadur Amin.
4. Babu Satish Chandra Sen.
5. Munshi Ali Mia.
6. Kazi Abdul Haque.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Guha.
2. Munshi Yusuf Molla.
3. Babu Jogendra Prosad Mitra.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 119L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Benodpur union board in the police-station Muhammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Hemanta Kumar Mazumdar.
2. „ Patit Paban Saha.
3. Munshi Mozahar Molla.
4. Munshi Rohim Baksha Sardar.
5. „ Abbas Munshi.
6. Babu Satish Chandra Guha.

2 Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the abovenamed union board :—

1. Babu Rati Kanta Biswas.
2. „ Trailokhya Nath Chakraverty.
3. Munshi Abdul Ala Mia.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 120L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Digha union board in the police-station Mahammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Nakul Chandra Saha.
2. Munshi Aijuddin Molla.
3. „ Arip Molla.
4. Babu Surendra Nath Bose.
5. „ Priya Nath Mukherjee.
6. „ Sadhu Charan Poddar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Babu Indu Bhusan Bhattacharjya.
2. Syed Nausher Ali.
3. Munshi Makbul Hosain.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 121L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Babukhali union board in the police-station Mahammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Mokbul Hossain Jamadar.
2. Babu Amulya Krishna Adhikari.
3. Munshi Matiulla Karikar.
4. Babu Satish Chandra Mandal.
5. Syed Atahar Ali.
6. Munshi Abdul Jalil Khan.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Maulvi Mahabubor Rahaman.
2. Babu Mahendra Nath Sen.
3. Babu Mahendra Barai *alias* Mahendra Nath Roy.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 122L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Hazrapur union board in the police-station Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district:—

1. Babu Bhupati Charan Dutta.
2. Khondakar Khairat Ali.
3. Babu Harihar Chakravarti.
4. Babu Rojoni Kanta Biswas.
5. „ Surendra Nath Biswas.
6. Mir Shamsul Huda.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Munshi Afsaruddin Ahmed.
2. „ Tofeluddin Molla.
3. Babu Chandra Nath Bose.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1280 G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bhankshar (No. XIII) union board in police-station Chandina in the Sadar (South) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Shah Syed Emdadul Huq, M.L.C., of Bhankshar.
2. Babu Annada Prasanna Kar, of Gobinpur.
3. „ Jatish Chandra Kar, of Gobinpur.
4. Munshi Zinaat Ali, of Tulagaon.
5. „ Ahmed Ali, of Bhankshar.
6. „ Abdul Karim Mea, of Poiapara.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Rohimuddin, of Barashakpur.
2. Babu Golok Chandra Das, of Ronaitala.
3. Munshi Muhammad Daulat Mea, of Lakshmipur.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1282 G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Barukanda (No. 1) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Lalmiah Sarkar.
2. Sayed Ali Master.
3. Raj Chandra Saha.
4. Safarali Bhuya.
5. Najiruddin Miah.
6. Abdul Hossein.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Saadat Ali Mia.
2. Abdul Jabbar Master.
3. Barada Kanta Chanda.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1283 G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gubindapur (No. II) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Abbas Ali.
2. Payori Mohan Shaha.
3. Alauddin Sarkar.
4. Mohan Bashi Saha.
5. Muhammed Lalmiah.
6. Sonatan Shaha.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Naziruddin Ahmed.
2. Waris Sarker.
3. Abdul Bari Khandakar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1284G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Jagatpur (No. III) union board in the police-station Daudkandi in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Pandob Chandra Nath Bhumic.
2. Mahomed Ali Sarkar.
3. Abdul Aziz Sarkar.
4. Chand Ali Sarkar.
5. Arjot Ali Sarkar.
6. Mainuddin Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Bepin Chandra Lodh.
2. Amiruddin Bhuyan.
3. Rajjabali Sarkar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1285G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bolorampur (No. IV) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Dudmeah Sikdar.
2. Serajul Islam.
3. Badaruddin Sarkar.
4. Dr. Safdar Ali.
5. Kazi Abdul Waseq.
6. Safdar Ali.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Aswini Kumar Das.
2. Sukur Mahomed Bhuia.
3. Yousaf Ali Master.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1286G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bhitikandi union board (No. V) in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Khondakar Maulvi Mahomed Akkas.
2. M. Niazuddin Sarkar.
3. „ Ahmed Bhuiya.
4. M. Hanif Bhuiya.
5. „ Aftabaddin Bhuiya.
6. „ Zamiraddin Ahmed.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Babu Rebati Mohan Ray.
2. „ Balaram Poddar.
3. Munshi Rabiulla.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1287G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Narandia (No. VI) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Abdul Aziz Sarkar.
2. Taleb Ali Kazi.
3. Md. Golam Maula Khan.
4. Yakub Ali Panchayet.
5. Aminuddin Master.
6. Yakub Munshi.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Nazamaddin Sarkar.
2. Amjad Ali Bhuiya.
3. Kartic Chandra Saha.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1288G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Mojidpur (No. VII) union board in the police-station Daudkandi in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Nalini Bhusan Ray.
2. „ Kunja Mohan Ray.
3. Munshi Adam Sarker.
4. Karim Box Bhuyan.
5. Abdul Aziz.
6. Sahebali.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. M. Ashraf Ali Bhuiya.
2. „ Talebali.
3. M. Janab Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1289G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Daudkandi (No. VIII) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Jogendra Chandra Saha.
2. Maulvi Arshad Ali.
3. Karam Ali Sarkar.
4. Mofijuddin Ahmed.
5. Guroo Charan Poddar.
6. Ahmed Hosain Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. M. Abdur Rahman Chaudhury.
2. Munshi Mahomed Kaloo Miah.
3. Aysarya Kumar Bhowmik.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1290G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Goalmari union board (No. 9) in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Abdul Aziz Mahomed *alias* Lal Mia.
2. Babu Hari Mohan Sarkar.
3. M. Ismail Sarkar.
4. M. Samiruddin Talukdar.
5. M. Syed Fazlul Haq.
6. M. Jafarali Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. M. Reazuddin Ahmed Chowdhury.
2. Babu Hari Charan Saha.
3. M. Samiruddin Hazi.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1291G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Panchgaria (No. X) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Samiraddin Sarkar.
2. „ Faizaddin Patary.
3. „ Ismail Sarkar.
4. Munshi Maniraddin Sarkar.
5. „ Fazarali Master.
6. „ Gofurali Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Jagat Chandra Nandy.
2. „ Prakash Chandra Datta Gupta.
3. M. Mahomed Hossenali Sarder.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1292G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Maroka (No. XV) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Jamiruddin Sarkar.
2. Babu Bipin Chandra Saha.
3. M. Madhor Ali Gooldar.
4. Babu Raj Kumar Ray Chaudhuri.
5. M. Amjad Ali Prodhan.
6. Babu Durga Saran Chakraborty.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Surendra Chandra Sen Gupta.
2. Dr. Srish Chandra Sen Gupta.
3. Munshi Abdul Wahed Majumdar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1293G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Sundalpur (No. XII) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Osman Ghani Sarkar.
2. Babu Mohendra Chandra Ray.
3. Kasim Ali Sarkar.
4. Yasin Sarkar.
5. Yousaf Ali Talukdar.
6. Rajjab Ali Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Sarat Chandra Dey.
2. Mahamed Charoo Bhuiya.
3. Munshi Abdul Jabbar Fakir.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1294G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gouripur (No. XIII) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Munshi Akrom Ali Sarkar.
2. „ Kadim Ali Mulla.
3. Babu Behary Lal Saha.
4. Fazar Ali Bhuyan.
5. Sahajan Sarkar.
6. Mahomed Hosein Bhuyan.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Maulvi Wajuddin Ahmed.
2. Adhar Chandra Ghosh.
3. Sarat Chandra Ray.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1295G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Elliotganj (No. XIV) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Harendra Chandra Burdhan, B.A.
2. Munshi Jinnot Ali Bhuyan.
3. „ Jakir Mahomed Bhuyan.
4. Babu Saroda Charan Ray, B.A.
5. Bharat Chandra Bhaumic.
6. Babu Gobinda Chandra Aich.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Munshi Jinnat Ali Bhowyan.
2. Jafar Ali Sarkar.
3. Abbas Ali Munshi.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1296G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Mahomedpur (No. XV) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Mohesh Chandra Datta.
2. Munshi Mahomed Ali Master.
3. ,, Yousaf Ali Miah.
4. Munshi Charoo Bhuyan.
5. Nibaran Chandra Sarkar.
6. Munshi Syed Abdur Rahman Miah.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Maulvi Nawab Ali, B.L.
2. Munshi Abdul Gofur Bhuiya.
3. Babu Hem Chandra Bhattacharjee.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*off'g.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1297G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Hosaindi (No. XVI) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Mahomed Basharat Ali.
2. Yousof Ali Sarkar.
3. A. H. M. M. Zoha.
4. Jabbarali Pradhan.
5. Abdul Jalil Khan.
6. Somser Ali Khan.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Ananda Chandra Mullick.
2. Mahomed Abdul Goffur.
3. Kali Nath Chakravertty.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*off'g.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1298G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Baluakandi (No. XVII) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Nibaran Chandra Datta Biswas.
2. Umesh Chandra Das.
3. Girish Chandra Deb Sarkar.
4. Lalu Munshi.
5. Nazumuddin Sarkar.
6. Hazi Abdul Matbar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Upendra Chandra Sen.
2. Mahomed Hanif.
3. Newaj Master.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*off'g.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1299G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Tangarchar (No. XVIII) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera : --

1. Faizuddin Sarkar.
2. Fazlur Rahman.
3. Nazar Ali Mulla.
4. Kandu Bepari.
5. Miah Jan Munshi.
6. Afizuddin Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Ashraf Ali Sarkar.
2. Padma Lochan Nath.
3. Ananda Chandra Nath.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1300G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bhalurchar (No. XIX) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Azimuddin Sarkar.
2. Har Kumar Das.
3. Mohar Ali Sarkar.
4. Kandu Sarkar.
5. Ibrahim Sarkar.
6. Akram Ali Miah.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Haidar Ali Munshi.
2. Ibrahim Sarkar.
3. Kali Charan Guha.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1301G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bausia (No. XX) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Tamezuddin Moulvi.
2. Tamezuddin Sarkar.
3. Munsar Ali Sarkar.
4. Daimuddin Sarkar.
5. Ibrahim Sarkar.
6. Syed Ali Sarkar.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Lalit Mohan Mukherjee.
2. Taizuddin Sarkar.
3. Alfazuddin Ahmed.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1302G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gangasin (No. XXI) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Asman Ali Sarkar.
2. Rahim Baksha Sarkar.
3. Samiruddin Sarkar.
4. Ramezuddin Moulvi.
5. Muksud Ali Sarkar.
6. Abdul Aziz Munshi.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Hazi Rahim Baksha Sarkar.
2. Muzaffar Hossain Miah.
3. Nowab Ali Sarkar.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1303G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Imampura (No. XXII) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Hafizuddin Khan.
2. Wazuddin Sarkar.
3. Akkus Khan.
4. Naimuddin Sarkar.
5. Sahebali Sarkar.
6. Mahmud Rezzak.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Mahmed Abdul Kader *alias* Kadir Darjee.
2. Maizuddin Sikdar.
3. Har Chandra Sil.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1304G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gazoria (XXIII) union board in police-station Daudkandi in the Northern (Sadar) subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. M. Syed Aminul Islam.
2. Matbar Mullah.
3. Abdul Ghoni Khan.
4. Lal Mohan Shaha.
5. Abdul Wahed Miah.
6. Lalit Mohan Shaha.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union board :—

1. Syed Kalimullah.
2. Nural Huque Akhan.
3. Biraj Mohan Kor.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 126L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nauhata union board in the police-station Mahammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Prosanna Kumar Chakraverty.
2. Munshi Asiruddin Molla.
3. Babu Promatha Nath Bose.
4. Babu Ananda Nath Bhattacharyya.
5. Munshi Abdur Rahman.
6. Babu Akshay Kumar Mittra.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Munshi Abul Hossain.
2. Hazi Abdul Aziz Munshi.
3. Babu Purna Chandra Laskar.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 127L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Panchuria union board in the police-station Mahammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Jainuddin Sardar.
2. ,, Ejaharuddin Sikdar.
3. ,, Abdur Rauf Sardar.
4. Babu Baman Das Sen.
5. ,, Hridoy Nath Mozumdar.
6. ,, Chandra Nath Sen.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the same Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Babu Giriza Kanta Mukherjee.
2. Munshi Lal Mahmud Sardar.
3. Munshi Abdul Karim Karikar.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 128L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kuchiamora union board in the police-station Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Wajed Sikdar.
2. Babu Rup Chand Mandal.
3. Munshi Kausaruddin Biswas.
4. Munshi Sujaruddin Molla.
5. ,, Abdul Hamid Sikdar.
6. ,, Faizuddin Biswas.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Babu Kali Pada Biswas.
2. ,, Amrita Lal Maitra.
3. Munshi Madan Sikdar.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 129L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nakail union board in the police-station Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Mahammed Azizar Rahman.
2. Babu Lakshmi Kanta Saha.
3. Munshi Mahammed Wahiduddin.
4. Munshi Keamaddin Molla.
5. ,, Mahammed Serazul Islam.
6. ,, Abdul Gaffur.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the aforesaid Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the above-named union board :—

1. Babu Srish Chandra Mallik.
2. ,, Tarak Nath Biswas.
3. Munshi Mahammed Sayem.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1320G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Mogra union board, police-station Kasba, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Mahendra Kumar Ray.
2. ,, Mahim Chandra Ray.
3. ,, Surendra Nath Ray.
4. Babu Mahendra Chandra Shaha.
5. ,, Debendra Chandra Sarkar.
9. Munshi Abdul Aziz.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Tippera to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Trilochan Chakrabarty.
2. ,, Kunja Mohan Das.
3. Munshi Jiradhar Ali.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (off'g.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1823G.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Sarail union board in police-station Sarail in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Maulvi Dewan Mustafa Ali.
2. ,, Abdur Rahim Chaudhury.
3. Babu Ananta Kumar Chakraverty.
4. Munshi Amin Baksh.
5. Dewan Obaidulla.
6. Babu Satish Chandra Chakraverty.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said union :—

1. Babu Basanta Shekhar Bhattacharjee, B.A., Head Master, Sarail H. E. School.
2. Mir Shekandar Ali, of Dewanpara.
3. Munshi Olfulla Mea.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.)*.

CHITTAGONG, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 130L. S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the union boards noted against their names in the Ranaghat subdivision of the district of Nadia :—

Name of police-station.	Name of union board.	Ward No.	Names of members elected.
Ranaghat	Majhergram	I	Babu Surendra Nath Chatterji.
		II	Munshi Ebadat Biswas.
		III	Babu Nani Gopal Karmokar.
		IV	,, Jadunath Pramanik.
		V	,, Anukul Chandra Mukherji.
			,, Taranath Mukherji.
	Debgram	I	Babu Nogendra Nath Biswas.
		II	Munshi Achhad Ali Molla.
		III	Babu Sarat Chandra Chowdhuri.
		IV	,, Behari Lal Biswas.
			Munshi Kalu Mandal.
		V	Babu Satish Chandra Mukherji.
	Raghunathpur	I	Babu Amulya Charan Roy.
		II	,, Probodh Chandra Sarkhel.
		III	,, Nagendra Nath Ghose.
		IV	Munshi Chhader Mondal.
		V	,, Ainaddi Ahmed.
			,, Madar Baksh Mondal.
	Habibpur	I	Babu Hazari Lal Banerji.
			,, Panchanan Chakraverty.
		II	Munshi Banu Sardar.
		III	Babu Nirodbaran Ghose.
		IV	,, Girindra Nath Ghose.
			,, Manmatha Nath Mukherji.
	Masunda	I	Babu Khagendra Nath Tarafdar.
		II	,, Lakshman Chandra Mondal.
		III	,, Bibhuti Bhusan Chakraverty.
			,, Manmatha Nath Goswami.
		IV	,, Shyamaprosanna Roy.
		V	,, Bholanath Chatterji.
Santipur	Nabla	I	Babu Abinash Chandra Sen.
			Munshi Osman Shaik Mondal.
		II	,, Bharu Shaik Mondal.
		III	Babu Kamakhya Charan Ghose.
			,, Madhusudan Chatterji.
		IV	,, Kalisatya Bhattacharji.
	Belgoria	I	Munshi Shaik Barik Mondal.
		II	Babu Satyaranjan Chatterji.
		III	,, Niroj Kumar Banerji.
			,, Bama Charan Banerji.
		IV	Munshi Shaik Maniruddin Ahmed.
		V	Babu Sripati Biswas.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act the following gentlemen have been duly appointed by the District Magistrate of Nadia to be members of the union boards noted against their names:—

Name of police-station.	Name of union board.	Names of members appointed.
Ranaghat ...	Majhergram ...	1. Munshi Maijuddi Mondal. 2. „ Fazal Karim. 3. Babu Provash Chandra Bhattacharji.
	Debgram ...	1. Babu Surendra Nath Mukherji. 2. „ Panchanan Ghoshal. 3. Munshi Bahar Mondal.
	Raghunathpur ...	1. Babu Surjya Narain Roy. 2. Munshi Panchkari Tarafdar. 3. Babu Jogendra Nath Bhattacharjya.
	Habibpur ...	1. Munshi Mohor Mondal. 2. Babu Rajani Kanta Dutta. 3. „ Rajani Kanta Banerji.
	Masunda ...	1. Munshi Rasik Gazi. 2. Babu Adhar Chandra Mukherji. 3. „ Amulya Gopal Chatterji.
Santipur ...	Nabla ...	1. Babu Suresh Kumar Mukherji. 2. „ Abhoypada Mukherji. 3. Munshi Panchu Shaik.
	Belgoria ...	1. Munshi Hazari Shaik Mondal. 2. Babu Mohendra Nath Dutta. 3. „ Kamalapati Bhattacharji.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1231J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Faridpur:—

District Faridpur, Subdivision Sadar.

Names of police-stations.	Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Char Bhadrasan ...	Char Bhadrasan ...	1. Maulvi Muhammad Eakubali. 2. „ Ansaraddin Mridha. 3. „ Jahed Khan. 4. „ Abdul Majid Khan. 5. „ Ibrahim Khan. 6. Babu Kailas Chandra Biswas.
	Gazirtek ...	1. Babu Sukchand Biswas. 2. „ Keshab Chandra Sarkar. 3. „ Paresh Nath Sarkar. 4. „ Bancharam Pramanik. 5. Maulvi Kasimaddin Mridha. 6. „ Naimaddin Kari.
Bhanga ...	Gharua ...	1. Maulvi Serajaddin Munshi. 2. „ Darajaddin Munshi. 3. „ Muhammad Idris Meah. 4. Babu Trailokya Nath Rahut.
Nagarkanda ...	Atghar ...	1. Babu Satindra Mohan Chanda. 2. „ Surendra Lal Chanda. 3. „ Amar Nath Dutta. 4. „ Jogendra Lal Chanda. 5. „ Jagat Bandhu Mitra. 6. Maulvi Munsurali Chowdhury.
	Krishnanagar ...	1. Babu Kasiswar Bhattacharjee. 2. „ Surendra Mohan Chakrabarty. 3. „ Harendra Chandra Roy. 4. „ Surendra Lal Sen. 5. „ Praganath Chakrabarty. 6. Maulvi Abdul Gani Sardar.
	Char Jasordi ...	1. Khandker Muhammadul Haque. 2. Maulvi Mohan Molla. 3. „ Baburali Meah. 4. „ Esrail Meah. 5. „ Abdul Bari Khandker. 6. „ Abdul Aziz Munshi.

Names of police-stations	Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Kotwali ...	Mach Char ...	1. Maulvi Gaoharali Munshi.
		2. „ Abdul Aziz Khandker.
		3. „ Ansaraddi Molla.
		4. „ Entazaddin Ahmed.
		5. Babu Sarat Chandra Bhowmik.
		6. „ Mohim Chandra Das.
	Kaijuri ...	1. Babu Gopal Chandra Pathak.
		2. „ Nilratan Bhattacharjee.
		3. „ Kishori Mohan Nag.
		4. Khandker Muhammad Hossain.
		5. Maulvi Rokanaddin Mallick.
		6. „ Hossainuddin Molla.
	Krishnanagar	1. Babu Amrita Lal Roy.
		2. „ Anath Bandhu Das.
Bhusna ...	Satair ...	1. Moulvi Khandker Azizar Rahman.
		2. „ Syed Sadequer Rahaman.
		3. „ Muhammad Obedulla.
		4. Babu Rakhal Chandra Mallick Karmaker.
		5. „ Sremanta Kumar Das.
		6. „ Shisir Kumar Sanyal.
	Dadpur ...	1. Babu Madhab Chandra Mukherjee.
		2. „ Priyo Nath Roy Chowdhuri.
		3. „ Bankim Chandra Ghose.
		4. „ Mati Lal Kunda.
		5. „ Fatik Chandra Nath.
		6. „ Nakuleswar Banerjee.
	Chatal ...	1. Babu Bhabataran Roy.
		2. „ Rajendra Nath Kar.
		3. „ Sarada Raman Chatterjee.
		4. „ Mati Lal Dutta.
		5. Maulvi Abdul Aziz Meah.
		6. „ Abdul Jalil Meah.
Madhukhali ...	Bagat ...	1. Babu Jogendra Nath Roy.
		2. „ Rasik Lal Banerjee.
		3. „ Tarak Brahma Roy.
		4. „ Syam Lal Nandi.
		5. „ Bepin Behari Saha.
		6. „ Abinas Chandra Dutta.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Faridpur to be members of the following union boards :—

Names of police-stations.	Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Bhanga ...	Gharua ...	1. Babu Banamali Chanda.
		2. Maulvi Abdul Sattar.
	Jandi ...	1. Babu Jogendra Chandra Sen.
		2. „ Mati Lal Das.
		3. „ Gopal Chandra Das.
		4. Munshi Altap Meah.
		5. Muhammad Afsaraddin.
		6. Babu Ambica Charan Ganguly.
	Hamirdi ...	1. Maulvi Quazi Amiruddin.
		2. „ Abdul Gafoor.
		3. „ Hazi Fazlal Haque.
		4. „ Abdul Wahed Chowdhuri.
		5. Babu Barada Kanta Datta.
		6. „ Akshoy Kumar Bhowmik.
Nagarkanda ...	Gatti ...	1. Maulvi Khandker Abdur Razzak.
		2. „ Asiraddin Molla.
		3. „ Kazi Mozaharaddin.
		4. „ Khandker Abdul Hamid.
		5. Babu Ganga Charan Chakladar.
		6. „ Syama Charan Nandi.

Names of police-stations.	Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Kotwali ...	Kanaipur ...	1. Babu Satindra Mohan Guha Roy. 2. „ Bindhu Bhusan Sen. 3. „ Nalini Chandra Sikdar. 4. „ Deb Kumar Chakraberty. 5. „ Nitya Gopal Sikdar. 6. Khidir Matabbar.
	Krishnanagar ...	1. Babu Ram Lal Chanda. 2. „ Jagat Bandhu Bhowmik. 3. Munshi Anijuddin. 4. „ Janun Matabbar.
Madhukhali ...	Raipur ...	1. Babu Ram Charan Das. 2. „ Akshoy Kumar Bose. 3. „ Chandra Kanta Bhattacharji. 4. „ Syama Charan Saha. 5. „ Bhuban Mohan Chakrabarty. 6. Munshi Sarur Ahmed.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Faridpur to be members of the union boards noted below :—

Names of police-stations	Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Char Bhadrasan ...	Char Bhadrasan ...	1. Babu Nil Kanta Roy. 2. Maulvi Abdul Bari. 3. „ Muhammad Nazir Munshi.
	Gazirtek ...	1. Maulvi Jainuddin Munshi. 2. Babu Rai Mohan Sarkar. 3. „ Joy Chand Mistri.
Bhanga ...	Gharua ...	1. Maulvi Helaladdin Mir. 2. „ Rahman Khan. 3. Babu Tarak Chandra Mitra.
	Jandi ...	1. Babu Akshay Kumar Karmakar. 2. Maulvi Rafiuddin. 3. „ Abdul Samad.
	Hamirdi ...	1. Maulvi Abdul Malek Talukdar. 2. „ Abdul Haque. 3. Babu Bepin Chandra Pal.
Nagarkanda ...	Atghar ...	1. Maulvi Sanwarali Chowdhuri. 2. „ Montajuddin. 3. Munshi Abdul Talukdar.
	Gatti ...	1. Khandkar Abdul Ghafur. 2. Syed Muhammad Abdur Rahim. 3. Babu Abinas Chandra Dutta.
	Krishnanagar ...	1. Maulvi Kazi Faizuddin. 2. „ Syed Abdur Rashid. 3. „ Syed Abdus Sukur.
	Char Jasordi ...	1. Babu Kunja Behari Biswas. 2. „ Mati Lal Bose. 3. „ Aswini Kumar Rahut.
Kotwali ...	Mach Char ...	1. Babu Jogneswar Bose. 2. „ Benode Behari Datta. 3. Munshi Muhammad Jonabali.
	Kaijuri ...	1. Maulvi Wahedan Nabi. 2. Babu Pramatha Nath Sarkar. 3. „ Sarat Chandra Sikdar.
	Kanaipur ...	1. Maulvi Maniraddin Molla. 2. „ Abdul Karim Khondkar. 3. „ Naimaddin Molla.
	Krishnanagar ...	1. Maulvi Taijuddin Matabbar. 2. „ Okheladdin Matabbar. 3. Babu Durga Nath Dutta.
Bhusna ...	Satair ...	1. Babu Bepin Behari Sikdar. 2. „ Manmatha Nath Chakrabarty. 3. „ Pyari Lal Mitra.
	Dadpur ...	1. Maulvi Abdul Sattar. 2. „ Soban Sardar. 3. „ Aptabaddin Sardar.
	Chatal ...	1. Maulvi Isub Matabbar. 2. Abdul Aziz Munshi. 3. Babu Ram Gopal Bandyopadhyay.

Names of police-stations.	Names of union boards	Names of members
Madhukhali ...	Bagat ...	1. Maulvi Mobarak Hossain Meah. 2. „ Tofazzal Hossain Meah. 3. „ Mozaharaddin Munshi.
	Raipur ...	1. Maulvi Rostamali Meah. 2. „ Aptabaddin Jamadar. 3. „ Abdul Latif Khan.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.)*.

DACCA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 459L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Rampurhat police-station in the Rampurhat subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

No. of wards	Names of members.
	NARAINPUR UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Dhajadhari Salui.
II	... 2. Babu Abani Bhusan Halder. 3. „ Nabadwip Chandra Mondal. 4. „ Tribhanga Murari Roy. 5. „ Sibchandra Mondal.
III	... 6. Babu Surendra Narayan Mondal.
	KUSUMBA UNION BOARD.
II	.. 1. Babu Bhagirath Sahana.
III	... 2. Babu Pashupati Mukherji. 3. „ Sambhu Nath Mukherji.
	BONHAT UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Kali Prosanna Chatterji.
II	... 2. Babu Bhupati Bhusan Mondal 3. „ Ram Ranjan Das.
	KHARUN UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Mrityunjoy Mukherji. 2. „ Dhanapati Mondal.
II	... 3. Babu Rakhal Chandra Roy. 4. „ Bhupati Lal Mukherji.
III	... 5. Babu Krista Chandra Biswas.
	BARSHAL UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Munshi Shaikh Ebadat Ali. 2. Babu Asutosh Chatterji.
II	... 3. Munshi Abdul Aziz. 4. „ Abdul Quader.
III	... 5. Babu Debendra Nath Bhattacharji. 6. „ Norendra Nath Mukherji,

No. of wards.	Names of members.
	AYASH UNION BOARD.
I	1. Munshi Shaikh Esmail. 2. Babu Pashupati Nath Mondal.
II	3. Babu Chandra Mohan Roy. 4. „ Indra Narayan Sinha.
III	5. Munshi Abdus Sukur Ali. 6. „ Abdul Wahed.
	DOKHOLBATI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Munshi Golab Mia. 2. Babu Surendra Narain Mondal.
II	3. Munshi Korban Mondal. 4. „ Shaikh Sujat Ali.
III	5. Babu Manarunjan Banerji. 6. Munshi Miajan Mondal.
	KALUHA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Munshi Md. Elahi Box. 2. „ Shaikh Aoulad Hossain.
II	3. Munshi Nesar Mondal. 4. „ Muksad Mondal.
III	5. Babu Indra Chandra Chattaraj. 6. „ Satyendra Nath Ghosal.
	HASAN UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Hemchandra Sarkar. 2. „ Tara Pada Roy. 3. „ Promotha Nath Chatterji.
II	1. Munshi Jebbas Mondal. 2. Babu Gurupada Banerji. 3. „ Bani Kanta Sarkar.
	DUNIGRAM UNION BOARD.
I	1. Munshi Abdul Karim. 2. Haji Minu Mondal.
II	3. Munshi Shaikh Enatulla. 4. „ Shaikh Amdu.
III	5. Babu Fakir Chandra Mukherji. 6. „ Shashi Bhusan Banerji.
	BISTUPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Gopi Ballav Nasipuri. 2. „ Brindaban Chandra Nasipuri.
II	3. Babu Sashadhar Dalal. 4. „ Kedar Nath Biswas.
III	5. Babu Ramapati Bhattacharji. 6. „ Kalipada Bandyopadhya.
	MARGRAM UNION BOARD.
I	1. Maulvi Kazi Abu Ahammad. 2. „ Syed Md. Abdul Waheb Ahammad. 3. „ Syed Sha Abdul Goni. 4. „ Mahammad Abu Taher. 5. „ Chaudhuri Monzural Hoque. 6. „ Syed Mahammad Abdulla.
	BUDHIGRAM UNION BOARD.
I	Munshi Faizar Rahaman.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members
Narainpur ...	1. Munshi Munsof Shaikh. 2. Babu Sarat Chandra Dutta. 3. „ Karuna Sindhu Mukherjee.
Kusumba ...	1. Babu Tarapada Banerjee. 2. „ Nimai Chandra Roy. 3. „ Kanti Chandra Pal.
Bonhat ...	1. Munshi Shaikh Newas. 2. Babu Bepin Behari Mukherji. 3. „ Muktipada Roy.
Kharun ...	1. Babu Bhairab Nath Mukherji. 2. „ Mohesh Mondal. 3. „ Sribash Chandra Mondal.
Barshal ...	1. Babu Kanti Bhusan Mukherji. 2. „ Madhu Sudan Mondal. 3. „ Akrur Chandra Mandal.
Ayash ...	1. Maulvi Abdar Rahaman. 2. Babu Hrishi Kesh Mukherji. 3. „ Nibaran Chandra Mukherji.
Dokholbati ...	1. Maulvi Muhammad Hossain. 2. Syed Mahammad Ebrahim. 3. Babu Pran Ballav Saha.
Kaluha ...	1. Munshi Shaikh Abdul Hamid. 2. Babu Amulya Ratan Mukherji. 3. „ Bhola Nath Sarkar.
Husan ...	1. Munshi Tufani Mondal. 2. „ Md. Yakub Mondal. 3. „ Rahim Box Mondal.
Dunigram ...	1. Babu Kandarpa Narayan Majumdar. 2. „ Raghu Nath Ghosh. 3. „ Radhika Prasad Roy.
Bistupur ...	1. Babu Pran Gopal Mondal. 2. „ Sambhu Nath Mukherji. 3. Munshi Nazmul Haque.
Margram ...	1. Babu Upendra Nath Das. 2. „ Sona Lal Bhakat. 3. Maulvi Chudhari Zillar Rahman.
Shahpur ...	1. Babu Rajendra Nath Pal. 2. „ Purna Chandra Mondal. 3. Shaikh Nayanuddin.
Budhigram ...	1. Babu Gopi Ballav Ghosh. 2. „ Umesh Chandra Mukherji. 3. Mahammad Taherulla Mia.

Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

No. of wards.	Names of members.
	KUSUMBA UNION BOARD.
I ...	1. Babu Matla Majhi. 2. „ Indra Bhusan Mondal.
II ...	3. Babu Karuna Sindhu Adhikari
	BONHAT UNION BOARD.
I ...	1. Babu Promatha Nath Roy.
III ...	2. Babu Sasadhar Banerji. 3. „ Radhika Prosad Mondal.

No. of wards.		Names of members.
		KHARUN UNION BOARD.
III	...	1. Babu Upendra Nath Chatterji.
		BUDHIGRAM UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Munshi Golam Rasul Mia.
II	...	2. Babu Kala Chand Das. 3. „ Raj Chandra Daw.
III	...	4. Babu Bhola Nath Mondal. 5. „ Harendra Narain Ghosh.
		SHAHPUR UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Mritunjoy Bhattacharjee. 2. Munshi Zillar Rahaman.
II	...	3. Babu Surendra Nath Dutta. 4. „ Jatindra Nath Panda.
III	...	5. Babu Anukul Chandra Mondal. 6. „ Biswambhar Das.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 28rd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 462L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Moureswar police-station in the Rampurhat subdivision in the district of Birbhum :—

No. of wards.		Names of members.
		GONPUR UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Sarojaksha Ghosal. 2. „ Banka Behari Mondal.
II	...	3. Babu Kamalaksha Bhattacharji. 4. „ Nalinaksha Sarkar.
III	...	5. Babu Baidya Nath Roy. 6. „ Bijoy Ratan Chaudhari.
		SEKEDDA UNION BOARD.
II	...	1. Babu Bhola Nath Mondal. 2. Munshi Abdu Mondal.
III	...	3. Munshi Abdul Haque *alias* Tenu. 4. „ Md. Obedulla.
		MOLLARPUR UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Pashu Pati Mukherji. 2. „ Raghu Nath Mondal. 3. „ Charu Chandra Roy.
II	...	4. Babu Hari Charan Upadhya. 5. Munshi Hazi Mir Ismail Ali.

No. of wards.	Names of members
	KANACHI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Munshi Muhammad Hanif Mia. 2. Babu Panchanan Banerji. 3. Munshi Khondkar Elahi Box.
II	4. Babu Bistu Chandra Mondal. 5. „ Upendra Narayan Ghosal. 6. Munshi Shaikh Hedayet.
	DABUK UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Jagadish Chandra Roy. 2. „ Jontish Chandra Banerji.
II	3. Babu Bhupati Bhusan Banerji *alias* Sannyasi Chandra Banerji. 4. „ Baikantha Nath Dutta.
	EARATURIGRAM UNION BOARD.
I	1. Munshi Shaikh Rahammatulla. 2. Babu Tara Das Ghosal. 3. „ Ashu Tosh Ghosal.
II	4. Babu Haripada Banerji. 5. „ Gano Nath Ghosal. 6. „ Jogindra Nath Sarkar.
	DAKHINGRAM UNION ROARD.
I	1. Munshi Shaikh Abdul Kasem. 2. Babu Sripati Banerji.
II	3. Babu Narendra Nath Mondal. 4. „ Banika Prosanna Mukherji.
III	5. Babu Gobinda Chandra Mazumdar. 6. „ Ramranjan Mondal.
	JHIKODDAH UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Rajani Kanta Mondal. 2. „ Dibakar Chattyapadhya.
II	3. Babu Samadhis Chandra Banerji. 4. „ Bhudeb Chatterji.
III	5. Babu Rama Prosanna Debangshi. 6. „ Narapati Banerji.
	KUNDOLA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Dwaraka Prosanna Mukherji. 2. „ Surendra Nath Chatterji.
II	3. Babu Bistu Pada Mondal. 4. „ Bhobesh Chandra Mukherji.
III	5. Babu Tincouri Pal. 6. „ Girija Prosanna Mukherji.
	MOURESWAR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Sudhakar Banerji.
II	2. Babu Kala Chand Pal.
III	3. Babu Nani Lal Saha. 4. „ Bhola Nath De. 5. „ Kishori Mohan Kaviraj.

No. of wards.	Names of members.
	SATPALSA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Sailaja Prosanna Chatterji. 2. „ Kali Prosanna Chatterji.
II	3. Babu Sibdas Ghosh. 4. „ Bhabani Sankar Ghosh.
III	5. Babu Sashadhar Ghosh. 6. „ Durga Das Pal.
	KALESWAR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Radha Gobinda Ghosh. 2. „ Kali Das Choudhari.
II	3. Munshi Goharjan Shaikh. 4. Babu Devendra Nath Mukherji. 5. „ Upendra Narain Mazumdar.
III	6. Babu Kali Prosanna Roy.
	DHEKA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Upendra Narayan Bhattacharji 2. „ Nabin Chandra Dubey. 3. „ Rasik Chandra Mondal.
II	4. Babu Hem Shashi Chatterji. 5. „ Radha Ranjan Bandyopadhya 6. „ Rup Lal Pal.
	ULKUNDA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Gopeswar Chandra. 2. „ Mono Mohan Chandra.
II	3. Babu Bomkesh Pal. 4. „ Harish Chandra Roy Chaudhuri.
III	5. Babu Bamon Das Mukherji.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Gonpur	1. Babu Muktipada Bhattacharji. 2. „ Lambodar Chaudhuri. 3. „ Gobinda Chandra Chaudhuri.
Sekedda	1. Maulvi Mahammad Abdul Azim. 2. Munshi Tahammal Hossain. 3. Babu Kedar Nath Chatterji.
Mollarpur	1. Babu Jotish Chandra Chatterji. 2. „ Bhabesh Chandra Chatterji. 3. „ Ashutosh Ghosh.
Kanachi	1. Babu Hari Taran Ghosal. 2. „ Radha Nath Mondal. 3. „ Mohendra Lal Dutta.
Dabuk	1. Maulvi Md. Sagar. 2. „ Araz Shaikh. 3. Babu Raghu Nath Bhattacharji.
Baraturigram	1. Munshi Abdu Shaikh. 2. Babu Bijoy Gobinda Goswami. 3. „ Bishnu Pada Paramanik.
Dakhingram	1. Babu Ram Taran Roy. 2. „ Sripati Mondal. 3. Munshi Diljhan Shaikh.

Names of union boards		Names of members
Jhikoddah	...	1. Munshi Motabor Shaikh. 2. Babu Gour Sundar Bhandari. 3. „ Baidya Nath Roy.
Kundola	...	1. Rai Rajani Bhusan Mukherjee Bahadur. 2. Babu Rama Prosanna Mukherji. 3. „ Bala Ram Bhattacharji.
Moureswar	...	1. Munshi Jigar Shaikh. 2. „ Golam Hossain Mia. 3. Babu Radha Raman *alias* Raman Pal.
Satpalsa	...	1. Munshi Shaikh Sobjan Mondal. 2. „ Nabi Newas Mollik. 3. Babu Hrishikesh Kabiraj.
Kaleswar	...	1. Munshi Aghuji Shaikh. 2. Babu Jahuri Lal Sen. 3. „ Sat Kari Mondal.
Dheka	...	1. Munshi Umed Hossain. 2. Babu Purna Chandra Roy. 3. „ Gopeswar Banerji.
Ulkunda	...	1. Babu Khitish Chandra Mukherji. 2. Munshi Sheikh Enayetullah. 3. Babu Tara Prosanna Roy.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

No. of wards		Names of members.
		SEKEDDA UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Syed Muhammad Fakir. 2. Munshi Rapu Mondal.
		MOLLARPUR UNION BOARD.
III	...	1. Babu Fani Bhusan Sarkar.
		DABUK UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Munshi Tahur Hossain Mia.
II	...	2. Babu Bonwari Prosad Roy.
		MOURESWAR UNION BOARD.
III	...	1. Babu Benode Behari Roy.
		ULKUNDA UNION BOARD.
III	...	1. Babu Hari Das Banerjee.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 28rd February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1242J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the following union boards in Gopalgunj sub-division in the district of Faridpur :—

Police-station	Ward number		Names of members
			TANGRAKHOLA UNION BOARD.
Muksudpur	I	...	1. Munshi Pashanulla Kazi.
	II	...	1. Munshi Majibar Rahaman. 2. „ Mohiuddin *alias* Mohan Mian. 3. Babu Ram Lal Basu.
	III	...	1. Munshi Laik Mian. 2. „ Muhammad Nazen.

Police-station.	Ward number.	Names of members.
AMTALI UNION BOARD.		
Kotwalipara ...	I ...	1. Babu Rai Charan Saha. 2. „ Jadab Chandra Bose.
	II ...	1. Muhammad Rahamali Munshi. 2. Babu Lalit Mohan Mukherjee.
	III ...	1. Babu Ananda Chandra Adhikery. 2. Muhammad Menajaddin Munshi.
BETHURIA UNION BOARD.		
Kasiani ...	I ...	1. Babu Ganga Charan Bain, B.A. 2. „ Janardan Rai.
	II ...	1. Muhammad Yakub Sarif. 2. „ Mofazzal Sikdar.
	III ...	1. Babu Joydeb Mandal. 2. „ Debendra Nath Biswas.
RATAIL UNION BOARD.		
Kasiani ...	I ...	1. Muhammad A. K. M. D. Abdur Rauf *alias* Chand Mian.
	II ...	1. Muhammad Nazemuddin Ahmed. 2. „ Rahenuddin Munshi.
	III ...	1. Babu Trailokya Nath Biswas.
	IV ...	1. Muhammad Ahmed Molla. 2. Babu Kali Charan Biswas.
RAGDI UNION BOARD.		
Muksudpur ...	I ...	1. Muhammad Jonabali Munshi. 2. Babu Kedar Nath Dutta. 3. „ Jaladhar Das.
	II ...	1. Babu Bhajan Chandra Biswas. 2. „ Hara Lal Kapali. 3. „ Banamali Mandal.
GOHALA UNION BOARD.		
Muksudpur ...	I ...	1. Babu Surendra Nath Dey. 2. Munshi Afsaruddin Sarder. 3. Babu Krishna Lal Chakraborty.
	II ...	1. Babu Ram Krishna Banik. 2. Dr. Mohendra Nath Sen. 3. Babu Chandra Kanta Chakraborty.
PINJURI UNION BOARD.		
Kotwalipara ...	I ...	1. Babu Kali Kumar Sen Gupta. 2. „ Parbati Charan Das Gupta. 3. „ Biseswar Das Gupta.
	II ...	1. Muhammad Fealuddin Kazi. 2. „ Motbbuddin Fakir *alias* Kanchoo Mian. 3. Babu Ganesh Chandra Bala.
MAJBARI UNION BOARD.		
Kotwalipara ...	I ...	1. Muhammad Asokali Hazi. 2. Babu Sashi Kumar Mukherji.
	II ...	1. Babu Dwarika Nath Saha. 2. „ Ganga Charan Karmakar.
	III ...	1. Muhammad Fahemuddin Kazi. 2. Babu Karnadhar Biswas.

2. Under sub-section (3) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Faridpur to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

TENGRAKHOLA UNION BOARD.

1. Babu Debendra Nath Roy.
2. „ Bepin Behari Ghose.
3. Munshi Rokenuddin Ahmed.

RAGDI UNION BOARD.

1. Babu Sreeman Bhattacharji.
2. Munshi Akhiladdin Howladar.
3. „ Mabarakali.

GOHALA UNION BOARD.

1. Munshi A. F. Muhammad Habibar Rahman.
2. Babu Dwarika Nath Biswas.
3. Munshi Tobarek Mian.

PINJURI UNION BOARD.

1. Babu Raj Kumar Biswas.
2. „ Surendra Nath Bose.
3. Munshi Mangal Bepari.

MAJBARI UNION BOARD.

1. Babu Dwarika Nath Saha Poddar.
2. „ Banamali Karmakar.
3. Munshi Babujan Mian.

AMTALI UNION BOARD.

1. Pandit Haridas Bidyaratna.
2. Babu Tripura Mohan Choudhury.
3. Munshi Rahimaddin.

BETHURIA UNION BOARD.

1. Babu Jogeswar Bose.
2. Munshi Ishaq Sikdar.
3. „ Modasser Mian.

RATAIL UNION BOARD.

1. Babu Nibaran Chandra Sen.
2. „ Debendra Nath Saha.
3. Munshi Zahural Haque.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1258J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*, of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the union boards noted below in the Madaripur subdivision of the district of Faridpur :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Palong ...	1. Babu Kasiswar Roy. 2. Munshi Abdul Gofur. 3. Babu Surjya Kanta Ghatak Choudhury. 4. „ Rasik Lal Barari. 5. „ Surendra Chandra Bhattacharya. 6. „ Joyram Kangsha Banik.
Tulashar ...	1. Babu Sachinandan Das Poddar. 2. Muhammad Bholai Molla. 3. Babu Bepin Behari Poddar. 4. Munshi Samedali Kotwal. 5. Babu Lali Mohan Paul. 6. „ Hara Prosanna Choudhury.
Domeshar ...	1. Babu Surendra Mohan Saha. 2. Muhammad Madan Sadagar. 3. Babu Manomohan Saha. 4. „ Syam Lal Kundu. 5. „ Durga Charan Paddar.

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Bhojeswar	1.	Babu Mohendra Lal Paul Choudhury.
	2.	„ Upendra Lal Paul Choudhury.
	3.	„ Bhuban Mohan Paul Choudhury.
	4.	„ Gosta Behari Paul Choudhury.
	5.	„ Nalini Ranjan Sen.
	6.	Maulvi Golam Mostafa Kazi.
Kendua	1.	Babu Nikunja Behari Banik.
	2.	„ Jnanendra Mohan Basu.
	3.	„ Rai Charan Mandal.
	4.	„ Birendra Chandra Sarkar, B.L.
	5.	Munshi Safiuddin Howladar.
	6.	Maulvi Nazimuddin Howladar.
Bajitpur	1.	Babu Satis Chandra Das, B.A.
	2.	„ Damodar Parai.
	3.	„ Gopal Chandra Chaudhury.
	4.	„ Rajani Kanta Thakur.
	5.	„ Surendra Mohan Chakraborty.
	6.	Munshi Maminuddin Howladar.
Amgram	1.	Babu Sarbeswar Baidya.
	2.	„ Ram Krishna Barai.
	3.	„ Ram Chandra Barai.
	4.	„ Abani Bhusan Chakraborty.
	5.	„ Nishi Kanta Chakraborty.
	6.	„ Bharat Chandra Mandal.
Chikandi	1.	Babu Hari Mohan Moulik.
	2.	„ Srish Chandra Das.
	3.	Munshi Maizuddin.
	4.	Maulvi Umedali.
	5.	Muhammad Isab Matbar.
	6.	„ Azimaddi Akan.
Shibchar	1.	Babu Raj Kumar Kunda.
	2.	„ Sashi Bhusan Dutta.
	3.	„ Gopal Chandra Sil.
	4.	„ Jogendra Lal Saha.
	5.	„ Mathura Mohan Saha.
	6.	„ Amrita Lal Poddar.
Umedpur	1.	Babu Lal Mohan Banerji.
	2.	„ Madhusudan Bhadra.
	3.	„ Upendra Lal Bhadra.
	4.	„ Jatindra Mohan Chakraborty.
	5.	„ Lal Mohan Ghosh.
	6.	Maulvi Amiruddin.
Gopalpur	1.	Babu Hemanta Kumar Banerji.
	2.	„ Bepin Behari Chakraborty.
	3.	„ Suresh Chandra Chatterji.
	4.	Kazi Lotfar Rahaman.
	5.	Syed Atwar Rahaman Choudhury.
	6.	Talukdar Sonamuddin.
Damudya	1.	Babu Jogesh Chandra Mukharji.
	2.	Munshi Rajjabali Rari.
	3.	Babu Akshoy Kumar Dey.
	4.	Mir Abdul Ghani.
	5.	Munshi Syed Ali Halder.
	6.	Munshi Mafizuddin Dewan.
Goshairhat	1.	Babu Surendra Nath Roy.
	2.	„ Debendra Nath Roy Choudhury.
	3.	„ Jogesh Chandra Roy Choudhury.
	4.	„ Chandra Mohan Ghosh.
	5.	„ Amulya Charan Roy Choudhury.
	6.	„ Bhabatosh Basu.
Duttapara	1.	Babu Satisa Chandra Ghosh.
	2.	Munshi Aminaddin Hawladar.
	3.	Hawladar Ahmed.
	4.	Khan Mochan.
	5.	Babu Ram Charan Sarkar.
	6.	„ Lalit Mohan Sil.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentleman has been appointed by the District Magistrate, Faridpur, to be a member of the under-mentioned union board :—

Name of union board.		Name of member.
Domshar	...	Maulvi Muhammad Dengar Khan.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Faridpur to be members of the union boards noted below :—

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Palong	...	1. Babu Nalini Kanta Mukherji. 2. „ Lal Mohan Pathak. 3. Muhammad Hossain, Marriage Registrar, Palong.
Tulasar	...	1. Babu Nibaran Chandra Bhattacherji. 2. Maulvi Mozaffar Ali Khan. 3. Munshi Aminuddin Bepari.
Domeshar	...	1. Babu Lalit Mohan Roy 2. „ Srish Chandra Roy. 3. Maulvi Yasin Ukil.
Bhojeswar	...	1. Babu Mohendra Nath Karmakar. 2. Munshi Abdul Karim Shikdar. 3. „ Abdul Majid Dhali.
Kendua	...	1. Babu Rash Behari Maitra. 2. Munshi Abdul Kader Molla. 3. „ Haidaraz Khan.
Bajitpur	...	1. Munshi Gendu Ali Mir. 2. „ Taher Sardar. 3. „ Baser Fakir.
Amgram	...	1. Babu Benode Behari Chatterjee. 2. Munshi Meher Khan. 3. Kazi Reazuddin.
Chikandi	...	1. Babu Syama Charan Chakrabarty. 2. „ Surendra Nath Banerji. 3. Maulvi Ismail Fakir.
Shibchar	...	1. Babu Chandra Nath Saha. 2. Maulvi Adiluddin Ahmed, Marriage Registrar, Shibchar. 3. Hazi Maijuddin Khan.
Umedpur	...	1. Babu Radha Raman Mukherjee. 2. Maulvi Yusuf. 3. Munshi Meherali.
Gopalpur	...	1. Babu Srish Chandra Roy Choudhury. 2. Kazi Abdul Bari. 3. Babu Rajendra Chandra Chatterjee.
Damudya	...	1. Babu Surendra Nath Sil. 2. „ Priya Nath Ghatak. 3. Maulvi Menhajuddin, Marriage Registrar, Damudya.
Goshairhat	...	1. Babu Kumad Bandhu Guha. 2. Munshi Kalamali Matbar. 3. „ Noabali Bepari.
Duttapara	...	1. Babu Alok Chandra Mitra. 2. Munshi Anesuddin Howladar. 3. „ Ainuddin Howladar.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 7th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6Mct.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19 (*2*) of the Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29B of the same Act, I hereby appoint Mr. W. L. Travers, O.B.E., M.L.C., to be a member of the Jalpaiguri District Board in place of Mr. C. Bateman, resigned.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP SERAJGANJ, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under rule 32 of the rules made under clause (*a*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following dates have been fixed for holding the general election of the members of the Sadar and Uluberia local boards, to be returned from the thanas named against the dates fixed :—

SADAR SUBDIVISION.

Thana	Jagacha	...	...	...	9th April	1924.
„	Lillooah	...	...	...	9th „	„
„	Domjur	...	...	...	10th „	„
„	Jagatballavpur	...	...	...	11th „	„
„	Sankrail	...	...	...	10th „	„
„	Panchla	...	...	...	11th „	„

ULUBERIA SUBDIVISION.

Thana	Singti	...	...	...	8th April	1924.
„	Amta	...	...	...	10th „	„
„	Shyampur	...	...	...	9th „	„
„	Mondalghat	...	...	...	11th „	„
„	Uluberia	...	...	...	9th „	„
„	Bagnan	...	...	...	8th „	„
„	Bowrea	...	...	...	11th „	„

K. L. MUKHARJI, for *Magistrate.*

HOWRAH, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 124L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 23 of the Dispensary Rules, Maulvi A. F. M. Abdur Rahaman has been appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Basirhat charitable dispensary in the district of the 24-Parganas, in place of Maulvi A. K. M. Siddiq, resigned.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 956J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of hospital and dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, Babu Radha Mohan Sanyal is appointed to be member of the committee for the management of the Kamargaon dispensary in the district of Rajshahi, *vice* Babu Surendra Nath Biswas, deceased.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1237J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the 12 Charitable Dispensaries noted below in the district of Faridpur :—

(1) Bhadrasan Charitable Dispensary.

1. Babu Lalit Mohan Banerjee.
2. The Sub-Inspector of Police, Char Bhadrasan police-station ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. The Head Master of Local M. E. School ... ... }
4. Babu Har Mohan Saha.
5. „ Fatik Chandra Ghosal.
6. „ Har Mohan Sarcar.
7. Aswar Mridha.
8. The Muhammadan Marriage Registrar ... ... *Ex officio.*
9. Naziruddin Munshi.
10. Nazu Molla.

(2) Bhanga Dispensary.

1.	The First Munsif of Bhanga	*Ex officio.*
2.	The Second Munsif of Bhanga	
3.	The Circle Officer of Bhanga	
4.	The Sub-Registrar of Bhanga	
5.	The Inspector of Police of Bhanga	
6.	The Muhammadan Marriage Registrar	
7.	Maulvi Abdur Rob.	
8.	„ Abdul Gafur.	
9.	Hazi Mir Aftabali.	
10.	Babu Madhusudan Banerjee, B.L., Pleader.	
11.	„ Ganga Charan Kar, B.L., Pleader.	
12.	„ Asvini Kumar Sen, Pleader.	
13.	„ Nibaran Chandra Ghosh, Pleader.	
14.	„ Jnanada Sankar Das Gupta, Pleader.	
15.	„ Asutosh Das Gupta, Pleader.	
16.	Maulvi Mahammad Ismail, Pleader.	

(3) Ballakandi Charitable Dispensary.

1.	Babu Ambika Charan Banerjee.	
2.	The Sub-Inspector of Police	*Ex officio.*
3.	Babu Dwijendra Nath Lahiri.	
4.	„ Bimala Charan Choudhury.	
5.	„ Narish Chandra Chatterjee.	
6.	„ Kailash Chandra Biswas.	
7.	Munshi Asmatali Khan.	
8.	„ Nowsherali.	
9.	„ Daliluddin Ahmed.	
10.	Babu Jnanendra Nath Sanyal.	
11.	The Sub-Registrar	*Ex officio.*

(4) Bondorkhola Charitable Dispensary.

1.	The Khas Mehal Officer	*Ex officio.*
2.	Babu D. B. Bhattacherjee.	
3.	„ D. N. Karmakar, Sub-Inspector of Police.	
4.	Jainuddin Matobbar.	
5.	Abdul Aziz Meah.	
6.	S. N. Chakrovarty.	
7.	Hasenuddin Chokdar.	
8.	Taher Sikdar.	
9.	Maulvi Abdul Hamid.	
10.	„ Alap Khan.	
11.	Kazunuddin Matbar.	
12.	Montazuddin Molla.	

(5) Pangsa Charitable Dispensary.

1.	The Sub-Registrar, Pangsa	*Ex officio.*
2.	Babu Basanta Kumar Mukherjee.	
3.	„ Sarat Chandra Chakrovarty, B.A.	
4.	The Sub-Inspector of Police, Pangsa	*Ex officio.*
5.	The Head Master, Pangsa H. E. School	
6.	Maulvi Kazi Abdul Jobbar.	
7.	„ Abdul Wazid.	
8.	Babu Shyam Lal Kundu.	
9.	„ Kedarnath Banerjee.	
10.	„ Pramatha Kumar Kundo.	
11.	Maulvi Khondakar Nazeruddin Ahmed.	

(6) Gopalganj Charitable Dispensary.

1.	The Subdivisional Officer	*Ex officio.*
2.	The Subdivisional Medical Officer	
3.	Babu Kali Charan Mukherjee.	
4.	Maulvi Mahammad Ismail.	
5.	Babu Charu Chandra Sen.	
6.	Maulvi Abdul Latif Khan.	
7.	„ Abdul Quader.	
8.	Babu Sarat Chandra Sen.	
9.	„ Doyal Chandra Bose.	
10.	„ Akhoy Kumar Halder.	
11.	Maulvi Jonabali.	

12. Babu Sukumar Das Gupta.
13. „ Damodar Saha.
14. „ Chandra Kanta Bose.
15. „ Preanath Mitra.
16. The Inspector of pargana Makimpur ... *Ex officio.*

(7) Kotwalipara Charitable Dispensary.

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Gopalganj ... ...
2. The Sub-Registrar, Kotwalipara ... ...
3. The Sub-Inspector of Police, Kotwalipara ... ... *Ex officio.*
4. The Sub-Postmaster, Kotwalipara ... ...
5. Babu Jyotish Chandra Bhattacherjee, B.A.
6. „ Ram Ratan Roy Choudhury.
7. „ Jogesh Chandra Choudhury.
8. Maulvi Fealuddin Kazi.
9. Babu Prasanna Kumar Sikdar.
10. „ Sashi Bhusan Ratna.

(8) Muksudpur Charitable Dispensary.

1. Munshi Mahiuddin *alias* Mohan Meah.
2. Babu Bepin Chandra Ghosh.
3. Munshi Mazharuddin.
4. „ Abdul Majid.
5. Babu Beni Madhab Poddar.
6. „ Debendra Nath Roy.
7. The Circle Officer, North Gopalganj ... ...
8. The Sub-Registrar, Muksudpur ... ...
9. The Muhammadan Marriage Registrar, Muksudpur ...
10. The Officer-in-charge of Muksudpur police-station ... *Ex officio.*
11. The Naib, 13 annas 4 pies Katchery ... ...
12. The Naib, 2 annas 8 pies Katchery ... ...
13. The Postmaster, Muksudpur ... ...
14. Kazi Anwaruddin.

(9) Kashbamajali Charitable Dispensary.

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Goalundo ... *Ex officio.*
2. Babu Broja Lal Das.
3. Maulvi Masharraf Hossein, B.A., B.T.
4. Babu Ram Charan Sikdar.
5. Syed Abdul Fazle.
6. Munshi Mazahar Hossein Sikdar.
7. „ Abdul Aziz Mian.
8. „ Tinkori Khan
9. „ Lal Mahammad Biswas.
10. Maulvi Motahar Hossein.

(10) Kalkini Charitable Dispensary.

1. Babu Barada Kanta Sarkhel.
2. „ Jitendra Nath Gupta.
3. „ Biraj Mohan Ray.
4. „ Umesh Chandra Mazumdar.
5. „ Durga Mohan Mazumdar.
6. Khan Shaheb Khadem Hossein Khondakar.
7. Babu Chuni Lal Bhoumik.
8. „ Bidhu Bhushan Das.
9. „ Satish Chandra Banerjee.
10. „ Surjya Kumar Kundu.

(11) Palong Charitable Dispensary.

1. Babu Ambica Charan Banerjee.
2. „ Shyam Lal Roy Chowdhury.
3. „ Surjya Kanta Ghatak Choudhury.
4. „ Mathura Nath Das Poddar.
5. „ Mukunda Lal Pal.
6. „ Radha Ballav Saha.
7. „ Hira Lal Pal.
8. „ Prasanna Kumar Sen Poddar.
9. „ Mahendra Lal Kundu, B.SC.
10. „ Kailash Chandra Paul.
11. Dr. Pramatha Nath Dey, L.M.S.
12. Maulvi Khalil Rahman.

(12) Boalmari Charitable Dispensary.

1. Babu Sarat Chandra Roy Chaudhury, Sub-Inspector of Police.
2. „ Sachindra Nath Mitra.
3. „ Satish Chandra Roy.
4. „ Sarada Raman Chatterjee.
5. „ Jnanendra Nath Mukherjee.
6. „ Lok Nath Lashkar.
7. The Sub-Registrar ... ... *Ex officio.*
8. Maulvi Abdul Aziz.
9. „ Kafibuddin.
10. „ Abdul Ali Meah.
11. „ Abdur Rahaman, Muhammadan Marriage Registrar.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 125L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under the powers delegated to me under Government notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I do hereby discontinue under section 6 (*f*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the ferry at Brahmandanga on the river Navaganga in the Narail subdivision of the Jessore district, which was declared a public ferry and made over to the District Board of Jessore in this office notification No. 8L.S.-G., dated the 5th May 1921, published at page 789, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th May 1921.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified under rule 19 (*5*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules that Mr. S. N. Mallik, a duly nominated candidate of the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta South Non-Mahomedan Constituency, has lodged his return of expenses and declaration this the 5th day of March 1924.

They may be inspected in the Chamber of the Registrar, Police Court, at 2, Bankshall Street, on payment of a fee of rupee one, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 5 P.M.

T. ROXBURGH, *Chief Presidency Magistrate, and Returning Officer.*

CALCUTTA, *the 5th March 1924.*

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under Rule 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

Election Case No. 2 of 1924.

In the matter of Babu Kishori Mohon Chowdhuri ... *Petitioner*

versus

Babu Sudarsan Chakravarty ... ... *Respondent.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-mentioned election petition filed by Babu Kishori Mohon Chowdhuri against the election of Babu Sudarsan Chakravarty has been withdrawn.

E. MILSOM, *President.*

DINAJPUR, *the 8th March 1924.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 1st March 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 1st March 1924.

No. F.-868—22.—The following reprint of the rules relating to premature retirement on proportionate pension, which were made on the 15th January 1924 by the Secretary of State in Council, in virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 96-B (2) and (3) of the Government of India Act, in which certain verbal inaccuracies contained in the version of the rules published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th January 1924, have been corrected, is published for general information.

2. The rules are in the main a reproduction in the form of Statutory rules of existing orders. Apart from amplifications and clarifications, the only changes of substance made in those orders are the following :—

(*i*) It has been made clear that the rules apply to members of the services specified however and wherever they were appointed, but that previous service in a provincial or subordinate service cannot be counted for proportionate pension by officers promoted from such a service to an all-India service. (Second Schedule, paragraph 1).

(*ii*) Passage-gratuity is made admissible to officers who retired as the result of an application submitted while they were on leave out of India, if their leave commenced before the date of the issue of these rules. After that date passage-gratuity will—as was originally intended—be admissible only to an officer whose application is submitted while he is on duty in India. (Rule 3 (2).)

(*iii*) Provision has been made for the refund by instalments of passage-gratuity paid to officers who are subsequently permitted to return to duty. (Rule 11 (8).)

(*iv*) Conditions have been prescribed under which acceptance of further employment under the Crown may involve suspension or reduction of proportionate pension. (Rule 9.)

(*v*) The arrangements admissible in respect of family pensions of officers of the Indian Army in civil employ have been prescribed. (Rule 13.)

PREMATURE RETIREMENT ON PROPORTIONATE PENSION.

Rules under Section 96-B (2) and (3), Government of India Act.

1.—(1) These rules may be called the Premature Retirement Rules.

(2) They shall be deemed to have come into force in respect of officers serving elsewhere than in Burma on the 8th November 1921, and in respect of officers serving in Burma on the 2nd January 1923.

2. Any officer whose active service as a member of one of the services specified in the First Schedule commenced before the 1st January 1920, and who is not permanently employed directly under the Governor-General in Council, may be permitted by the Secretary of State in Council to retire under these rules:

Provided that no officer of the Indian Army in civil employ who has not been placed on the supernumerary list, and no officer of the Indian Medical Service who has completed less than 17 years' total service, shall be eligible to retire under these rules unless the competent military authorities are unable or unwilling to absorb him in military employment.

3.—(1) Every application for such permission shall be addressed in the first instance to the Local Government under which the officer is employed, and shall be accompanied by the following declaration, which shall be signed by the applicant:—

"In view of the changes in the conditions of my service occasioned by the Government of India Act, 1919, I desire to retire on the terms set forth in the rules relating to premature retirement."

(2) An application under this rule may be submitted by an officer while he is on leave out of India, and in that case, unless the Local Government considers his return to duty necessary before his application can be considered, the rules shall apply to him in the same manner as if his application had been submitted while on duty:

Provided that an officer who has made an application under this rule while he is on leave out of India and whose application is sanctioned by the Secretary of State in Council before his leave expires shall not, unless his leave commenced before the *19th January 1924*, be eligible for the gratuity described in Rule 11, except to the extent admissible under sub-rule (*6*) of that rule.

4. On receipt of an application the Local Government shall forward it with their recommendations to the Governor General in Council, who shall transmit it with his recommendations to the Secretary of State in Council for orders.

5. An officer who has been permitted by the Secretary of State in Council to retire under these rules, or whose application has been forwarded by the Local Government to the Governor General in Council with a recommendation that his retirement be sanctioned, shall, unless the Local Government sees reason to the contrary, be permitted to avail himself, in anticipation of his retirement, of the full amount of leave which is due to him and which may be granted to him at one time (otherwise than on medical certificate) under the regulation for the time being in force and applicable to him:

Provided that if the Local Government considers that leave in anticipation of retirement should not be granted, or that less than the full amount of leave available under regulations for the time being in force should be granted, the proposal to withhold or reduce the leave applied for shall be submitted with the reasons therefor for the orders of the Secretary of State in Council.

6.—(1) The Local Government shall have discretion to fix the date on which leave granted under Rule 5 shall commence:

Provided that an officer who has been granted by the Secretary of State in Council permission to retire under these rules shall not be detained in India beyond the date on which he desires to leave, unless his detention cannot be avoided without prejudice to the public interest.

(2) If the Local Government considers that suitable arrangements cannot be made for the relief of any officer at the date on which he desires to proceed on leave preparatory to retirement under these rules, it may, when forwarding his application to the Governor General in Council, recommend that the Secretary of State in Council should postpone the grant of permission, and in that case shall specify the period during which such postponement should extend.

7. An officer who has submitted an application for permission to retire under these rules, and has been granted leave under Rule 5, shall not be at liberty to cancel his application and to return to duty without the consent of the Local Government under which he was employed.

8.—(1) An officer who has submitted an application for permission to retire under these rules may be permitted to take up other employment during the currency of his leave preparatory to retirement.

(2) Such permission may be granted by the Governor General in Council if the proposed employment lies in India, and by the Secretary of State in Council if the proposed employment lies elsewhere than in India:

Provided that an officer who has been granted permission to take up employment under this rule shall be precluded, save with the specific consent of the Secretary of State in Council, from withdrawing his request for permission to retire and from returning to duty in India.

(3) The Secretary of State in Council and the Governor-General in Council, as the case may be, hereby reserve to themselves the right to withhold permission to take up employment under this rule in cases where the employment appears to them to be such as could not with propriety be held by a person who is still in the service of the Crown in India; or alternatively, to grant the desired permission in any such case subject to such conditions or restrictions as they may think necessary.

9.—(1) The right of any officer to receive or retain a pension under the provisions of these rules is subject to the right of the Secretary of State in Council—

(*a*) to reduce or withhold any pension, if the past service of the applicant is not approved, or if the pensioner after retirement is convicted of serious crime or is guilty of grave misconduct; and

(*b*) in cases where an officer obtains, prior to, or within two years from, the date of his retirement under these rules, other employment under the Crown, to suspend payment, wholly of in part, while the officer continues to be employed under the Crown, or the proportionate pension admissible under these rules.

(2) In cases where a proportionate pension is suspended wholly or in part under clause (*b*) of the preceding sub-rule, the services of the officer shall be transferred to the authority under which he is to be employed, on the understanding that on the termination of his employment under the Crown he shall have the option of receiving either (i) a pension in respect of his total service calculated under the rules made by the Treasury under section 7 (*1*), Superannuation Act, 1909, or (ii) a proportionate pension under these rules in respect of his Indian service together with such pension or pensionary award (if any) as he may earn under the rules of the authority re-employing him, in respect of his services under that authority:

Provided that if the department employing the officer does not consent to a pension calculated under the said Treasury Rules, or if the said Treasury Rules are inapplicable, the services of the officer shall be transferred on the understanding stated in the second alternative in the preceding paragraph.

(3) For the purposes of this rule, the expression "employment under the Crown" shall be deemed to include employment under the Governments of Crown Colonies, Protectorates, and territories mandated to the British Government, but does not include employment under the Government of a self-governing Dominion or a State in India, or under a Local Authority.

(4) A proportionate pension shall not be liable to suspension either wholly or in part under sub-rule (*1*) (*b*) of this rule unless the proportionate pension, when combined with the initial pay of the officer in his new appointment, would exceed the initial pay which he might have received under Rule 51 of the Fundamental Rules if his new employment had been on deputation from India.

10. Subject to the provisions of Rule 9, an officer who is granted by the Secretary of State in Council permission to retire under these rules shall be entitled, if he has completed less than five years' total service, to a gratuity equal to one month's pay (at the rate drawn by the applicant while last on duty before his retirement), multiplied by the number of completed months of total service at the officer's credit and divided by 12, and converted at the rate of 1*s.* 9*d.* per rupee; and, if he has completed five years' total service, to a pension of the amount shown in the Second Schedule.

11.—(1) In addition to the pension or gratuity referred to in Rule 10, any officer who has been permitted to retire under these rules (other than an officer who is entitled to the pension specified in the Second Schedule as the maximum pension admissible under these rules to the service to which he belongs, and when more than one method of calculating a pension is prescribed, for the method of calculating the pension actually adopted), and who proceeds on retirement or on leave preparatory to retirement to some part of the British Empire intending to settle there permanently, shall, subject to the provisions of Rule 3 (2), be entitled to receive a gratuity equal to the cost of first-class fares and passages from the last place of his employment in India to his destination for himself, and for his wife and children if they were in India at the time of his proceeding on leave preparatory to retirement.

(2) For purposes of payment of this gratuity to officers proceeding to or *viâ* the United Kingdom, first-class fares and passages, in the case of officers last employed in India, excluding Burma, shall be first-class steamer or railway fares to Bombay *plus* cost of first-class passage at B rates by the P. and O. Steam Navigation Company to London (all sea route); and in the case of officers last employed in Burma, first-class railway or steamer fares to Rangoon *plus* cost of first-class passage by the Bibby Line to London (all sea route): and in both cases, railway fares from London to destination. These rates are payable irrespective of the line or class by which an officer or his family travels.

(3) Payment of the gratuity (excluding that portion representing railway fares from London, which shall be paid by the High Commissioner) shall be made by the Local Government concerned before the officer leaves India.

(4) A Local Government may at its discretion sanction the payment of a gratuity calculated as in sub-rules (*1*) and (*2*) of this rule, but excluding the fares and passages of the officer himself, to the families of officers who are obliged by climatic or analogous reasons to leave later than the officer himself, or in advance of the officer but subsequent to the submission of his application to retire.

(5) An officer who applies in India for permission to retire and who is permitted to leave India in anticipation of the sanction of the Secretary of State in Council is eligible for the gratuity. In such cases, if the officer proceeds to the United Kingdom, the Local Government shall authorise the High Commissioner to make payment.

(6) Officers who apply to retire while on leave in England and whose families are in India at the time when their retirement was sanctioned by the Secretary of State in Council, shall receive a portion of the gratuity equal to the cost of first-class railway fares and passages for their families when the latter leave India.

(7) In no case shall a gratuity or any portion thereof be payable until the Secretary of State in Council has sanctioned the officer's retirement under these rules.

(8) The gratuity paid to an officer under this rule shall, in the event of his being permitted to return to duty in India, be refunded. Such refunds may be made by deductions of 36 equal monthly instalments from the officer's pay-bill, commencing with the first pay-bill drawn after return.

12.—(1) A member of the Indian Civil Service who retires under these rules may adopt at his option any one of the three following methods of retaining for his wife and children benefits admissible under the Indian Civil Service Family Pension Regulations, namely :—

(*a*) He may cease to make any contributions and payments under the regulations and shall then retain only the right to a proportion of the contingent benefits under the regulations for his wife and children existing on the date of retirement, and for any children subsequently born to that wife. This proportion shall be equal to the number of his completed years' total service divided by 25, and the calculation shall be based upon the pension admissible to the widow of an officer of the class to which he belonged at the time of his retirement.

(*b*) He may continue up to his 51st birthday to make contributions under the regulations at the rates payable by him at the date of retirement, and shall then retain the right to the full contingent benefits admissible under the regulations, according to his class on the date of his retirement, for his wife existing at the date of retirement, and for any children by her, whether born before or after retirement. Under this alternative subscriptions will be payable under the ordinary regulations for each child, whether born before or after retirement. In the event of the death of the wife, subscriptions at the bachelor rate appropriate to the subscriber's class on retirement will be payable until age 51.

(*c*) He may continue up to his 51st birthday to make contributions and payments under the regulations at the rates which would have been payable by him from time to time had he remained in the service. In that case he shall retain the full benefits admissible under the regulations as if he had remained in the service until death or retirement with an ordinary pension.

(2) The Secretary of State in Council shall make good to the Indian Civil Service Family Pension Fund under a suitable procedure any loss which may be estimated to be thrown upon it by the operation of this rule.

13.—(1) An officer of the Indian Army or of the Indian Medical Service who retires under these rules may select any one of the three following options with regard to his subscriptions under the Indian Military Service Family Pension Regulations or to the Indian Military Widows' and Orphans' Fund :—

(*a*) He may continue to subscribe at the half rate of subscription under article 28 of the Indian Military Service Family Pension Regulations or Rule 32 of the Indian Military Widows' and Orphans' Fund ; or if a married subscriber under the Indian Military Service Family Pension Regulations, he may withdraw, receiving the refund authorised by article 28. If he continues to subscribe he will retain the same rights to contingent benefits from the funds as if he had retired under the ordinary rules.

(*b*) He may cease to make any payments under the regulations except in so far as is provided by the last sentence of this clause, and shall then retain the right to contingent benefits at the rates admissible under the regulations to the widow and children of an officer of the class to which he belonged at the date of retirement, for his wife and children existing at that date, and for any children subsequently born to that wife. Under this alternative, any donation payable under the ordinary rules for any child born after retirement must, however, be paid by the officer if he desires to retain any right to continuance of benefits for any such child.

(*c*) He may continue up to his 55th birthday to make payments under the Regulations at the full rates applicable to the class which he would have attained had he remained in the service until that date, and thereafter at half rates according to the class in which he is then subscribing. Any donation becoming due after age 55 will be payable in full as in the case of ordinary retirements. His wife and children will in this case be eligible for the full benefits appropriate to the class in which he is subscribing at the date of death.

(2) The Secretary of State in Council shall make good to the Indian Military Service Family Pension Scheme or the Indian Military Widows' and Orphans' Fund, as the case may be, any loss which may be estimated to be thrown upon them by the operation of this rule.

(3) The family of a military officer or of an officer of the Indian Medical Service who retires under these Rules shall retain their contingent rights to pensions under the Royal Warrant if the officer had on retirement completed 20 years' service. If such an officer is permitted to retire under these Rules after completing less than 20 years' service the Secretary of State in Council shall, on the death of the Officer, grant, subject to conditions identical with those laid down in the Royal Warrant (other than the condition requiring an officer to have completed 20 years' service in order to entitle his widow or children to pensions)—

to his widow, a yearly pension of 70*l.* divided by 20 and multiplied by a figure corresponding to the number of years' total service completed by the officer at the date of his retirement; and

to each child, a pension of 16*l.* divided by 20 and multiplied by a figure as aforesaid or, in the case of a motherless child, a pension of 25*l.* divided by 20 and multiplied by a figure as aforesaid.

14. An officer awarded a proportionate pension may be permitted to commute a portion of his pension, not exceeding one-third of the whole, unless in the opinion of the sanctioning authority (the Local Government under which the officer was last employed for an officer who draws his pension directly or indirecly from Indian Treasuries, and the High Commissioner in all other cases) there are exceptional reasons for refusing sanction to the application in whole or in part. If the sanctioning authority considers that such reasons exist, the case shall be referred for the decision of the Secretary of State in Council.

15. An officer in Europe desirous of commuting shall make application in writing to the High Commissioner for India, stating his desire so to commute, and furnishing information as to his age and the reasons on which he bases his request. Permission to commute in sterling will not ordinarily be granted by the High Commissioner to an officer residing only temporarily out of India. Commutation in his case will ordinarily be dealt with by the authorities in India.

16. If the High Commissioner for India approves the commutation, the officer shall be so informed and his application shall be referred to the Medical Board at the India Office.

17. The Board shall require the officer to give such information as to his health and habits as is usual in the case of persons proposing to assure their lives in assurance companies, and he shall be required to submit himself for personal examination by the Board at the India Office.

18. An officer residing in a Dominion or Colony (other than those whose accounts are adjusted direct with Indian Treasuries) and desirous of commuting will be required to follow a procedure similar to that in the case of an officer residing in Europe, except that he shall apply to the High Commissioner for India through the officer from whom he draws his pension. If the application is approved the officer shall be informed accordingly, and a special civil medical board will be assembled under the orders of the local Colonial Government.

The Medical Board shall report in the following form:—

"We have carefully examined and are of opinion that he is (or is not) in good bodily health, and has (or has not) the prospect of an average duration of life. We therefore (or do not) recommend compliance with his application to be allowed to capitalise a portion of his pension".

In the case of impaired lives in which compliance with the officer's application is recommended, but with an addition of years of age, the following shall be added:—"but

as he is suffering his age for purposes of commutation should be taken to be years".

19. The basis of commutation, subject to an addition of years of age in the case of impaired lives, shall be the following table, the age of the officer being reckoned at the age he will attain on the birthday next succeeding the date upon which the capitalised sum will become payable :—

Age next Birthday.	Number of years' purchase.	Age next Birthday.	Number of years' purchase.	Age next Birthday.	Number of years' purchase.
21	14·376	41	12·413	61	8·728
22	14·297	42	12·275	62	8·503
23	14·218	43	12·131	63	8·275
24	14·139	44	11·982	64	8·046
25	14·058	45	11·828	65	7·815
26	13·975	46	11·669	66	7·583
27	13·892	47	11·505	67	7·351
28	13·807	48	11·336	68	7·118
29	13·720	49	11·162	69	6·886
30	13·631	50	10·983	70	6·654
31	13·542	51	10·799	71	6·423
32	13·449	52	10·611	72	6·194
33	13·352	53	10·417	73	5·967
34	13·250	54	10·218	74	5·742
35	13·145	55	10·018	75	5·520
36	13·035	56	9·812	76	5·300
37	12·920	57	9·602	77	5·084
38	12·800	58	9·388	78	4·872
39	12·676	59	9·171	79	4·664
40	12·547	60	8·951	80	4·460

NOTE 1.—*These rates are subject to modification by the Secretary of State in Council from time to time.*

NOTE 2.—*In order to ensure payment at the rate shown for any specified age, it is essential that the application to commute should reach the High Commissioner's Office at least one month before the date on which the applicant will attain that age.*

20. When commutation has been sanctioned by the High Commissioner the applicant shall be informed accordingly, and shall have the option of withdrawing his application within one week after receiving notice.

21. If the applicant does not withdraw his application within that period, the decision shall be considered final, the commutation of pension shall become absolute, and payment will be made forthwith, payment of the commuted portion of the pension thereupon ceasing.

22. The capitalised sum shall be payable in India if the commutation is affected there ; in all other cases it shall be payable in England. When commutation of a sterling pension is effected in India by officers residing temporarily in that country the commutation shall be on the basis of the current rate of exchange, the rate adopted being the rate of exchange for telegraphic transfers from Calcutta on London on the 20th of the month preceding that in which the capitalised sum is paid.

23. The commutation of the proportionate pension of an officer, who draws his pension directly or indirectly from Indian Treasuries, shall be governed by the rules contained in the Third Schedule.

FIRST SCHEDULE. (*See* Rule 2.)

Services to Members of which these Rules apply.

(i) The Indian Civil Service.
(ii) The Indian Police Service.
(iii) The Indian Forest Service.
(iv) The Indian Educational Service.
(v) The Indian Agricultural Service.
(vi) The Indian Service of Engineers.
(vii) The Indian Veterinary Service.
(viii) Officers of the Indian Medical Service in civil employ.
(ix) Officers of the Indian Army or other officers holding posts other than listed posts borne on the provincial cadres of any of the abovementioned services,

SECOND SCHEDULE. (*See* Rule 10.)

1. (*a*) The letter 'N' in the following paragraphs shall be deemed to represent the number of years of active service in one or more of the services specified in the first schedule, or in a service which has been merged in one of those services, or in military employment, at the credit of an officer at the time of his retirement, plus one-twelfth for each completed month of such service in excess of the completed years.

Provided that previous military service of officers appointed during or after the Great War to one of the services specified shall not be counted as active service for the purposes of these rules:

Provided further that service rendered by an officer which would not be reckoned as qualifying service in calculating his ordinary retiring pension or annuity shall not be counted as active service for the purposes of these rules.

(*b*) Active service shall for this purpose be interpreted in the same way as active service for the purpose of pension in article 8 of the Civil Service Regulations, war leave being treated for the purpose of these rules as privilege leave.

(*c*) In the case of an officer who, before entering upon service in India, was employed under His Majesty's Government elsewhere than in India, and whose service elsewhere than in India has already been accepted as qualifying for a combined pension under the rules made by the Treasury under section 7 (*l*) of the Superannuation Act, 1909, the service elsewhere than in India which counts for such combined pension shall also be included in the period of active service.

2. Pensions expressed in rupees in this schedule shall be converted at the minimum rate of 1*s.* 9*d.* per rupee, subject to the conditions stated in Article 936 of the Civil Service Regulations, or in any rule which may be substituted therefor.

3. The pension admissible to an officer who is permitted to retire under these rules shall be as follows:—

(*a*) To an officer of the Indian Civil Service, £$\frac{N}{21}$ × 1,000, subject to a maximum of 1,000*l.* a year:

Provided that whenever the sum of Rs. 10,666. 10. 8 exceeds 1,000*l.* in value, that sum shall be substituted for 1,000*l.* in both places where it occurs in this clause, and the pension shall be recalculated accordingly.

(*b*) To an officer of the Indian Army in civil employ, £$\frac{N}{25}$ × 800, subject to a maximum of 800*l.* a year:

Provided that the proportionate pension of an officer of the Indian Army in civil employ who is granted after the 19th January 1924 permission to retire under these rules shall be subject to revision, in the same manner as the ordinary maximum pension of 800*l.* of a Lieut.-Colonel of the Indian Army, in accordance with the provisions of Army Instruction, India, No. 448, dated the 29th June 1920.

(*c*) To an officer of the Indian Medical Service in civil employ—

(*i*) if of less than 17 years' total service, £$\frac{N}{14}$ × 400 subject to a maximum of 400*l.* a year;

(ii) if of more than 17 years' total service, the pension admissible under ordinary regulations:

Provided that the proportionate pension of an officer of the Indian Medical Service in civil employ who is granted after the 19th January 1924 permission to retire under these rules shall be subject to revision, in the same manner as the ordinary pension of 400*l.* of an officer of the Indian Medical Service after 17 years' service for pension, in accordance with the provisions of Army Instructions, India, Nos. 442 and 448, dated the 29th June 1920.

(*d*) To all other officers (other than members of the Women's Branch of the Indian Educational Service) to whom these rules apply Rs. $\frac{N}{26}$ × 7,500, subject to a maximum of Rs. 6,000 a year; provided that any officer referred to in this clause who has earned an additional pension under Article 475A of the Civil Service Regulations, whether he has or has not completed the 28 years' qualifying service required by that article, may at his option be granted in lieu of the pension specified in the said clause a pension calculated as follows, namely, Rs. $\frac{N}{26}$ × 6,000, subject to maximum of Rs. 6,000 a year *plus* any additional pension earned under Article 475A of the Civil Service Regulations, subject to an aggregate maximum of Rs. 8,500 a year.

(*e*) To members of the Women's Branch of the Indian Educational Service,

Rs. $\frac{N}{22}$ × 5,000, subject to a maximum of Rs. 5,000 a year.

4. Any officer to whom the provisions of Articles 403, 404, and 404A of the Civil Service Regulations apply and who is permitted to retire under these rules shall be permitted to deduct from the divisors 26 and 22 in the fractions specified in clauses (*d*) and (*e*) of paragraph 3 of this schedule a number equal to the number of years which he would be entitled to deduct from his age if he were retiring on superannuation pension.

THIRD SCHEDULE. (*See* Rule 23.)

1.—(1) The rules contained in this Schedule apply only to pensioners drawing pensions directly or indirectly from Indian Treasuries.

(2) Pensioners residing in Colonies having an account-current with the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, who draw their pensions from the local Treasuries, the amounts being subsequently adjusted in the books of the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, shall be treated for the purpose of these rules as drawing their pension indirectly from Indian Treasuries.

2. Subject to the conditions stated in these rules, a Local Government may sanction the commutation for a lump payment of a portion not exceeding one-third of the proportionate pension which has been or is about to be granted to any officer serving in its jurisdiction.

3. The incidence of the commutation payment shall in all cases follow that of the pension, and the commuted amount shall be made payable at the Treasury at which the pension is being or is to be drawn. If a pensioner who has obtained commutation of a portion of his pension transfers himself thereafter to another province, a note shall be made on the Pension Payment Order as to the amount of pension which has been commuted.

4. Application for commutation shall be made in Form A appended to these rules.

5. (*a*) If on consideration of the facts stated in the application the Local Government decides to allow commutation, the applicant shall be required to produce a certificate as to his expectation of life, from a medical officer of standing not lower than that of a Civil Surgeon, District Medical Officer or Presidency Surgeon. The Local Government may further, at its discretion, require a second medical opinion or direct the applicant to appear before a Medical Board.

(*b*) The certifying Surgeon or Board shall subject the applicant to a strict medical examination, requiring him to give such information as to his health and habits as is usual in the case of persons proposing to assure their lives in assurance companies, and shall report in the following form :—

I / We have carefully examined _____ and am / are of opinion that he is / is not in good bodily health and has / has not the prospects of an average duration of life.

I / We, therefore, do / do not recommend compliance with his application to be allowed to capitalise a portion of his pension.

In the case of impaired lives in which compliance with the officer's application is recommended, but with an addition of years of age, the following shall be added :—

" but as he is suffering from _____ his age, for purposes of commutation, should be taken to be _____ years."

(*c*) The applicant shall himself pay the medical officer's fee for examination except when a second medical opinion is required or the applicant is directed to appear before a Medical Board.

6. The lump sum payable on commutation shall be the amount certified by the Audit Officer to be admissible according to the table of present values appended to this Schedule. This amount may be intimated at the discretion of the Local Government to the applicant for definite acceptance or rejection, within a specified period before final sanction to commutation issues.

7. Commutation, when sanctioned, shall take effect from a date, to be named in the order, which shall ordinarily be one month later than the date of the order ; and all calculations shall be made with reference to that date. Payment of the commuted portion of the pension will cease from the date specified and the sum payable on commutation will be paid on that date or as soon afterwards as possible.

8. A commutation once applied for, sanctioned and given effect to, shall not be rescinded, that is to say, the portion of a pension commuted shall not be restored on refund of its capitalised value.

9. If a pensioner whose pension has been commuted dies on or after the date from which the commutation is to take effect under Rule 8, but before he receives the commutation value, this value shall be paid to his heirs.

10. In the case of a pensioner who is re-employed in Government service or in the service of a Local Fund, and who commutes a portion of his pension before or after such re-employment, the amount which the pensioner is entitled to draw under the rules in Chapter XXI of the Civil Service Regulations shall be the amount to which he would have been entitled under those rules had there been no commutation, less the amount commuted.

APPENDIX. *See* Rule 4 of this Schedule.)

FORM.

I. _____, desire to commute a portion of my propotionate pension of Rs. ____ As. ____ Ps. ____ a month. After careful consideration I am convinced that it will be to the distinct and permanent advantage of myself and my family to apply, as I am resolved to do, the commuted value in the manner detailed in separate signed statement I have attached hereto. I also certify that I have correctly answered each and all of the questions below.

Signature _____

Place _____ *Designation* _____

Dated _____ *Address* _____

Questions.	Answers.
1. What is the date of your birth ?	
2. How much of your pension do you wish to commute ?	
3. Have you any debts or liabilities ? Give particulars.	
4. Have you a wife ? Name the members of your family dependent on you, with their respective ages.	
5. What was your monthly income from all sources during the past year ? Give particulars.	
6. Do you suffer from any complaint likely to shorten life. If so, state its nature ?	

Signature _____

Place _____

Dated _____

APPENDIX II. (*See* Rule 6.)

TABLE OF PRESENT VALUES OF A MONTHLY PENSION OF 1 RUPEE FOR LIFE.

Nearest exact age.	Present value of a monthly pension of one rupee for life.	Nearest exact age.	Present value of a monthly pension of one rupee for life.
25	175·5	53	117·5
26	174·0	54	114·8
27	172·4	55	112·2
28	170·7	56	109·4
29	169·1	57	106·7
30	167·4	58	103·8
31	165·6	59	101·0
32	163·8	60	98·1
33	162·0	61	95·1
34	160·1	62	92·1
35	158·2	63	89·1
36	156·3	64	86·0
37	154·3	65	82·9
38	152·3	66	79·8
39	150·2	67	76·6
40	148·1	68	73·5
41	146·0	69	70·4
42	143·8	70	67·2
43	141·6	71	64·2
44	139·4	72	61·1
45	137·1	73	58·1
46	134·8	74	55·2
47	132·4	75	52·2
48	130·0	76	49·4
49	127·6	77	46·7
50	125·1	78	44·0
51	122·6	79	41·4
52	120·1	80	38·9

Note.—The foregoing rates are subject to modification from time to time.

JUDICIAL.

The 26th February 1924.

No. F.-767--23.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice T. W. Richardson, Kt., I.C.S., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted leave on full allowance for five months, with effect from the 29th March 1924, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it.

H. TONKINSON,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

JAILS.

Simla, the 25th February 1924.

No. F.-365—23.—The services of Mr. R. W. Morde, Assistant Commissioner, Port Blair, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 24th March 1924.

J. CRERAR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 8th March 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Delhi, the 7th March 1924.

PART B.

RESIGNATIONS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

Northern Mounted Bengal Rifles.

No. 351.—The undermentioned officer is permitted to resign his commission, with effect from the date specified :—

Second Lieutenant Aeneas Francon Williams. Dated 1st February 1924.

E. BURDON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The Calcutta Gazette

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the two Muhammadan Educational Fund Settlement Scholarships (now known as "Jack Muhammadan Settlement Scholarship") attached to the Presidency College, of the value of Rs. 90 each per annum, are awarded to the undermentioned students :—

1. Muhammad Hasan Ali ... 3rd year, Art, Roll 16.
2. Rajubali Sarkar ... „ „ „ 68.

2. The scholarships are tenable for two years at the Presidency College with effect from 1st June 1923.

3. The scholars must reside in a hostel approved by the Principal.

E. F. OATEN,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (offg.).

CALCUTTA, *the 7th March 1924.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the three Special Law Scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each, provided for Muhammadans and members of backward classes in Eastern Bengal, are awarded to the following students for two years with effect from the 1st June 1923 :—

1. Mahadev Mandal.
2. Fazuruddin Ahmad.
3. Abdul Gafur Kazi

2. The scholarships are tenable at Dacca University.

E. F. OATEN,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (offg.)

CALCUTTA, *the 7th March 1924.*

BOARD OF INTERMEDIATE AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, DACCA.

NOTIFICATION.

IN continuation of this office notification, dated the 30th June 1923, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th July 1923, the following selections are prescribed for the Intermediate Examinations, 1925 :—

Intermediate Examination.

I. VERNACULAR.

(*I*) Assamese.

1.	Satyanath Borah	Sarathi.
2.	Rajanikanta Bardolai	Monomati.
3.	Padmanath Barooah	Nitisiksha, Part III.

(*II*) Hindi.

1.	Harishchandra	Charitabali.
2.	Gadadhar	Kadamvari.

GROUP "A" (Arts Course).

(*a*) English Literature.

Selections from Modern English Essays, Vol. IV (J. M. Dent & Sons) —

1. A Philosopher that Failed (E. V. Lucas).
2. The Grey Kirk (R. B. Cunninghame Graham).
3. Of Comfort (Henry W. Nevinson).
4. The Pilgrim Fathers (John Masefield).
5. The Rose (Logan Pearsall Smith).
6. The Hill-Tarn (Fiona Macleod).
7. The Inn (Edward Thomas).
8. The Castle of Carbonek (Edward Thomas).

(*b*) Classical Language.

(*I*) Bengali (for female candidates).

Selections from Chayanika :—

Katch-o-Devajani (Vidaya-Abhishap)	220-239.	Third edition.
Jete-nahi-deba	102-110.	
Shomudrer-Proti	111-115.	
Dui-Pakhi	99-101.	
Nirjharer-Shapnabhanga	1-6.	
Parash-Pathar	94-98.	
Badhu	54-58.	

Selections from Chaturdasapadi Kavita :—

Kashiram Das.	Sree-Panchami.
Krittibash.	Srishti-Karta.
Jaidev.	Sita-Devi.
Kalidas.	Kalpana.
Jasher-mandir.	Ishwarchandra Gupta.

K. AHMED, *Secretary (offg.)*.

DACCA, *the 5th February 1924.*

Dacca Medical School.

NOTICE.

Examination of Compounders and Dressers at the Dacca Medical School.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next half-yearly examination of compounders will be held on the 4th April 1924 and subsequent days.

(*a*) No person will be admitted to this examination unless he produces certificates as required by rules 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Government notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*b*) All male candidates must forward to the Deputy Superintendent, Dacca Medical School, an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the commencement of the examination. A fresh fee must be paid on each occasion that the candidate enters for the examination ; but a candidate, who, after payment of the fee, is unable, through illness, to attend the examination, will be allowed, on producing a satisfactory medical certificate, to attend the next examination without payment of fresh fee.

(*c*) Women candidates are examined free of charge.

(*d*) Passed compounders who have completed a further three months' course of dressing prescribed in rule 13, and students of the Licentiate class of this school, on the completion of their second year's course will be allowed to appear at an examination in bandaging, sterilization of dressings and instruments and in minor duties of hospital work. A fee of Rs. 2 shall be charged for this examination.

This examination is also open to persons qualified for admission to the examination prescribed under the rules for the grant of certificates to compounders, on production of a certificate that they have received instruction in a hospital or dispensary recognised by Government in bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments and in the duties of a hospital dresser. Such persons shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 2 for this examination.

M. MACKELVIE, C.I.E., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,

Superintendent, Dacca Medical School.

DACCA, *the 26th February 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next examination for admission of students to the compounder's class, Medical School, Dacca, will be held on the 10th April 1924 at 8-30 A.M. (local time).

Candidate desirous to sit at this examination shall send their applications with a fee of Rs. 2 to the Deputy Superintendent, Dacca Medical School, on or before 7th April 1924.

N.B.—Owing to the large number of matriculates the vacancies for non-matriculate students are very limited.

M. MACKELVIE, C.I.E., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,

Superintendent, Dacca Medical School.

DACCA, *the 26th February 1924.*

Bengal Veterinary College.

CANDIDATES for admission into the Bengal Veterinary College should be present at the College at Belgachia, Calcutta, with necessary certificates, in original as required in the rules, at 9 A.M. on 22nd April 1924. Rules will be supplied free on application.

A. D. MACGREGOR, I.V.S.

Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final Examination in Law held in January, 1924 :—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

1	Mukhopadhyay, Syamaprasad	...	University Law College.
2	Bhattacharyya, Abaninath	...	Ditto.
3	Gangopadhyay, Abanibhushan	...	Ditto.
4	Raychaudhuri, Satikanta	...	Ditto.
5	Ray, Birendranarayan	...	Ditto.
6	Bandyopadhyay, Debranjan	...	Ditto.
	Nazirudin Ahmed	...	Ripon Law College.
8	Bandyopadhyay, Pasupati, II	...	Ditto.
9	Ray, Sachindrakumar	...	Ditto.
10	Chaudhuri, Sarojranjan	...	University Law College.
	Gangopadhyay, Haripada	...	Ditto.
	Md Meherali	...	Ditto.
13	Hajra, Satchidananda	...	Ditto.
14	Ray, Praphulla	...	Ditto.
15	Dasgupta, Manoranjan	...	Ditto
16	Sinha, Parbaticharan	...	Ditto.
17	Bardhan, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
18	Datta, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Ramaprasanna	...	Ditto
20	Nasiruddin Khan	...	Ditto.
21	Chaudhuri, Rameshnarayan	...	Ditto.
22	Dasgupta, Binodbihari	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Asutosh	...	Ripon Law College.
24	Basu, Bhupendrakumar	...	University Law College.
	Bhattacharyya, Jatindramohan	...	Ditto.
26	Baruya, Rohiniranjan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Fazlur Rahman	...	Ditto.
28	Bhattacharyya, Janakiram	...	University Law College.
	Biswas, Manindranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	Chakrabarti, Nirmalchandra	...	University Law College.
	De, Dhanakrishna	...	Ditto.
32	Bagchi, Nripendranath	...	Ditto.
	Sayed Abdul Majid	...	Ripon Law College.
34	Mitra, Niharranjan	...	University Law College.
	Ray, Hirankumar	...	Ditto.
36	Basu, Harendranath	...	Ditto.
	Raychaudhuri, Bibhutidhar	...	Ditto.
38	Ray, Jatiprasad	...	Ditto.
39	A. S. M. Salek	...	Ditto.
	Nag, Sudhirkumar	...	Ditto.
41	Chattopadhyay, Sibaprasanna	...	Ripon Law College.
	Goswami, Balaram	...	University Law College.
	Md. Sader Hussain	...	Ripon Law College.
44	Dasgupta, Praphullachandra	...	University Law College.
45	Maitra, Mihirkumar	...	Ditto.
	Muhamed Abdul Jabber	...	Ditto.
47	Nath, Kasiswar	...	Ditto.
48	Deb, Pramodkumar	...	Ditto.
	Muzaffarullah	...	Ripon Law College.
50	Abdul Latif	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Abinaschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	Datta, Atulchandra	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Ray, Jyotirmay	...	University Law College.
54	Baruya, Manikchandra	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
55	Dasgupta, Bimalchandra	...	University Law College.
	Guhamajumdar, Binaybhushan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Ray, Durgadas	...	University Law College.
58	Bandyopadhyay, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Prabhaschandra	...	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Rabindranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student (Ripon Law College.)
61	Mukhopadhyay, Gauripada	...	University Law College.
	,, Tulsidas	...	Ripon Law College.
	Som, Atulkrishna	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
64	Biswas, Nalinimohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Saha, Jagatbandhu	...	University Law College.
66	Pandit, Nikunjabihari	...	Ripon Law College.
	Ray, Kshitischandra	...	University Law College.
68	Das, Radhagobinda	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Narayanchandra	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Panchanan	...	Ditto.

72	Bandyopadhyay, Sudhirmohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Chakrabarti, Amarendranath	...	University Law College.
	Das, Gaurchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student (Ripon Law College).
	Sanyal, Amulyamohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Sarkar, Surendranath	...	University Law College.
	Shaikh Md. Sakhaullah	...	Ripon Law College.
78	Lahiri, Lalitkanta	...	Dacca Law College.
	Mg Shwe Baw	...	University Law College.
80	Bhuyan, Suryyakumar	...	Ditto.
	Obaidus Subhan	...	Ditto.
82	Chattopadhyay, Durgaprasad	..	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Ganeschandra	...	Ditto.
	Dattagupta, Rajanikumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	De, Harendranath	...	University Law College.
	Guha, Jadablal	...	Ripon Law College.
	Kuar, Sasibhushan	...	University Law College.
	Mahabir Chaudhary	...	Ditto.
89	Lakshmi Narain	...	Ditto.
	Md. Mohsin	...	Ripon Law College.
	Ray, Bireswar, II	...	University Law College.
	,, Tridibnath	...	Ditto.
93	Chattopadhyay, Anilchandra	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Narayanchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	,, Pransankar	...	University Law College.
	Shamsher Uddin Ahmed	...	Ripon Law College.
97	Acharyya, Sachindranath	...	University Law College.
	Bandyopadhyay, Pasupati, I	...	Ripon Law College.
99	Bhuyan, Gaganeswar	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Chakrabarti, Nrisinhaprasad	...	University Law College.
	Majumdar, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Nrityagopal	...	Ripon Law College.
	Ray, Kalikaranjan	...	University Law College.
104	Badri Narayan Lal	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Sudhirkumar	...	Ditto.
106	Badiuzzaman Ahmad	...	Ditto.
	Chandra, Binaykrishna	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Brajasundar	...	Ripon Law College.
109	Sinha, Bhagwatprasad	...	University Law College.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

1	Biswas, Sudhirkumar	...	University Law College.
	Datta, Kshirodmohan	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Prabodhkumar	...	Ditto.
	Misra, Bhubaneswar	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Sunitchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
6	Barma, Syamaprasad	...	University Law College.
	Biswas, Mahendranath	...	Ripon Law College
8	Bandyopadhyay, Sasipada	...	University Law College.
	Bhattacharyya, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Harischandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	Goswami, Umakanta	...	University Law College.
	Md. Abdul Gaffur Khan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Sh Sajjad Ali	...	Ditto.
14	Barman, Upendranath	...	University Law College.
	Blaumik, Kisorimohan	...	Ditto.
	Maiti, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
	Raychaudhuri, Arunprasad	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Madhusudan	...	Ditto.
19	Abdur Rahman	...	Ripon Law College.
	Bhattacharyya, Kalipada	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Bijalibhushan	...	University Law College.
	Gupta, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	Pal, Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	Shafiuddin Ahmed	...	Ripon Law College.
25	Bandyopadhyay, Saktipada	...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Bhubanmohan	...	Ditto.
	Das, Jatindranath	...	University Law College.
	Deb, Manindramohan	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Pramodkumar	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Asutosh	...	Ripon Law College.
	Sengupta, Surendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	Zainul Abedin	...	Ripon Law College.
33	Barman, Janmejay	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Chatterjee, Anadinath	...	University Law College.
	Gangopadhyay, Kirankumar	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Amulyaratan	...	Ditto.
	Som, Prabodhkrishna	...	Ditto.
38	Bhattacharyya, Lakshminarayan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Ghosh, Nirmalchandra, II	...	University Law College.
	Palchaudhuri, Bhupendralal	...	Ditto.

41	De, Prabodhchandra	...	University Law College.
	Ray, Mohinimohan	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Abinaschandra	...	Ditto
	Sengupta, Rasbihari	...	Ditto.
45	Abdul Gani	...	Ripon Law College.
	Bezabaruya, Jagatchandra	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Ray, Subodhchandra	...	University Law College.
48	Chakrabarti, Chandidas	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Nikunjabihari	...	Ditto.
	Das, Bipinbihari	...	Dacca Law College.
	Datta, Anathbandhu	...	University Law College.
	Ghosh, Gunendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
	Laskar, Kshitindranath	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Saha, Matilal, I	...	University Law College.
	Sarkar, Biswabijay	...	Ditto.
56	Bandyopadhyay, Brajeschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Basak, Rasbihari	...	University Law College.
	Das, Nirbhayanarayanlal	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Birendranath	...	Ditto.
60	Ghosh, Kalicharan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mohamed Ismail, II	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Jatindramohan	...	University Law College.
	Sarkar, Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	Sarma, Dhannulal	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Praphullachandra, II	...	Ditto.
66	Datta, Ramanimohan	...	Ditto
	Kazi Tajammul Ali	...	Ripon Law College.
	Nag, Binodbihari	...	University Law College.
	Sen, Jnanendranarayan	...	Ditto.
70	Chakrabarti, Bijaykrishna	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Chaudhuri, Srinarayan	...	Ripon Law College
	Mahalanabis, Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	Nasir Ahmad	...	University Law College
	Ray, Pasupati	...	Ditto.
	Raychaudhuri, Hemantakumar	...	Ditto.
77	Ghosh, Amulyacharan	...	Ditto.
	,, Dhurjaticharan	...	Ditto.
	Palit, Pramodchandra	...	Ditto.
80	Basu, Abaninath	...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Saileswar	...	Ditto.
	Maitra, Amalchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Phanindramohan	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bipulchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Gangacharan	...	Ditto.
	,, Gaurisankar	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Sibdas	...	University Law College.
88	Abdur Rouff Shahchoudhury	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Surendranath, II	...	Ditto.
	Md. Abdul Bari	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Nirmalchandra	...	Ditto.
92	Ali Azhar	...	Ditto.
	Bandyopadhyay, Sudhansusekhar	...	Ditto.
	Basumallik, Asoknath	...	Ripon Law College.
	Jogsingh Chatri	...	University Law College.
	Chattopadhyay, Kaliprasanna	...	Ditto.
	Das, Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Satischandra, I	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Manindranarayan	...	Ditto.
	Sinha, Rasiklal	...	Ditto.
102	Bandyopadhyay, Dhirendranath, II	...	Ditto.
	Biswas, Jibankrishna	...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Bhupendranarayan	...	Ditto.
	Deb, Kumar Rajendranarayan	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Dhar, Kshitischandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Sinha, Panchanan	...	University Law College.
108	Chattopadhyay, Nilmanikumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	Dasgupta, Phanindranath	...	Ditto.
	Mohammed Sharfuddin Khan	...	Ripon Law College.
111	Adhikari, Sureschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	Bandyopadhyay, Bhutnath	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Jatindranath	...	University Law College.
	Basu, Nalinchandra	...	Ditto.
	Biswas, Rajendrachandra	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Chakrabarti, Kshitischandra	...	University Law College.
	Guha, Sudhansukumar	...	Ditto.
	Guptabhaya, Binodbihari	...	Non-Collegiate Student (Ripon Law College).
	Ray, Manindranath	...	University Law College.

120	Chattopadhyay, Dolgobinda	...	University Law College.
	,, Kalikrishna, I	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Rabindranath, I	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Ramanimohan	...	Ditto.
124	Basu, Gopalhari	...	Ditto.
	Bhattacharyya, Brahmeswar	...	Ditto.
	Goswami, Thakahari	...	Ditto.
	Sarma, Tankeswar	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Sen, Prajesprasanna	...	University Law College.
129	Bandyopadhyay, Kasipati	...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Jatischandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Deray, Anadicharan	...	Dacca Law College.
	Ray, Bijaykumar	...	University Law College.
133	Abdul Jalil	...	Ripon Law College.
	Dasgupta, Surendrachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	Kargupta, Rebatimohan	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College.)
	Ray, Satischandra	...	Ripon Law College.
137	Aktaruddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	Bagchi, Niradsankar	...	University Law College.
	Bhattacharyya, Gauriprasad	...	Ditto.
	Kar, Pramathanath	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mushopadhyay, Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Subarnakamal	...	University Law College.
143	Aboo Darda	...	Ditto.
	Bhattacharyya, Saurendrakumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	Biswas, Krishnachandra	...	University Law College.
	Guha, Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	Maitra, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bhupendrakumar	...	Ditto.
149	Hajra, Gaurpada	...	Ditto.
	Maulik, Amulyachandra	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Nalinimohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bidyudbaran	...	University Law College.
	Sarkar, Prakaschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Sengupta, Priyanath	...	University Law College.
155	Bhattacharyya, Hemendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	Biswas, Tarapada	...	Ripon Law College.
	Das, Kumudbihari	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Karmakar, Syamacharan	...	University Law College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Nirmalkumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College.)
	Soyed Abdul Malek	...	University Law College.
162	Basuray, Bhupeschandra	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Sankarimohan	...	Ditto.
	Kundu, Bireswar	...	Ripon Law College.
	Pain, Gokulchandra	...	University Law College.
	Ray, Kisorimohan	...	Ripon Law College.
167	Asmat Ali	...	Ditto.
	Barthakur, Chandranath	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Bhattacharyya, Harendranath	...	University Law College.
	Chakrabarti, Kuladakumar	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Chaudhuri, Atulchandra	...	University Law College.
172	Gupta, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
	Mirbahar, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Anathbandhu	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Brajendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Serajuddin Ahmed	...	Ripon Law College.
	Shivanandan Prasad Mandal	...	University Law College.
178	Basu, Phanindranath	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Kalikrishna, II	...	Ditto.
	Ghoshal, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
	Raychaudhuri, Payodhinath	...	Ditto.
	S. A. T Abdul Wasey	...	Ripon Law College.
183	Chattopadhyay, Sudhiskumar	...	University Law College.
	Dastidar, Manindranath	...	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Sudhansubikas	...	Ditto.
186	Abdul Gafur	...	Ditto.
	Bhattacharyya, Kalichandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Das, Upendralal	...	University Law College.
	Dasgupta, Amarkisor	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Pabitrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Kolia, Sripaticharan	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College.)
	Mandal, Ramendrakumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	Md. Abdur Rahim Chaudhury	...	Dacca Law College.
	Mitra, Sudhirkumar	...	University Law College.

195	Bandyopadhyay, Durgacharan	...	University Law College.
	Chakrabarti, Haripada	...	Ditto.
	,, Rajendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Bhabaniprasad	...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Kshitischandra	...	Gauhati Earl Law College.
	Deb, Brajendrachandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Ray, Sachinandan	...	University Law College.
	Sarkar, Saktindranath	...	Ditto.
203	Chaudhuri, Nagendranath, III	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Jnanendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Bishnupada	...	Ditto.
	Sinha, Amarendranath	...	Ditto.
208	Bhattacharyya, Mrinalkanti	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Ramgopal	...	Ditto
	Datta, Bhudebendrakumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	Mitra, Kumarkrishna	...	Ripon Law College.
	Pal, Dhirendralal	...	University Law College.
213	Chakrabarti, Nikunjabihari	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Kunjabihari	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mohamad Zainul Abdeen	...	Ditto.
	Niyogi, Birendraprasad	...	University Law College.
217	Chaudhuri, Radharaman	...	Ripon Law College.
	De, Mahendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	Ghosh, Bishnudas	...	Ditto.
	Md. Abu Sayid	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Jaladhar	...	Ditto.
222	Ghosh, Sunitkumar	...	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Bijalibhushan	...	Ditto.
224	Bhattacharyya, Kedarnath	...	Ditto.
	Das, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto
	Ghosh, Jitendrakisor	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Bijaykumar	...	Ditto.
228	Jiwachh Jha	...	Ditto.
	Maitra, Sudhansusekhar	...	Ditto
	Md. Wajedali	...	Ditto.
	Niamot Ali	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Kumudchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
233	Bhattacharyya, Lalitmohan	...	University Law College.
	Noorul Hoda	...	Ditto.
	Wazuddin Biswas	...	Ripon Law College.
236	Biswas, Bhupeschandra	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Nirmalpada	...	Ditto.
	Das, Sachindranath	...	University Law College.
	Esahak Ali Talukdar	...	Ripon Law College.
	Majumdar, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Panabicharan	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	Sarkar, Nalinchandra	...	University Law College.
	Taibali Ahamed	...	Ditto.
244	Das, Amarchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	Sarkar, Praphullakumar	...	University Law College.
246	Das, Mahendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Hor, Jnanadananda	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Dhirendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
249	Bagchi, Jatischandra	...	University Law College.
	Bhaumik, Upendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	Chakrabarti, Abanibhushan	...	University Law College.
	Dasgupta, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Kesabchandra	...	Ditto.
	Khan, G. M.	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Amiyakrishna	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Byomkes	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Sachindramohan	...	Ditto.
258	Bandyopadhyay, Sureschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Datta, Charuchandra	...	University Law College
	Ghosh, Kshitischandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Maitra, Sukumar	...	University Law College.
	Ray, Anukulchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Dwijendranath	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Kalisankar	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Bhupendrachandra	...	Ditto.
266	Mukhopadhyay, Haripada	...	Ditto.
	Niyogi, Satyacharan	...	Ditto.
268	Chakrabarti, Jogeschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Chaudhuri, Praphullakumar	...	University Law College.
	Das, Pyarimohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	De, Surendranath	...	University Law College.
272	Chakrabarti, Niramay	...	Ripon Law College.
	Majumdar, Jaminikumar	...	University Law College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Ramapati	...	Ditto.
	Nag, Payodhichandra	...	Ditto.

276	Chakrabarti, Hementakumar	...	University Law College.
	Khayerzzaman	...	Ditto.
	Menhajuddin Khan Lohani	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Janakiranjan	...	University Law College.
	Saha, Matilal	...	Ditto.
281	Munsi, Purnendunarayan	...	Ditto.
	Pal, Jasodakumar	...	Ditto
	Raghupat Sahai	...	Ditto.
	Shaikh Syed Ulla	...	Ditto.
285	Bhattacharyya, Hariprasad	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Sachindramohan	...	Ditto
	Saha, Dhirendrakumar	...	Ditto
	Sarkar, Manindramohan	...	Ditto
289	Basu, Arunchandra	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Binodlal	...	Ditto.
	,, Debendranath	...	Ditto.
	Munsi, Surendracharan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Sen, Amalchandra	...	University Law College
	Sengupta, Jaminiranjan	...	Ditto.
295	Chaudhuri, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
	Mirza Mohmed Kayem	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Murarmohan	...	Ditto.
298	Bandyopadhyay, Birajkumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Susilkumar	..	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Jitendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	Sen, Gopikanta	...	University Law College.
302	Ghoshal, Sasadhar	...	Ditto
303	Ray, Sachchidananda	...	Ditto.
304	Gupta, Praphullakumar, I	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Phambhushan, I	...	Ditto.
	Haldar, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Nalinikanta	...	Ditto.
308	Dasgupta, Jitendramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	Ghosh, Anilkrishna	...	University Law College.
	Moulik, Balindrachandra	...	Ditto.
	Muhammad Ismail, I	...	Ripon Law College.
	Ray, Amiyaprasad	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Pramathanath	...	University Law College.
314	Dasgupta, Atulmohan	...	Ditto.
	Gogai, Harinath	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan, II	...	Ditto.
317	Baruya, Saradaprasad	...	Ripon Law College.
	Basu, Saratkumar	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Makhanlal	...	University Law College.
	,, Tarakdas	...	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Pulinbihari	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mahanti, Suryyamani	...	University Law College.
	Mandal, Kshetramohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mitra, Sadhucharan	...	Dacca Law College.
	Mohamad Yaqub	...	University Law College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Rampada	...	Ditto.
	Phukan, Mokshanath	...	Ditto.
	Raha, Srischandra	...	Ditto.
329	Sen, Syamapada	...	Ditto.

A. C. BOSE,
Controller of Examinations, Calcutta University.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 12th March, 1924.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE undermentioned candidates are admitted to the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy. The theses submitted to and approved by the Board of Examiners are stated against their names :—

1. Praphullachandra Basu ... Main Thesis: (*a*) "Economic Development of India, Vol. I."
   Subsidiary Thesis: (*b*) "Indo-Aryan Polity."
2. Pasupatinath Sastri ... "Introduction to the Purva Mimansa."

By order of the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate,

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 12th March 1924.*

BENGAL COUNCIL OF MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1181M.R.

IT is notified for general information that the Council of Medical Registration in Bengal have been pleased to recognise the Calcutta Medical Institute temporarily for two years as an institution qualified to train and send up students for the Licentiateship Examination of the State Medical Faculty of Bengal up to the Intermediate standard. The Institute has further been authorised to admit not more than 100 students annually.

G. C. MOOKERJEE, *Registrar.*

CALCUTTA, *the 7th March 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	734 12 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5 June and September 1923.	...	Revenue— 7 3 5 Cess— 32 8 7

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector.

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue (for the kist ending 12th January 1924).

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abul Fazel.	643 3 7	Whole ...	.....	Fazar Ali Sowdagar ...	...	291 7 10	...
746	Thana Jararganja, C. S. Mireswari, taraf Ohib Daulat.	2,906 7 5	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdurani, manager for (a) Sabitha Khan.	...	1,316 15 5	...
1342	Thana Satkania, C. S. Bankhali, Patya, C. S. Anwara, taraf Imam Baksha	697 0 6	Do. ...	.....	Wahed Ali ...	...	315 13 7	...
1365	Thana Mireswari, taraf Jarip Mahamad.	783 12 6	Do. ...	.....	Bidhu Bhusan Ray Chowdhuri, Jogendra Nath Ray, and others.	...	121 13 6	...
1407	Thana Town Fatickchari, Patiya Satkania, Rousan and Hathazari, taraf Jiban Khan.	1,054 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdhurani, manager for (a) Abco Bashar, and others.	...	456 9 10	...
1885	Thana Hathazari and Rouzan, taraf Mahamad Hafez Khansama.	924 9 6	Do. ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Abdul Khalek and others	...	202 3 8	...
2099	Thana Sitakunda, Hathazari, Bankhali, Satkania, town Patiya, Mireswari and Anwara, kismat Murari Dhar Kanu and Nil Kamal Sen Babaite, taraf Gouri Shankar Kanungoo.	1,230 3 1	Share ...	Residue	Bidhu Bhusan Ray and Srimati Sashi Kumari Ray.	976 2 6	...	442 0 10
3054	Thanas Rousan, Hathazari Town and Fatikchari, taraf Shib Durga Charan Chaudhuri.	2,942 2 0	Do. ...	Share No. 3	Srimati Lakshmi Kumari Sen.	514 3 4	...	233 0 0
93916	Thana Ramoo mahal Rajakul, taluk Obedullah Sheik, Badeosama, father of Makbul Ali, Dewan Bibi and Asalat Khan.	963 11 3	Do. ...	Residue	Prasanna Kumar Ray, Binode Lal Ray and others.	662 9 2	...	289 14 11

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
34611 / 3	Mauza Dhopachari thana Patiya.	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	...
1-6749 / 892	Noabad taluk Koramatali Kamalafrue.	844 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sarfauddin Sikdar, son of Mosharaf Ali Sikdar, of Pekua, thana Chakaria.	...	211 0 0	...
		Cess— 177 8 0					Cess— 44 6 0	

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924.

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
1 $\frac{159}{3}$	Mauza Teknaf, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Fatey Choudhuri.	1,374 1 2 88 15 9	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Chewa Choudhurin, daughter of Alathoni Choudhuri, Keokhain and Keojapra Choudhuri, sons of Chullatru Chaudhuri of Teknaf.	.....	426 11 0 33 8 0	.....
3 $\frac{509}{3}$	Mauza Lengurbil, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Thow Choudhuria.	798 0 0 44 4 6	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	200 0 0 16 2 4	.....
4 $\frac{460}{876}$ $\frac{560}{}$	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Ishan Chandra Chondhuri.	2,321 6 0 195 13 3	Do. ...	.....	Mongjai Choudhuri and Keojai Choudhuri, sons of Rapoy Choudhuri of South Nilla.	.....	768 13 0 66 14 0	.....
5-1035	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluk Srimati Khoamay.	1,621 8 0 153 8 9	Do. ...	.....	Fatch Choudhuri, Augia Choudhuri, sons of Koheong Choudhuri, and others of South Nilla.	.....	546 4 0 64 10 0	.....
303 $\frac{294}{307}$	Mauza Harbang, thana Chakaria, mahal Noabad, taluk Mobarakali.	929 14 0 85 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Sherali Khan, son of Ajamullah Khan, of Harbang.	.....	232 8 0 31 0 0	.....

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924 L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
3 / 403	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Pulchari, mahal Noabad, taluk Moberak Ali Bakshally.	3,125 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Makbul Ali Chowdhury, son of Md. Sharif Miaji, of Chota Sauna. Besharatali Chowdhury, son of Jafarali Chowdhury, of Pulchari.	.....	Road— 162 12 0 Cess— 24 1 3	...
4051 / 35000	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Burasma Chara, mahal Noabad, hal taluk Ramdia-Hazari.	1,942 5 6	Do. ...	.....	Sm. Mathuria Debya and on behalf of her minor son Rajnarayan Hazari, of Anderkilla.	.....	Cess— 83 5 9	...
5674 / 5009	Thana Satkania, mauza Paharchunda, mahal Noabad, taluk Nilmani.	651 10 0	Do. ...	.....	Md. Aktar Kamal Chowdhury, son of Maulvi Nezamuddin, of Joarianala.	.....	Road— 162 14 6 Cess— 27 4 3	...
6239 / 5617	Thana Satkania, mauza Charamba, mahal Noabad, taluk Kalikinkar.	1,965 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Pran Hari Chowdhury, son of Haradas Chowdhury, of Charamba and others.	.....	Road— 178 4 6 Cess— 36 14 6	...

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924. L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Birbhum, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
10	Dheka, pargana Swarupsing.	16,707 4 0	Whole ...	.....	Bonowari Mukunda Deb, Sebait.	...	7,214 0 0	...
19	Salpa, pargana Serpur ...	4,675 10 0	Do. ...	.....	Bonowari Mukundo Deb.	...	2,188 0 0	...
13	Chahata, pargana Fatehpur	11,929 10 12	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	5,578 7 3	...
24	Madanpur, pargana Allnagar.	2,820 14 0	...	8 as. share in residuary share except separate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Bhupendra Bala, guardian of Nirode Mohan and Khirode Mohan Ghosh Maulik.	1,410 7 0	...	810 8 0
31	Purandarpur, pargana Purandarpur.	6,299 8 0	...	3 as. share of separate account No. 2. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Kisori Lal Sing and others.	1,181 2 6	...	510 10 9
58	Bunshpur, pargana Sahasslampur.	928 15 0	...	9 as. 12 g. 2 cra. share in residuary share. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Bisembhar Chatterji and others.	558 13 0	...	60 15 1
81	Paharpur, pargana Allnagar.	2,842 5 0	...	9 as. 12 g. 2 cr. share in residuary share except separate account Nos. 1, 2 and 3. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Mohendra Nath Ghosh Maulik and others.	1,763 1 10	...	189 0 5
148	Gomai, pargana Kutabpur	1,333 15 10	Whole ...	.....	Sreebatsa Lal Banarji and others as Sebait.	...	542 0 10	...
1346 with police.	Huda Kutabpur, Fatehpur, pargana Kutabpur, Fatehpur.	2,316 0 9	...	14 as. 2 g. 2 cr. share in separate account No. 1. All other share than that specified above will be excluded from the sale.	Nirode Mohan Ghosh Maulik and others. Sebait.	1,946 4 7	...	844 5 10

Suri, the 16th February 1924. A. REZA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Jessore, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 2 P.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
168	Mallikpur, pargana Mallikpur.	1,467 11 3	Yes ...	.....	Nagendra Nath Banerjee...	...	408 14 1	...

Jessore Collectorate, the 16th February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Midnapore, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
				S. A. No. 1—				
276	Pargana Tappa Bailaita, mahal Bhitor Benode, 4 annas share.	1,658 14 10	...	8 as. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ratnakar Das ...	829 7 5	...	285 0 6
312	Pargana Batitaki, mahal Palgerya.	680 1 7	Entire ...	.....	Kedar Nath Pal and others, Sebait of Lakshi Janardan Jeu Thakur.	...	153 12 7	...
				S. A. No. 5—				
333	Pargana Birkul, mahal Rampur *alias* Rampur and Sanpur, 7 annas share.	5,174 2 9	...	1 a. 16 gds. 3 ch. 2 kags 12½ tils share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Srimatya Rajeswari Dasi.	596 14 1	...	12 14 9
				S. A. No. 7—				
333	Ditto ...	5,174 2 9	...	1 a. 16 gds. 3 ch. 2 kags 12 tils 2 cora share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Achinta Nath Samal and another.	596 14	...	31 2 8
954	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Harijhama.	3,136 3 6 (including police).	...	Residuary share excluding separate account No. 1. 11 as. 14 gds. 3 c. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sarat Chandra Banerjee and others executors of the estate of late Bhuban Chandra Banerjee.	2,302 5 3 (including police).	...	380 8 3
				S. A. No. 7—				
2051	Pargana Protapvan, mahal Kotebar.	6,329 9 9	...	2 as. 10 gds. share of each of the following mauzas will be sold :— Mauza Adam chak. ,, Alladi chak. ,, Anua. ,, Bignibarh. ,, Birahim chak. ,, Beli chak. ,, Bhairabdandi. ,, Farid chak. ,, Gangra. ,, Gobardhanpur. ,, Gobinda chak. ,, Gokulpore. ,, Gopal chak. ,, Ghorasalya chak. ,, Huson chak. ,, Jambarh. ,, Joki chak. ,, Kankal. ,, Kalika chak. ,, Keshab chak. ,, Kotebar. ,, Krishnapur. ,, Kharan. ,, Lochhibar. ,, Narasingpur. ,, Nyamtalya. ,, Oyad chak. ,, Oladpur chak. ,, Paschimsai. ,, Purusottampore. ,, Raugi chak. ,, Rambar. ,, Satsande. ,, Sultan chak. ,, Raja chak. ,, Teghari. ,, Raghunathpore. ,, Unuan. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Chonduri Surendra Nath Pahari and others.	973 6 1	...	252 6 8

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2376	Pargana Shahapur, mahal Baragor.	3,196 12 4 (including police).	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 4, 6, 7, 9 to 16 only. 10 annas share in each of mauzas will be sold— Mauza Baragarh. ,, Debra Kismat. ,, Ramgere. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Muchi Ram Maity and others.	1,035 2 4 (including police).	...	42 14 8 (January 1923 to January 1924).
2681	Pargana Uttar Behar, mahal Bastupur *alias* Dhaneswarpur.	4,675 4 9	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3 only. 16 annas share in each of the following mauzas will be sold— Mauza Agarbar chak. ,, Kamal chak. ,, Pahari chak. ,, Patpore. ,, Purusattampur Patna. ,, Mahammad Jana chak. ,, Bansi chak. ,, Lachi chak. ,, Barobatia. ,, Deulbar. ,, Haripur. ,, Suria. ,, Kotebar. ,, Lalpore. ,, Nokibar. ,, Sarifabad. ,, Sukarbar. ,, Akilabad. ,, Uriapara *alias* Turiapara. ,, Kanakpur. ,, Shamsundarpur. ,, Damodarpur. ,, Moni chak. ,, Mirzapur. ,, Purusottampur. ,, Deulbar. ,, Dasrul. ,, Agar. ,, Bhalukar. ,, Chandpore. ,, Desbetya. ,, Kharikar. ,, Masurya. ,, Napara. ,, Rashra. ,, Sanadri. ,, Asti kismat. ,, Dhaneswarpur. ,, Khanderpur. ,, Mrijabeg. ,, Paparhsai. ,, Ambi. ,, Bhadua. ,, Behala. ,, Palkhola. ,, Gamarya. ,, Palania. ,, Barobetyasana, 5 as. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Gobinda Chandra Pal and others.	4,565 7 9	...	11 0 2
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2889	Pargana Patashpur, mahal Naipur.	1,789 0 0	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3 only. 9 as. 18 gds. 1 c. 1 kt. share in each of the following mauzas will be sold— Mauza Ajodhyapore. ,, Gopal chak. ,, Modhupur. ,, Marulia chak. ,, Naipur. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Jotindra Nath Das Pattanaik and others.	1,108 12 11	...	17 10 1

Midnapore, the 16th February 1924.

N. C. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Dacca, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
9069	Pargana Khalilabad, diara mahal char Kukurhati.	1,788 8 0	16 annas	.....	Swarnamoyee Debya and others.	...	283 3 0	...
9070	Pargana Shahaustal, diara mahal char Singali.	961 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Kripamoyee Debi and others.	...	60 0 0	...
9422	Pargana Sinduri, diara mahal char Baghutia.	6,841 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Sarat Chandra Biswas	3,500 0 0	...	...
9965	Tappe Ran Bhowal, Zemindari Marium Begum. 6 annas 15 gandas.	1,719 8 0	...	Residue— Part I—13 annas 10 gandas 2 karas share of mauza Airmara, Patehpur.	Kunja Mohan Pal and others.	1,416 8 11	...	124 9 4
				Part II—15 annas 15 gandas share of mauza Chop-Dakhin and others.	Maulvi Abu Ahmed and others.			
				Part III—13 annas 3 gandas 1 kara 1 kranti share of char Sakhipur and others.	Ditto.			
				Part IV—12 annas 14 gandas 3 karas 2 krantis share of mauza Uttarkandi and others.	Dwarka Nath Saha.			
				Part V—7 annas 14 gandas 2 krantis 11 tils share of mauza Jaipur (Tippera).	Maulvi Abu Ahmed, Abdul Basid and others.			
				Part VI—9 annas 6 gandas 2 krantis 13 tils share of mauza Bomar char (Tippera).	Radha Kanta Poddar and others.			
				Part VII—15 annas 3 gandas 2 karas 2 krantis share of mauza Sendi (Tippera).	Surendra Chandra Poddar and others.			
				Part VIII—15 annas 15 gandas share of remaining mauzas.	Abu Ahmed, Abdul Basid and others.			
				All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale.				
				Part I—Separate account Nos. 5, 11, 16, 45—hissya 2 annas 9 gandas 2 karas.				
				Part II—Separate account No. 5—hissya 5 gandas.				
				Part III—Separate account Nos. 5, 18, 28—hissya 2 annas 16 gandas 2 karas 2 krantis				
				Part IV—Separate account Nos. 5, 20, 21-26, 31 and 37—hissya 3 annas 5 gandas 1 kranti.				
				Part V—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27, 39, 46, 38, 1, 42—hissya 3 annas 5 gandas 3 karas 9 tils.				
				Part VI—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27, 46, 39, 43, 44—hissya 6 annas 13 gandas 3 karas 7 tils.				
				Part VII—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27 and 21—hissya 16 gandas 1 kara 1 kranti.				
				Part VIII—Separate account No. 5—hissya 5 gandas.				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
10622	Pargana Sindurl, diara mahal char Gobindapur.	2,904 0 0	...	Residue hissya 8 annas— All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale. Separate account No. 1—hissya 8 annas.	Surendra Krishna Dutta Barma and others.	1,452 0 0	...	400 0 0
				Separate account No. 1—hissya 8 annas. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale. Residue hissya 8 annas.	Satya Charan Datta Barma.	1,452 0 0	...	200 0 0
10946	Pargana Jahangirnagar, diara mahal char Kamarta.	649 0 0	16 annas	.....	Swarnamoyee Debi and others.	...	40 12 0	...
11037	Pargana Makimpur, taluq char Binodepur.	953 5 0	16 ,,	.....	K. B. Datta, receiver for (a) Srish Chandra Das.	...	71 2 8	...
12546	Pargana Bikrampur, diara mahal char Saidpur.	564 8 0	16 ,,	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakrabarty and others.	...	37 10 9	...
13730	Pargana Jahangirnagar, diara mahal Ruhitpur.	1,665 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Swarnamoyee Debi and others.	...	100 0 0	...

Dacca, the 14th February 1924. B. N. GUPTA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Nadia, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
44/1	Boalia, pargana Ashrafabad.	...	No ...	8 annas ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Siva Das Mukherjee and others.	591 6 8	...	89 4 0
534	Talberia, pargana Krishnagor.	3,510 14 10	Whole ...	.....	Dharani Mohan Roy ...	...	74 7 9	...
3554	Tiokari, pargana Pajnour.	1,313 5 4	Do. ...	.....	Debendra Prosad Ghose and another.	...	364 10 8	...
867	Char Manikdihi, pargana Rajpur.	541 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Brojeswari Dasi and another.	...	135 0 0	...
5635/0	Deara taluk Framatho Nath Roy and others, pargana Hapania.	...	No ...	10 as. 11 gds. 1 kr. and 1 kt. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Nilmoni Roy Choudhury and others.	811 10 6	...	38 14 10

Krishnagar, the 16th February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
39 A	Bahirgorra, pargana Balligori.	7,630 12	...	1 anna 12 gandas ...	Sailaja Nath Rai Chowdhury and 11 others.	764 0 3	...	61 7 11
				Temporary settled estates.				
2025 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Rampur char, pargana Raipur.	858 0	Whole ...	.....	Settled with Khagendra Nanda Asram, Sebait of Brindaban Chandra Thakur.	...	214 8	...
2027 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati new char, pargana Raipur.	2,105 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	526 4	...
2033 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati char, pargana Raipur.	1,639 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	409 12	...
2092 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati Chhera char, pargana Raipur.	2,266 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	566 8	...
3479 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Rasulpur char, pargana Patuahal.	568 0	Do. ...	.....	Settled with Kalipada Banerjee and another.	...	71 0	...

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Chinsura, the 15th February 1924.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
47	Kismat Raipur and others, Magura.	2,053 8 0	Whole ...	.....	Amrito Lal Chakraverty, Upendra Krishna Mandal, Gopi Krishna Mandal.	...	20 0 1½	.....
835	Pargana Sahanagar, mauza Iswaripur and others.	6,444 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Atul Ch. Mukerji and Sahayaram Chakravarty, Trustee to the estate of Gopi Nath Jew Thakur and other deities.	...	1,971 15 4½	.....

Alipore, the 18th February 1924.

H. CHATTERJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
19	Gidhagram, etc., pargana Arsha.	7,308 12 11	...	Residuary share 2-2-0-2-2 is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Priyatama Debi, sebait of Annapurna Thakurani and executrix to the estate of late Hari Charan Banerji and others.	963 2 11	...	236 15 11

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
187	Pilkhundi, etc., pargana Ajmatsahi.	3,140 1 0	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Anadi Nath Dutt and others as sebait of Radhaballav Jew Thakur and others.	.....	635 13 3	.....

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and share of estate in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
5170	Dahukadanga, etc., pargana Sahabad.	6,421 15 3	.....	Residuary share as. 8 is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Monmohini Dasi ...	3,210 15 3	.....	1,197 14 8

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Noakhali, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 25th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lot No. 16, tausi No. 1676.	Nilakhi deara tenure No. 84.	941 12 0	Whole ...	.....	Hari Preya Saha ...	...	Land revenue— 382 8 0 Cess— 18 7 6 400 15 6	...
Lot No. 28, tausi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 1.	2,999 7 0	Do. ...	.....	S. M. Azamaleruzzaman Chandhurani.	...	Land revenue— 608 9 6 Cess— 78 0 0 686 9 6	...
Lot No. 29, tausi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 24.	777 6 0	Do. ...	.....	Apturali and others ...	...	Land revenue— 315 13 0 Cess— 23 4 0 339 1 0	...
Lot No. 34, tausi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 48.	559 8 0	Do. ...	...	Jol Fakkar Haidor ...	...	Land revenue— 227 4 9 Cess— 14 11 2 241 15 11	...
Lot No. 42, tausi No. 1606.	Bangshi, kismat Lakhi, tenure No. 671.	888 11 0	Do. ...	...	Hara Lal Bhuya ...	...	Land revenue— 92 2 11 Cess— 0 1 0 92 3 11	...
Lot No. 66, tausi No. 1672.	Nalchira Choudhurir katta, tenure No. 50.	773 3 0	Do ...	.....	Munshi Mozaharuddin Ahmed.	...	Land revenue— 386 9 0 Cess— 23 1 11 409 10 11	...
Lot No. 103, tausi No. 1672.	Nalchira Shaheber katta, tenure No. 173.	912 6 0	Do ...	.....	Shamsal Haq ...	...	Land revenue— 326 10 0 Cess— 50 15 3 377 9 3	...
Lot No. 120, tausi No. 1672.	Char Bharat Sen, tenure No. 19.	707 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Badiar Rahman	...	Land revenue— 35 3 0 Cess— 22 8 6 57 11 6	...
Lot No. 121, tausi No. 1636.	Char Alexander, tenure No. 1.	940 15 8	...	.....	Seraul Haq and others ...	...	Land revenue— 382 5 0 Cess— 20 0 0 402 5 0	...

Noakhali, the 18th February 1924. S. C. RAY, *for* Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rangpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
108 Residuary.	Musarat Madati, mauza Cherenga, pargana Chakla Kasirhat.	2,611 7 5	No ...	16as. share of Madati Musarat, mauza Group "B" residuary share. (NOTE.—All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.)	Rajendra Narain Chowdhuri, sebait, on behalf of Raghunath Bigraha.	1,822 9 6	...	107 5 2
184-2	Khupi O'gayraha, pargana Bagduar, 9as.	96,153 7 2	No ...	16as. share of Anantaram-pur and 110 other mauzas, Group "B", separate account No. 2. (NOTE.—All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.)	Banawari Mukunda Deb.	12,183 7 11	...	4,119 13 8
216	Hari Narainpur O'gay-raha, pargana Barabila.	5,801 14 4	Whole ...	16as. share of whole estate	Ditto ...	...	1,571 3 3	...

Rangpur Collectorate, the 18th February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

See Rule 161.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the proprietary right of Government specified in the condition of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate at 12 noon, on Monday, the 27th March 1924, corresponding with 14th Chaitra 1330, Bengali era. The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue-free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
Tauzi No. 3610	Estate Mandra, pargana Jahangirabad ...	·465	Rs. A. P. 0 11 0	

Collector's Office, Burdwan, the 13th February 1924. J. YOUNIE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
6378	Taluk char Soula, pargana Rajnagar.	671	Whole ...	.....	Svarna Moyee Debi ...	...	202 4 0	...
6448	Taluq Taspur, pargana Jalalpur.	960	No ...	Residuary 10 annas share. The following share is exempted from sale:—Separate account No. 1 for 6 annas share of the estate.	Krisnadas Roy and others.	600 0 0	...	145 0 0
6797	Taluq surplus land of thak of Koyaria, pargana Kasimpur Sahalapatti.	849	Whole ...	.....	Barada Kanta Ghosh	...	2 5 4	...

Faridpur, the 12th February 1924. D. H. WARES, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th of March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2381	Kaligadu, Kalisafa, pargana Kalisafa.	549 4 0	Yes ...	.....	(1) Krishna Gopal Sanyal, (2) Ram Gopal Sanyal.	...	105 3 0 Cess— 137 4 0	...

Rajshahi, the 13th February 1924. F. B. BRADLEY-BIRT, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
2709	Joar Gauripura Meadi Pattani, taluq parganah Bardakhat.	1,868 11 0	Whole ...	.....	Aswini Kumar Pal and others.	...	38 15 3	...
2714	Joar Mahesbpur Meadi pattani, taluq parganah Bardakhat.	1,265 6 0	Do. ...	.....	Hari Das Rakshite and others.	...	25 2 9	...

Comilla, the 15th February 1924. A. J. DASH, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Pabna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3	Dehi Shoratali, pargana Ishafshahi.	10,767 9 0	...	* Separate account No. 40 ... ... 9 as. 12 gds. 3 cr. share of Kuraudaypur, Chak Kurabari *alias* Kurabaju Chak, Dat'abari, Jangli Khamar, Jhonjhonibari, Kau Neorgacha, Khamarpara, Bitbari *alias* Bitobari, Neorgacha, Krishnapur Chak, Nagorboyra, Pangashi, Farid, Sheratola, Shyambaria, Durgapur, Haindghorpara, Sitolpati, Petla Bhagirath, Horepara, Raghabpur *alias* Baghalpur, Rakhalgachha, Nandiganti, Shingganti, Baidipara, Jangilbari K. *alias* Jangilpur ; 1 a. 2 gds. 3 cr. 1 kg. 5 tils share of Shyampur ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Mariohu, Uchal Satbaria *alias* Uchal Sanbaria ; 12 gds. 1 cr. 17½ tils share of Durlapur, Dasharathdia and Khonjondiar ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Kacharibari and Narnia Alokdia ; 3 gds. 3 cr. share of Pechakola ; 3 gds. 1 cr. 3 kg. share of Santosha ; 6 gds. 1 cr. 2 kgs. 12 tils ¼ tilpon 17 T. P. G.-14¾ T. P. G. P. share of Laharibari and Paiksha ; 8 gds. 3 cr. share of Majgram *alias* Latibpur ; 1 cr. 2 kgs. 11¼ til share of Chak Tebaria with Chandpur ; 3 gds. 3 cr. share of Arjoondia Hisya 6 as. *alias* Khamargaon ; 3 gds. 1 cr. 3 kgs. 7¾ til share of Gopinathpur ; 19 gds. 2 cr. 3 kgs. share of Pakurtola ; 13 gds. 2 kgs. share of Tentbunia *alias* Ekrampur ; 2 gds. 1 cr. 3 kgs. 7½ tils share of Satbaria Chala Hisya 15 as. 15¼ gds. ; 13 gds. 2 kgs. share of Basantapur and Thakurbari and Chalabarapara, Goholibori *alias* Gohalibari ; 12 gds. 1 cr. 17½ tils share of Dasdaputti and Khidraputia ; 3 gds. 2 kgs. 1½ tils share of Bashbaria ; 2 gds. 1 cr. 3 kgs. 7½ tils share of Domdoma ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Koyra Kharampara, Kacharupara, Mirjganti, Thor Potagia, Baghutia Bhata, Paikhanda, Nandina Chanda, Mohespur and Mahamedpur ; 1 a. 15 gds. share of Botil Hisya 7 as. and Arjoondia Hisya 7 annas 8 gds. 3 cr. share of Chala Botil Kismat *alias* Botil Hisya 6 as. ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Uday Krishnapur, Elongjani, Ichhamati, Kansona Kura Postak, Kumarpara *alias* Sontola, Gudhibari, Jantola, Jolahati *alias* Jokanati, Baniaganti bonam Lal Khan, Mohajiterpara, Hisila, Hore Soraboil, Kura Udaypur, Bijhati belai Bipro Tethulia *alias* Kalinga hadraghat *alias* Kalinja, Barohar *alias* Faridepara, Barahar, Bonbaria *alias* Kadai Bonbaria, Beara Baniaganti, Bengnai, Bhutgacha, Barahar and Ghoseganti 1 a. 16 gds. 1 kg. 10 til share of Govindabari.	Sashi Bala Debya, wife of Hem Chandra Mukhopadhya.	1,256 7 0	...	457 3 6 Police— 3 6 0
104	Pargana Islampur, pargana Islampur.	24,335 5 5	...	* Separate account No. I ... ... 8 annas share of the estate	Gopi Sundari Debya, mother of Upendra Narayan Singha.	12,164 11 6	...	4,889 0 6
209	Dihi Hat Sira, pargana Katarmahal.	1,164 12 0	...	* Residuary share ... ... 4 annas share of Chow abari Chowki, Gariswar jote, Kishore Mazumdar Chak, *alias* Mohishabathan, Mirja Chak, Rainagore Palpa, Ramkrishna Chak Mudafat Rohimpur 12 as. share of Bashudebkole with Chak Gopalnagore Hatsira Chak, Shyampur Chak K. Mudafat Keshabpur, Syam Talukder Jote Mudafat Gangarampur, 8 as. share of Ghoshgram Chak with Chak Hari Roy and Ram Saran Ghose Mudafat Ghorgram 16 as. share of Ghorgram K. and Khirpara Chak. * All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Upendra Chandra Saha Choudhury and others.	611 0 0	...	45 5 2

Pabna Collectorate, the 25th February 1924.

R. GOSWAMI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Murshidabad, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
345	Kist pargana Mohanpur, pargana Mohanpur.	4,390 11 0	Yes ...	.....	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, jointly and equally with Asit Mohan Ghose Maulik, as sebait of Radha Gobinda Deb Thakur, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	...	391 7 8	...
361	Mauza Madhupur, pargana Kulberia.	...	No ...	8 annas ... ... All other shares than the t specified should be excluded from sale.	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	725 8 4	...	289 5 0
495	Mauza Haripur, pargana Kulberia.	520 0 0	Yes ...	.....	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, jointly and equally with Asit Mohan Ghose Maulik, as sebait of Sri Sri Iswar Joy Sib Durga, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	...	69 13 7	...

L. S. BINGEMANN, Collector.

Berhampore, the 22nd February 1924.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of sale.

(*See* Rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Howrah will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on Wednesday, the 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 (Bengali according to the era current in the district).

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
2043	Abandoned site of the Palpara quarantine hospital.	7·18 acres or 21 bighas 14 cottahs 9 chitaks 15 square feet.	Revenue-free	Upset price, more or less, Rs. 2,167-3. Boundaries— *North*—Benode Roy's khal. *East*—River Ganges. *South and West*—Zamindari bundh and mauza Palpara.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Howrah, the 23rd February 1924.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of sale.

(*See* Rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Howrah, will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on Wednesday, the 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 B.S. (Bengali according to the era current in the district).

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
1045	Thana Makua (মাকুয়া), pargana Boro	·06	13 0 0	Upset price, more or less, Rs. 200. *North*—Andul Road. *East*—Panchanantollah Road. *South and West*—Panchkori Ghose's land. Case No. $\frac{8}{228}$ of 1920.

Howrah, the 23rd February 1924.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

(*See* Rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Howrah will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on the 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 B.S. (Bengali, according to the era current in the district) :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
1000	Patihal, pargana Balia ...	·02	11 0	Upset price more or less Rs. 20-10. *North*—Behary Mondol's land. *East*—Patihal Road. *South*—Rakhal Samoory's land. *West*—Nakoo Sinha's land. Case No ½ of 1922-23.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Howrah, the 23rd February 1924.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua ...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situated in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Manikganj, on the 24th day of March 1924, corresponding with 11th Chaitra of 1330 (Bengali Era).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Subdivisional Officer at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cahcelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As.	
11656	Myadi mahal Jala Maharpur, pargana Shujabad Kutubpur.	·26	10 (rental).	

J. G. DRUMMOND, Collector.

Collector's office, Dacca, the 11th February 1924.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order *ex* the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 113 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and, if not cleared on or before the 24th April 1924, on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	Unidentified goods.		
	No mark	13	Pieces drill.
	Ditto	2	Pieces slate.
	Ditto	1	Phial jam.
	Ditto	4	Phials merchandise.
	Ditto	2	Pieces cycle brake parts.
	Ditto	2	Empty tin boxes.
	Ditto	1	Phial glycerine lime-juice.
	Ditto	6	Packets playing cards.
	Ditto	1	Phial quinine.
	Ditto	1	Bundle thread.
	Ditto	10	Packets cycle balls.
	Ditto	10	Pieces tools.
	Ditto	1	Door bolt containing two pieces.
	Nil	13½	Yards lamp wick.
	Nil	2	Padlocks with 4 keys.
	Nil	2	Woollen jerseys.
	Nil	...	A quantity of glass beads weighing about ½ lbs.
	Nil	4	Pieces glass bangles.
	Nil	2	Timepieces.
	Nil	1	Tin condensed milk.
	Nil	4	Pieces under-shirts.
	Nil	4	Cakes Monkey Brand soap.
	SHED No. 2.		
	SS. "Novara."		
2nd Feb. 1924...	$\frac{B\ B}{T\ I}$ in a diamond, 6610	1	Case merchandise.
1st „ „ ...	N D in a diamond, 1-16	16	Cases varnish.
	SHED No. 5.		
	SS. "Barenfels."		
11th Feb. 1924 ...	$\frac{1023}{4148}$ in a block, Belgeca on top, 11-20	10	Cases playing cards

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 5—*contd.*		
	SS. "Barenfels"—*contd.*		
11th Feb. 1924 ...	$=\frac{891}{4110}=$, 31-40	10	Cases playing cards.
12th „ „ ...	$\frac{D\ C}{Calcutta}$, 11633	1	Case merchandise.
12th „ „ ...	1088 in a triangle, E G on top, F below, 3903-4.	2	Cases tin boxes.
11th „ „ ...	$\frac{F\ R}{Calcutta}$, 115-7	3	Cases ironware.
13th „ „ ...	$\frac{O}{I\ A\ G}$ in a triangle, T C on sides, 549 ...	1	Case hats.
11th „ „ ...	$\frac{C}{6159}$ in a triangle, Y M on sides ...	1	Case copper wire.
13th „ „ ...	L J, $\frac{1164}{1942}$, ...	2	Cases merchandise
11th „ „ ...	A cross, N C M on top, N C on sides, B below, 3295.	1	Case essential oil.
11th „ „ ...	852 in a double triangle, A G on top, H S on sides, & Co below.	1	Case hair brush.
13th „ „ ...	006 in a block, E on top, A S on sides, 1.	1	Case ironware.
11th „ „ ...	2093R in a block, G G on top, C L below, 17-20.	4	Cases ironware.
11th „ „ ...	$\frac{0378}{5182}$ in a diamond, S M on top, A K below.	1	Case combs.
16th „ „ ...	$\frac{13711}{S\ S\ \&\ C}$, 01568, 01570-2 ...	4	Cases merchandise.
11th „ „ ...	U C B L R in a diamond, B I on top, B below.	1	Case iron nails.
11th „ „ ...	10 in a diamond, V B on top, 1-10 ...	10	Cases playing cards.
12th „ „ ...	=11=, 1-10	10	Ditto.
12th „ „ ...	=9=, 1-5	5	Ditto.
16th „ „ ...	V Red at each end	2	Pieces flat bars.
16th „ „ ...	I Red at each end	28	Ditto.
16th „ „ ...	III Red at each end	2	Ditto.
16th „ „ ...	$\frac{M\ A\ S}{D}$	2	Pieces plates.
16th „ „ ...	$\frac{—„—}{A}$	1	Piece plate.
16th „ „ ...	$\frac{—„—}{B}$	1	Ditto.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 5—*contd.*		
	SS. "Barenfels"—*concld.*		
16th Feb. 1924 ...	M A S C	2	Pieces plate.
16th „ „ ...	—„— E	1	Piece plate.
14th „ „ ...	Nil	9	Casks rosin.
16th „ „ ...	Nil	1	Bag rosin
	SS. "Malacca Maru."		
19th Feb. 1924 ...	B in a diamond	7	Crates glass bottles.
20th „ „ ...	C A M	2	Bundles merchandise
19th „ „ ...	D S in a diamond, 1-8	8	Cases porcelain.
19th „ „ ...	Rev. Henry L Smith, 5	1	Case merchandise.
19th „ „ ...	H C N R Y L, 4	1	Case Ford auto.
20th „ „ ...	Nil	10	Bundles iron rod.
19th „ „ ...	Messrs. Joseph David, 109B, Canning Street.	1	Case cotton towels.
19th „ „ ...	J S B Simla, 1	1	Case cigars.
19th „ „ ...	M B in a diamond, 1227-32	6	Cases merchandise.
19th „ „ ...	— — in a figure, M B K below	1	Cask sulphur.
19th „ „ ...	W K Norton	18	Cases P. effects.
19th „ „ ...	Nil	2	Bundles merchandise.
19th „ „ ...	Nil	1	Iron-safe.
19th „ „ ...	Nil	70	Pieces China cups.
19th „ „ ...	A C C Farhegang N W R Karachi, 1-7	7	Cases merchandise.
19th „ „ ...	$\frac{7}{1130}$ in a diamond, A K on top, & Co below, 19-25.	7	Cases cotton hosiery.
19th „ „ ...	$=\frac{6}{1148}=$, 5	1	Case cotton hosiery.
19th „ „ ...	$=\frac{5}{1150}=$, 5-6	2	Cases cotton hosiery
19th „ „ ...	$=\frac{6}{1152}=$, 8-10	3	Cases cotton hosiery.
19th „ „ ...	A in a diamond	1	Crate empty bottles.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 5—*concld.*		
	SS. "Malacca Maru"—*concld.*		
20th Feb. 1924 ...	S D A in a diamond, Lucknow below. 63-67.	5	Cases books.
19th „ „ ...	Saleh / P I R 3911 in a diamond, 2312-15 ...	4	Cases toys.
20th „ „ ...	S A S in a diamond, 1-39	39	Cases provisions.
19th „ „ ...	T A in a diamond, 351-400 ...	50	Cases glassware.
19th „ „ ...	T in a diamond, 13-15	3	Cases shell buttons.
20th „ „ ...	428 in a triangle, Satya Charn on sides, Paul below, 180-1.	2	Cases merchandise.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Alberto Treves."		
18th Feb. 1924 ...	8 in a diamond, G M on top, C T below, 1-3, 6-7.	5	Cases cotton goods.
18th „ „ ...	6 in a diamond, G M on top, T C below, 4-5, 8-10.	5	Ditto.
18th „ „ ...	T C S, 7915	1	Case stationery.
23rd „ „ ...	No mark	...	A quantity of loose sulphur weighing about 2 tons.
	DOCK SHED No. 29.		
	SS. "Homestead."		
9th Jan. 1924 ...	460 / 49 / E L	1	Drum.
	SS. "Durenda."		
14th Jan. 1924 ...	F B C / Calcutta / 371996	1	Case.
14th „ „ ...	2341 / Hu-Bot in a diamond, A D on top, Benares *via* Calcutta below.	1	Do.
	Unidentified goods of Docks.		
	Nil	...	A quantity loose iron bands (weighing about 2 cwts.).
	DOCK SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Lake Gilpin."		
14th Jan. 1924 ...	Nil	4	Pieces aluminium tea kettle.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	DOCK SHED No. 4.		
	SS. "Takada."		
18th Jan. 1924 ...	R & Co in a triangle, Calcutta below, 85-93.	9	Cases.
	DOCK SHED No. 27.		
	SS. "Gamaria."		
2nd Oct. 1923 ...	Abdul Rahim Osman ... ... Calcutta	2	Packages sugar samples.
2nd „ „ ...	W G & Co Calcutta	3	Ditto.
2nd „ „ ...	H J H J Jackaria Calcutta	1	Package sugar sample.
2nd „ „ ...	S C in a diamond, B D R on top, Serda & Co. below. ——o——	1	Ditto.
2nd „ „ ...	Bombay & Co ... ... ——o——	1	Ditto.
2nd „ „ ...	Hong-Kong Shanghai Banking Corporation. ——o——	2	Packages sugar samples.
2nd „ „ ...	Abdul Karim Hajee Abdul Satter	2	Packages sugar samples.
	DOCK SHED No. 29.		
	SS. "Aiglo."		
29th Dec. 1923...	P R R 2399	1	Case.
	DOCK SHED No. 24.		
	SS. "Chakrata."		
4th Oct. 1923 ...	S O Brown A R O ... ... Calcutta	1	Package sugar sample.
4th „ „ ...	Eastern Bank Ltd. ... ... ——o——	2	Packages sugar samples.
4th „ „ ...	The Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation. ——o——	1	Package sugar sample.
4th „ „ ...	National Bank of India ... ... ——o——	1	Ditto.
4th „ „ ...	R S K B S B O W G & Co. ... C ——o——	1	Ditto.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	DOCK SHED No. 24—*concld.*		
	SS. "Chakrata"—*concld.*		
4th Oct. 1923 ...	Abdul Rahim Osman & Co. ... —o—	1	Package sugar sample.
4th „ „ ...	L M B, F P C Calcutta	1	Ditto.
4th „ „ ...	Bombay Co. Ld. ... ... —o—	1	Ditto.
4th „ „ ...	S L W G & Co A ... ... —o—	1	Ditto
4th „ „ ...	S Z K Calcutta Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.	1	Ditto.
4th „ „ ...	T G A H P M Calcutta	1	Ditto.
4th „ „ ...	S B O Superior A R O ... ... —o—	1	Ditto.
4th „ „ ...	S L G R S W G & Co ... ... —o—	1	Ditto.
4th „ „ ...	G W G & Co B ... ... —o—	1	Ditto.
	Unidentified goods.		
	Nil	1	Piece brass.
	Nil	18	Pieces iron.
	Nil	2	Pieces copper.
	Nil	½ lb.	Iron bits.
	Nil	4½	Seers sugar

W. A. BURNS, Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 12th March 1924. (480-1

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Imperial Bank of India on the 29th February 1924.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS					4 PER CENT.		INDIAN WAR LOAN.		
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-47.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.
Balance of 15th February 1924	21,11,600	59,04,800	2,89,62,800	1,23,56,800	35,40,900	17,61,850	23,900	2,40,27,400	29,44,850	100	500
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.....	26,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 20th February 1924	14,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 29th February 1924 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,700	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	21,26,200	59,04,800	2,89,88,700	1,23,56,800	35,40,900	17,61,850	23,900	2,40,29,600	29,44,850	100	500
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	.....	62,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 29th February 1924 ...	21,26,200	59,04,800	2,89,25,800	1,23,56,800	35,40,900	17,61,850	23,900	2,40,29,600	29,44,850	100	500

Particulars.	SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN.			5 per cent. Loan, 1945-55.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1930.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1926.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1931.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1927.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1932.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1933.	Total.
	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1922.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1925.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1928.								
Balance of 15th February 1924 ...	4,100	49,600	2,31,575	4,85,400	23,24,000	51,02,000	66,32,300	25,57,800	45,39,100	100	10,35,60,675
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26,200
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 20th February 1924	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,600
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 29th February 1924 ...	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,400
Total ...	4,100	49,600	2,31,575	4,85,600	23,24,000	51,02,000	66,32,300	25,57,800	45,39,100	100	10,36,03,875
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	6,000	35,700	2,300	.....	.....	97,800
Balance on 29th February 1924 ...	4,100	49,600	2,31,575	4,85,600	23,23,000	50,96,000	65,96,600	25,55,100	45,39,100	100	10,35,06,075

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st December 1923—Enfaced from India 13,181 lacs re-transferred from London 13,479 lacs.
" 1st January 1924 to 15th January 1924 " " " 1 lac " " " 9 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " 3 lacs " " " 14 "
" 1st February " to 15th February " " " " ... " " " 8 "
" 16th " " to 29th " " " " " ... " " " 1 lac.

13,185 lacs. 13,500 lacs.

F. E. DALTON,
Superintendent (offg.).

D. S. MCCLURE,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA,
Calcutta, the 5th March 1924.

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 29th February 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	22,67,51,000	0	0
Other Deposits	70,96,16,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act, against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	12,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	85,66,000	0	0
	1,16,56,83,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,42,29,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,22,42,000	0	0
Loans	24,91,56,000	0	0
Cash credits	43,00,89,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	17,04,85,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	37,78,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,48,92,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries	51,68,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	1,55,88,000	0	0
	1,01,56,27,000	0	0
Cash	15,00,56,000	0	0
	1,16,56,83,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London ... ... £ 1,446,800

Advances in London ... ... £ 460,400

Cash and balances at other Banks in London ... £ 1,039,400

Percentage 14·09.

Bank Rate 9 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M. MURRAY (offg.),
Managing Governors.

(474—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 46 OF 1924.

Re Haji Saleh Mahomed Omar Javery, a mercantile firm, lately carrying on business at No. 3, Raj Mohan Street, in the town of Calcutta, and elsewhere.

Ex parte the creditor.

ON the 25th day of February 1924, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed firm as insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 4th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 55 OF 1924.

Re Albert Francis Serrao, residing at No. 34, Prinsep Street, in the town of Calcutta, working as an import clerk under Messrs. Stuart & Co., Limited, in Calcutta aforesaid, *ex parte* the debtor.

Bonnerjee & Bonnerjee, debtor's solicitors.

ON the 28th day of February 1924, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 3rd day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 56 OF 1924.

Re Mahomed Zackariah, residing at No. 61, Wellesley Street, in the town of Calcutta, of no occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

A. N. Mukherjee, debtor's solicitor.

ON the 1st day of March 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 5th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 57 OF 1924.

Re Bhajan Lall Jainee, residing at No. 15, Panchu Dhobi Guley, in the town of Calcutta formerly a goala and at present without occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

S. C. Palit, debtor's solicitor.

ON the 1st day of March 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 4th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 58 of 1924.

Re Channu Khatick, until lately carrying on business as dealer in lemons in co-partnership with one Ghamondi of No. 49, Strand Road, in the town of Calcutta, under the Aratdari system, in the Calcutta market lately and at present residing at No. 29, Fulbagan Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, and working for personal gain in Calcutta as fruit and vegetable vendor *ex parte* the debtor.

S. K. Dutt, debtor's solicitor.

ON the 3rd day of March 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the above-named as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 6th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that one Kali Kumar Dhupi, son of late Hara Chandra Dhupi, of Kashipur, police-station Kotwali, has applied to this Court to be adjudicated as an insolvent and that the 20th March 1924 has been fixed for hearing the petition and for examination of the petitioner.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Dated Barisal, 1st March 1924. (455—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 10 OF 1924.

Khaleque Box, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given to the persons interested in the Wakf estate of Wahed Box of Husnidalan, Dacca, that Mutwalli Khaleque Box has applied for permission to give permanent lease of plots Nos. 4 and 5 of sheet No 33 in Ward No. 4 of Dacca town and they are to submit objection if any to the permission by the 26th March 1924 before this Court.

S. N. GUHA, *for* District Judge.

Dacca, the 4th March 1924. (475—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 37 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Bejoy Kristo Ray, son of late Prio Nath Ray, of 10, Acharjeeparah Lane, Khurut, thana Sibpore, district Hooghly, was, on the 15th February 1924, adjudged an insolvent. The 25th March 1924 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

G. B. MUMFORD, Additional District Judge.

Howrah, the 28th February 1924. (447—1—356)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Idris Ali Naskar, son of late Chadair Naskar, of Podra, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 22 of 1924 and that the 17th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, Additional District Judge.

Howrah, the 26th February 1924. (448—1—355)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Baroda Prosad Dutta, son of late Chandra Kumar Dutta, of Khetor Bisalakhitola, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 20 of 1924 and that the 15th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 28th February 1924. (449—1—354)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Shaik Muhammad Ahammad, son of Abdul Ahid, of Balaldighi, thana Pandua, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 9 of 1924, and that the 15th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

N. K. BOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 26th February 1924.

(416—1—353)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Narendra Nath Auddya, son of late Umacharan Auddya, of Kamarparabazar, Chinsura, thana Chinsura, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 38 of 1923 and that the 15th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th August 1923. (1510—1—363)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Hirendra Nath Auddya, son of late Uma Charan Auddya, of Kamarparabazar, Chinsura, thana Chinsura, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 39 of 1923 and that the 15th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th August 1923. (1511—1—364)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 37 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 31 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 24th July 1923, filed by Haribola Garai, son of late Kailash Chandra Garai, of Mommpur, police-station Chuadanga, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. He is directed to apply for discharge within a year.

Dated this 10th day of December 1923.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

(456—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 33 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th August 1923, filed by Ram Krishna Biswas, son of late Jogeswar Biswas, of Shibpur, thana Nakashipara, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The insolvent is directed to apply for discharge within one year from this date.

Dated this 25th day of February 1924.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

(468—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 34 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th August 1923, filed by Boloram Biswas, son of late Joggeswar Biswas, of Shibpur, thana Nakashipara, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The insolvent is directed to apply for discharge within a year from this date.

Dated this 25th day of February 1924.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

(469—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 35 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th August 1923, filed by Khepachand Biswas, son of late Joggeswar Biswas, of Shibpur, thana Nakashipara, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The insolvent is directed to apply for discharge within one year from this date.

Dated this 25th day of February 1924.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

(470—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 36 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th August 1923, filed by Jashoda Kumar Biswas, son of late Joggeswar Biswas, of Shibpur, thana Nakashipara, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The insolvent is directed to apply for discharge within one year from this date.

Dated this 25th day of February 1924.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

(471—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 37 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th August 1923, filed by Rishipada Biswas, son of late Joggeswar Biswas, of Shibpur, thana Nakashipara, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The insolvent is directed to apply for discharge within a year from this date.

Dated this 25th day of February 1924.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

(472—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 38 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th August 1923, filed by Kali Charan Biswas, son of late Bhuban Chandra Biswas, of Shibpur, thana Nakashipara, district Nadia and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The insolvent is directed to apply for discharge within one year from this date.

Dated this 25th day of February 1924.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

(473—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 18 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 16th April 1923, filed by Chikan Chandra Das Mondal, son of Haridas Mondal, of Matiari, thana Kaliganj, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The insolvent is directed to apply for discharge within one year from this date.

Dated this 25th day of February 1924.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

(476—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Abedali Khalifa, son of late Andi Khalifa, of Sultanganjpara, police-station and district Bogra, has applied to this Court by a petition dated the 14th January 1924 to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 15th March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

H. P. MAJUMDAR, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 1st March 1924. (450—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Nasir Pramanik, son of late Hafez Pramanik, of Bahadurpur, police-station Pabna, and district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 30th January 1924, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

H. P. MAJUMDAR, Sub-Judge in charge.

Pabna, the 1st March 1924. (451—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Tasir *alias* Jata Pramanik, son of late Hafez Pramanik, of Bahadurpur, police-station Pabna, and district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 1st February 1924, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

H. P. MAJUMDAR, Sub-Judge in charge.

Pabna, the 1st March 1924. (452—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 13 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Jhapar Khan, son of late Taki Khan, of Kalapara, Goalbhag, police-station Dhunat, and district Bogra, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 15th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 18th March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

H. P. MAJUMDAR, Sub-Judge in charge.

Pabna, the 1st March 1924. (453—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mohamad Mondal, of Mohadipur, police-station Charghat, district Rajshahi, has applied to this Court under Act V of 1920 to be adjudicated an insolvent and 18th March 1924 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 28th February 1924. (454—1—357)

In the Court of the District Judge of Tippera.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1923.

Wajaddi, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that Wajaddi, son of deceased Patta Gaji, of village Najar Doulat, pargana Bardakhat, district Tippera, was, on the 29th day of February 1924, adjudicated an insolvent by this Court under section 27 (*1*) of Act V of 1920. He is directed to apply for his discharge in six months.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Tippera, the 4th March 1924. (462—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Tippera.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Bharat Chandra Saha, son of late Pokan Chandra Saha, of Majhiara, pargana Bardakhat, police-station Rasullabad, district Tippera, was, on the 28th day of February 1924, adjudicated an insolvent by this Court under section 27 (*1*) of Act V of 1920. He is directed to apply for his discharge at the end of six months.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Comilla, the 29th February 1924. (463—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 223 OF 1923.

Ram Saran Shaha, of Metebruz, thana Metebruz, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Ram Khelaon Shaha, of Kalibazar, Kiddorpur, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 7th January 1924. (64—1—359)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 234 OF 1923.

Sarup Gazi, of I part Kalikatala, thana Matla, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Kafiladdi Molla, of Simuldai, thana Haroa, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 7th January 1924. (65—1—360)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1924.

Bipin Behari Chowdhury, of 23-1, Russa Road, North, Bhowanipur, applicant.

To Anukul Chatterjee and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of February 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 24th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

G. N. ROY, District Judge.

Alipore, the 26th February 1924. (385—1—358)

Wanted.

TWO probationers, one for the District Judge's office, Berhampore, and the other for the 2nd Munsif's Court, Berhampore, on Rs. 35 a month. Applications will be received up to the 24th March 1924 only from those whose names are on the list of surplus officers issued by Government. Preference will be given to those who know type-writing.

B. MUKHERJI, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 4th March 1924.

Bengal Public Health Department.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS, in duplicate, in sealed covers are invited for the weekly supply of cattle-food, including chaff, bran, mustard cake, during the nine months from the 1st April to 31st December 1924. They will be received by the Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Health, Bengal, at his office in Writers' Buildings up to the 15th March 1924. Prior to delivering their tenders, intending contractors must deposit with the Superintendent of the Bengal Vaccine Depôt at Intally two sealed samples of each of the articles proposed to be supplied under the contract.

2. Forms and conditions of tender are obtainable free on application to the undersigned. Tenders must abide by the prescribed conditions.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, M.B., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H.,
Director of Public Health, Bengal.

NOTICE.

Imperial Bank of India.

THE Members of the Local Board have made the following changes in the Bank's Establishment :—

Mr. F. MacGillivray to be Officer-in-charge, Mussoorie Branch, as from 13th February 1924, *vice* Mr. G. H. Jackson, transferred.

Mr. J. D. Denning to act as Agent, Benares Branch, as from 22nd February 1924, *vice* Mr. J. A. Nash, transferred.

Mr. G. H. Jackson to act as Agent, Nagpore Branch, as from 24th February 1924, *vice* Mr. F. R. Powell, transferred.

Mr. H. J. Fitzpatrick to act as Agent, Clive Street Branch, as from 27th February 1924, *vice* Mr. K. G. J. Headington, transferred.

By order,

D. S. MCCLURE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 1st March 1924. (461—1)

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924.

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Road Cess Notification.

THE District Board of Khulna, at a special meeting held on the 28th February 1924, resolved to levy Road Cess during the year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of 6 pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, &c.

A. L. RAHA, Chairman, District Board.

Khulna, the 1st March 1924. (460—1)

Road Cess notification.

THE District Board of Jessore at a special meeting held on the 29th February 1924 resolved to levy road cess in the district at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of land during the ensuing financial year 1924-25.

B. K. MITRA, Chairman, District Board.

Jessore, the 7th March 1924. (477—1)

Road Cess Notification.

THE District Board of Rangpur at a special meeting held on the 25th February 1924 resolved to levy road cess in the district at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of land during the ensuing financial year 1924-25.

S. C. CHATTERJEE, Chairman,

Rangpur, the 25th February 1924. (384—2)

Road Cess Notification.

THE District Board of 24-Parganas, at a special meeting held on the 16th February 1924, declared, under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885, that the road cess should be levied during the year 1924-25 at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of all lands, etc.

S. BASU, Chairman, District Board.

Alipore, dated the 22nd February 1924.

(352—3)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty interest, warehouse rent, and all charges be not paid within 10 days from the date of this notice on 4 packages of

B. L. & Co.

Brandy marked Calcutta *ex.* SS. "Dupliex" out of Nos. 874-938

from Marseilles *via* Colombo, bonded by Messrs. Bissonath Law & Co. in their private Warehouse No. 1, Hastings Street, the goods will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the section 119 of the Sea Customs Act.

W. W. NIND, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 23rd February 1924. (375—2)

TEACHERS' TRAINING COLLEGE, DACCA.

STUDENTS are admitted from all parts of Bengal to non-stipendiary vacancies, but application should be made *early*, as the number of applicants greatly exceeds the available accommodation. Students from other provinces are admitted by arrangement with their Department of Education.

No Tuition fee ; total cost of everything (text books, library deposit, examination fee) Rs. 60—70 for the whole course. Hostel (inclusive charge, except tiffin) charge, Rs. 14 per month. Residence in the hostel is optional.

The B. T. is a one year course, commencing on July 1st. ending on April 15th. It comprises the Psychology of Learning, Methods of Teaching, Educational Measurement, Hygiene ; also instruction in subjects selected from the following :—Geography, English (including English pronunciation and colloquial idiom), Bengali Literature, Mathematics, etc.

The L. T. is a course for Intermediate pass men ; the subjects (except Educational Measurement) are the same,

The M. T. is a two years Research course. Further residence in Dacca is not compulsory for the M. T. in case of B. T.'s of Dacca University.

Selections for admission to all courses are made on March 31st. Form of application may be had from the Principal or from any Divisional Inspector of Schools.

There are vacancies for twenty-five non-stipendiary outside candidates.

One vacancy in Government service will be filled from non-stipendiary outside candidates who obtain a First-Class B. T. in 1924-25.

M. WEST, Principal.

Dacca, the 10th January 1924.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engineers and Engine Drivers of Inland Steam and Motor Vessels, under Act I of 1917, will be held at Goalundo, on Tuesday, the 29th April 1924.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Subdivisional Office, Goalundo, not later than five days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

E. C. WITHERS, COMDR., R.I.M., Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 8th March 1924. (479—1)

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engineers and Engine Drivers of Inland Steam and Motor Vessels under Act I of 1917 will be held at Chittagong, on Mondays, the 7th April, 19th May and 9th June 1924.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Port Office, Chittagong, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

E. C. WITHERS, Commr., R. I. M.,

Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 8th March 1924. (478—1)

Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 009426 of the 6 per cent. loan of 1930 for Rs. 700, originally standing in the name of Drona Kumar Tagore, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been destroyed, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—Drona Kumar Tagore.

Residence—26-1, Prosonno Kumar Tagore Street, Calcutta.

(361—3—324)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 7757, dated 17th December 1923, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
251813	3½ per cent, 1865	100	Mrityunjoy Sen.

Name of the Proprietor—Mrityunjoy Sen.

Residence—9-1A, Roy Bagan Street, Calcutta.

(414—1—321)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. G007011 of the 6 per cent. loan of 1930 for Rs. 1,000, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal, and last endorsed to Bejoy Kumar Bhattacharjee, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—Bejoy Kumar Bhattacharjee.

Residence—3, Bhowani Dutt Lane, Calcutta.

(342—3—319)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the India Leather Manufacturing Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an order made herein, and dated the 30th day of January last, the reduction of capital of the abovenamed Company resolved on and effected by the special resolution of the Company passed and confirmed at extraordinary general meetings held for that purpose was thereby confirmed and a minute showing the effect of the said reduction was approved in the following form, viz. :—

The capital of the India Leather Manufacturing Company, Limited (and reduced) henceforth is Rs. 6,00 000 divided into 20,000 shares of Rs. 10 and Rs. 80,000 ordinary shares of Rs. 5 each instead of the original capital of Rs. 10,00,000 divided into 1,00,000 shares of Rs. 10 each. At the time of the registration of this minute the sum of Rs. 5 has been and is deemed to be paid up on each of the 80,000 issued ordinary shares.

Notice is further given that on the 29th day of February 1924 an office copy of the said order containing a copy of the said minute was filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, Bengal.

Dated this 29th day of February 1924.

ORR, DIGNAM & Co., Solicitors to the Company.

(413—1—320)

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Presidency Jute Mills Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition presented to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction on the 29th day of February 1924 for confirming the reduction of capital of the abovenamed Company from Rs. 50,00,000 to Rs. 25,00,000 is directed to be heard before the Senior Judge sitting in Chambers on the 11th day of April 1924. Any creditor or shareholder of the Company desiring to oppose the making of an order for the reduction of capital of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Attorney or Counsel for that purpose. A copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or shareholder of the Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the related charges for the same.

Dated this 29th day of February 1924.

LESLIE & HINDS,
Solicitors for the abovenamed Company.

Lindlie Chambers, 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta.

(417—1—365)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Amritsar Woollen Mills, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 209 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at the office of the Company, Albert Road, Civil Lines, Amritsar, on Friday, the 22nd day of March 1924, at 3 P.M.

W. ROBERTSON TAYLOR, Liquidator.

Albert Road, Civil Lines, Amritsar, the 3rd March 1924.

(465—1—362)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Amritsar Woollen Mills, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the abovenamed Company duly convened and held at Amritsar, on the 1st day of March 1924, the resolution mentioned below which was passed as an extraordinary resolution on February 16th, 1924, was confirmed as a special resolution :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. W. Roberson Taylor be appointed liquidator thereof for the purposes of such winding up."

W. ROBERSON TAYLOR, Liquidator.

Albert Road, Civil Lines, Amritsar, the 3rd March 1924.

(464—1- 361)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Edwards Steamship Co., Ltd. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed company, which is being wound up voluntarily, are required on or before the 17th day of March 1924, being the day for that purpose fixed by the undersigned, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to the undersigned, the liquidator of the said Company, at D1, Clive Buildings, Calcutta, and if so required by notice in writing from me, are by their solicitors to come in and prove their said debts and claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

LIONEL EDWARDS, liquidator.

Calcutta, this 8th day of March 1924. (481—1)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Howeson Bros, Ltd. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed Company, which is being wound up voluntarily, are required on or before the 17th March 1924 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names of their Solicitors (if any) to the undersigned, the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the Liquidator or by his Solicitor or personally to come in and prove the said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will not be admitted.

G. S. HYAMS, Liquidator.

32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 27th January 1924.

(400—1—322)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Howeson Bros., Ltd. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 209 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at 32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Monday, the 24th day of March 1924, at noon.

G. S. HYAMS, Liquidator.

32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 27th January 1924.

(401—1—323)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Burragarh Coal Company, Limited (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 216 (2) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a general meeting of the members of the abovenamed Company will be held at No. 8, Clive Row, Calcutta, on Wednesday, 26th March 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, to receive the Liquidator's Report and Accounts made up to 31st January 1924, showing the manner in which the winding up is being conducted, and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.

T. H. WHEELER, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 23rd February 1924. (420—1—352)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Lucky Motor Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Lucky Motor Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register and the company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 28th February 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of National Textiles, Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of National Textiles, Ltd., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 28th February 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and

In the matter of Koradi Coal Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Koradi Coal Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 28th February 1924.

Descriptive Catalogue of Sanskrit Manuscripts.

PARTS I, II, and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College, are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

Publication of Advertisements in the Bengal Quarterly Civil List.

THE Government of Bengal are prepared to consider applications for the insertion of advertisements in the quarterly issue of the Bengal Civil List which is published early in January, April, July and October of each year. Twenty pages of the publication, which is octavo n size, are available at the following rates :—

		Per annum. Four issues.	Single issue.
		Rs.	Rs.
Full page in print	...	100	30
Half page	...	60	20
Quarter page	...	40	15
One eighth page	...	25	10

No advertisement extending over less than one-eighth of a page will be accepted, and payment must be made before the date of publication.

Applications for insertion of advertisements in the next issue must reach the undersigned not later than the 15th March 1924, and must in all cases be accompanied by a copy of the advertisement which it is proposed to insert.

UNDER-SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, POLITICAL AND APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENTS, WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA.

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :—

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs. 25.

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*" which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post.

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ¼ lb. 4 annas, ½ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs. Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Rs. 2.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

Government reserve the right to alter the price without notice.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Saturday.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 1924.

PART VI.

Bills introduced in the Council of State and Legislative Assembly, Reports of Select Committees presented to the Council and Assembly and Bills published under Rule 18 of the Indian Legislative Rules.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Legislative Assembly on the 1st February 1924 :—

No. 3 OF 1924.

A Bill further to amend the Indian Income-tax Act, 1922, for certain purposes.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Indian Income-tax Act, 1922, for certain purposes hereinafter appearing ; It is hereby enacted as follows :— XI of 1922.

Short title and commencement

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Income-tax (Amendment) Act, 1924.

(*2*) Sections 3, 4, 5 and 9 shall not come into force until the first day of April 1924.

Amendment of section 3, Act XI of 1922

2. In section 3 of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1922 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the words " individual, company, firm and Hindu undivided family " the words " individual, Hindu undivided family, company, firm and other association of individuals " shall be substituted. XI of 1922.

Amendment of section 4, Act XI of 1922.

3. In clause (*iv*) of sub-section (*3*) of section 4 of the said Act, the words " or any Provident Insurance Society to which the Provident Insurance Societies Act, 1912, is, or, but for an exemption under that Act, would be, applicable " shall be omitted. V of 1912.

Amendment of section 15, Act XI of 1922

4. In sub-section (*1*) of section 15 of the said Act, the words " or to any Provident Fund which complies with the provisions of the Provident Insurance Societies Act, 1912, or has been exempted from the provisions of that Act " shall be omitted. V of 1912.

Amendment of section 25, Act XI of 1922.

5. In section 25 of the said Act—

(*a*) In sub-section (*1*) for the words and figures "commenced after the 31st day of March 1922," the words and figures "on which income tax was not at any time charged under the provisions of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918" shall be substituted ; and VII of 1918.

(*b*) in sub-section (*3*) the words "which was in existence at the commencement of this Act, and" shall be omitted.

Amendment of section 55 Act XI of 1922.

6. In section 55 of the said Act, for the words "individual, unregistered firm, Hindu undivided family or company" the words "individual, Hindu undivided family, company, unregistered firm or other association of individuals, not being a registered firm," shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 56, Act XI of 1922.

7. In section 56 of the said Act, for the words "individual unregistered firm, Hindu undivided family or company" the words "individual, Hindu undivided family, company, unregistered firm or other association of individuals" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 63, Act XI of 1922.

8. In sub-section (*2*) of section 63 of the said Act, after the words "in the case of a firm or" the words "other association of individuals not being a company or in the case of," and after the word "firm" the words "or association" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 66, Act XI of 1922.

9. In sub-section (*3*) of section 66 of the said Act, after the words "the assessee may" the words ". within one month from the date of the refusal" shall be inserted.

Retrospective effect.

10. The amendments made in the said Act by sections 2, 6 and 7 shall have effect as if they had been made on the first day of April 1923, and income-tax and super-tax shall be deemed to have been chargeable for the year commencing on the date in respect of the income, profits and gains and of the total income, respectively, of the previous year of every association of individuals, not being a company or a registered firm, at the rate or rates applicable for that year to the total income of an individual.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The Income-tax Act, 1922, does not provide for the assessment of the income profits or gains of an Association or Club which is neither a Company nor a firm nor a Hindu undivided family. This is an omission as it was always intended to tax Associations or Clubs. Clauses 2, 6, 7 and 8 of the Bill give effect to this intention, while clause 10 validates assessments made during the current year.

2. The Provident Insurance Societies Act, 1912, was never intended to apply to the Provident Funds of private companies and firms, but in certain provinces such Funds have been exempted from the provisions of that Act, with the result that they enjoy the concession given by sections 4 (*3*) (*iv*) and 15 (*1*) of the Income-tax Act, 1922. As it was never intended to grant this concession to private Provident Funds, it is proposed to omit all references to Provident Insurance Societies from sections 4 (*3*) (*iv*) and 15 (*1*) of the Act.

3. There is no provision in the Act for the assessment of a business, profession or vocation which was in existence at the commencement of the Act but on which no tax was charged at any time under the provisions of the Income-tax Act, 1918 (VII of 1918). Clause 5 of the Bill rectifies this omission.

4. At present there is no period within which an assessee should apply to the High Court for the issue of a *mandamus* under section 66 (*3*) of the Act, with the result that applications are occasionally made several months after the Commissioner has refused to state the case to the High Court. Clause 9 of the Bill prescribes a period within which such applications should be made.

DELHI,
The 18th January 1924.

BASIL P. BLACKETT.

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Legislative Assembly on the 6th February 1924 :—

No. 5 OF 1924.

A Bill further to amend the Indian Tariff Act, 1894, for certain purposes.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Indian Tariff Act, 1894, for certain purposes hereinafter appearing; It is hereby enacted as follows :— VIII of 1894.

Short title and commencement.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, 192 .

(*2*) It shall come into force on the 1st day of April, 1924.

Amendment of preamble to Act VIII of 1894.

2. In the preamble to the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the words "crossing the frontier of certain Foreign European Settlements in India and of the territories of certain Native Chiefs" the words "imported into or exported from British India by land" shall be substituted. VIII of 1894.

Substitution of new section for section 5, Act VIII of 1894.

3. For section 5 of the said Act the following section shall be substituted, namely :—

Duties on imports and exports by land.

"5. Where a duty of customs of any rate prescribed by or under this Act or any other law for the time being in force is leviable on any article when imported into, or any article when exported from, a port in British India, the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, direct that a duty of customs at the like rate shall be leviable on any such article when imported or exported, as the case may be, by land from or to any territory outside British India, which he may, by a like notification, declare to be foreign territory for the purposes of this section."

Amendment of section 8, Act VIII of 1894.

4. In section 8 of the said Act, the words, figure and brackets "sub-section (*1*), clause (*b*)," shall be omitted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

It has come to notice that matches, cigarettes, etc., on which import duties are leviable when imported by sea are being brought into India in considerable quantities over certain land frontiers. The Government of India have not at present power to levy duties on articles following these land routes as the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894) only authorises the levy of duty on goods crossing the frontier of certain Foreign European Settlements in India and of such territory of any Indian Chief as is declared to be foreign territory for the purposes of section 5 of that Act. The object of this Bill is to revise this Act to enable the Government of India to levy customs duties on any articles imported or exported, as the case may be, by land from or to any territory outside British India which is declared to be foreign territory for the purposes of the Act.

DELHI ;
The 17th January 1924.

C. A. INNES.

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Legislative Assembly on the 6th February 1924 :—

No. 7 OF 1924.

A Bill to provide for the constitution of a Central Board of Revenue and to amend certain enactments for the purpose of conferring powers and imposing duties on the said Board.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the constitution of a Central Board of Revenue and to amend certain enactments for the purpose of conferring powers and imposing duties on the said Board ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title and commencement

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Central Board of Revenue Act, 1924.

(*2*) It shall come into force on the first day of April, 1924.

Constitution of Central Board of Revenue

2. As soon as may be after the commencement of this Act, the Governor General in Council shall constitute a Central Board of Revenue, consisting of one or more persons appointed by him, which shall be subject to the control of the Governor General in Council in the exercise of such powers and the performance of such duties as may be entrusted to it by the Governor General in Council or by or under any law.

Procedure of the Board.

3. The Governor General in Council may make rules for the purpose of regulating the transaction of business by the Central Board of Revenue, and every order made or act done in accordance with such rules shall be deemed to be the order or act, as the case may be, of the Central Board of Revenue.

Amendments of enactments

4. The enactments specified in the Schedule are hereby amended to the extent and in the manner mentioned in the fourth column thereof :

Provided that, where the power to make any appointment, or issue any notification, order, scheme or rule, or prescribe any form, is transferred by the operation of this Act from any authority to the Central Board of Revenue or any other authority, any such appointment, notification, order, scheme, rule, or form made, issued or prescribed by the first-mentioned authority before the commencement of this Act shall continue in force and be deemed to have been made, issued or prescribed by the Central Board of Revenue or such other authority, as the case may be, unless and until it is superseded by an appointment, notification, order, scheme, rule, or form made, issued or prescribed by the said Board or authority.

THE SCHEDULE.

ENACTMENTS AMENDED.

(See section 4.)

Year.	No.	Short title.	Amendments.
1878	VIII	The Sea Customs Act, 1878.	1. In section 3— (*1*) for clause (*a*) the following clause shall be substituted, namely :— "(*a*) 'Chief customs-authority' means the Central Board of Revenue constituted under the Central Board of Revenue Act, 1924, and includes, in relation to any power or duty which the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, transfer from the Central Board of Revenue to a Local Government, the Local Government or such officer as the Local Government may appoint in that behalf" ; and (*2*) after clause (*j*) the following clause shall be inserted, namely :— "(*k*) 'Official Gazette' means in relation to a notification issued by a Local Government, the local official Gazette and, in relation to a notification issued by the Central Board of Revenue, the Gazette of India." 2. For section 6 the following section shall be substituted, namely :— Appointment of Customs-officers. "6. The Governor General in Council may appoint such persons as he thinks fit to be officers of Customs, and to exercise the powers conferred, and perform the duties imposed, by this Act on such officers." 3. For section 7 the following section shall be substituted, namely :— Delegation of powers under section 6. "7. The Governor General in Council may delegate to any Local Government or to the Chief Customs authority any power conferred upon him by section 6, and the Local Government or the Chief Customs-authority may delegate to any officer of Customs any power so delegated to it." 4. In sections 11, 12 and 14, for the words "The Local Government or, if so authorised by the Local Government, the Chief Customs-authority" the words "The Chief Customs-authority" shall be substituted, and, in section 11, the words "within the territories administered by it" shall be omitted.

Year.	No.	Short title.	Amendments.
1878	VIII	The Sea Customs Act, 1878—*contd.*	5. In section 23, for the words "The Local Government" the words "The Chief Customs-authority" shall be substituted.
			6. In sections 53, 74, 76, 79, 85, 96, 116, 128, 133 and 147, the word "local", wherever it occurs in the expression "local official Gazette", shall be omitted.
			7. In section 88, for the words "the Local Government may from time to time direct" the words "the Chief Customs-authority may, with the concurrence of the Local Government, direct" shall be substituted.
			8. In section 128, for the words "the Local Government" the words "the Chief Customs-authority" shall be substituted.
			9. In section 133, for the words "the Local Government, subject to the control of the Governor General in Council," the words "the Chief Customs authority" shall be substituted.
			10. In section 155, after the words "the Local Government may" the words "with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council" shall be inserted, and for the words "by its own officers" the words "by officers of Government" shall be substituted.
			11. In section 157, for the words "The Local Government", the words "The Chief Customs-authority" shall be substituted.
			12. In section 188, for the words "the Local Government," in both places where they occur, the words "the Governor General in Council" shall be substituted.
			13. In section 191, for the words "The Local Government" the words "The Governor General in Council" shall be substituted.
			14. After section 204 the following section shall be inserted, namely :—
Publication of notifications in local official Gazette.			"205. Any notification published in the Gazette of India by the Chief Customs-authority under section 53, section 74, section 76, section 79, section 85, section 96, section 116, section 128, section 133 or section 147 shall forthwith be re-published in the local official Gazette of each province to which it relates."

Year.	No.	Short title.	Amendments.
1896	II	The Cotton Duties Act, 1896.	1. For clause (*g*) of section 3 the following clause shall be substituted, namely :— "(*g*) 'Chief Customs Authority' means the Central Board of Revenue constituted under the Central Board of Revenue Act, 1924, and includes, in relation to any power or duty which the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, transfer from the Central Board of Revenue to a Local Government, the Local Government or such officer as the Local Government may appoint in that behalf." 2. In sub-clauses (*b*) and (*c*) of clause (*3*) of section 3 and in section 4, for the words "the Local Government" the words "the Chief Customs Authority" shall be substituted. 3. In section 33, for the words "The Local Government" the words "The Governor General in Council, or, if so empowered by the Governor General in Council, the Local Government" shall be substituted.
1908	X	The Indian Salt-duties Act, 1908.	In section 2, for the words "the Local Government" the words and figures "if so empowered by the Governor General in Council, the Local Government or the Central Board of Revenue constituted under the Central Board of Revenue Act, 1924" shall be substituted.
1914	III	The Indian Copyright Act, 1914.	In sub-section (*2*) of section 6, for the words "the Local Government" the words "the Chief Customs-authority" shall be substituted.
1922	XI	The Indian Income-tax Act, 1922.	1. After clause (*4*) of section 2 the following clause shall be inserted, namely :— "(4A) 'the Central Board of Revenue' means the Central Board of Revenue constituted under the Central Board of Revenue Act, 1924." 2. In section 5— (*i*) in clause (*a*) of sub-section (*1*), for the words "a Board of Inland Revenue" the words "the Central Board of Revenue" shall be substituted ; and (*ii*) sub-section (*2*) shall be omitted. 3. In clauses (*6*) and (*11*) of section 2, in sub-section (*5*) of section 5, in sub-section (*6*) of section 18, in sub-section (*5*) of section 46, in sub-section (*1*) of section 59, and in sub-section (*3*) of section 64, for the words "the Board of Inland Revenue" the words "the Central Board of Revenue" shall be substituted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The Indian Retrenchment Committee, 1922-23, in paragraph 19 of Part IV of their Report recommended that, in order to free the Government of India Secretariat proper from the functions of detailed administrative control exercised by it in the past, the scope of the present Board of Inland Revenue should be enlarged to include Customs Salt, Opium and also Excise and Stamps, so far as the Central Government was concerned with these subjects.

The Government, with the approval of the Secretary of State, have decided to adopt this recommendation, and to constitute a Central Board of Revenue in which the Board of Inland Revenue created by the Indian Income-tax Act, 1922, will be merged.

The present Bill is designed to provide for the constitution of such a Board on a statutory basis, to transfer to it the functions of the Board of Inland Revenue under the Income-tax Act, and also to appoint it as the Chief Customs-authority under the Sea Customs Act, 1878. The Bill further provides for the transfer to the Central Board of Revenue of most of the powers and duties assigned by the Sea Customs Act to Local Governments. This centralization of the administration of the Customs Department is a natural consequence of the clearer delimitation under the Reforms Scheme of the respective spheres of the Central and Provincial Governments, and this concentration of authority in the hands of an administrative body in close touch with the Departments of the Government of India will render it possible to give the desired relief to the Secretariat.

The Bill reserves to the Governor General in Council power to transfer to Local Governments any of the functions of the new Chief Customs-authority, and this power will be exercised in regard to certain minor Customs Ports, and to the administration of the Cotton Duties Act, 1896, except where the working of that Act is in the hands of Customs-officers

Amendments of minor importance consequential upon the centralization of the Customs Department are also proposed to be made in two other Acts by the present Bill.

BASIL P. BLACKETT.

The 23rd January, 1924.

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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APPENDIX.

Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

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Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The 1st March 1924.

INDIA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—GULF OF MANAR.

Tuticorin, Devil Point Passage—Silted up.

No. 57 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 143 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Devil point, lat. 8° 46′ N., long. 78° 11′ E. (*approx.*).

Caution.—Devils point passage, which formed the southern channel into Tuticorin harbour, has completely silted up.

Note.—The depths throughout the centre of this channel are to be expunged from the charts and the note "*Completely silted up (1923)*" is to be substituted.

Chart affected.—No. 67, Tuticorin roadstead and harbour.

Publication.—W. C. India Pilot, 1919, pages 116, 117.

Authority.—Commander-in-Chief, East Indies Station. (*H. 325-24.*)

CHINA SEA—GULF OF SIAM.

Pulo Dama—Existence of Rock.

No. 58 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 144 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—In the passage between Hon Nam Du and Hon Mok, at a distance of 2·5 cables 017° from the northern extremity of Hon Nam Du.

Lat. 9° 43′ N., long. 104° 20′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—4 feet (1^{m}2).

Note.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^{m}8) is to be inserted on the charts.

Charts affected.—No 2723, Bay island to Pulo Obi, with plan.

„ 2725, Koh Tron, etc.

Publications.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 141.

China Sea Pilot, Vol. III (*in press*).

Authority.—Bangkok Notice No. 404 of 1923. (*H. 282-24.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

(*1*) *Banjak Islands, Pulo Tunangku—Shoals northward of.*

(*2*) *Tapanuli Bay Approach—Existence of shoal.*

No. 59 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 145 of 1924), are republished :—

(1) Banjak Islands, Pulo Tunangku.

Position.—Pulo Lamung, lat. 2° 16′ N., long. 97° 10′ E. (*approx.*).

Distance and bearing from northern end of Pulo Lamung.	Depth.
(*a*) 1·9 miles, 285°	3 fathoms (5^{m}5).
(*b*) 2·35 „ 303°	do. do.
(*c*) 3·75 „ 315°	5 fathoms (9^{m}1).

Remarks.—The 7 fathom (12^{m}8) shoal close eastward of (*c*) is to be expunged from the charts.

(2) Tapanuli Bay Approach.

Position.—In the northern approach to Tapanuli bay, at a distance of 9·55 miles 288° from the centre of the summit of Ponchang Gedang.

Lat. 1° 45′ N., long. 98° 36′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—5 fathoms (9^{m}1).

Charts affected.—No. 855, Plan of Banjak islands, &c. Plan of Tapanuli bay and Pulo Mansalar.

„ 2760, Achin head to Chingkuk bay. (1) (*b*), (2).

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 340, 352.

Authority.—Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 3471-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

River Shangaji Entrance—Light to be established.

No. 60 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 152 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 15° 58′ S., long. 40° 09′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—A light will be established shortly in the above position having the following characteristics :—

Character.—*Flashing white every five seconds*, thus :—
Flash 0·5 sec., eclipse 4·5 sec.

Elevation.—306 feet (93^{m}3).

Visibility.—24 miles.

Structure.—Hexagonal concrete tower ; 95 feet (29^{m}0) in height.

Remarks.—Further Notice will be given.

Charts which will be affected.—No. 1810, River Zambezi to Mozambique harbour.
„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 84*b*.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 272.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 57 of 1923. (*H. 426-24.*)

AFRICA, EAST COAST—GULF OF ADEN, FRENCH SOMALILAND.

Mashah Islands—Rock reported eastward of.

No. 61 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 153 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 5¼ miles eastward of Mashah and 14·4 miles 193½° from Ras al Bir lighthouse.

Lat. 11 44′ N., long. 43° 19′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1ᵐ8) is to be inserted on the charts in this position. This rock is to be marked "*E. D.* (*1924*)."

Charts affected.—No. 253, Jebel Jan to Shab Kulangarit.
„ 8*a*, Red sea—sheet 5.
„ 6*b*, Gulf of Aden—western portion.
„ 1012, Arabian sea.

Publication.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1921, page 523.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 2381 of 1923. (*H. 274-24.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Bubon—Plan on Chart No. 2760 cancelled.

No. 62 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 154 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Tanjong Tuba, lat. 4° 11′ N., long. 96° 01′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The plan of Bubon on chart No. 2760 is cancelled and is to be so marked on all the existing copies. The note "(See plan)" shown in lat. 4° 07′ N., long. 95° 55′ E. (*approx.*) is to be deleted from chart No. 2760.

Chart affected.—No. 2760, Achin head to Chingkuk bay, with plan.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 322.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department and Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 3598-23.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Berebes Point—Further information re charted position of.

No. 63 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 159 of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1652 of 1923. (*This office No. 392 of 1923.*)

Position on chart.—Lat. 6° 48′ S., long. 109° 00′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The note "Repd. to lie one mile further North than charted. (1923)," inserted by the former Notice against Berebes point on the chart, is to be deleted. This point is correctly charted.

Chart affected.—No. 1653, Island of Java—western portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 100.

Authority.—Hague notice No. 100 of 1924. (*H. 6723-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST.

Torres Strait, Western approach—Existence of shoals.

No. 64 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 160 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Bramble patches, southward of Cook reef.
Lat. 10° 30′ 35″ S., long. 141° 34′ 48″ E., on chart No. 2354.

Depth.—2 fathoms (3^{m}7).

Remarks.—The 2½ fathom (5^{m}0) depth situated close eastward of the above position on the charts, is to be expunged.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 4½ miles southward of (*a*).
Lat. 10° 35′ 00″ S., long. 141° 36′ 15″ E., on chart No. 2354.

Depth.—4½ fathoms (8^{m}7).

Charts affected.—No. 2354, Cape Grenville to Booby island.
„ 447, Western approaches to Torres strait.
„ 2759*a*, Australia—northern portion. (*b*).

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 245.

Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome*, Hyd. note No. 4 of 1923. (*H. 419-24.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—MOZAMBIQUE HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Ilha de Goa (St. George Island)—Permanent Alteration in Character of Light.

No. 65 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 162 of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 2027 of 1923 [TEMPORARY] (*This office No. 80 of 1924*) hereby cancelled.

Position.—Near the south-eastern side of the island.

Lat. 15° 03′ S., long. 40° 47′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—**Gp. Fl. (4) W.R.** *ev. 10 sec. 105 ft. 16* **M.**

Details.—The temporary fixed white and red lights, referred to in the former Notice, have been replaced by a permanent light, having the following characteristics :—

Character.—*Group flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, showing *four* flashes *every ten seconds.*

Elevation.—105 feet (32^{m}0).

Visibility.—16 miles.

Remarks.—The limits of the sectors are the same as for the former permanent fixed light, with white and red sectors.

Charts affected.—No. 652, Mozambique harbour.
„ 653, Ports of Conducia, Mozambique, and Mokambo.
„ 1809, Mozambique harbour to Ras Pekawi.
„ 1810, River Zambezi to Mozambique harbour.
„ 2762, Comoro islands.
„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 85.

Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 278 ; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 59 of 1923. (*H. 8225-23.*)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—GULF OF ST. VINCENT, YORKE PENINSULA.

Marion Reef—Light replaced by Light-Buoy.

No. 66 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 163 of 1924). are republished :—

(*a*) Light discontinued :

Position.—Off the south-eastern side of the reef.

Lat. 35° 10′ S., long. 137° 49′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The group flashing white light is to be expunged from the charts ; the light-tower has been destroyed.

(*b*) Light-buoy established :

Position.—At the site of the above lighthouse.

Description.—A black spherical light-buoy, exhibiting a *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 2·7 sec.

Charts affected.—No. 2152, Plan of Macdonnell sound and Wool bay.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2349.
Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1918, page 261.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Trade and Customs) Notice No. 27 of 1923. (*H. 447-24.*)

CHINA SEA—MALAY PENINSULA.

Tringano Light—Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 67 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 164 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 5° 21′ N., long. 103° 08′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description—**F.** *114 ft. 15* **M.**

Details.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a light of the same character having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—*Fixed white.*

Elevation.—114 feet (34^{m}7).

Visibility.—15 miles.

Power.—2000 candles.

Structure.—White tower ; 34 feet (10^{m}4) in height.

Note.—The note " Unreliable," shown against Tringano light on the plan affected, is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 998, Pulo Kupas to Lakon roads, with plan.
„ 1355, Malacca strait.
„ 2414, Gulf of Siam.
„ 2660*a*, China sea, southern portion—western sheet.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 804.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 117.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1923 (*in press*), page 103.

Authority.—High Commissioner, Singapore. (*H. 155-24.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA, GULF OF MARTABAN.

Moulmein River Entrance—Amended position of wreck.

No. 68 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 15M. of 1924), are republished :—

Amended position.—At a distance of about 1 mile and 4·7 cables, 335½° from Green Island light-house.

Lat. 16° 05′N.
Long. 97° 33′E. } approx.

Details.—The wreck visible above high water, marked (1921) (P.A.) on chart No. 1845, is now reported to exist in the above position and forms a conspicuous mark.

Remarks.—This wreck shown on certain charts as being on the Goodwin Sands is on the Longstones Reef.

Charts affected.—No. 1845, Moulmein River and Approaches.
„ 3481, Moulmein River to Ye River.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 489.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, H. M. S. "Cairo", Hydrographic Note No. 1, dated 30th January 1924.

The 23rd February 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Rangoon river approach—Steam Pilot Vessel replaced on station.

No 54 (second publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 383 of 1923.

Subject.—On or about the 28th February 1924, the temporary pilot brig "Kyauktan" will be relieved on the Pilot station by the Steam Pilot Vessel "Beacon" painted white with the word "Pilot" in black letters on each side of the vessel. She will exhibit the lights and signals as provided for by Article 6 of the regulations for preventing collisions at sea.

Charts affected.—No. 833, Rangoon river and approaches.
„ 823, Koronge island to White point.
„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 456.

Authority.—Deputy Conservator of the Port of Rangoon, Notice dated 15th February 1924.

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip West Channel—Information re Shoal.

No. 55 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 104 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) Existence of shoal :

Position.—At a distance of 9·8 cables 109° from Swan beacon, Swan island.

Lat. 38° 15′ S., long. 144° 43′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—17 feet (5^{m}2).

(*b*) Less water reported :

Position.—On the leading line south-westward of (*a*).

Details.—The note "*Considerably less water repd. (1923)*" is to be inserted on charts Nos. 309 and 2747 between (*a*) and Swan spit No. 3 buoy.

Caution.—When navigating in the above locality Mariners are warned to keep at least 400 feet (121m9) eastward of the leading line.

Charts affected.—No. 309, Port Phillip west channel.
„ 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918, page 109.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 10 of 1923. (*H. 58-24.*)

INDIA, WEST COAST—Gulf of Kutch Approach.

Lushington Shoal—Amended position and details.

No. 56 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 12M. of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 22° 8′ N. } approx.
Long. 68° 47′ E. }

Details.—Lushington shoal is a large bank with depths from 2¼ fathoms to 5 fathoms, sand and rock. The shoal is about 3 miles long and ½ mile broad in places, lying in a 060° and 240° direction, from lat. 22° 37′ N., long. 68° 45′ E., to lat. 22° 38½′ N., long. 68° 48′ E.

The least depth found is 2¼ fathoms, rock, in lat. 22° 37′ 50″ N., long. 68° 47′ 00″ E.

The shoal is usually marked by the discoloration of the water over it.

Charts affected.—No. 43, Gulf of Kutch.
„ 39, Coasts of Sind and Kutch.
„ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, Northern portion.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1919, page 299.

Authority.—Commanding Officer, R. I. M. Surveying Ship "Palinurus," Karachi, dated 1st February 1924.

The 16th February 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—Andaman Islands—Port Blair.

Ross Island—Buoy removed, westward of.

No. 47 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 9M. of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ cables south-westward of pier end of Ross Island.

Lat. 11° 40½′ N. } approx.
Long. 92° 46′ E. }

Details.—The mooring buoy painted black and white in checks, for the Government Vessel, stationed approximately in the above position, has been removed.

Charts affected.—No. 514, Port Blair.
„ 1398, Port Blair to Little Andaman Island.
„ 1419, Long Island to Port Blair.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 420.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, R. I. M. S. "Minto" Hydrographic Note, dated 7th January 1924.

STRAIT OF MALACCA—MALAY PENINSULA.

North Klang Strait—Amended Position of Light-Buoy.

No. 48 (third publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 57 of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1770 of 1923. (*This office No. 417 of 1923.*)

Position.—At a distance of about 4½ cables north-westward of the position quoted in former Notice.

Lat. 3° 04′ 30″ N., long. 101° 20′ 00″ E., on chart No. 3453.

Description.—A light-buoy, exhibiting a *flashing white* light *every ten seconds.*

Charts affected.—No. 3453, Klang strait and approaches.

„ 794, Pulo Berhala to Cape Rachado.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 210.

Authority.—The Harbour Master, Selangor. (*H. 8791-23.*)

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—AUCKLAND HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Rangitoto Channel—Alteration in Light on Light-Buoy.

No. 49 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 58 of 1924), are republished :—

Position—At a distance of about 9½ cables north-eastward of North head flagstaff.

Lat. 36° 49′ S., long. 174° 50′ E. (approx.).

Details.—The character of the light on the light-buoy, painted red, in the above position has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every five seconds*, thus :—Flash 1 sec., eclipse 4 sec.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.

„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.

„ 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour, and Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1919, page 186.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 72 of 1923. (*H. 8813-23.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, SOUTH COAST.

Salayar—Rock westward of.

No. 50 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 77 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—In the channel between Salayar and Pasi (Varkens) island, at a distance of 9 cables 251° from Salayar flagstaff.

Lat. 6° 07′ S., long. 120° 27′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—3 feet (0^{m}9), rock.

Note.—The Symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^{m} 8) is to be inserted on the charts.

Chart affected.—No. 2674, Plan of channel between Salayar and Pasi or Varkens island.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 450.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 3165 of 1923. (*H. 8729-23*).

CHINA SEA—FRENCH COCHIN CHINA.

Vung Moe Bay Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 51 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 78 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Westward of Nuok islet.

Lat. 14° 15′ N., long. 109° 10′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—**Fl. ev. 7 sec. 167 ft. 16 M.**

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every seven seconds*, thus:—Flash 1 sec., eclipse 6 sec.

Remarks.—The visibility of the light is now 16 miles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 1342, Fan rang bay to Tong king gulf.
„ 2661*a*, China sea, northern portion—western sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 1429.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 2295 of 1923. (*H. 8779-23.*)

STRAIT OF MALACCA—Malay Peninsula.

Klang Strait, Dredged Channel—Wreck marked by Buoy.

No. 52 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 85 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) Wreck :

Position.—In the centre of the dredged channel, at a distance of 6·5 cables 103½° from Tanjong Sau (Deepwater point) lighthouse.
Lat. 3° 00′ N., long. 101° 21′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—Wreck of a junk, sunk in the year 1923.

(*b*) Buoy :

Position.—Marking the above wreck.

Description.—Not stated.

Remarks.—The dredged channel, referred to above, is unsafe for navigation owing to this wreck.

Charts affected.—No. 2153, Port Swettenham.
„ 3453, Klang strait and approaches.

Authority.—The Harbour Master, Selangor. (*H. 8793-23.*)

INDIA, WEST COAST—Beit Harbour Entrance.

Samiani Island Light—Error in sectors corrected.

No. 53 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 11M. of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 80M. of 1923 (this Office No. 379 of 1923) hereby cancelled.

Position.—Lat. 22° 29′ N.
Long. 69° 05′ E. } approx.

Details.—The limits of the white and red sectors of the above light have been altered, and now shows as formerly detailed in the Admiralty List of Lights, viz. :—

White from 057°, through east to 217° ; red thence to 247° over Chinri reef ; white thence to 260° ; red thence to 290° over Paga Bank ; white thence to 009°.

Charts affected.—No. 47, Beit Harbour.
„ 43, Gulf of Cutch.
„ 39, Coasts of Sind and Cutch.

Publication.—Admiralty List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 339.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, R.I.M.S. "Palinurus," dated 26th January 1924.

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REPORT ON PUBLIC INSTRUCTION IN BENGAL FOR 1922-23.

CHAPTER I.

Introductory.

Institutions and pupils.

The report describes briefly the progress of education in Bengal for the year ending the 31st March 1923. The number of recognised and unrecognised institutions including University classes and Intermediate Department of the Eden High School, Dacca, rose from 53,770 to 54,162 (41,465 for males and 12,697 for females) or by 392; and pupils attending them from 1,892,153 to 1,950,929 or by 58,776. Recognised institutions increased in number from 51,930 to 52,864, while unrecognised institutions fell from 1,840 to 1,298. Pupils reading in recognised institutions rose from 1,836,716 to 19,06,225 or by 69,509, but in unrecognised institutions the numbers fell from 55,437 to 44,704. The increase of pupils in recognised institutions indicates a recovery from the effect of the recent political agitation on colleges and schools; the decrease in the number of pupils in unrecognised intitutions may be attributed partly to the prevailing economic distress and partly to the growing unpopularity of the schools themselves. Of the total number of pupils in all classes of institutions, 1,602,134 were males and 348,795, females; the number of males and females in the preceding year were 1,543,571 and 348,582, respectively.

Different classes of recognised institutions.

2. The number of recognised institutions on 31st March 1923 included 53 (including university classes) arts and professional colleges; 933 high schools; 1,718 middle schools; 47,688 primary schools and 2,472 special

schools. The corresponding numbers on 31st March 1922 were 49,912 ; 1,766 ; 47,783 and 1,420 respectively. Of the recognised institutions 385 were managed by Government and 3,345 by District and Municipal Boards ; while 41.843 were aided and 7,291 unaided. In the preceding year the corresponding figures were 386 ; 3,230 ; 41,545 and 6,769.

Expenditure on public instruction.

3. The total expenditure on public instruction amounted during the year under review to Rs. 3,31,42,296 compared with Rs. 3,33,87,106 in the year preceding. Towards the total expenditure Provincial Revenues contributed Rs. 1,31,62,947 ; the contributions from District and Municipal funds amounted to Rs. 15,05,271 and Rs. 3,32,830, respectively ; while Rs. 1,28,42,355 and Rs. 52,98,893 came from fees and other private sources. The corresponding figures for the previous year were Rs. 1.35.45,045 ; Rs. 14,11,184 ; Rs. 2,42,713 ; Rs. 1,28,33,684 ; and Rs. 53,54,480. Thus expenditure increased under all heads except Provincial Revenues and other sources.

Noteworthy features of the period under review.

4. From the administrative point of view the year has been eventful. The drastic proposals made by the Bengal Retrenchment Committee for reducing expenditure on education struck a new note which alarmed many. With these proposals before them Government surveyed the situation and decided to effect some reduction in the staff of Government High schools, to abolish some old-type guru-training schools, and to hand over a number of circle schools (with reduced status) to local bodies with suitable grants There have been the now usual financial difficulties. The allotment for travelling allowance was curtailed and the touring work of inspecting officers was suspended for about two months towards the close of the year. As a result many schools remained unvisited. A time-scale of pay was introduced for ministerial officers employed in the Education Department. In the sphere of primary education, the attempts made by the Department to establish in certain areas central free primary schools as suggested in Mr. Biss's reports evoked a temporary flicker of interest to which the introduction of the revised curriculum in January 1923 contributed.

CHAPTER II.

Controlling Agencies.

The Indian Educational Service. (I) Men's Branch.

On the 31st March 1922 the Men's cadre of the Indian Educational Service consisted of 67 appointments (including 3 posts in the higher selection grade, 10 in the lower, and one on a special rate of pay for the Principal of the Government School of Art). During the year under review the post of headmaster of the Victoria School at Kurseong, which was previously outside the graded services, was included in the Indian Educational Service with effect from the 29th January 1923. Thus the total number of appointments on 31st March 1923 was 68. During the year under review 3 officers, viz., Messrs. F. C. Turner, E. E. Biss and J. A. Taylor proceeded on leave preparatory to retirement on proportionate pension.

(II) Women's Branch.

On 31st March 1922 the number of appointments (including 1 in the selection grade) in the Women's cadre of the Indian Educational Service was 4. No change was made in the cadre during the year under review.

The Bengal Educational Service. (I) Men's Branch.

2. On 31st March 1922 the number of appointments in the Men's Branch was 211—206 permanent and 5 temporary. During the year under review 1 of the 5 temporary posts was made permanent and 2 new posts —1 permanent and 1 temporary—were added to the cadre. Thus the total strength on 31st March 1923 was 213 appointments (208 permanent and 5 temporary).

(II) Women's Branch.

On 31st March 1922 the Women's cadre of the Bengal Educational Service consisted of 20 appointments ; no change was made in it during the year under review.

Subordinate Educational Service.

3. During the year ending 31st March 1922 the services below the Bengal Educational Service were reorganised on a time-scale basis on varying rates of pay. During the year under review 15 posts were added to the cadre and 12 abolished. The total number of appointments in the Subordinate Educational Service on 31st March 1923 was thus 2,003 against 2,001 on the corresponding date of the year preceding.

Posts outside the Educational Services.

4. Officers holding appointments outside the grades of the Subordinate Educational Service were also placed on a time-scale of pay with effect from 1st September 1921, and were divided into 4 main categories, viz., Teaching, Inspecting, Ministerial and Miscellaneous, according to the nature of work performed by them. Including the office establishment of the Director of Public Instruction and the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, for which the time-scale of pay was introduced with effect from 1st January 1922, there were 477 appointments on 31st March 1923 against 478 on the corresponding date of the previous year.

Direction.

5. During the period under review there was no change in the number of the directing staff of the Department. The Director continued to be assisted by the two Assistant Directors, one of whom did the special work relating to Muhammadan education. Mr. W. W. Hornell, the permanent Director of Public Instruction, returned from leave in November 1922 and assumed charge of the Department. Mr. E. F. Oaten, Assistant Director of Public Instruction, was on leave during part of the year under report, his duties being performed by Mr. J. M. Bottomley and later by Mr. J. A. Taylor. Mr. J. A. Taylor, Assistant Director for Muhammadan Education, proceeded on leave preparatory to retirement on October 16th, 1922. Mr. E. E. Biss performed the duties of the post for a short period, after which he also took leave preparatory to retirement. Mr. J. M. Bottomley then assumed officiating charge of the post. Since February 1923 Mr Bottomley, who has been appointed officiating Principal of the Calcutta Madrasah, has performed the duties of Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education in addition to those of Principal of the Madrasah.

6 The subjoined table shows the strength of the inspecting agency on 31st March 1923 :—

Divisions.	Inspectors or 2nd Inspectors.	Assistant Inspectors of Schools for Muhammadan Education.	District Inspectors of Schools.	Subdivisional Inspectors of Schools (formerly called Additional Deputy Inspectors of Schools).	Sub-Inspectors of Schools.	Assistant Sub-Inspectors of Schools.	Assistant Inspectresses of Schools.	Inspectresses of Schools.	Inspector of European Schools.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Burdwan ...	3	1	6	16	73	16	2 } 1	1	} 1
Presidency (including Calcutta).	4	1	6	11	47	7	3 }		
Dacca ...	3	1	4	14	66	1	3 } ...		
Chittagong ...	2	1	4	7	38	2	1 }	1	
Rajshahi ...	2	1	8	13	44	1	2 }		
Total ...	14	5	28	61	268	27	12	2	1

CHAPTER III.

University and Collegiate Education.

Universities.

1. The Arts and Science classes of the Post-graduate Department of Calcutta University had 881 and 170 students, respectively on the rolls on 31st March 1923. The reform of Calcutta University has not yet got beyond the conference stage, in spite of the fact, that a Bill was drafted by Government during the year.

The Dacca University had 838 (including 10 research students), students in the Arts and Science classes on 31st March 1923. This has been the first University in India to afford facilities of practical training to psychology students. Extension of the Muslim Hall and the chemical laboratory was effected during the year under review, and a new science library and a hostel for Anglo-Indian students have been provided. Students are beginning to appreciate the value of the new methods of intellectual training, of the residential system, and of the unrivalled facilities for athletics and social organisations provided for them at Dacca.

Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca.

2 The Board was appointed in the first instance until 30th June 1922. Its term was then renewed for another year, viz., until the 30th June 1923. Besides controlling Intermediate Colleges and High schools in the town of Dacca, the Board have been entrusted with the work of conducting Islamic examinations (Intermediate and Matriculation) for the whole province. This work was previously done by the office of the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, with the assistance of an Advisory Board. The Board have opened two vocational courses in dyeing and commerce at the Jagannath Intermediate College; these courses are said to be very popular.

Arts Colleges.

3. On the 31st March 1923 there were 34 arts colleges for men, and four (including the Intermediate classes of the Eden High English School, Dacca) for women, with 19,460 students against 16,942 on the corresponding date of the preceding year. The number of students therefore rose by 2,518; a sign that the non-co-operators' attempt to boycot colleges has failed for the time at any rate. The arts colleges cost altogether Rs 28,26,146 as compared with Rs. 26,51,435 in the year preceding Of the total number of arts colleges nine were maintained by Government, one was under municipal management, 15 were aided and 13 unaided. During the year under review each college cost Rs. 74,372 on an average. The average cost of educating a student in an arts college amounted to Rs. 145-3-8, of which Rs. 59-13-4 was borne by Provincial Revenues.

Arts Colleges for men.

Number of colleges.

4. The number of arts colleges for men stood at 34 as compared with 33 in the previous year, the increase being due to the opening of the second grade college at Feni from the commencement of the session 1922-23. Of these, seven were managed by Government, one by a Municipal Board, and 26 by private associations.

Number of students.

5. Students in arts colleges for men rose from 16,741 to 19,219; of these 16,169 were Hindus and 2,589 Muhammadans, while 461 came from other communities. The corresponding figures for the preceding year were 14,260; 2,173; and 308 respectively.

Expenditure.

6. The total cost of maintaining the arts colleges for men amounted, during the year under review, to Rs. 27,27,532 towards which Provincial Revenues contributed Rs. 10,89,172; while Rs. 111; Rs. 13,87,549; and Rs. 2,50,700 came from Municipal Fund, fees, and other sources, respectively.

Grants to private colleges.

7. Twenty-two private colleges received during the year under review, special grants aggregating Rs. 1,24,000 mainly for the improvement of libraries and laboratories. Sixteen non-Government colleges were given maintenance and capital grants amounting to Rs. 2,00,200.

Government colleges. (1) Presidency College.

8 On the 31st March 1923 the Presidency College had 960 (including two research scholars) students on its rolls as against 979 on the corresponding date of 1922. Of these, 797 were Hindus and 146 Muhammadans; the rest belonged to other communities. The total direct expenditure amounted to Rs. 4,97,534 of which Rs, 3,79,502 came from Provincial Revenues. The average cost per pupil was Rs. 513-15-8, of which Rs. 392-0-9 was borne by Government.

The work of the year was uneventful. Some inconvenience was felt, as the result of the college session beginning very early, while the results of the University examinations were published unusually late. A dark room has been provided for the Astronomical Observatory; this removes a long-felt want. The Principal records with regret the departure of Dr. Cullis, who took leave preparatory to retirement, and of Dr. Harrison, whose services were lent to the Admiralty The Physiological Department of the college bore, during the year under review, the entire responsibility of providing Post-graduate instruction in physiology for the University and this was in addition to giving complete courses of lectures and laboratory training up to the I. Sc. and B. Sc. standards. A co-operative society has been started at the college with 73 members at the outset. Social activities among boarders residing in the Eden Hindu Hostel were at a low-ebb last year.

(2) Dacca Intermediate College.

9. The Dacca Intermediate College had on 31st March 1923, 357 students as against 327 on the corresponding date of 1922. Of the students 213 were Hindus and 144 Muhammadans. The Principal notes with satisfaction that Moslem students are coming forward in large numbers for admission to the I. Sc. course. The college cost Rs. 1,30,952 by way of direct expenditure including Rs. 1.00,069 from Provincial Revenues. The cost of educating each pupil amounted during the year under review to Rs. 374-2-5, of which Rs. 285-14-7 was borne by Provincial Revenues. The regulations of the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca, came into force in July 1922, and the heavier syllabuses of the Board demanded greater expenditure and entailed heavier work on the teachers. Still larger expenditure is necessary for making adequate provision for the teaching of botany, physiology or geography. The college is accommodated in temporary and inadequate quarters. The Provost of the Dacca Hall kindly allowed the students the use of the Dacca Hall grounds for certain days of the week, for the college has no play-ground of its own. The college was visited by His Excellency the Governor in Augsut 1922 and by Mr. P. C. Lyon, C.S.I., C.I.E. in December 1922. The discipline has been good on the whole, although three boarders had to be rusticated for persistent misconduct.

(3) Hooghly College.

10. The Hooghly College had 258 (as against 234 in 1922) students on the rolls on 31st March 1923, including 230 Hindus, 27 Muhammadans and 1 Indian Christian. The total direct expenditure on the college amounted during the year under review to Rs. 1,27,278, of which Rs. 1,07,718 came from Provincial Revenues. The cost of educating each student was Rs. 521-10-1, of which Rs. 441-7-6 was borne by Government. In course of the year the college was affiliated to the honours standard in English and history. It will be necessary in the near future to increase the hostel accommodation available for Muhammadan students.

(4) Sanskrit College.

11. As previously the Sanskrit College had two departments—the English Department and the Oriental or *Tol* Department. The English Department had 74 students (all Hindus) on the 31st March 1923, as compared with 72 on the corresponding date of the preceding year. In the Oriental Department there were 57 students. In view of the extremely limited nature of affiliation enjoyed by the college, its students are allowed as before, to attend honours classes in history and philosophy at the Presidency College without any additional charge. Twenty-two trust funds are attached to the college for the benefit of the students and staff. The maintenance of the college department cost Rs. 50,630 (including Rs. 47,225 from Provincial Revenues). The average cost per pupil amounted to Rs. 675-1, of which Rs. 629-10-8 was borne by Government.

(5) Krishnagar College.

12. The number of students on the rolls on the 31st March 1923, was 181, as compared with 204 on the corresponding date of 1922. Of these students 166 were Hindus, 12 Muhammadans and 3 Indian Christians. A system of periodical examinations was introduced during the session. The cost of maintaining the college amounted during the year under review to Rs. 1,11,912 to which Provincial Revenues contributed Rs. 94,555. The cost of educating each pupil was Rs 608-3-6, of which Rs. 513-14-2 was borne by Government.

(6) Chittagong College.

13. The Chittagong College had 455 students on the rolls on 31st March 1923, as compared with 353 on the corresponding date of 1922. Of the total number of students 287 were Hindus and 136 Muhammadans, the rest came from other communities. The total direct exprenditure on the college amounted during the year to Rs. 85,788 (including Rs. 51,348 from Provincial Revenues). The average cost of educating each student amounted to Rs. 219-15-6, of which Rs. 131-10-7 was borne by Provincial Revenues. Although sanction was accorded to the affiliation of the college in philosophy up to B. A. (Pass) standard in the year 1921, the class was actually opened last session. To carry on the work of the philosophy class a professor in the Bengal Educational Service has been appointed since September 1922; a special grant of Rs. 500 was also sanctioned for the purchase of books on the subject. Some twenty poor students are helped with a monthly stipend of of Rs. 3 each from the college benevolent fund, to which the staff and the

students as also the public contribute. The college co-operative stores practically suspended its work during the year under report, and has since applied for dissolution. Exemplary punishment was meted out to some students, who were found guilty of using unfair means at examinations. Discipline was otherwise satisfactory.

(7) Rajshahi College.

14. There were 894 students on the rolls of the college on 31st March 1923, against 819 on the corresponding date of the previous year. Of these, 690 were Hindus, and 204 Muhammadans. The total direct expenditure of the college amounted to Rs 1,74,875 towards which Provincial Revenues contributed Rs. 96,878. The average cost of educating each pupil was Rs. 215-5-9, of which Rs. 119-4-11 was borne by Government. The scheme for opening M. A. and B. L classes at the Rajshahi College, has been held in abeyance. The scheme for opening classes in botany and zoology made no progress. The arrangement for the medical examination of the college students referred to in the last Quinquennial Review is still being carried on. The results of the medical examination show that 43·3 per cent. of the students were suffering in 1922-23 from malnutrition as against 63·7 per cent. in 1921-22. The students of the Rajshahi College were prominent in social service. Their work during the recent Rajshahi flood was highly appreciated by the Flood Committee. Discipline was satisfactory. The college was visited by His Excellency the Governor in August and by the Hon'ble the Minister for Education in September 1922.

Municipal College.

15. The only college in the Presidency, which was managed during the year under review by a Municipal Board was the Midnapore College. On the 31st March 1923 the college had 200 students against 173 on the corresponding date of the previous year. Of these students 93 were Hindus, and 7 Muhammadans; the rest belonged to other communities The college received during the year under review permission to teach mathematics, physics and chemistry up to B. Sc. standard. The total cost of maintaining the college amounted to Rs. 22,848, and the cost per pupil was Rs. 116-9-1. The transfer of the college from the Municipality to a Committee of Management has been agreed to since the close of the year under review and is now being effected.

Aided colleges.

16. The number of aided private colleges for men was 14 with 7,440 students on the rolls on the 31st March 1923, against 12 with an enrolment of 5,704 in the previous year. Of these students 5,928 were Hindus, 1,239 Muhammadans and 273 of other communities. Of the total direct expenditure of Rs. 8,26,257, Rs. 1,82,195 came from Provincial Revenues. The average cost per student was Rs. 111-0-9 of which Rs. 24-7-9 was borne by Government.

Unaided colleges.

17. The number of unaided arts colleges for men was 12 with 8,400 students on the 31st March 1923, as compared with 13 with 7,876 pupils on the corresponding date of 1922. They cost altogether Rs. 6,99,458. The average cost of educating each pupil amounted to Rs. 83-4-4 during the year under review.

Conclusion.

18. The prevailing economic conditions have hit all communities hard, and parents are now unwilling to spend money on purely literary education which is supposed to have no market value. Only the result is that there is now a greater demand for admission into the I. Sc. and B. Sc. classes than there is for admission into the I. A. and B. A. classes. This is all right, so far as it goes, but a smattering of theoretical knowledge of chemistry and physics is not going to enable a student to earn a living. What is needed is an educational system which is responsive to the needs of modern India's complicated life. The non-co-operator was right in his protest against existing conditions, but he had nothing to offer in exchange. There is no money and people are suspicious of any change which Government may initiate. It is difficult to say how long the present impossible position will last, presumably until the general dissatisfaction which is now latent solidifies and demands a remedy. But the readjustment of the general educational system of which the present university organisation is at once the root and the crown is the first step on the road by which alone Bengal can attain to a stable economical, social and political condition.

CHAPTER IV.

Secondary Education.

General statistics.

1. Secondary schools of all grades and types fell from 2,678 to 2,651; the decrease was confined to middle schools both for boys and girls. The number of pupils in secondary schools, however, rose from 328,166 to 340, 266. The cost of maintaining secondary schools in the Province amounted, during the year under review, to Rs. 1,06,53,565 as compared with Rs. 1,02,84,804 in the year preceding. Each secondary school cost Rs. 4,018-11-2 on an average, the cost per pupil being Rs 31-4-11.

Secondary Education for Indian Boys.*

(*The secondary education of Indian girls and Europeans is dealt with in the appropriate chapters.)

Schools and pupils.

2. The number of secondary schools for Indian boys declined from 2,563 to 2,533. High schools increased by one; middle schools, on the other hand, fell from 1,685 to 1,654. Of the 19 middle English schools, which disappeared, some were raised to the status of high schools; others closed on account of financial difficulties. The closing of 12 middle vernacular schools marked a further stage in a line of development which has become irresistible; people do not want purely vernacular education. High schools gained 7,162 and middle English schools 4,099 pupils, respectively; but middle vernacular schools lost 167 pupils

Expenditure.

3. The total direct expenditure on secondary schools for Indian boys amounted, during the year under review, to Rs. 87,07,507 of which Rs 17,32,653 was borne by public funds, and Rs. 69,74,854 was contributed by private sources. In the preceding year public and private funds contributed Rs. 15,47,784 and Rs. 69,42,238, respectively. High schools cost Rs. 65,64,399, middle English schools Rs. 19,93,867; and middle vernacular schools Rs. 1,49,241, respectively. Expenditure increased in all three classes of schools.

Manual instruction.

4. Manual training classes were attached to 22 secondary schools in the Presidency. These classes are waning in popularity, in spite of the incessant demand for more practical and less literary education; manual instruction is not a subject which can be taken at the Matriculation examination.

5. The pay and prospects of the teachers employed under Government have been considerably improved; but the position of the vast majority of teachers employed in privately-managed schools continues much the same as before. The buildings, furniture and teaching appliances of most private schools are unsatisfactory. The situation is one of grave political and social import. All that can be said has been said in previous reports. It is useless to say anything more.

The Board of Secondary Education, Dacca, have made history and geography compulsory subjects for High schools under them, while Elementary science has been made an optional subject. The Board have also sent up a proposal for opening a Science class at the Dacca Collegiate School. Writing on the effects of the non-co-operation movement upon students, the Chairman of the Board observes as follows :—

"It is seen in a dulling of the old keenness for learning, in a vague feeling as of disillusionment and in a general lassitute and demoralisation among the pupils. The only cure for this malady is to give a new and practical direction to secondary education and to bring it into closer touch with the people."

CHAPTER V.

Primary Education.

General statistics.

On the 31st March 1923, there were 47,688 primary schools for boys and girls with 1,465,107 pupils against 47,783 schools and 1,435,906 pupils on the corresponding date of the previous year. The primary schools cost Rs. 54,51,741 as compared with Rs. 54,08,441 in the year before. The average cost of a primary school was Rs. 114-5-2, and the cost per pupil Rs. 3-11-7.

Primary education of Indian boys.*

(*Primary education of Indian girls and Europeans is dealt with in the respective chapters.)

Schools.

2. Primary schools for Indian boys fell from 35,615 to 35,371 or by 244. This decrease in the number of schools is not real, but apparent, since night schools which teach the Primary school course and were returned previously as primary schools, have been shown (in accordance with special instructions received from the Government of India) in this year's returns as "Schools for Adults." As the distinction between Upper and Lower Primary schools is not recognised by the new general tables issued this year, separate figures for the two classes of schools have not been collected. The table below indicates the number of primary schools for boys in each Division together with the number of pupils on the rolls on 31st March 1923 :—

Division.	Number of primary schools in 1922-23.	Number of pupils in primary schools in 1922-23.
Burdwan Division	8,290	258,117
Presidency Division (excluding Calcutta) ...	5,969	215,903
Calcutta	313	18,771
Dacca Division	8,697	296,896
Chittagong „	5,360	192,425
Rajshahi „	6,742	207,494
Total ...	35,371	1,189,606

Pupils.

3. The year 1922-23 closed with 1,189,606 pupils (including 53,117 girls reading in primary schools for boys). The corresponding figures for the previous year were 1,164,597 and 55,076, respectively. The number of pupils therefore increased by 25,009. Besides the pupils attending primary schools for Indian boys there were 150,834 pupils in the Primary Department of Secondary schools for boys as against 142,937 in the previous year. Pupils in primary schools for boys and in primary stages of secondary schools together therefore numbered 1,340,440, as compared with 1,307,534 returned the year before, showing an increase of 32,906 pupils in the primary stage.

Relative Progress of Hindus and Muhammadans.

4. Primary schools for Indian boys were attended by 558,995 Hindus and 612,470 Muhammadans. The corresponding figures for the preceding year were 540,406 and 603,213, respectively. Thus the number of Hindu pupils rose by 18,589, and of Muhammadan pupils by 9,257. Of the total male Hindu population 5·4 per cent. and of the Muhammadan population 4·7 per cent. were in primary schools. Comparison with the figures for the preceding year, however, is more or less valueless, inasmuch as the returns of that year did not show the number of Hindu and Muhammadan pupils in purely primary schools for boys, excluding those reading in night schools.

Expenditure.

5. The total direct expenditure on primary schools for Indian boys amounted, during the year under review, to Rs. 44,80,531 against Rs. 44,74,811 in the year preceding. Of the direct expenditure Rs. 22,75,665 or 50·79 per cent came from public funds, and Rs. 22,04,863 or 49·21 per cent. from private sources. In the preceding year public and private funds contributed 49·36 per cent. and 50·64 per cent. of the total expenditure. The expenditure from public funds was made up of Rs 15,35,851 contributed by Provincial Revenues, and Rs. 6,45,173 and Rs. 94,641 by District and Municipal funds, respectively. The corresponding figures for the previous year were Rs. 15,16,657 ; Rs. 6,04,400 ; and Rs. 87,561.

Panchayati Union schools.

6. Funds were allotted last year for the construction of 84 Panchayati Union schools for boys and 25 schools for girls. The Board Primary schools are said to be losing their old popularity ; the remuneration of the teachers is less than that of the teachers of aided primary schools. Further, the local people have little voice in the management of these schools.

Curricula.

7. The revised curriculum was introduced from January 1923 in all the districts of the Presidency except Murshidabad, Bankura, Faridpur, Noakhali, Malda and Dinajpur. In certain girls' schools of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions also the revised curriculum was not introduced. The work of the new and the old curricula will be compared in 1924, when the question of retention or further revision of the new curriculum will be considered. The special features of the new curriculum are (1) reduction of the Primary school course from six to five years ; (2) introduction of English as an optional subject ; (3) simplication of the course by making certain subjects optional ; and (4) provision for paying greater attention to the three 'R's.

Free primary schools.

8. During the year under review there was a provision of Rs. 1,50,000 in the budget to give effect to Mr. Biss's schemes of central Primary schools. Government agreed to contribute half the recurring and non-recurring expenditure for starting the schools. Only six municipalities and 12 unions accepted the offer and a sum of Rs. 32,718 was sanctioned for the purpose. The chief obstacle to progress in this direction is the reluctance of local bodies to make larger contribution or to undertake fresh taxation.

Primary education in Calcutta.

9. The primary schools in the city of Calcutta are almost all proprietary schools held mostly in rented premises which are ill-ventilated and badly lighted. The free primary schools, which have been started by the Corporation in certain parts of the city bid fair to considerable success. Of the total number of pupils, viz 18,771 in primary schools 61·8 per cent. were Hindus and 37·8 per cent. were Muhammadans. Towards the total direct expenditure on primary schools public funds contributed Rs. 55,879 and private sources Rs. 83,806 during the year under review.

Award of Primary scholarships by local bodies.

10. A serious situation was created last year by the objection raised by the Examiner of Local Accounts, Bengal, to the payment of Lower Primary scholarships from District Board funds. It was pointed out that there being no provision in the present Local Self-Government Act for spending money on scholarships from the funds of District and Municipal Boards, such expenditure was illegal. As a result of the objection many of the District Boards discontinued the award of primary scholarships from their own funds. The situation has been readjusted pending the amendment of the Local Self-Government Act.

Special grant for flooded area.

11. A large number of primary school houses in the districts of Rajshahi and Bogra was badly damaged in consequence of the recent flood in North Bengal. A sum of Rs. 68,000 was made over to the District Boards of Rajshahi and Bogra for repairing or reconstructing the damaged school houses.

CHAPTER VI.

The training of teachers for Indian schools.

A.—The training of men teachers.

Training Colleges, General.

The two training colleges at Calcutta and Dacca, which prepare candidates for the B T. degree and L. T. diploma, had 125 students on the rolls against 118 in 1921-22. They admitted, as previously, subordinate inspecting officers of the Department and teachers from Government and aided schools, besides a few outside candidates (stipendiary and non-stipendiary) who desired to be trained for the teaching profession.

The David Hare Training College.

2. Thirty-three B. T. and 18 L. T. students were on the rolls of the college on 31st March 1923, all of whom appeared at the University Examinations. Twenty-five students, of whom 6 passed with distinction, were successful in the B. T. Examination ; of the L. T. candidates 15 (1 with distinction) passed. The practical work of the students under training was carried on, as before, in the Hindu, Hare and Sanskrit Collegiate schools, and the Y M. C. A gymnasium was used for drill and games. The difficulty of accomodating the college still continues ; the old proposal to house it in new buildings at Baliganj, where lands have been acquired, has been

taken up again and is now under the consideration of Government. The total direct expenditure on the college amounted to Rs. 56,952 as compared with Rs. 61,601 in 1921-22.

The Dacca Training College.

3. Of the 74 (69 B. Ts. and 5 L. Ts.) students who were on the rolls of the Dacca Training College on 31st March 1923, 47 belonged to Bengal, 18 came from Assam, 8 from H. E. H. the Nizam's Dominions and 1 from Hill Tippera. The college had 68 students on 31st March 1922. Besides the 74 students mentioned above, there were three students last session, who did reasearch work for the M. T. degree. During the year under report the college was visited by His Excellency the Governor of Bengal and the Educational Commissioner with the Government of India. The revised curriculum, which has been approved by the Dacca University, will come into force next session. Certain alterations were also made during the year under review in the method of classifying the examination results. The demand for admission of B. T. students is as great as ever. Of the 69 students who appeared at the B. T. Examination, 62 passed —4 in the first division. Four students appeared at the L. T. Examination, and all of them were successful. The college cost Rs. 47,909 in direct expenditure as compared with Rs. 89,341 in the year preceding.

Vernacular Training Schools.

4. There were 6 (5 Government and 1 aided) Normal or first grade Training Schools in the Presidency as previously. These schools had 435 pupils on the rolls as against 469 in 1921-22; they cost Rs. 1,11,920 during the year under review, towards which Provincial Revenues contributed Rs. 1,06,969. The figures for the preceding year were Rs. 1,16,898 and Rs. 1,11,117, respectively. Out of 258 candidates appearing at the final examination, 213 obtained the Teachership certificates.

The question of removing the Calcutta Training School to a more suitable place has received the attention of the Department; the school cannot stay where it is. The scheme of reorganisation in connection with Normal Schools has not yet materialized; meanwhile these schools are losing their old popularity. Most of the Divisional Inspectors of Schools are of opinion that Normal Schools should henceforth train Matriculates instead of Vernacular teachers as at present. The value of the stipends, which had been raised to Rs. 10 a month, has been reduced again to Rs. 6 for lack of funds. This is reported to have caused considerable hardship, as the amount is insufficient and compares unfavourably with the stipend (Rs. 10) paid to teachers of primary schools under training in Guru Training Schools. The number of stipends payable in Normal Schools has also been reduced from 381 to 311.

Guru and Muallim Training Schools.

5. There were 99 Guru and Muallim Training Schools with 1,850 pupils as compared with 102 schools with 2,047 pupils in the year before; of these, 4 were aided and the rest managed by the Department. The total direct expenditure amounted to Rs. 3,12,999 in 1922-23 including Rs. 296,328 from Provincial Revenues. The figures for the year 1921-22 were Rs. 3,02,132, and Rs. 2,87,333, respectively. The Guru Training Schools passed 1,423 students out of 1,746 who appeared in the Final Examination during the year under review; the corresponding figures for the preceding year were 1,412 and 1,692, respectively. New buildings of the improved type were provided during the year for the Guru Training Schools at Natore and Patuakhali, but owing to paucity of funds it was not possible to appoint the improved staff of teachers. The rate of stipends which was raised from Rs. 10 to Rs. 11 a month has been reduced to Rs. 10 again on financial grounds. In connection with the proposals of the Bengal Retrenchment Committee it has been decided to abolish 32 Guru Training Schools of the old type, but this abolition will not be effected until eight new schools of the improved type have been built. Training institutions generally have undoubtedly lost prestige as a result of the attitude of the Retrenchment Committee towards them.

B.—The Training of women teachers.

Training Colleges for women.

6. The Diocesan College (aided) and the Loreto House (unaided) Training Class had 15 and 5 students respectively, on the rolls on 31st March 1923. The former presented 15 B.T. candidates, of whom 12 were

successful ; the latter passed 4 L.-T. candidates out of 4 who sat for the examination. The scheme for the establishment of a Government Training College for women is still in abeyance.

Training Schools for women.

7. For the training of women teachers employed in Primary and the Lower classes of Secondary Schools there were 12 (against the same number in 1921- 2). training schools and classes with 195 pupils altogether as compared with 200 in the preceding year. Eight of these institutions were managed by Christian and Brahmo Missions. These institutions cost Rs. 84,309 including Rs. 73,522 contributed from Provincial Revenues.

The Hindu Widows' Training Class was removed from 29-B, Ballyganj, Circular Road to much smaller premises at No. 45, Garcha Road during the year under report. The Moslem Training Class also, which is held in rented premises, has been threatened with ejectment The Vernacular Training Class at Dacca and the Training School for mistresses at Kalimpong are said to be flourishing, but the Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle, is of opinion that the English Training Class attached to the Eden High School for Girls at Dacca, which serves no useful purpose, should be closed.

The following table shows the examination results during 1922-23 :—

	Candidates presented.	Candidates passed.	
(1) Senior Vernacular Teachership Examination	18	16	West Bengal.
(2) Junior Vernacular Teachership Examination	63	51	
(3) Senior Teachership Examination ...	5	5	
(4) Junior Teachership Examination	3	1	
(5) Teachership Examination ...	29	21	East Bengal.

CHAPTER VII.

Professional and Technical Education.

Law Colleges and Classes.

Arrangements for the study of law existed, as in the preceding year in the Calcutta University Law College and the Law Departments of the Ripon College and the Dacca University. The total number of students in the three institutions rose from 2,439 to 2,739, of whom 2,365 were Hindus, 352 Muhammadans, and 22 of other communities. The total expenditure on the Calcutta University Law College and the Law Department of the Ripon College amounted during the year under review to Rs. 2,13,809 as compared with Rs. 2,25,647 in 1921-22 ; the expenditure incurred on the Law Department of the Dacca University has been included under the head "Universities." Of the 1,212 candidates who appeared at the B.L. Examination, 506 were successful.

Medical Colleges and Schools.

2. There were three Medical Colleges in the Presidency, viz , the Calcutta Medical College, the Carmichael Medical College, Belgachia, and the School of Tropical Medicine, Calcutta (the word school applied to the third is, according to the terminology current in India, a misnomer), during the year under review against two in the year before. The total number of students attending these institutions on 31st March 1923 was 1,710 (including 12 women) as against 1,584 pupils on the corresponding date of 1922. Of these pupils, 1,535 were Hindus, 119 Muhammadans, 37 Christians and 19 of other communities. The three institutions cost altogether Rs. 9,87,344 during the year under review ; the total expenditure on Medical Colleges in the preceding year was Rs. 7,29,790. The three Colleges presented altogether 371 candidates at the Final Examination, of whom 197 were successful.

On the 31st March 1923 there were in the Presidency seven Medical Schools and classes with 1,664 (including 40 women) pupils on the rolls ; they cost altogether Rs. 2,43,528. The corresponding figures for the preceding year were 5 ; 1,415 ; and Rs. 2,42,907, respectively.

The Bengal Engineering College.

3. The Bengal Engineering College at Sibpur is still the only institution in the Presidency for higher Engineering training which culminates for the B.E. degree. The increasing demand for higher training in Mechanical

and Electrical Engineering has rendered it impossible to retain the subordinate or apprentice classes any longer at the Bengal Engineering College while the attempt to combine two entirely different standards of education in the same college is obviously unsound. Hence, in accordance with the decision referred to in the reports of previous years, the apprentice classes were finally closed in July 1922. On the 31st March 1923 the college had 299 students (as against 356 on the corresponding date of 1922), viz., 107 in the Civil Engineer Classes, 135 in the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining classes, and 57 in the Industrial classes. Of the students, 254 were Hindus, 18 Muhammadans, 25 Europeans and Anglo-Indians, and 2 Indian Christians. The college presented 24 candidates at the B. E. and the same number at the I. E. Examination, of whom 16 and 17, respectively, were successful. The total cost of maintaining the college amounted during the year 1922-23 to Rs. 3,03,180, towards which Provincial Revenues contributed Rs. 2,69,527. The corresponding figures for the preceding year were Rs. 3,25,965 and Rs. 2,93,798, respectively. The college workshops are stated to have run on more economical lines during the year under review, and they turned out work valued approximately at Rs. 12,058.

The sanction of Government was accorded during the year under review to the inauguration of improved classes in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering, and of Associateship courses, which are designed to give Bengali students the opportunity of obtaining instruction to as high a standard as is provided by colleges in Great Britain. Unfortunately the staff required has not been sanctioned yet. Visiting lecturerships were limited during the year to Sanitary and Structural Engineering only. Out of 13 telegraphists, who were deputed to the college during the year, only 7 completed the course. Two of the passed students of the college have been placed at the Steel and Metal Factory at Ichapur, one in the Electrical Department of the B. N. Railway and one at the E. B. Railway workshop at Kanchrapara for 3 years' practical training. In the examination for Mine Managers' certificates held in February 1922, 7 obtained first and second class certificates. All the European and a few of the Indian students of the college belong to different units of the Auxiliary Force. The new servants' quarters, which were started during the preceding year, were completed in 1922-23.

The Ahsanulla School of Engineering, Dacca.

4. Consequent on the closing of the subordinate classes at the Bengal Engineering College, the whole burden of training Overseers and Public Works Department subordinates has devolved upon this institution. The school had on its rolls 417 students on 31st March 1923 against 375 on the corresponding date of the preceding year. Of these students 373 were Hindus and 42 Muhammadans, while 2 were Indian Christians. Owing to pressure of admissions, the 2nd-year Upper Subordinate Class was split up into two sections during the year. The Principal observes "The teaching of the present Upper Subordinate Course in a period of three years is proving too great a pressure on the students and staff, and a return to the previous four-year course is advocated." The school was visited by His Excellency the Governor (Lord Lytton) on 12th August 1922. Field work in practical surveying was carried on, as usual, for about six weeks, and the camp was held at Kishoreganj. The School employment bureau recommended over 26 passed students for employment as, surveyors, draftsmen, overseers and sub-overseers. The Vocational and Technical Education Committee, Dacca have made some important recommendations in connection with the development of the school, which are now under consideration. The artisan students were given, as before, half the amount representing the value of their labour. The school cost Rs 96,216 (including Rs. 78,633 from Provincial Revenues). The total value of the work undertaken by the school workshops amounted during the year to Rs. 6,299. The results of the Final Examination were as follows :—

	Appeared.	Passed.
Upper Subordinate Examination, Part B ...	39	26
Ditto ditto, Part A ...	91	64
Lower Subordinate Examination	60	41

The Survey School, Comilla.

5. The Survey School at Mainamati has been under the control of the Department of Industries since 1920. The Bengal Retrenchment Committee recommended the abolition of the school, but the proposal has not been accepted by Government. Of late the school has been attracting students with good educational qualifications, viz., Matriculates or students who have received higher education. Owing to insufficiency of accommodation the training of District Kanungoes at the school has been suspended temporarily. The urgent needs of the institution are two, viz., a permanent school house, and revision of the salaries of the staff. There were 51 students on the rolls on 31st March 1923 compared with 53 on the corresponding date of 1922, and the total cost of upkeep amounted during the year under review to Rs. 12,712 (including Rs. 10,013 from Provincial Revenues). In the Final Survey Examination 13 students appeared, and all of them were successful; in the special Amin Examination 25 candidates passed out of 36 presented.

Government School of Art, Calcutta.

6 The Government School of Art, Calcutta, is the most important among Art Schools in the Presidency. The school had 316 students (including 35 from other Provinces and States) on the rolls on 31st December 1922, and cost Rs. 54,963 during the calendar year 1922, towards which Provincial Revenues contributed Rs. 50,446. Passed students of the school obtain employment as draftsmen, painters, designers, illustrators and teachers. An important commission executed by the school during the year under review consisted in designing and constructing a "Roll of Honour" memorial in metal for the Eastern Bengal Railway.

The Government Commercial Institute.

7. The number of students on the rolls of the Commercial Institute in the day and evening classes together was 332 on 31st March 1923 against 287 on 31st March 1922. The evening classes are said to be more popular than the day classes. Altogether 213 pupils joined the day classes and 429 the evening classes on different subjects. The expenditure for the year amounted to Rs. 41,870 as compared with Rs 37,556 in the year preceding. Twenty minor institutions imparting commercial education are affiliated to the Government Commercial Institute and present candidates at the examinations conducted by it. The number of candidates who passed the Commercial Course Final and Special examinations during the last two years is shown below :—

	Final Examination.		Special Examination.	
	Appeared.	Passed	Appeared.	Passed.
1921-22	34	16	44	42
1922-23	47	21	97	74

Vocational Courses of the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca.

8. The Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca, have opened two courses at the Jagannath Intermediate College, viz., a course in Dyeing connected with the Science Side and a course in Commerce connected with the Arts Side. Examinations in both courses were held for the first time in March 1923; the dyeing course includes a laboratory test and the commercial course includes papers in Commercial Correspondence and Book-keeping besides a practical test in Shorthand. Twenty-three passed out of the 34 candidates who sat for the Intermediate Examination with Dyeing, and in the Intermediate Examination with Commerce 37 passed out of 56.

The Weaving Institute, Serampore.

9. There were 163 students on the rolls of the Weaving Institute on 31st March 1923 as compared with 187 on the corresponding date of 1922. The Institute cost Rs. 42,163 against Rs. 51,826 in the preceding year. Towards the close of the year under review the posts of a carpenter and a mechanic were created for the Institute. Mensuration, Practical Mathematics and Machine-drawing have been added to the curriculum of the first year class. Twenty-two candidates appeared from the Institute at the Final Examination, the results of which have not been published yet. At the last City and Guilds Examination of the London Institute, held at the Institute, 55 candidates appeared in the textile and dyeing subjects, and 30 were successful. From the Artisan classes 88 students passed out. A class has been opened for training women in the higher and artisan classes. Regarding the question of employment for passed students the Principal remarks :— "owing to the uncertainty of times, slackness of business, high cost of

living, together with the general unemployment question, it is becoming difficult to get employment for the higher class students." The system of granting loans to *ex*-students referred to in the previous reports is said to have been very successful. The Principal notes that the employees of the Institute have not had their pay revised as yet. The outlying and peripatetic weaving centres, where practical instruction in weaving was imparted during the year under review, numbered 14.

"B" classes.

10. The "B" Final Examination Board has been re-constituted. Mr. Macdonald, Professor of the Bengal Engineering College, has been appointed Secretary of the Board and Inspector of "B" classes. As before, five schools had "B" classes attached to them. They presented 36 candidates at the "B" Final Examination or "School Final Examination, Science Side" of whom 15 were successful.

CHAPTER VIII.

Education of Indian Girls and Women.

Institutions and pupils.

The number of recognised schools of all kinds for girls rose from 12,280 to 12,429 or by 1·2 per cent., and the number of pupils attending them increased by 2,112 or ·7 per cent. Of the 286,383 pupils (excluding 53,861 girls reading in boys' schools) 124,362 were Hindus and 154,447 Muhammadans : the rest were of other communities. The unrecognised schools for girls which numbered 230 during the year under review had an enrolment of 6,127 pupils—2,603 Hindus, 3,357 Muhammadans and 167 of other communities.

Controlling agency.

2. The women inspecting staff of the Department consisted, as previously, of two Inspectresses and 12 (6 for East and 6 for West Bengal) Assistant Inspectresses of schools.

Collegiate education, Arts colleges.

3. During the year under review there were, as previously, four (including the Intermediate classes of the Eden High School) arts colleges for women, three in Calcutta and one in Dacca. Of these the Bethune College and the Eden High School, Dacca, are Government institutions ; while of the Diocesan College and the Collegiate Department of the Loreto House (both under mission management), the former is aided and the latter unaided.

The Bethune College had 120 students on the rolls on 31st March 1923, as against 114 on the corresponding date of the previous year. The teaching of elementary physics and chemistry has been introduced into the college since last July, and a lecturer has been appointed to conduct these classes. A sum of Rs. 2,500 was also sanctioned for the equipment of the laboratory. The officiating Principal complains that although Honours classes in mathematics are held regularly, yet the girls taking up the subject have to appear as non-collegiate students, for want of affiliation. Hostel accommodation is inadequate as before. The students play badminton and tennis. Classes for instrumental and vocal music are held every Saturday. Of the 28 candidates who appeared in the I.A. examination 27 passed (18 in the first division) ; to the B.A. examination 19 students were sent up, and 17 passed (four with honours). Six senior scholarships of the value of Rs. 20 a month each were awarded on the results of the I.A. examination. The expenditure on the college (and hostel) amounted, during the year under review, to Rs. 88,355 as against Rs. 81,280 in 1921-22. The average annual cost of educating each pupil was Rs. 571-12.

In the Diocesan College and Loreto House the enrolment rose from 71 and 16 to 76 and 22, respectively. Loreto House received, during the year under review, affiliation in Latin and History up to the B A. (Pass) standard and in Latin up to I.A. The expenditure on the two colleges amounted to Rs. 21,759 and Rs. 8,250, respectively. The former institution presented 9 and 15 candidates to the B.A. and I.A. examination, of whom 9 and 14, respectively, were successful. The latter sent up 4 students at the B. A. and the same number at the I.A. examination, all of whom passed.

In the Intermediate classes of the Eden High School, Dacca, which works under the Board of Secondary and Intermediate Education, there were 23 students on 31st March 1923 A scheme for adding the Intermediate Science course, though approved by Government, has been dropped, as the accommodation available is very limited. Eleven girls were sent up to the Intermediate Examination in Arts, and of these seven passed.

Secondary Education—(1) High School.

4. The number of high English schools for Indian girls remained stationary at 13, but the number of pupils reading in them rose from 2,744 to 2,881. Of the 13 schools, four were managed by Government and the rest aided. All the four Government high schools increased their number during the year under review. Of the aided high schools, the Brahmo Girls' school is reported to have doubled its numbersduring the last few years. Lectures on first-aid, hygiene and home nursing were delivered during the year at the Bethune Collegiate School. At the Eden High School 72 lectures in first aid and hygiene were delivered. This school has also a company of Girl Guides. Several voluntary subjects, such as drawing, instrumental music, gardening, swimming, botany, charka-spinning, first aid, nursing and cooking have been introduced in the Vidyamoyee High School for girls at Mymensingh, which have given the girls a wide choice of subjects. In Dr. Khastagir's High School for girls at Chittagong the progress has been somewhat slow owing to difficulties of hostel and conveyance accommodation The weaving class opened in the school did not receive much support from the guardians ; it is unlikely, therefore, that the music class here would be a success. The Girls' High School at Barisal has secured University recognition for two years for the present ; the school received from the Department a monthly grant of Rs. 300. The undermentioned high schools for girls received, during the year under review, the additional recurring and capital grants noted against them :—

	Recurring	Non-recurring.
(*i*) Gokhale Memorial School ..	Rs. 250 a month ...	(Rs. 7,000 for furniture and equipment.)
(*ii*) Victoria Institution .	„ 200 „ ...	(Rs. 5,000 for furniture and equipment.)
(*iii*) Brahmo Girls' School ...	„ 200 „ ...	.....
(*iv*) United Missionary High School	„ 100 „ ...	.....
(*v*) Diocesan High School ...	....	(Rs 3,000 for repairs)

(2) Middle schools.

There were, on 31st March 1923, 32 middle English Schools for girls with 4,050 pupils, as compared with 28 schools with 3,509 pupils on the corresponding date of the preceding year ; the middle vernacular schools numbered 27 with 3,004 pupils as against 29 with 3,100 pupils in 1921-22. With reference to middle schools for girls in West Bengal the Inspectress observes " they are all schools of a superior type, staffed almost entirely by trained women teachers, and well equipped. The committees of these institutions take a very keen interest in their welfare, and I believe that in their multiplication lies the best hope of Hindu and Muhammadan education. A large proportion of these schools are well-housed, but three of the best in the city are threatened with extinction owing to high rents." In East Bengal the middle schools at Comilla (a Government institution), Jalpaiguri and Tangail (both aided), are well-reported on.

Primary education.

5. There were 12,302 primary schools for Indian girls with 274,706 pupils on 31st March 1923. as compared with 12,151 schools with 267,618 pupils in the previous year. The primary schools for girls are chiefly of the following categories :—

(*a*) Model primary schools for girls are managed by Government.—The pay of the staff has been considerably increased, as a result of the reorganisation of the services.

(*b*) Urban Girls' School—these exist in East Bengal only.

(*c*) Panchayati Union schools for girls—sanction was accorded to the construction of 25 schools during the year under review.

(*d*) Home Girls' schools are taught, as hithertofore, by a single mistress.

(*e*) Peasant Girls' schools—22 in number, all in the Presidency Division ; the schools have been given enhanced grants.

(*f*) Aided Primary schools—the schools aided by Municipalities are better off than those receiving aid from District Boards.

The work of the Nari Shikha Samiti and of the Society for the Improvement of Backward Classes, Bengal, deserves special mention in connection with the expansion of primary education of girls. Both societies are in receipt of substantial grants from the Department.

Special schools.

6. The number of technical and industrial schools for girls was 49 ; they had 1,481 pupils on the rolls on 31st March 1923. The industrial schools teach generally lace-making, knitting, sewing and dress-making, besides imparting general education.

Zenana education.

7. On the 31st March 1923, there were 56 zenana teachers with 1,235 pupils under instruction. All the zenana teachers in West Bengal (except those at Krishnagar), are paid at a uniform rate of Rs. 30 a month and a conveyance grant of Rs. 15 a month. The zenana system of teaching is popular among both Hindus and Muhammadans, but the Inspectress of Schools, Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, is opposed to any further extension of the system ; the work is difficult to control, takes much time, while it gives very poor results. The zenana class at Krishnagar has been a unique success. Absence of pupils and frequent changes of centres also interfere with the work. The proposal for abolishing the scheme of zenana education has been under the consideration of Government.

Needlework.

8. The work of the peripatetic needlework teachers has been satisfactory, and it has been decided to retain them as before on a grant-in-aid basis. Sewing grants were continued to improve the teaching of needlework in girls' schools. The Lady Carmichael Needlework Diploma examination is said to have given a great impetus to the work. The National Indian Association also has instituted a diploma for needlework and many schools compete for it. The Girl Guides Association is also doing valuable work in this respect.

Co-education.

9. There were 53,861 girls reading in boys' schools, as compared with 55,703 in the previous year. The number fell during the year by 1,842, which shows that people generally do not favour co-education.

CHAPTER IX.

Education of Europeans and Anglo-Indians.

Institutions.

On the 31st March 1923 there were 66 institutions for European and Anglo-Indian children as against 81 on 31st March 1922. This decrease in the number of schools is apparent rather than real, being due to the fact that the previous practice of counting the supplementary or technical classes attached to the main institutions as separate schools, has been abandoned. Of the 66 institutions 61 were schools for general education, and 5 for special instruction. Of the schools for general education 14 were Higher Secondary, 7 Secondary, 23 Higher grade, 15 Primary and 2 Ungraded. Government directly controlled three of the 66 schools, and the rest were managed by various denominations.

2. The following table shows the distribution of pupils in the different stages of instruction in European schools :— **Pupils.**

	1921-22.				1922-23.			
	Number of institutions.	Number of boys.	Number of girls.	Total.	Number of institutions.	Number of boys.	Number of girls.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Higher Secondary ...	14	2,400	1,483	3,883	14	2,309	1,498	3,807
Secondary	7	624	452	1,076	7	615	512	1,127
Higher grade ...	23	1,746	2,173	3,919	23	1,894	2,262	4,156
Primary	16	499	375	874	15	479	405	884
Ungraded	2	199	...	199	2	214	...	214
Special*	25	714	37	751	5	376	143	519
Total ...	87	6,182	4,520	10,702	66	5,887	4,820	10,707

* (Supplementary classes.)

The above figure includes 1,781 (1084 boys and 697 girls) non-European pupils against 1,570 in 1921-22 who were under instruction in European schools on 31st March 1923.

3. The total expenditure on the education of European and Anglo-Indian children amounted (including the boarding charges of Rs. 13,98,872) during the year under review to Rs. 36,39,763 as compared with Rs. 36,11,840 in the preceding year. **Expenditure.**

The expenditure was appropriated as follows :—

	Rs.
(*a*) Provincial Revenues	10,52,137
(*b*) Municipal funds	59,638
(*c*) Fees	14,42,547
(*d*) Other sources	10,85,441
Total ...	36,39,763

4. A sum of Rs. 32,755 was spent during the year 1922-23 on scholarships; this amount included the expenditure on certain extra-provincial scholarships paid in Bengal. In 1922 the Government of Bengal provided 2 scholarships tenable abroad; one was awarded to Mr. Cedric Dover to enable him to study Zoology at the University of Edinburgh, and the other to Miss Mercia Heynes Wood to take up French at Oxford. **Scholarships.**

5. Besides the ordinary grants paid under the European School Code, the undermentioned special grants were sanctioned during the year 1922-23 :— **Special grants**

	Rs.
(1) St. Andrew's Colonial Homes	60,000
(2) Calcutta Free School	29,000
(3) Loreto Orphanage, Entally	20,000

Owing, however, to the prevailing financial stringency the authorities of the schools were informed that there was no prospect of the continuance of the special grants in future.

6. There were 683 teachers employed in European schools on 31st March 1923 as compared with 657 on 31st March 1922. Of the 683 teachers 55 were graduates, 346 (including 21 graduates) were trained, and 337 (including 34 graduates) were untrained. In the preceding year there were 61 graduates and 596 non-graduates. **Teachers.**

Training of teachers.

7. As previously reported, there are no facilities in Bengal for the training of European male teachers; nor was any candidate deputed from Bengal in 1922-23 to Sanawar for training. Eighteen women teachers, as against 17 in previous year, were under training on 31st March 1923 at the Dow Hill Training Class, Kurseong. In the annual examination held in November 1922, 8 senior or second year students passed out of 9; of the 9 junior or first-year students all passed, 8 being placed in the first class.

Vocational training.

8. The number of schools, which maintained classes following the recognised school final courses as well as commercial or technical classes, was 21. The number of pupils on the rolls of these classes on 31st March 1923 was 236. Special classes for domestic training in plain cookery and needlework were held, as before, in the Dow Hill School and St. Helen's Convent, Kurseong. The Entally Convent held classes for probationary sick-nurses, and St. Andrew's Colonial Homes, Kalimpong had nursing classes for the sick and children. The domestic science subjects continue to be examined by the City and Guilds Examination Committees.

City and Guilds Examinations.

9. These were held in November 1922 at Kurseong, for candidates from Dow Hill and St. Helen's Convent, Kurseong. The entries and results were as follows :—

	Entries.	Passes.
Plain needlework	18	17
„ cookery	13	12

Examinations.

10. The subjoined table shows the results of the various examinations for which pupils were allowed to enter in 1922 :—

	1922.			
	Number sent up.		Number passed.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
Elementary Schools.				
*(1) Elementary School Certificate or School Scholarship Examination	27	16	...	...
(2) Supplementary Class Final or School Final Examination	23	20	19	13
Secondary Schools.				
(1) Cambridge Junior Certificate	131	95	90	64
(2) Cambridge University Senior Local Examination	71	46	52	21
(3) Cambridge University Higher School Certificate	5	4	2	...

* A competitive test for award of scholarships.

The Departmenal Vernacular Examination for secondary schools was abolished in terms of Government Order No. 275T.—Edn. dated the 29th May 1920, and the Cambridge Higher Local Examination was discontinued by the Cambridge Syndicate.

Education of deficient and defective children.

11. The Children's House, Kurseong, continued to deal with physically and mentally defective children with satisfactory results. There were 11 pupils on 31st March 1923. The institution receives a monthly grant of Rs. 150.

The Sussex Trust.

12. The following expenditure was incurred during the year :—

(*i*) Rs. 19,196 on scholarships (and contingent expenses) for 4 boys and 3 girls in the United Kingdom and 4 boys and 1 girl in India.

(*ii*) Rs. 4,313 for construction and maintenance of 3 lower primary schools for pupils of the depressed classes.

(*iii*) Rs. 50,000 towards the construction of the Asansol Orphanage.

(*iv*) $\frac{\text{Rs. } 19,130}{\text{Rs. } 93,999}$ towards the cost of the additional dormitory at Dow Hill.

Doveton Trust Fund.

13. The total amount of receipts during 1922-23 including the balance on 31st March 1922 and the interest up to 31st October 1922 amounted to Rs. 14,702-6 ; the total expenditure for the period was Rs. 7,626-12-9, leaving a closing balance of Rs. 7,075-9-3. Fifteen scholarships at rates varying from Rs. 40 to Rs. 10 a month were awarded during the year.

Controlling Agency.

14. Mr. W. F. Papworth continued to officiate as Inspector of European Schools, Bengal, throughout the year.

Noteworthy features.

15. The year under review witnessed the introduction of those measures of reconstruction in elementary education, which had been discussed at the conference held in January 1921, and finally accepted by Government. The Elementary School Certificate Examination was replaced by a scholarship examination and the Supplementary Class Final examination by the Higher Grade School Final examination.

A successful exhibition in which many of the European schools in Bengal took part, was held in February 1923 in the premises of the Calcutta Free School. The exhibition was opened by Sir Thomas Richardson and lasted for 4 days. The educative value of the exhibition is great; and it is hoped that it will become an annual feature of the work of European schools in Calcutta.

CHAPTER X.

Education of Muhammadans.

Statistics of Muhammadan pupils.

1. During the year under review the number of Muhammadan pupils in all types of educational institutions for Indians rose from 880, 374 to 901, 714 or by 21,340. The proportion of Muhammadan pupils to the total number of pupils under instruction fell, however, from 46·6 to 46·4 per cent. The proportion of Muhammadans to the total number of students in arts colleges rose from 12·8 to 13 3, and in professional colleges from 9·4 to 10·8 per cent.; in the high stage it declined from 17·1 to 15·2 ; in the middle stage also the proportion fell from 20 9 to 19·4 ; in the primary stage of instruction, the proportion remained almost stationary ; in special schools the proportion was 59·1. The chief causes of decline in the high and middle stages are (1) the general economic depression ; (2) the still lingering effects of the political agitation ; (3) the unremunerative character of the education at present imparted ; and lastly, (4) the popularity of the senior and junior madrasas.

Hindu and Muhammadan pupils.

2. Of the total Muhammadan pupils 743,910 were reading in schools for males at the close of the year and 157,804 in schools for females. The number of Hindu pupils in the two classes of institutions numbered 874,887 and 126,965, respectively. Thus while the Hindus had a marked superiority in numbers in schools for males, in schools for females they were greatly out numbered by the Moslems.

Madrasas.

3. The year under review closed with 346 madrasas—14 senior and 332 junior, which had 26,156 pupils on their rolls. In the previous year there were 335 madrasas with 25,036 pupils. Pupils reading in these institution increased by 4·47 per cent. during the year under report. The total direct expenditure on all madrasas amounted to Rs. 6,64,675 of which Rs. 3,39,981 was met from public funds.

Maktabs.

4. The number of maktabs—recognised and unrecognised—fell from 14,673 to 14,303 of which 9,715 were for boys, and 4,588 for girls. This decrease in number is said to be due to the closing of some weak and inefficient maktabs. The number of pupils attending these institutions, however, rose slightly from 401,764 to 402,449. Of the pupils 293,566 were boys and 108,883 were girls, as compared with 292,793 boys and 108,971 girls in the preceding year. The total direct expenditure on maktabs rose from Rs. 9,90,484 to Rs. 11,09,071 to which public funds contributed Rs. 5,89.287, as compared with Rs. 5,63,273 in 1921-22. The arrangements referred to in previous reports for the inspection of maktabs by Muhammadan Sub-Inspectors of Schools in certain districts were continued during the year 1922-23.

Recognition of reformed course Madrasa.

5. During the year under review the Serajganj Madrasa applied for recognition as an Islamic Intermediate College, which was granted.

Maintenance grants for madrasas.

6. No funds were available during the year under review for giving additional maintenance grants to madrasas under the reformed scheme.

Junior Madrasa examination.

7. In the Junior Madrasa examination, which was held in October 1922, 611 boys appeared, of whom 477 or 78 per cent. were successful.

Islamic Matriculation and Islamic Intermediate examinations.

8. Eighty-two candidates sat for the special Islamic Matriculation examination and 16 for the Islamic Intermediate examination—both of which were conducted by the Board of Secondary and Intermediate Education, Dacca; the numbers of successful candidates in the two examinations were 61 and 13, respectively.

Calcutta Madrasa.

9. The committee appointed by Government in 1921 to enquire into the general condition of the Calcutta Madrasa and to make proposals for its improvement submitted their report in October 1922. The report is now under the consideration of Government.

Special facilities for Muhammadans.

10. Muhammadan pupils continued to enjoy, during the period under review, the special concessions referred to in previous reports, viz., reservation of seats in Government and aided schools; grant of special stipends and scholarships, and of free studentships to the extent of 15 per cent. of the total enrolment.

Special scholarships for Muhammadans.

11. In February 1923 the Government of Bengal in the Ministry of Education sanctioned for the benefit of Moslem students the creation of the following scholarships tenable in various educational institutions in the province :—

(*i*) Three junior scholarships of the value of Rs. 10 per mensem, each, tenable for two years in any Intermediate College within the Dacca University area.

(*ii*) Nine junior scholarships of the value of Rs. 10 per mensem, each tenable for two years in any college affiliated to the Calcutta University.

(*iii*) Six senior scholarships of the value of Rs. 10 per mensem, each tenable for three years in the Dacca University.

(*iv*) Six senior scholarships of the value of Rs. 10 per mensem, each tenable for two years in any college affiliated to the Calcutta University.

(*v*) Two graduate scholarships of the value of Rs. 25 per mensem each tenable for one year in the Dacca University.

(*vi*) Two graduate scholarships of the value of Rs. 25 per mensem, each tenable for two years in the Calcutta University.

(*vii*) Two scholarships of the value of Rs. 25 per mensem, each tenable for three years in the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering classes of the Bengal Engineering College, Sibpur.

(*viii*) Two scholarships of the value of Rs. 25 per mensem, each tenable for three years in the Mining classes of the Bengal Engineering College, Sibpur.

(*ix*) Four scholarships of the value of Rs. 15 per mensem, each tenable for two years in the Sub-Overseer classes of the Ashanulla School of Engineering, Dacca.

CHAPTER XI.

Education of special classes.

Education of Chiefs and Nobles.

There are special arrangements in the Nawab Bahadur's Institution at Murshidabad for educating the boys of the Nizamat family. The Institution is a high school open to all, but at the head of it there is a European officer

and special residential arrangements are made for boys of the Nizamat family. Twenty-six boys of the Nizamat family received instruction in the Institution during 1922-23 as compared with the same number in 1921-22. The cost of these arrangements to Provincial Revenues amounted during the year to Rs. 6,531 against Rs. 4,400 in the year preceding.

Education of aborigines and the children of the depressed classes.

2. Among the depressed classes the Namasudras have taken up education as a means of advancement with real earnestness, and are showing commendable progress year after year. The following table shows the total number of depressed classes pupils under instruction in the various stages during the year 1922-23 :—

	Boys.	Girls	Total.
In Primary stage	106,138	11,926	118,064
In Secondary „	5,125	176	5,301
In College „	268	...	268
In Professional Colleges ...	58	...	58
In special schools	5,135	18	5,153
Total ...	116,724	12,120	128,844

The corresponding figures for the preceding year were 85,159 ; 11,393 ; and 96,552, respectively. In the paragraphs below an account is given of the progress made by pupils of backward classes in each division of the Presidency during the year under review.

Calcutta.

There were 9 primary and 2 special schools in Calcutta with 401 pupils altogether, of whom 321 were Domes, Muchis, Dosads and Pods. In addition to these 1,185 pupils of depressed classes were educated in ordinary schools along with pupils belonging to other grades of society.

Presidency Division outside Calcutta.

In the year under report 44,453 boys and 2,547 girls of the depressed classes were under instruction. In the districts of Jessore and Khulna the Namasudras and Pods are said to have started 1 High and 6 Middle Schools for their children. Pupils of the backward classes won 7 Middle and 5 Upper Primary scholarships The Society for the Improvement of Backward classes in Bengal aided 69 primary schools ; 3 schools were also maintained for the benefit of the depressed classes out of the contribution paid from the Sussex Trust Fund. Two special schools in the colonization area of the 24-Parganas which exist for the children of settlers were encouraged with liberal grants from Provincial Revenues.

Burdwan Division.

The number of aboriginal pupils under instruction increased from 7,351 to 7,791 and of depressed Hindus from 11,950 to 12,300. There were 210 primary schools for Sonthals. The American Baptist Mission managed one Middle English School for Sonthal boys, and one Middle Vernacular School for Sonthal girls at Bhimpur in Midnapore. The Wesleyan Mission also managed one Middle Vernacular School for boys, besides a Training School for Sonthal Teachers at Sarenga in Bankura. Eight Lower Primary scholarships were awarded to Sonthal pupils. As previously, special endeavours were made to encourage the children of depressed classes to join primary schools by admitting them as free pupils and by reserving Lower Primary scholarships for them. The Society for the Improvement of Backward classes subsidized 17 schools including a Middle English School in Burdwan.

Dacca Division.

Of the 49,840 pupils of aboriginal and backward classes under instruction in the division, 41,269 were Namasudras. In the district of Dacca there were 10 schools for fishermen's children (three of which were aided by the Education Department), 5 for Muchis and 21 for Namasudras. Mymensingh had 3 schools chiefly intended for Garos and other aboriginal races Faridpur had 2 primary schools—one for boys and one for girls—for Buna pupils. The District Board of Bakarganj managed 11 free Primary Schools for Magh boys and 1 for Magh girls in the colonization area of the Sundarbans. Eight Middle and 10 Upper Primary scholarships were awarded to pupils of the depressed classes.

Chittagong Division.

In the Chittagong Division 4,382 aboriginal pupils and 6,841 pupils of the depressed classes were under instruction. The Hill Tracts had 1 High, 2 Middle English, 1 Industrial, 159 Primary and 38 Indigenous schools besides 2 Training classes for Chakmas, Maghs and Tipras. Tippera had 1 Middle English, 11 Primary and 33 Kyang schools. Eight Upper Primary and 16 Lower Primary scholarships were won by aboriginal pupils. Pupils of the depressed classes were awarded 5 Middle English, 2 Middle Vernacular, 4 Upper Primary and 5 Lower Primary scholarships during the year under review.

Rajshahi Division.

The Rajshahi Division had 2,458 boys and 26 girls of aboriginal races under instruction. The Board of Sonthal Education in Dinajpur is reported to be doing good work. The work of the Salvation Army at Syedpur for the education of the Nutts—a criminal tribe—is laudable. A scheme for the education of the Sonthals, who have settled in Malda, has been under consideration.

Education of defectives.

3. The Children's House, Kurseong, alluded to in Chapter IX, is reported to have made satisfactory progress, and had 11 pupils under training on 31st March 1923. The Deaf and Dumb School and the school for blind children at Calcutta had altogether 125 children on the rolls and cost Rs. 34,149. Dacca, Barisal and Faridpur had each a school for the education of deaf and dumb children; altogether the schools had 41 (including 7 girls) pupils and cost Rs. 5,084 There is a weaving class attached to the Barisal school in addition to the primary classes. A school for deaf and dumb children was started at Chittagong with 6 pupils including 2 girls during the year under report. As previously, various District Boards provided special stipends for the benefit of defective children who were under training at the Calcutta schools.

Tea-garden schools.

4. Darjeeling had 76 schools with 1,238 pupils for the education of the children of tea-garden employees, and Jalpaiguri had 37 schools with 512 pupils. The total cost of the tea-garden schools was Rs. 12,419 including Rs. 7,177 from Provincial Revenues.

Education of factory children.

5. For the children of the employees of mills and factories, as well as artisans, there were three special schools—one at Titagarh with two sections (one Hindi and another Urdu) to suit Hindu and Muhammadan pupils, respectively, and two at Ichapur. The school at Titagarh is a free Primary School; Government contributes Rs. 60 a month towards its up-keep. A building has also been provided for the school at Government cost. Of the two schools at Ichapur, one received Rs 1,680 from Provincial Revenues during the year for its maintenance. Both schools have been provided by the managers with decent buildings. The children of millhands also attend various Maktabs and Hindi Primary Schools, which exist in the mill areas of 24-Parganas. There is no provision at present for the education of the children of labourers employed in the silk and indigo factories in Murshidabad.

Additional grant.

6. An additional grant of Rs. 20,000 has been made available since the year 1922-23 for the improvement of education among backward classes; the amount was distributed during the year under review in the following way:—

(*i*) In affording greater facilities for the training of aboriginal teachers.

(*ii*) In giving additional recurring grant (besides a capital grant of Rs. 12,329) of Rs. 3,250 to the Society for the Improvement of Backward classes in Bengal.

(*iii*) In the creation of the undermentioned special scholarships:—

2 Graduate scholarships of Rs. 30 per mensem.

4 Senior	,,	,,	,,	15	,,	,,
4 Junior	,,	,,	,,	10	,,	,,
33 Middle	,,	,,	,,	4	,,	,,
60 Upper Primary	,,	,,	,,	3	,,	,,

CHAPTER XII.

Unrecognised Institutions.

There were 1,298 institutions with 44,704 pupils against 1,840 with 55,437 pupils last year. As mentioned in the previous reports, schools teaching advanced courses in Arabic or Sanskrit, the Koran, and giving elementary instruction in the vernacular belong to this category. A decrease in the number of unrecognised schools means, as a rule, their transfer to the class of recognised institutions and is not therefore necessarily a cause for regret. Their disappearance is sometimes due, however, to perfunctory teaching and unsatisfactory discipline which causes a lack of public confidence. Of the 44,704 pupils reading in these schools on 31st March 1923, 19,129 were Hindus and 24,065 Muhammadans; the rest, viz., 1,510 belonged to various other communities.

CHAPTER XIII.

Physical and Moral Training.

Hostels and Messes.

Of the 25,721 boarders residing in hostels at the end of the year under review 21,056 were Indians and 4,665 Europeans and Anglo-Indians; the figures for the preceding year were 26,350, 21,680 and 4,670, respectively. Of the Indians 18,538 were males and 2,518 females. The European and Anglo-Indian boys and girls numbered 3,077 and 1,588 respectively. The decline in the number of boarders is attributed generally to the higher cost of living in hostels.

Two blocks of the new Hindu hostel attached to the Rajshahi College with accommodation for 50 students in each were opened during the year under review; the remaining blocks are under construction. As a measure of retrenchment, proposals were submitted to Government in March 1923 for a revision of the scales in accordance with which the allowances of superintendents of hostels are paid. The revised rules reduce the allowance of the superintendent of a college hostel by one-third, and that of a school hostel by one-half of the present rates. The proposals were under the consideration of Government at the end of the year under review.

A house known as "Ramna House" was adapted, at the beginning of the session for the purpose of a hostel for 12 Anglo-Indian students in connexion with the Dacca University; unfortunately the hostel remained unoccupied during the session.

2. As in previous years the mess schemes at Calcutta and Dacca were managed by the local standing committees through the inspectors of messes with assistance from Provincial Revenues. The students' residence scheme at Dacca provides accommodation for college students as well as for pupils of recognized high schools and madrasahs in the town. To ensure the financial stability of the Dacca messes reserve funds have been started in connexion with most of them.

Physical Training.

3. A temporary post of Physical Adviser was created in the Bengal Educational Service for 2 years for the present with effect from 1st August 1922, to which Mr. N. Ghosh, B.A., who qualified in Physical Education at Sheffield (England) has been appointed. Mr. Ghosh is general adviser to the Education Department in all matters connected with Physical Education. His chief duty is to visit schools and colleges (with the exception of European schools) all over the Presidency, giving demonstrations on modern methods of physical training or educational gymnastics, and helping in the organisation of athletics and games. Owing to financial stringency the Gymnastic Teachers' Annual Training Class, last held in February 1919, could not be revived, though short courses were conducted at the more important educational centres. There is a crying need for the training of teachers who are

entrusted with the physical education of students. An endeavour was made to equip aided institutions with play-grounds and sports materials to the extent of Rs. 15,000 and Rs. 6,250, respectively by a supplementary budget grant, but the provision was retrenched later in the year.

A course of lectures was given by Mr. Ghosh to the pupils of the David Hare Training College, practical work being done in the Young Men's Christian Association gymnasium. Satisfactory work is reported to have been done at the Rajshahi, Chittagong and Dacca Intermediate Colleges. Some form of physical exercise is compulsory in the Rajshahi, Chittagong and Krishnagar Colleges; other Government Colleges are handicapped for want of adequate play-ground facilities. Outdoor English games have taken a firm hold of the Bengali student, but the numbers actually taking part in them are proportionately small. Mr. Barrow says with reference to the Presidency College, "The utility of trying to encourage English games in Indian Colleges is a point about which I feel increasingly sceptical" In St. Paul's C. M. S. and the Scottish Churches Colleges the staff and the students have cooperated in ensuring attendance at their play-ground which has been fairly busy, and have given a good lead to private colleges. In some places in East Bengal, which are submerged during the rains, boat-races are held, as no other games are then practicable.

Drill.

4. Drill forms a part of the curriculum in a few of the colleges, for example the Chittagong and St Paul's C. M. S. Colleges and in all schools, though limited in some to the fourth class downwards. The Bakarganj District Board continued the arrangement of training primary school teachers in drill by a peripatetic drill master.

Indigenous games are popular in Eastern Bengal, knock-out tournaments and leagues attracting large entries. Football is the most popular of all games.

In connexion with physical education and hygiene teaching in girls' schools, the Inspectress of Schools, Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, reports that most valuable work is being done in this direction by the Girl Guides Association and St. John's Ambulance Association respectively, but much has not been done, so far owing to prejudice against physical exercises. She pertinently observes, "It is extremely interesting to compare the physique of Brahmo and Christian girls, that is non-pardah girls, with that of Hindu and Muhammadan girls. The contrast is in most cases striking, for the latter are smaller in every way."

Religious and Moral Instruction.

5. Moral instruction is given, but there are no special arrangements anywhere for imparting religious instruction except in certain denominational schools, viz., tols, maktabs, madrasahs, and mission and Brahmo schools.

Discipline.

6. Discipline is now understood generally in the negative sense of absence of open disorder rather than in its positive sense of manifestation of right conduct. No serious breaches of discipline came to notice during the year under review; the cases reported were mostly concerned with violation of inter-school rules, or use of unfair means by boys during examinations, which were suitably dealt with. Political agitation among students has apparently subsided for the time being at any rate. Schools and colleges have not, however, fully recovered yet from the effects of the disturbances of preceding years, which were in essence economic rather than political. "A tone of listlessness," the Principal of the Narail Victoria College remarks, "is however more distinctly perceptible among the boys than before. It is difficult to diagnose its causes—how far it is the effect of the last political unrest, and how far it is due to a clearer recognition of the unremunerative nature of school work." Dr. Dunn, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, sums up the situation thus "If we could find a definite goal for the unquestioned ability and powers of application possessed by the Bengali student, the whole educational problem would be solved."

National Schools.

7. During the year ending 31st December 1922 there were 175 National schools in the Presidency with 12,791 pupils as against 170 schools with 13,468 pupils in the preceding year. But these statistics do not appear to be wholly accurate, as the authorities of the schools often refuse to supply the necessary information. The number includes High and Middle English schools, Technical schools, Madrasahs, Primary schools and a National College

at Dacca. These schools do not follow any uniform curriculum, but all of them provide for the teaching of Spinning and Weaving as compulsory subjects. There is no regularity in attendance and the schools are gradually losing influence over the public on whose charity their existence depends. The Inspectors of Schools are of opinion that the schools will collapse sooner or later chiefly through financial weakness

CHAPTER XIV.

Conferences.

A conference presided over by Mr. W. W. Hornell, Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, was held at the Calcutta Free School on 21st March 1923 to consider changes in the European Schools Code for Bengal. Conferences of Educational Officers were also held at the headquarters of the Presidency, Burdwan and Chittagong Divisions, in which matters of general importance were discussed. No similar conference was, however, held at the headquarters of the Dacca and Rajshahi Divisions, the chief consideration against holding a conference being financial. The Chairman of the Chittagong District Board held a conference of inspecting officers to discuss how the expansion of primary education could be effected in the district.

CHAPTER XV.

Text-Book Committees.

There are still two separate Text-Book Committees in the Presidency—one at Calcutta and the other at Dacca.

2. The special feature of the year 1922-23 was the introduction of the revised curriculum for primary schools ; the curriculum has been prescribed for primary schools in all the districts except six. The object of this arrangement is to enable a comparison to be made between the old and the new curricula with a view to ascertaining the suitability or otherwise of the new.

3. In terms of notification No. 1 T.B., dated the 31st January 1923, all text-books for primary schools prepared according to the revised syllabus are to be received, considered, and disposed of by the Calcutta Text-Book Committee. Two additional non-official Muhammadan members from East Bengal have been appointed to help the Secretary, Calcutta Text-book Committee, in the matter. During the year under report, four vacancies occurred in the memberships of the Calcutta Committee.

4. Out of 888 books considered by the Calcutta Text-Book Committee during the year 296 were approved. The Dacca Text-Book Committee approved 285 books out of 796 considered.

CHAPTER XVI.

Education in the Legislative Council.

All phases of education, primary, secondary, collegiate and technical received the due share of attention in the Bengal Legislative Council. As before the annual budget debate provided ample opportunities to the members of Council for discussing the scope, aims and methods of the present system of education, and showed the importance, which the public attached

to the subject. Numerous questions were asked, and resolutions were moved. The revision of the scale of salaries for ministerial officers employed in the Education Department formed the subject of repeated interpellations in the Council. A lively debate ensued on the motion for giving an additional grant of Rs. 2½ lacs to the University of Calcutta to enable the University authorities to pay up a part of the outstanding deficits. The conditions attached to the grant were adversely criticised by some members; some again reproached the University with reckless expenditure in connection with the maintenance of the Post-graduate Department. In the end a settlement was reached, and the grant was paid.

2. Towards the close of the year two Bills—one framed by Mr. J. M. Bose and the other by Mr. S. N. Mallik were introduced into the Council mainly with a view to the reconstitution of the Calcutta University on popular basis (the object of Mr. Mallik's Bill was further to improve the financial administration of the University). Both the Bills were, however, withdrawn.

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Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second half of February 1924.

Marts.	PADDY, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	7 4 0	7 2 0	8 8 0
Burdwan ...	2 14 6	2 14 6	2 12 0	2 12 6	2 12 6	2 10 0	8 12 0	9 0 0	8 0 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 12 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 7 0	2 9 0	2 6 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0
Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0
Dacca ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	6 2 0	6 4 0	6 6 0
Pabna ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0
Rangpur ...	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	3 4 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 4 0
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	RICE, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	6 2 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Burdwan ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 3 0	(a)	(a)	(c)	5 8 0	6 12 0	(c)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
Chittagong ...	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	5 14 0	6 2 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 0 0
Pabna ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 2 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
Rangpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not available. (c) No transaction. (d) New.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of February 1924.

Marts.	Gram.			Arhar Dal.			Linseed.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	7 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	9 4 0
Burdwan ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 0 0 to 4 4 0	5 6 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	(a)	(a)	(a)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 4 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	7 8 0
Chittagong ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	10 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0
Dacca ...	5 0 0	4 8 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	11 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0
Pabna ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	7 12 0	8 0 0	7 0 0
Rangpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 4 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	(a)	(a)	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	Mustard.			Gur.			Cotton (unginned).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	8 8 0	8 8 0	9 8 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	19 0 0 to 21 0 0	20 0 0 to 22 0 0	13 0 0 to 15 0 0
Burdwan ...	7 8 0 to 8 8 0	7 8 0 to 8 8 0	8 8 0 to 9 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0 to 7 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	8 0 0 to 9 8 0	8 0 0 to 9 8 0	10 0 0 to 11 0 0	11 8 0	13 0 0	11 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	7 8 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	8 4 0	8 8 0	8 0 0	12 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 12 0	9 0 0	9 8 0	7 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 4 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not reported. (a) Not available.

Wholesale prices current of food grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second half of February 1924.

Marts	Jute. Present return.	Jute. Next preceding return.	Jute. Corresponding return of last year.	Ghee. Present return.	Ghee. Next preceding return.	Ghee. Corresponding return of last year.	Hide (Cow). Present return.	Hide (Cow). Next preceding return.	Hide (Cow). Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(1)12 0 0 (2) (a) (3)11 2 0	(1) 12 0 0 (2) (a) (3) 11 0 0	(1) 17 0 0 (2) 16 8 0 (3) 14 4 0	85 0 0	85 0 0	88 0 0	335 0 0*	335 0 0*	337 8 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	9 8 0	9 5 6	11 12 0 to 12 13 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	(c)	(c)	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	8 0 0 to 10 4 0	8 8 0 to 10 4 0	12 4 0 to 15 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(1) Price of jat fours.
(2) Price of district fours.
(3) Weighted average price

Marts.	Iron. Present return.	Iron. Next preceding return.	Iron. Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.	Kerosine oil. Present return.	Kerosine oil. Next preceding return.	Kerosine oil. Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(a) 11 0 0 to 13 0 0	(a) 11 0 0 to 13 0 0	(d) 10 0 0 to 13 0 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	(e) 120 0 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun. 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Per 100 pieces. (a) British mild steel per cwt. (c) No transaction. (d) Per ton. (e) Per 100 maunds ex Golah.
(x) Report not received.

Wholesale prices current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second half of February 1924.

Marts.	MUSTARD OIL			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL)		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	21 0 0	20 0 0	22 8 0	0 13 0	0 13 0	0 12 0	(a)	(a)	(a)
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigan) ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	.....
Narayangan) (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not reported.

J. C. Roy, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, *the 8th March 1924.*

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second half of February 1924.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.																	
			Common rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar dal or Tur or Cajan pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.														
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.			
Presidency.		24-Parganas.																		
	1	Chetla Hat	6 8	6 8	6 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 0	6 4	6 4	5 0	10 0 9 8*	10 0 9 8*	12 0* 11 0			
	2	Magra Hat	8 4	8 6	6 4	8 12	9 6	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 5	5 5	5 11	11 0†	11 0†	13 10			
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	6 0	5 14	5 5	7 10	7 10	8 0	6 2	6 2	6 2	5 8	5 8	4 13	8 0†	8 0†	10 0 10 10*			
		Nadia.																		
	4	Gouri	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 4	5 0	5 0	4 4	8 14†	8 14†	12 12†			
	5	Ranaghat	7 0	7 0	6 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	5 4	5 4	4 8	5 4	5 4	4 0	10 0†	10 0†	10 8†			
		Murshidabad.																		
	6	Berhampore	7 8	7 12	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 12	7 0	6 8	6 0	9 0	8 4	8 0	8 12 10 0*	10 0*	8 0 13 0*			
	7	Kandi	8 8	8 4	9 6	8 12	8 10	9 8	7 8	6 0	5 4	8 0	7 0	7 0	10 0†	10 0†	13 0*			
	8	Jangipur	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 12	8 12	9 4	5 4 (b)	5 4	4 10	8 0	8 0	6 0	10 0†	10 0†	13 0*			
		Jessore.																		
	9	Sadar	8 0	8 8	7 12	9 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 8	5 0	5 0	4 0	10 8	10 0	10 0†			
	10	Bongaon	7 8	7 8	6 15	9 0	9 0	7 8	4 0	3 8	3 8	5 8	4 8	4 4	10 8 10 0*	10 8 11 0*	13 0 12 8*			
		Khulna.																		
	11	Sadar	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 4	9 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 12†	8 12†	11 8†			
	12	Bagerhat	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	12 8 12 8*			
Burdwan.		Burdwan.																		
	13	Sadar	7 12	7 12	7 12	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 4	5 8	5 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	10 0 10 8*	10 0 10 8*	13 0* 12 0			
	14	Kalna	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 10	7 10	7 4	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 8	5 8	5 0	10 4†	10 4†	13 4* 13 0			
		Birbhum.																		
	15	Suri	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 0	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 8	6 8	5 5	10 0*	10 0*	13 0*			
	16	Rampur Hat	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	7 0	7 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 0†	10 0†	14 0* 13 0			
		Bankura.																		
	17	Sadar	8 2	8 2	8 4	8 12	8 12	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 8	6 4	6 4	4 8	10 0†	10 0†	13 0 14 0*			
	18	Vishnupur	8 12	9 0	6 8	9 0	9 8	7 0	7 0	8 0	6 5	6 8	6 0	5 0	10 0†	9 8*	13 0†			
		Midnapore.																		
	19	Sadar	8 11	8 11	8 6	9 0	9 0	8 11	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 0	5 0	5 8	9 0* 10 0	9 0* 10 0	11 0 12 0*			
	20	Contai	9 12	8 12	7 8	10 8	9 0	8 0	5 8	6 0	5 8	8 0	6 0	5 8	10 8†	10 0†	12 8 9 0*			
		Hooghly.																		
	21	Sadar	6 12	6 12	6 6	7 12	7 12	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	5 8	5 12	5 8	9 8 9 0*	10 12 10 0	13 8 12 8*			
	22	Arambagh	8 8	8 4	5 8	9 0	8 12	9 0	4 10	4 8	5 0	4 8	4 4	4 0	9 0* 10 0	9 8 10 0	12 8 10 0*			
		Howrah.																		
	23	Sadar	6 0	7 0	5 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	11 0 10 8*	11 0 10 8	14 0 13 0*			
	24	Uluberia	7 8	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 8	7 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 0	9 8	11 8*	13 0 11 4*			
		Rajshahi.																		
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 10	8 8	8 0	7 14	7 14	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 14	8 7* 8 4	9 0	11 0†			
	26	Nator	7 8	7 8	7 8	9 0	8 10	8 4	6 0	4 14	4 14	7 0	6 0	4 14	7 8 8 1*	8 11	12 0 9 12*			
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	7 12	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	9 0	4 13	4 13	4 0	5 8	5 8	4 0	8 0†	9 0† 8 0	11 0†			
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 0†	9 0†	10 0†			

* Karkach. (a) Not available. (b) New.

N. B.—The price of karkach and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

Prices current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of February 1924.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division	Number	Districts and Marts	Common Rice — Average — Present return	Common Rice — Average — Next preceding return	Common Rice — Average — Corresponding return of last year	Common Rice — Cheapest — Present return	Common Rice — Cheapest — Next preceding return	Common Rice — Cheapest — Corresponding return of last year	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*) — Present return	Kalai Dal — Next preceding return	Kalai Dal — Corresponding return of last year	Arhar Dal or Jhur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*) — Present return	Arhar Dal — Next preceding return	Arhar Dal — Corresponding return of last year	Sali — Present return	Sali — Next preceding return	Sali — Corresponding return of last year
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi—contd.	29	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 4	8 4	7 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 4	7 0 8 0	7 0 8 0*	9 0†
	30	Siliguri	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	5 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	4 0	4 0	9 0*	8 0*	8 0†
		Rangpur															
	31	Sadar	5 8	5 8	7 0	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	8 0* 7 0	8 0* 7 0	8 0* 7 0
	32	Nilphamari	6 8	7 0	8 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 8	4 8	3 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0*	12 0†
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 11	7 11	8 4	4 13	4 13	4 0	4 13	4 13	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	8 8 10 0*
		Pabna															
	34	Sadar	6 12	6 12	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 4	5 4	5 4	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0 8 0*	10 0 11 0
	35	Sirajganj	6 0	6 0	6 4	7 10	7 10	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 12	4 12	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	9 9* 12 0
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	5 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	10 0†	10 0†	11 8* 12 0*
	37	Balia—Nawabganj ...	8 12	7	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 2	10 0	9 0	5 12	6 0	6 0(b)	6 8	10 0†	10 0†	12 0* 11 0*
Dacca		**Dacca.**															
	38	Sadar	7 0	7 4	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 4	5 8	8 0	5 8	6 0	4 8	10 0†	9 8 10 0†	10 8
	39	Mirzadim ...	7 8	7 12	7 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	10 0 10 4*	10 0 10 4*	13 0 13 4*
		Mymensingh															
	40	Nasirabad	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 4	7 4	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 4	6 8	6 4	5 12	10 0 10 0*	8 4 10 0†	11 8* 10 0
	41	Netrakona	7 0†	0	6 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	5 0	5 0	4 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	9 0 8 0*	8 0 8 0*	12 4 10 0*
		Faridpur															
	42	Sadar...	7 8	8 0	7 4	8 0	8 8	7 8	6 8	6 0	8 0	4 8	5 0	3 8	9 2†	8 0†	12 8†
	43	Rajbari	7 12	7 12	7 0	8 4	8 4	7 8	8 0	5 8	6 0	7 0	6 8	4 12	10 0* 9 0	10 0* 11 0	13 0 12 0*
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	8	7 3 (b) 8 4	7 0	8 0	7 8 (d) 9 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 0	5 4	5 4	4 8	8 0 10 0*	9 4 10 0†	10 8 13 0*
	45	Pirojpur	7 1	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	6 8	6 8	6 8	4 0	4 0	(a)	9 0†	9 0†	12 4†
		Tipperah															
	46	Comilla	(b) 7 4	7 4	7 8	(b) 8 0	8 0	7 12	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 8	5 8	4 8	8 0†	9 4	13 0 10 0*
	47	Chandpur	8 4	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 0	7 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 0	10 8* 10 0	10 8 11 4	13 0 13 8*
Chittagong		**Noakhali.**															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	5 4	5 4	4 0	9 0 8 0*	9 0 8 0†	12 8 8 0*
	49	Feni Hat	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 8	5 0	5 0	4 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	10 0 8 0*	10 0 8 0*	13 0 8 0
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar...	7 0	7 0	6 4	8 0	8 0	8 12	5 4	5 4	5 4	5 0	5 0	4 12	10 0 8 0	10 0 8 0	13 0 9 0
	51	Cox's Bazar	7 8	7 8	7 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 0	8 0 6 0*	8 0 6 0*	10 8 6 0*
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati	(a)	(a)	(a)	7 0	7 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	4 0	3 12	3 12	9 0 6 8*	10 8 6 8*	11 0 6 8

(a) Not available (d) Ans. (c) No sale. (n) Not reported (b) New * Karkach.

N.B.—The prices of karkatch and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 8th March 1924.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 5th March 1924.

Summary.—With the exception of slight showers in parts of Darjeeling there was no rainfall throughout the Presidency. Rain is wanted for the field operations for jute and paddy. Harvesting of spring crops continues favourably. The prospects of standing crops are fair. The average price of common rice for the province has slightly risen as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	Nil	6⅘	6½	Effects of weather on crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8 3/16	8	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8	8	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and sugarcane and cultivation of *bhadoi* crops continue. Rain is badly wanted. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Chuadanga ..	Nil	8	8	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	8	8	Rain is badly wanted. Prospects of the standing crops are discouraging in the Lalbagh subdivision and fair elsewhere. Pressing of sugarcane continues. Fodder is sufficient.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8¼ to 8½	8¼ to 8½	
4	Jessore	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Ploughing of lands for the sowing of jute and paddy is going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No import or export. Cattle-disease is reported from Gaighata thana in Bongaon.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	9	
	Magura ...	Nil	9¼	9¼	
	Narail ...	Nil	10	9¼	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8	Effects of weather on the crops are beneficial. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of potatoes are going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. Export and import of rice continue as usual.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	Nil	(n)	8	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7½	7⅝	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane is going on. Fodder and stock of rice are sufficient, but water is insufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	0·25	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane continues. Prospects and state of standing crops are good. Export of rice and paddy continues.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	8	8	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	8½	8½	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and transplantation of *boro* paddy are going on. Import and export are normal. Fodder and water and stock of rice are sufficient.
	Contai ...	Nil	9	9	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8	8	
	Jhargram ...	Nil	8	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	6½	6⅝	Weather seasonable. Rain is needed. Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7	6½	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8½	8½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Rain is wanted for agricultural operations. Condition of standing crops is fair.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Drought is apprehended in Nator subdivision. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-pox is reported from Lalpur.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Nator ...	(n)	(n)	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7⅛	7⅛	Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8	8	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	Nil	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	7	
15	DARJEELING ...	0·24	5	5	Wheat and barley are progressing. Potatoes are being harvested in the Terai. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong ...	0·54	5½	5½	

(n) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	6½	6½	Rain is badly wanted. Sowings of jute and autumn paddy have commenced. Harvesting of *rabi* crops is almost finished. Cattle-disease is reported from Gaibandha, Palashbari and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	6½	6½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	6½	6½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6	6	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	7½	7⅞	Rain is badly needed for the sowing of jute. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are bad owing to want of soil-moisture.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	Fodder and water are adequate. Stock of food-grains is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Lands are being prepared for jute and *bhadoi* paddy. Prospects of mangoes and *rabi* crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7 7/16	(*n*)	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *bitri* paddy has commenced in places. Cutting of tobacco leaves is going on. Gathering of mustard seed is finished. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is lingering in the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rain is needed for the preparation of fields. Prospects of *rabi* crops are being affected for want of rain. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
	Narayanganj ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	Nil	7½	7½	
22	MYMENSINGH ...	Nil	7	7	Weather hot. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Preparation of lands for the sowing of *aus* paddy and jute is still going on. Fodder and water are available.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6⅞	6¾	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	Nil	7	7	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	8	7½	Cultivation of lands for jute and paddy continues. Harvesting of *rabi* crops has commenced. Prospects and state of the standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	Nil	7¾	7¾	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	9	9½	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	Nil	9	9½	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	8 7¼†	8 7¼†	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	8	8	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	8	8	
25	Chittagong ...	Nil	7 6½*	7 6½*	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and cultivation of *pania aus* crops are in progress. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are good. Water and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Satkania and Banskhali. *Panga* salt is selling at 11 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	7½	7	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	Weather hot. *Rabi* crops are progressing fairly. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Brahmanbaria but good elsewhere.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	6⅞	6⅞	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7⅛	7⅛	
27	Noakhali ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Feni and not satisfactory at Sadar. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	8	7	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	Tripura State	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. *Jhoom* clearing continues. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 25 to Rs. 40 and jute at Rs. 7 to Rs. 10 per maund.

* Burma rice. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. Roy, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, *the 8th March 1924.*

Vital Statistics of Towns with a population of 50,000 and over of the Bengal Presidency for the week ending Saturday, the 1st March 1924.

District.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1921.			Births registered.		Deaths registered.																									
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.	Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding week of the previous year.				
																									Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
Calcutta ...	1	Calcutta ...	617,590	290,261	907,851	265	15	26	2	...	20	4	15	...	11	28	29	5	10	81	34	71	8	1	190	333	202	535	267	202	469		
Burdwan ...	2	Asansol Mining Settlement.	176,814	152,539	329,353	152	2	2	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	9	5	...	...	15	...	8	2	2	74	60	61	121	83	68	151		
Howrah ...	3	Howrah ...	128,472	66,829	195,301	71	2	13	1	...	3	3	1	...	1	24	1	6	...	14	1	26	1	1	20	71	45	116	54	34	88		
Dacca ...	4	Dacca ...	67,333	52,117	119,450	95	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	1	1	...	1	5	4	1	...	18	24	21	45	32	22	54		
24-Parganas	5	Maniktala ...	40,996	26,376	67,372	18	1	3	...	...	2	...	4	...	1	2	3	3	...	5	4	9	...	...	13	23	26	49	22	27	49		
	6	Bhatpara ...	45,723	19,886	65,609	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	5	7	10	17	4	4	8		
	7	Cossipur-Chitpur.	30,289	20,185	56,474	9	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	3	2	3	...	...	...	8	5	13	9	7	16		
	8	Titagarh ...	36,533	15,918	52,451	17	...	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	1	14	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	24	6	30	5	4	9		

CALCUTTA, *the 8th March 1924.*

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Statement showing the quantity of Salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 29th day of February 1924 and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 29th February 1924.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas (Bonded).	Quantity afloat.	Total.	Transactions during half-month from the 16th to the 29th February 1924, inclusive.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds. Srs.	Mds.	Mds. Srs.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	998,302 0	...	998,302 0	9,584	...	...	10,942
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt	511,227 0	...	511,227 0	...	...	...	600
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	291,229 0	...	291,229 0	2,900	...	...	3,740
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt	693,015 0	...	693,015 0	5,120	...	...	6,620
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt	682,400 20	130,759	813,219 20	15,600	181,709	27,450	6,750
Salif salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt	570,787 26	...	570,787 26	1,800	...	4,064	3,300
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tuticorin salt	20,250 0	...	20,250 0	...	...	...	...
Kayalpatnam salt ...	32,463 0	...	32,463 0	...	...	...	...
Total ...	(a) 3,799,684 6	130,759	3,930,443 6	35,004	181,709	31,514	31,952

Written off during the half-month— Mds.

Wastage in Sulkea golas	975
Abandoned and destroyed	141

(a) Besides 14,329 maunds are in the private licensed warehouses at Calcutta.

W. J. WARD,

Assistant Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 7th March 1924.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 1st March 1924.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
24th February ...	7 A.M.	7·0	7·0	6·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
25th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·0	7·0	6·3	
26th ,, ...	7 ,,	7·0	7·0	6·1	The bench mark for this gauge is marked on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
27th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·6	6·6	5·9	
28th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·4	6·4	5·8	
29th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·0	6·0	...	
1st March ...	7 ,,	6·0	6·0	5·8	

Highest water level of the year	...	24·1.
Lowest water level of the year	...	5·7.
Highest recorded flood ...	...	24·1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood	...	25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Lowest recorded water-level	...	5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923.
Previous recorded low water-level	...	1·0 on the 8th February 1914.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

C. H. DE, for *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAJBARI, *the 1st March 1924.* *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 1st March 1924.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
24th February ...	7 A.M.	38·25	38·25	36·55	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet above Kidderpur old dock sill.
25th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·20	38·20	36·60	
26th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·25	38·25	36·60	
27th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·20	38·20	36·60	B. M. on Rajshahi College step 64·93.
28th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·15	38·15	36·60	
29th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·15	38·15	...	Value of zero = 0·00 P. W. D.
1st March ...	7 ,,	38·15	38·15	36·60	

			Old value.	According to P. W. Datum.
The previous year	...	Highest water-level ...	on 27th August 1923	... 61·05
Do.	...	Lowest ,, ...	on 4th May 1923	... 35·80
Record	...	Highest ,, ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 64·44
Do	...	Ditto ,, ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 64·27
Do.	...	Ditto ,, ...	68·80 on 25th August 1906	... 63·47
Do.	...	Ditto ,, ...	68·21 on 26th August 1890	... 63·40
Do.	...	Lowest ,, ...	37·63 on 25th April 1884	... 32·82
Do.	...	Ditto ,, ...	38·13 on 14th and 15th April 1883	... 33·32
Do.	...	Ditto ,, ...	39·02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	... 34·21
Do.	...	Ditto ,, ...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	... 34·47
Do.	...	Ditto ,, ...	on 9th May 1922	... 34·70

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer*,

RAMPUR BOALIA, *the 1st March 1924.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 23rd February 1924.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1924.							
17th Feb.	51·35	9-20	51·85	15-35	50·55	50·85	H. T. at 9-40. F. T. at 15-40.
18th ,, ...	51·1	10-20	51·9	16-20	50·6	50 7	H. T. at 10-42. F. T. at 16-25.
19th ,, ...	51·15	11-25	52·3	17-10	50·95	50 98	H. T. at 11-33. F. T. at 17-20.
20th ,, ...	51·3	12-38	52·85	18 0	51·2	51·45	H. T. at 12-47. F. T. at 18-10.
21st ,, ...	51·5	13 20	53·4	Dark		51·9	H. T. at 13-30.
22nd ,, ...	52 0	14-10	53·7	7 25	51·9	52·2	H. T. at 14-25. F. T. at 7-35.
23rd ,, ...	52·4	15-0	53·9	8-36	52·15	52·5	H. T. at 8-46. F. T. at 15-10.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

High.				Low.			
27th August	1906	...	70·5	23rd February	1907	...	51·06
5th September	1909	...	67·86	18th ,,	1908	...	51·06
10th August	1910	...	69·86	12th March	1912	...	51·06
1st ,,	1911	...	68·46	6th ,,	1914	...	50·80
18th ,,	1912	...	67·16	22nd February	1915	...	50·80
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7	15th ,,	1916	...	50·60
16th ,,	1916	...	68·1	3rd March	1917	...	51·0
12th ,,	1917	...	67·1	21st February	1918	...	51·40
31st ,,	1918	...	66·12	26th ,,	1919	...	50·4
2nd ,,	1919	...	66·5	18th ,,	1920	...	50·9
8th September	1920	...	66·9	19th ,,	1921	...	50·9
28th July	1921	...	68·4	8th March	1922	...	51·05
10th August	1922	...	68·00				

Taken at high tide.

Taken at low tide.

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works is −48·51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

M. SINGH, for *Executive Engineer*,
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th March 1924.*

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MONDAY, MARCH 17, 1924.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1303A.R.—The 17th March 1924.—Under the provisions of section 93 of the Government of India Act, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mr. J. A. DeLisle of his office of member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 1306A.R.—The 17th March 1924.—Whereas a vacancy has occurred in the Dacca and Chittagong (European) constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council by reason of the resignation by Mr J. A. DeLisle, His Excellency the Governor is pleased in pursuance of sub-rule (*1*) of rule 26 of the Bengal Electoral Rules to call upon the Dacca and Chittagong (European) constituency to elect a person for the purpose of filling the vacancy before the 30th April 1924.

No. 1309A.R.—The 17th March 1924.—Whereas by notification No. 1303A.R., dated the 17th March 1924, the Governor has been pleased to call upon the Dacca and Chittagong (European) constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council to elect a member to the said Council in place of Mr. J. A. DeLisle, resigned;

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11 of the Bengal Electoral Rules, and in pursuance of sub-rule (*3*) of that rule, to prescribe the 24th March 1924 as the date for the nomination of candidates and for the delivery of nomination papers to the Returning Officer and the 25th March 1924 as the date on which the scrutiny of nominations shall be held.

No. 1299A.R.—The 17th March 1924.—Whereas the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules to enquire into the petition presented by Khan Bahadur Mirza Shujaat Ali Beg against the election of Maulvi Mahbubul Haq to the Bengal Legislative Council for the 24-Parganas Municipal Muhammadan constituency have after due enquiry reported to the Governor that the returned candidate Maulvi Mahbubul Haq had not been duly elected but that Khan Bahadur Mirza Shujaat Ali Beg should be declared to be duly elected;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by rule 45 (*3*) of the said rules, the Governor is pleased to declare in accordance with the report of the Commissioners the election of Maulvi Mahbubul Haq to be void and further declares Khan Bahadur Shujaat Ali Beg to be the candidate duly elected.

The Governor is further pleased to order that in accordance with the recommendations of the said Commissioners each party shall bear its own costs.

The following report of the said Commissioners is published in accordance with the provisions of rule 45 (*3*) of the said rules.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4624A.—The 19th March 1924.—Whereas the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules to enquire into the petition presented by Babu Amulya Dhan Addy against the election of Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti to the Bengal Legislative Council for the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce constituency have after due enquiry reported to the Governor that the returned candidate Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti had not been duly elected ;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by rule 45 (*3*) of the said rules, the Governor is pleased to declare in accordance with the report of the Commissioners the election of Mr. Byomkes Chakravarti as a member of the Bengal Legislative Council for the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce constituency to be void.

The Governor is further pleased to order that in accordance with the recommendations of the said Commissioners each party shall bear its own costs.

The following report of the said Commissioners is published in accordance with the provisions of rule 45 (*3*) of the said rules.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 1295A.R.—The 15th March 1924.—Whereas the Commissioners appointed under rule 36 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules to enquire into the petition presented by Khan Bahadur Abdus Salam against the election of Maulvi Rafiuddin Ahmed to the Bengal Legislative Council for the Jessore North Muhammadan constituency have after due enquiry reported to the Governor that the returned candidate Maulvi Rafiuddin Ahmed had not been duly elected but that Khan Bahadur Abdus Salam should be declared to be duly elected :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by rule 45 (3) of the said rules, the Governor is pleased to declare in accordance with the report of the Commissioners the election of Maulvi Rafiuddin Ahmed to be void and further declares Khan Bahadur Abdus Salam to be the candidate duly elected.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL

No. 4541A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4214A.—The 10th March 1924.*—Mr. H. Quinton, I.C.S., on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Birbhum.

Birbhum.

No. 4233A.—The 11th March 1924.—Maulvi Ekramuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kandi, Murshidabad, is transferred to the Burdwan Division.

Murshidabad.
Burdwan Divn.

No. 4275A.—The 12th March 1924.—Mr. Amrita Lal Mukharji, officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan and Midnapore, is appointed to act temporarily as District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore.

Burdwan.
Midnapore.

No. 4318A.—The 12th March 1924.—Mr. Hubert Graham, I.C.S., Additional District Magistrate, Midnapore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Rajshahi.

Midnapore.
Rajshahi.

No. 4321A.—The 12th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Saiyid Abdus Salik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, to be Additional District Magistrate of that district and to direct that he shall have during the period he is so employed all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code and under all other laws in force in that district.

Midnapore.

No. 4328A.—The 12th March 1924.—Babu Nepal Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Netrakona subdivision of the Mymensingh district on being relieved of his present duties in the Secretariat.

Mymensingh.

No. 4331A.—The 12th March 1924.—Maulvi Abul Fazl Muhammad Mohsin Ali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Netrakona, Mymensingh, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Howrah district.

Mymensingh.
Howrah.

No. 4365A.—The 14th March 1924.—The orders of the 15th December 1923, transferring Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, to the Kishoreganj subdivision of that district, are cancelled.

Mymensingh.

No. 4371A.—The 14th March 1924.—Babu Satyendra Nath Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Basirhat, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Bankura district.

24-Parganas.
Bankura.

No. 4374A.—The 14th March 1924.—Maulvi Talimuddin Ahmad Tariqul Alam, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is appointed to have charge of the Basirhat subdivision of the 24-Parganas district.

Jessore.
24-Parganas.

No. 4474A.—The 14th March 1924.—Mr. R. L. Walker, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Finance, Commerce and Marine Departments.

Calcutta.

No. 4479A.—The 15th March 1924.—Babu Birendra Lal Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is transferred to the Presidency Division.

Hooghly.
Presidency Divn.

No. 4483A.—The 15th March 1924.—Maulvi Abdul Ghafur (No. I), Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Dacca Division.

Dacca Divn.

No. 4486A.—The 15th March 1924.—Maulvi Fazlul Azim, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the Chittagong Division.

Dacca.
Chittagong Divn.

No. 4489A.—The 15th March 1924.—Maulvi Dalil-ud-din Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is transferred to the Dacca Division.

Chittagong.
Dacca Divn.

No. 4492A.—The 15th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Saiyid Manzur Murshed, a Deputy Magistrate, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be a Special Magistrate for the districts of Howrah, Nadia and Murshidabad, for a period not exceeding six weeks from the date of this notification and confers upon him the powers of a Magistrate of the first class in respect of offences under Chapter XVII of the Indian Penal Code within the said districts.

24-Parganas.
Howrah.
Nadia.
Murshidabad.

POLICE.—*No. 4183A.—The 10th March 1924.*—Mr. A. E. F. Wood, officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Rangpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of Police, Noakhali.

Noakhali.

No. 4184A.—The 10th March 1924.—Rai Sahib Kumud Mohan Das Gupta, Deputy Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police, Rangpur, and under the provisions of section I of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

Rangpur.

No. 4239A.—The 11th March 1924.—Mr. G. H. Mannooch, Superintendent of Police, Rajshahi, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Midnapore.

Rajshahi.
Midnapore.

No. 4241A.—The 11th March 1924.—Mr. D. F. Lesslie, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Rajshahi, is appointed temporarily to act as Superintendent of Police of that district.

Rajshahi.

No. 4434A.—The 14th March 1924.—Mr. Erroll Suvo Chunder Sen, probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Murshidabad, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Tippera district.

Murshidabad.
Tippera.

No. 4437A.—The 14th March 1924.—Babu Kshetra Mohan Gangali, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Howrah, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Police, Jessore, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Tuni Meerza or until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 4439A.—The 14th March 1924.—Mr. P. S. Quarry, Superintendent, East Indian Railway Police, Howrah, is appointed to be Assistant to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal.

Howrah.

No. 4441A.—The 14th March 1924.—Mr. W. A. Thrupp, officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Midnapore, is appointed temporarily to act as Superintendent, East Indian Railway Police, Howrah.

Midnapore.
Howrah.

No. 4443A.—The 14th March 1924.—Rai Sahib Srish Chandra Kanjilal, officiating Assistant to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of Police, Dinajpur.

Dinajpur.

No. 4445A.—The 14th March 1924.—Babu Karunamoy Roy, officiating Superintendent of Police, Dinajpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police, Midnapore, and under the provisions of section I of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

Dinajpur.
Midnapore.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 4226A.—The 11th March 1924.*—The Reverend Sisir Kumar Tarafdar is appointed to be an Honorary Canon of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, to fill an existing vacancy with effect from the 20th September 1923.

Calcutta.

No. 4229A.—The 11th March 1924.—The Reverend Russell Payne is appointed to be an Honorary Canon of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, to fill an existing vacancy with effect from the 20th September 1923.

Calcutta.

CONFIRMATION.

POLICE.—*No. 4262A.—The 12th March 1924.*—Mr. F. W. Kidd is confirmed in the superior scale of the Indian (Imperial) Police Service with effect from the 16th October 1923, *vice* Lt.-Col. P. H. Kitson, O.B.E., retired.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 4211A.—The 10th March 1924.*—Mr. J. R. Blackwood, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Birbhum, is allowed leave on average pay for three months and three days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 12th April 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Birbhum.

No. 4315A.—The 12th March 1924.—Mr. F. B. Bradley-Birt, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Rajshahi, is allowed leave on average pay for seven months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 4th April 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Rajshahi.

No. 4369A.—The 14th March 1924.—Maulvi Kafiluddin Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is allowed leave on average pay for six weeks, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave previously granted to him.

Noakhali.

POLICE.—*No. 4180A.—The 10th March 1924.*—Mr. D. R. Hardwick, officiating Superintendent of Police, Noakhali, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months (including privilege leave for two months and twenty-five days), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st April 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Noakhali.

No. 4186A.—The 10th March 1924.—Mr. J. Shevlin, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave for eighteen months, viz., leave on average pay for eight months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st April 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Calcutta.

No. 4236A.—The 11th March 1924.—Mr. P. T. Monckton, Superintendent of Police, Midnapore, is allowed leave for one year, three months and fourteen days, viz., leave on average pay for eight months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 12th April 1924, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Midnapore.

No. 4435A.—The 14th March 1924.—Mr. Tuni Meerza, Superintendent of Police, Jessore, is allowed leave on average pay for ten months (of which six months are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd April 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Jessore.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4207A.—The 10th March 1924.—Rai Suresh Chandra Basu Bahadur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong Hill Tracts, having passed an examination in the Maghi language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, is authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 1,000.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2572P.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (*1*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), read with section 6 of the Cantonment Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Rai Bhupendra Nath Gupta Bahadur, Additional District Magistrate, Dacca, to be Cantonment Magistrate for the Dacca Cantonment, with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, within the limits of the aforesaid Cantonment.

Dacca.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1075Pl.—The 13th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 101 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Ben. Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules published at pages 1047-1054 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 26th May 1920, under notification No. 2197P.J., dated the 21st May 1920, regarding the control, appointment, discipline, etc., of dafadars and chaukidars :—

Amendments.

(1) *For* rule 29 in Part IV of the said rules, *substitute* the following, namely :—

"29. As soon as the pay parade is over, the board shall send to the nearest treasury for credit to the district chaukidari reward fund the total amount realised as fine accompanied by a chalan in triplicate for the sum total of the fines realised, upon which shall be endorsed the details of the realisations made. Of the two copies of the chalan which will be returned by the treasury, one copy shall be forwarded to the circle officer and one filed in the board's office. In the alternative the board may send the amount by money-order direct to the treasury, sending intimation at the same time by letter to the Magistrate. The treasury shall show the money-order coupon to the chaukidari department, which shall note the payment and inform the circle officer."

(2) *For* Form E appended to the said rules *substitute* the following :—

FORM E.

(*Vide* Rule 30.)

Salaries of chaukidars and dafadars of ..... *union in police-station* ..... *for the* $\frac{\text{month}}{\text{quarter}}$ *of* .....

Date of payment.	Name of presiding member.	Number of chaukidars (including dafadars) on the roll.	No. paid in full.	Names of those not paid owing to absence.	Names of those not paid for other reasons.	Statement of reasons for non-payments shown in columns 5 and 6.	Details of fines realised from chaukidars and sent to treasury.	REWARDS DISTRIBUTED.		Details of mutations in the names of dafadars and chaukidars since the preceding pay parade.
								Names.	Amount.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4542A.

POWERS.

No. 4198A.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Atul Kumar Ghosh, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Kurigaon, Rangpur, to record any statement or confession made to him in course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or any time afterwards before the commencement of the inquiry or trial.

Rangpur.

No. 4199A.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Surendra Nath Ray, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Nilphamari, Rangpur, to record any statement or confession made to him in course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or any time afterwards before the commencement of the inquiry or trial.

Rangpur.

No. 4203A.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower the officers named below, holding powers of a Magistrate of the second class, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial :—

Noakhali.

Babu Keshab Chandra Sen, Munsif-Magistrate, Hatiya, Noakhali.
Maulvi S. M. Siddique Ahmed, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Sandip, Noakhali.

No. 4205A.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to sub-section (*2*) of section 167 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), as amended by the Code of Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Act, 1923 (XVIII of 1923), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower the officers named below, holding powers of a Magistrate of the second class, to authorise detention of any accused person for the purposes of the said section for a term not exceeding fifteen days in the whole :—

Noakhali.

Babu Keshab Chandra Sen, Munsif-Magistrate, Hatiya, Noakhali,
Maulvi S. M. Siddique Ahmed, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Sandip, Noakhali.

No. 4257A.—The 11th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Harendra Nath Mukharji, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

Khulna.

No. 4260A.—The 12th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Gyan Chandra Chakrabatti, a Sub-Deputy Magistrate and also a Magistrate of the second class at Pirojpur, in the district of Bakarganj, to record any statement or confession made to him in the course of an investigation under Chapter XIV of the said Code or at any time afterwards before the commencement of the enquiry or trial.

Bakarganj.

No. 4265A.—The 12th March 1924.—The Assistant Magistrates named below are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class :—

Mr. Nilkanta Mahadeva Ayyar, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, Bankura.
„ H. D. Benjamin, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, Chittagong.

No. 4268A.—The 12th March 1924.—The Assistant Magistrates named below are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class :—

Mr. A. E. Porter, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, Midnapore.
„ Sukumar Sen, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, Tippera.
„ K. A. L. Hill, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, Dacca.
„ Binay Ranjan Sen, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, Mymensingh.
„ P. J. Griffiths, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, Dacca.

No. 4352A.—The 13th March 1924.—Maulvi Saiyid Furrokh Mirza, Deputy Magistrate, Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Nadia.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2457J.—The 12th March 1924.—Mr. N. A. Khundkar, Bar.-at-Law, officiating Deputy Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 22nd January 1924.

No. 2468J.—The 12th March 1924.—Babu Mati Lal Ray, Subordinate Judge, Hooghly is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Rangpur, *vice* Mr. Baman Das Mukharji appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad.

Hooghly.
Rangpur.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Sessions Judge, and is authorised under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 2470J.—The 12th March 1924.—Babu Bihari Lal Sarkar, munsif, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 2472J.—The 12th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferrred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Sital Chandra Basu the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Howrah.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Uluberia bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 2476J.—The 12th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Shahabuddin Muhammad Mahmud the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Noakhali, for a period of three years from the 1st April 1924, and

Noakhali.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Feni bench in the said district.

No. 2478J.—The 12th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Lakshmi Chandra Mazumdar the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Noakhali, for a period of three years from the 4th April 1924,

Noakhali.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 2480J.—The 12th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. L. M. Marcon the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Noakhali, for a period of three years from the 4th April 1924, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

Noakhali.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 2484J.—The 12th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi A. F. M. Abdur Rahman the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Basirhat bench in the said district.

No. 2497J.—The 13th March 1924.—Babu Baidya Nath Mukharji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a munsif in the district of Pabna and Bogra, to be ordinarily stationed at Pabna

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 2563J.—The 14th March 1924.—The services of Babu Nirad Ranjan Guha, Subordinate Judge, Faridpur, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Assam.

Faridpur.

No. 2629J.—The 17th March 1924.—Babu Tej Chandra Mitra, Subordinate Judge and Small Cause Court Judge of Howrah, Hooghly and Serampore, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh, *vice* Mr. Lal Bihari Chatarji appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Noakhali.

Hooghly. Mymensingh.

LEAVE.

No. 2460J.—The 12th March 1924.—In supersession of the orders contained in this department notification No. 4358 J., dated the 27th July 1923, Babu Kunja Bihari Biswas, Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for twenty-seven days with effect from the 4th June 1923, viz., leave on average pay for four days, under articles 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

24-Parganas.

RESIGNATION.

No. 2474J.—The 12th March 1924.—The Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mr. Thomas Samson of his appointment as an Honorary Magi trate of the Asansol bench in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 2482J.—The 12th March 1924.—The Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Maulvi Lutf Ahmed Khan Chaudhuri of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Basirhat bench in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 2447J.—The 12th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Jogendra Narayan Sanyal, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sherpur bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Bogra, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench—

Bogra.

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district.

No. 2491J.—The 12th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Hari Pada Banarji, an Honorary Magistrate of the Bagerhat bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Khulna, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench—

Khulna.

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Bagerhat subdivision of the said district, and to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

H. C. LIDDELL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (*offg.*).

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Faridpur.

No. 905L.S.-G.—The 11th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the election by the members of the Faridpur District Board of Babu Krishna Das Ray to be their Chairman, *vice* Maulvi Alimuzzaman Chaudhury, on leave.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Burdwan.

No. 912M.—The 11th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the District Traffic Superintendent, East Indian Railway, Asansol, to be a Commissioner, *ex officio*, of the Asansol Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Mr. A. M. Hunter, resigned.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 922 M.—The 12th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 12 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to sanction the grant to Mr. T. Emerson, C.I.E., I.C.S., Chairman of the Calcutta Improvement Trust, of leave on average pay for twenty-five days (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 7th April 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Bakarganj.

No. 1034M.—The 13th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 9A of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to exclude from the Perojpur Municipality, in the district of Bakarganj, a local area, viz., villages Brahmankati, Banbari, Mulgram, Odhankati, Narakhali, Lakhakati, Char Lakhakati and Hularhat, the boundaries of which are as follows :—

North—Mauza Kadamtala and Panthadubi, Basurdanga and Char Lakhakati khal.
East—River Damodar.
South—Mauza No. 270 Barakhalisha khal, No. 274 Rairkhati and Baichos, No. 262 Alamkati and No. 263 Muktarkati.
West—River Baleswar.

2. The boundaries of the Perojpur Municipality, after the exclusion of the said area, will be as follows :—

North—Mauza No. 261 Brahmankati, No. 274 Banbari, No. 275 Mulgram, No. 273 Odhankati and No. 271 Narakhali.
East—River Damodar, Dhubpasha khal and Dumaritala village.
South—No. 3143 southern portion of village Khamkata, Namajpur village.
West—River Baleswar.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazlul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Mymensingh.

No. 908M.—The 11th March 1924.—The following draft of a notification which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) intend to issue in exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), is published, as required by the second proviso to that section, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st May 1924, and any objection or suggestion with regard thereto which may be received by the undersigned from any rate-payer or inhabitant of the Kishoreganj Municipality in the district of Mymensingh before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft notification.

In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend to the Kishoreganj Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, all the provisions of the said Act except sub-section (*1*) of section 6.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Mymensingh.

No. 909M.—The 11th March 1924.—The following draft of by-laws which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to make for the Kishoreganj Municipality in the district of Mymensingh, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 71 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st May 1924, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned before that date, through the District Magistrate, will be duly considered :—

Draft by-laws under section 71 (*1*) of the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), for the Kishoreganj Municipality in the district of Mymensingh.

Registering officer.

1. Every hackney-carriage in Kishoreganj Municipality shall be annually registered by a Registering Officer who shall be appointed for the purpose by the Municipal Commissioners in a meeting and shall keep a register in which he shall enter the class and number assigned to every hackney-carriage.

Qualification of drivers.

2. Every person applying for a driver's license shall be required to satisfy the registering officer—

(*a*) that he knows how to drive and control horses and is in all respects a fit person for such employment ;
(*b*) that he is well acquainted with the principal roads, offices and places of interest in and around Kishoreganj ;
(*c*) that he has a thorough knowledge of the list of fares prepared by the Commissioners of Kishoreganj Municipality ; and
(*d*) that he knows the rules of road.

3. A license shall be issued to each hackney-carriage driver. There shall be attached to each license in such a manner at the Commissioners may prescribe—

(*a*) thumb-mark of the driver ; and
(*b*) list of fares to be prepared under the authority of the Commissioners for which a charge of annas 4 shall be paid by the driver.

4. Every driver of a hackney-carriage shall carry with him and produce when called upon to do so by any Commissioner of the Municipality or by any police officer not below the rank of Assistant Sub-Inspector or by his fare or by any Municipal officer duly authorised by the Chairman in this respect his license and list of fares.

5. No hackney-carriage driver shall drive with his feet in any other position than on the foot-board of the vehicle, nor shall muffle up his face and head in such manner as might endanger the proper driving of his vehicle.

6. No hackney-carriage driver shall be allowed to drive any licensed hackney-carriage or carriages other than those specified in his license without the permission of the registering officer.

Dress.

7. The drivers and attendants of hackney-carriage shall be neat and clean in their person and clothing.

Description of Horses.

8. No horse shall be used to draw a hackney-carriage unless it has been passed by the registering officer and no horse shall be passed unless it is—

(*a*) thoroughly broken to the harness,
(*b*) free from infectious or contagious disease,
(*c*) sufficiently sound and strong for constant work,
(*d*) not less than 14 hands high if intended to be used in a pair and not less than 14·2 hands high if intended to be used singly in a first class hackney-carriage,
(*e*) not less than 13 hands high if intended to be used in a pair and not less than 14 hands high if intended to be used singly in a second class hackney-carriage, and
(*f*) not less than 11·2 hands high if intended to be used in a pair and not less than 13·2 hands high if intended to be used singly in a 3rd class hackney-carriage.

9. The harness shall be of decent appearance, strong and in good repair ; rope or iron chain traces may be used provided they be covered with leather. No string fastenings will be allowed.

Description of Carriages.

10. First class hackney-carriages shall conform to the following dimensions :—

	Ft.	In.
Width of seats	3	4
Breadth of front seat	1	4
„ „ rear seat	1	6
Height of seat from floor without cushion	1	2
„ „ back rest of hind seat	2	4
Thickness of cushions	0	3
Height of back rest of front seat	1	4
Width between seats	1	10
Height of floor of body from ground	1	8
„ „ step from ground	0	10
Diameter of front wheels	2	8
„ „ back wheels	3	6
Height of hood from hind seat board to top of hood inside ...	3	10

Provided that hackney-carriages registered before the issue of these by-laws are exempted from conforming to these dimensions.

The wheels shall be rubber-tyred, strong and sound so as to run true and without rattling or shaking and shall be protected by properly fitted splash-boards. The springs and axles shall be in perfect order and all iron work must be strongly put together. The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition and the inside of the carriage perfectly clean.

The hood and apron shall be made of strong leather and shall be so fitted as to make the carriage water-tight.

The doors shall close well and shall not rattle.

All iron work shall be painted black.

Each carriage must have a thoroughly good pair of lamps, and each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window shall be visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

11. Second class hackney-carriage (phaeton type).—The same measurements as those prescribed for first class hackney-carriages, but of lighter make : Provided that hackney-carriages registered before the issue of these by-laws may at the discretion of and on such conditions as may be fixed by the Commissioners at a meeting be exempted from conforming to these dimensions if such conformity is likely to cause hardship to the owners.

The wheels shall be rubber-tyred, strong and sound so as to run true and without rattling or shaking, and shall be protected by properly fitted splash boards. Provided that the provision about rubber-tyres shall not apply to hackney-carriages with iron tyres registered before the issue of these by-laws.

The springs and axles shall be in perfect order and all iron work must be strongly put together.

The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition and the inside of the carriage perfectly clean.

The hood and apron shall be made of strong leather and shall be so fitted as to make the carriage water-tight.

The body, wheels and shafts of the carriage shall be painted dark blue with plain red lining.

The hood and apron shall be painted black.

The doors shall close well and shall not rattle.

All iron work shall be painted black.

Each carriage must have a good pir of lamps. Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

12. Second class hackney-carriages ("Bundh-gharry" or "Brownberry" type) shall conform to the following dimensions :—

	Ft.	In.
Width of seats	3	4
Breadth of seats	1	6
Height of seats from floor without cushion	1	2
Thickness of cushion	0	3
Height of roof from seat without cushions	3	10
Width between seats	1	6
Height of bottom of well from ground	1	8
Height of step from ground	0	10
Diameter of front wheels	2	6
„ „ back wheels	3	6

The wheels shall be rubber-tyred or iron-tyred, strong and sound so as to run true and without rattling or shaking.

The springs and axles shall be in perfect order.

The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition and the inside of the carriage perfectly clean.

The doors shall close well.

The windows, venetians and blinds shall not rattle, but shall work easily and shall have proper catches to raise and lower them.

The roof shall be water-tight.

The body, wheels and shafts of the carriage shall be painted dark blue with thin red lining. All iron work shall be painted black.

Each carriage must have a good pair of lamps. Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

13. Third class hackney-carriages shall conform to the following dimensions :—

	Ft.	In.
Width of seats	2	9
Breadth of seats	1	6
Height of seats from floor without cushion	1	2
Thickness of cushions	0	3
Height of roof from seats without cushion	3	6
Width between seats	1	6
Height of bottom of well from ground	1	8
Height of steps from ground	0	10
Diameter of front wheels	2	4
„ of back wheels	3	2

The wheels shall be iron-tyred, strong and sound.

The springs and axles shall be in perfect order.

The lining and cushions shall be clean and in good condition and the inside of the carriage shall be perfectly clean.

The doors shall close well.

The windows, venetians and blinds shall not rattle, but shall work easily and shall have proper catches to raise and lower them.

The roof shall be water-tight.

Each carriage must have a good pair of lamps. Each lamp shall have a red glass window in the back and shall be so placed that the light from the window is visible from a point ten yards in rear of the centre of the vehicle.

Identification of horses.

14. License will be issued for horses passed by the registering officer as fit for being used in hackney-carriage.

15. It shall be compulsory for the owner of the carriages to produce their horses before the registering officer at the end of every three months, without being sent for it for inspection.

16. License for horses will be in different forms according to the class in which they are registered.

Class of hackney-carriages.

17. Hackney-carriages shall be of three classes and of patterns fixed by the Municipal Commissioners and of dimensions prescribed by by-laws 10-13.

18. Every licensed hackney-carriage shall be distinctly marked on its panels and on the inside with the registered number and the number of the class to which it belongs, the figures to be not less than 8 inches in length, the colour of which shall be changed every year.

19. The lamps of every licensed hackney-carriage shall have the registered number painted on them, the figures to be not less than one inch in length, the colour of which shall be changed every year.

Fees.

20. A fee shall be paid to the Chairman in accordance with the following scale for the issue, transfer or renewal of the license :—

	First class.		Second class.		Third class.	
	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.
Owner's license	4	0	3	0	2	0
Driver's license	2	0	2	0	2	0
Duplicate license plate	0	8	0	8	0	8
Transfer of owner's license	3	0	2	0	1	0
Duplicate owner's license	2	0	1	8	1	0
Duplicate driver's license	1	0	1	0	1	0
Duplicate driver's ticket	0	8	0	8	0	8
Owner's license for horse	2	0	2	0	2	0
Fare plate	2	0	2	0	2	0
Duplicate fare plate	2	0	2	0	2	0
Certificate copy of particulars of register and license	0	8	0	8	0	8
Alteration in register	0	8	0	8	0	8

Rates and Fares.

21. Fares shall be paid according to distance or time at the option of the hirer to be expressed at the commencement of the hiring ; if not otherwise expressed the fare to be paid according to time.

Rates and fares to be paid for hackney-carriages within the municipality of Kishoreganj.

Description of carriages.	Fare by distance.		Fare by time.	
	For any distance within one and not exceeding one mile.	For any distance exceeding one mile.		
	R. A.			Rs. A.
First class ...	1 0	At the rate of 8 annas for every mile and for every part of a mile over and above any number of miles completed.	For half-an-hour	0 12
			„ one hour	1 4
			„ every subsequent hour or part of an hour ...	0 10
			Half a day of 5 hours ...	4 0
			Whole day of 9 hours ...	6 0
Second class ...	0 12	At the rate of 6 annas for every mile and for any part of a mile over and above any number of miles completed.	Phaeton type—	
			For half-an-hour ...	0 10
			„ one hour	1 0
			„ subsequent hours ...	0 8
			„ half day of 5 hours ...	3 0
			„ whole day of 9 hours ...	5 0
			Bundh or Brownberry type—	
			For half-an-hour ...	0 10
			„ one hour ...	1 0
			„ subsequent hours ...	0 8
			„ half day of 5 hours ...	3 0
			„ whole day of 9 hours ...	5 0
Third class ...	0 8	At the rate of 4 annas for every mile and for any part of a mile over and above any number of miles completed.	For half-an-hour	0 8
			„ one hour	0 10
			„ every subsequent hour or part of an hour ...	0 8
			„ half a day of 5 hours ...	2 8
			„ whole day of 9 hours ...	4 0

Passengers and Luggage.

22. No hackney-carriage shall carry more than four adult persons altogether, in addition to the driver and attendant.

23. The driver of every hackney-carriage shall carry in or upon such carriage a quantity of luggage not exceeding two maunds together with one additional maund for every person below four carried in the carriage without any charge over and above the fare.

A charge not exceeding two annas may be levied for every ten seers or part thereof in excess of the above free allowance.

Inspection of hackney-carriages.

24. It shall be lawful for any police officer of and above the rank of Sub-Inspector, and any Health Officer or Municipal Commissioner or Sanitary Inspector of the Municipality at any time between sunrise and sunset, to enter any premises on which any licensed hackney-carriage or the horses or other animals, harness or other things used therewith are kept, in order to carry out any provision of this Act or these by-laws, and the owner, occupier or his agent shall afford every facility for such officer's inspection.

Protection of weak and lame horses.

25. It shall be lawful for the registering officer or the Chairman at any time to cause any animal used in hackney-carriage to be produced before him for the purpose of inspection, and it shall be compulsory upon the owner to produce any such animal within 24 hours after the receipt of such notice.

26. The owner of any animal declared under section 30 to be unfit for use in the hackney-carriage shall, if he disposes of it or removes it from the premises on which it is stabled, give notice of the fact to the registering officer within one week of such disposal or removal, intimating at the same time the name and address of the person to whom he has disposed of it and the place to which it has been removed.

27. Notice of the death of a registered horse shall also be given to the registering officer who, on receipt of such notice, shall cause the entry concerned to be cancelled in the register of horses and the certificate of registration will be withdrawn.

Regulation of use of horses.

28. No owner shall permit any horse to work continuously in any hackney-carriage in excess of the following scale of time :—

Class of carriage.	Maximum period allowed to be worked	Minimum period of rest.
First, second and third if drawn by two horses ...	10 hours ...	14 hours.
" " one horse ...	8 " ...	16 "

29. The following particulars shall be entered in a register to be kept by every owner for the purposes of by-law No. 28 :—

Date.	Registered No. and class of carriage	Branded number of horse or horses used to draw the carriage together with descriptions.	Hour of leaving stable.	Hour of return to stable	Names of drivers and attendants	Signature of owner.	Signature and rank of Inspecting officer.

Publication of list of fares and distances.

30. The list of fares prepared by the Municipal Commissioners with reference to scale of rates laid down by by-law 21 and table of distance shall be published in such manner as the Municipal Commissioners shall deem proper.

31. The Chairman shall cause to be prepared and kept for sale to the public printed tables setting forth these fares and distances.

32. No printed, written or other matter shall appear on the inside or outside of any hackney-carriage by way of advertisement without the permission of the registering officer.

Registers and Licenses.

(1) *Hackney-carriage License.*

Particulars of License.

1. The class and the number assigned to the carriage in the register.
2. The name, father's name and residence of the owner, the description of the carriage and the place where the carriage is kept.
3. The number and description of horses to be employed in drawing such carriage.
4. The number of passengers the carriage is licensed to carry.
5. The date on which the license is granted.
6. The carriage shall ply for hire at any of the public stands in the town and suburbs of Kishorganj and not at any other place.
7. Signature of the registering officer.

(2) *Register of hackney-carriage.*

1. The class and the number assigned to the carriage in the register.
2. The certificate number.
3. Date on which the license was granted.
4. Owner's and his father's names.
5. Place of residence.
6. Stable locality.
7. Driver's and his father's names.
8. Place of residence.
9. Period of suspension or cancellation.
10. Date of renewal.
11. Duplicate ticket.
12. Duplicate license.
13. Date of conviction.
14. Section of law.
15. Punishment inflicted
16. Date of offence.

17. Offence.
18. Ownership transferred to.
19. Date of transfer.
20. Signature of registering officer.
21. Remarks.

(3) *Horse Register.*

1. Serial number.
2. Class of hackney-carriage in which horse is to be used.
3. To be used singly or in pair.
4. Owner's and his father's names.
5. Owner's address.
6. Place where it is intended to keep the horse.
7. Date on which the license was granted.
8. Ownership transferred to.
9. Date of transfer.
10. Date of notices issued for owner.
11. Date of disposal of notices.
12. Signature of registering officer.
13. Remarks.

(4) *Hackney-carriage driver's license.*

1. The number of license, the name, father's name, place of abode and age of person to whom the license is granted.
2. The date on which the license was granted.
3. The class and number of the hackney-carriage he is allowed to drive.
4. Date of expiry of the license.
5. A summary of the more important statutory provisions and by-laws affecting drivers of hackney-carriage.
6. Signature of the registering officer.

(5) *Horse license.*

1. The class of hackney-carriage with which the horse is to be used, and whether it is to be used singly or in pair.
2. The name and father's name of the owner, residence of the owner.
3. The number assigned to the horse in the register.
4. The place where it is intended to keep the horse.
5. The date on which the license is granted.
6. The date on which the license expired.
7. Signature of the registering officer.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

24-Parganas.

No. 1053M.—The 17th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the North Dum-Dum Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 27 of that Act, electing Babu Sailaj Lal Chatarji to be their Chairman in place of Babu Pran Krishna Chatarji, deceased.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

24-Parganas.

No. 1057M.—The 17th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Tollygunge Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 23 of that Act, electing M. Ghulam Jilani Khan to be their Chairman.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

PUBLIC HEALTH.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

Bankura.

No. 555P.H.—The 11th March 1924.—The following draft of a by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Sonamukhi Municipality, in addition to the by-laws confirmed in notification No. 1573M., dated the 1st June 1914, in the district of Bankura, under section 350 (*e*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to confirm under section 351 of the Act, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st May 1924, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft by-law.

"Any person having possession of or control over any land within the municipal limits on which there exists any Feni thorn shall, if so required by a notice in writing

signed by the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Municipality, destroy or remove such Feni thorn within the period mentioned in such notice, provided that such notice shall be issued simultaneously for the whole of the area to be defined by the Municipality and bounded by rivers or large khals, or where there are no rivers or large khals for a sufficiently large area to be determined by the Municipal Commissioners with a view to secure that the clearance is effective.

Fine, Rs. 25."

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

24-Parganas.

No 557P.H.—The 11th March 1924.—The following draft of a by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Tollygunj Municipality in addition to the by-laws confirmed in notification No. 3847M, dated the 8th September 1896, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to confirm under section 351 of the Act, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st May 1924, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft by-law.

" Any person having possession of or control over any land or water on or in which there exists any water hyacinth so as to affect public health shall, if so required by a notice in writing signed by the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Municipality and stating clearly the boundaries of the area to which the notice applies, destroy or remove such water hyacinth within the period mentioned in such notice.

Penalty Rs. 10 ; in a continuous offence Rs. 2 per diem."

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

Hooghly.

No. 559P.H.—The 13th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to confirm the by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Champdani Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under section 350 of the said Act, and published for information with notification No. 61P.H., dated the 9th January 1924.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

Calcutta. Chittagong.

No. 580P.H.—The 14th March 1924.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in Moulmein, it is hereby notified for general information that Moulmein is declared to be an infected port and that the existing regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea are being enforced in the ports of Calcutta and Chittagong against vessels arriving from Moulmein.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

Bakarganj.

No. 582P.H —The 15th March 1924.—The following draft of a by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Nalchiti Municipality in addition to the by-laws confirmed in Government order No. 25M., dated the 6th January 1897, in the district of Bakarganj, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) propose to confirm under section 351 of the Act, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 2nd May 1924, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft by-law.

25A. Any person having possession of or control over any land or water on or in which there exists any water-hyacinth so as to affect public health shall, if so required by a notice in writing signed by the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Municipality, destroy or remove such water-hyacinth within the period mentioned in such notice: Provided that such notice shall be issued for the area to be defined by the Municipal Board.

Fine Rs 25.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

Chittagong.

No. 584P.H.—The 14th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to confirm the following amendments made in the existing

by-laws framed by the Commissioners of the Chittagong Municipality and published for information with notification No. 2928P.H., dated the 17th December 1920 :—

Amendments.

(1) To by-law 1 *add* the following sentence :—

"Carriage" includes also a motor car or motor vehicle.

(2) *Insert* the following after by-law 12 :—

12A. No cart drawn by two bullocks shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of 20 maunds.

Fine, Rs. 10.

12B. Every driver or person in charge of a cart or carriage shall give correct information about his own name, age and residence, the name and residence of the owner, the place where the cart or the carriage is ordinarily kept to the registering officer at the time of each half-yearly registration.

Fine, Rs. 10.

(3) *Insert* the following after by-law 24 :—

24A. No person shall, without the permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation in, or take any earth from, any municipal nullah, khal, drain or side lands.

Fine, Rs. 20.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 5385, dated Calcutta, the 7th March 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Satya Ranjan Sen is granted leave on half average pay for six months, under article 81 (*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the one year's leave already granted to him in this department notification No. 11808, dated the 9th August 1923.

No. 5624, dated Calcutta, the 10th March 1924.— Assistant Surgeon Bisseswar Chakrabatti held charge of the Ghatal subdivision and dispensary, Midnapore district, from the 2nd February 1924 to 2nd March 1924, during the absence on leave of Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Ghosh, II.

E. WATERS,
Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal (offg.).

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 8.2Edn.—The 11th March 1924.— Mr. Hiran Kumar Banarji, Professor, Krishnagar College, was allowed leave on half average pay for the period from the 1st January 1922 to the 24th February 1922, under rule 81(*d*) of the Fundamental Rules, in commutation of a portion of the furlough granted to him by the Director of Public Instruction under notification No. 59P., dated the 3rd June 1920. He was also granted by the High Commissioner for India an extension of leave on half average pay for the period from the 25th February 1922 to the 24th December 1922 and without allowance for the remaining period of his leave, viz., from the 25th December 1922 to the 24th August 1923.

Nadia.

2. This cancels notification No. 1011 Edn., dated the 17th March 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 815Edn.—The 11th March 1924.—Maulvi Saiyid Mohsin Ali, Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Chittagong Division, is allowed leave on quarter average pay on medical certificate for the period from the 23rd December 1923 to the 31st March 1924, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave already granted to him.

Chittagong Divn.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 816Edn.—The 11th March 1924—Maulvi Abdul Halim, District Inspector of Schools, Noakhali, is appointed to act as Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Chittagong Division, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Mohsin Ali, or until further orders.

Noakhali. Chittagong Divn.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Noakhali.

No. 817Edn.—The 11th March 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Asad, Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Feni, Noakhali, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as District Inspector of Schools, Noakhali, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Abdul Halim, or until further orders.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Presidency Divn.

No. 905Edn.—The 12th March 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Maula Baksh, officiating Second Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, in the Bengal Educational Service acted in the Indian Educational Service as Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, for the period from the 23rd January to the 3rd February 1924, both days inclusive.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Hooghly.

No. 908Edn.—The 11th March 1924.—Babu Hem Chandra De, Professor, Hooghly College, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate for two months with effect from the 12th January 1924, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

24-Parganas.

No. 910Edn.—The 6th March 1924.—Babu Mathura Kanta Nandi, head master, Jessore Zilla School, under orders of transfer to the Taki Government High School, was allowed leave on average pay for one month, with effect from the 19th November 1923, under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Mymensingh.

No. 919Edn.—The 2nd March 1924.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Chakravarti, Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Mymensingh, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service as District Inspector of Schools, Mymensingh, *vice* Maulvi Mahatabuddin Ahmed, on leave, or until further orders.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Murshidabad. Calcutta.

No. 932 Edn.—The 12th March 1924.—Babu Narendra Nath Gangali, Subdivisional Inspector of Schools, Calcutta, now officiating District Inspector of Schools, Murshidabad, acted in the Bengal Educational Service as District Inspector of Schools, Calcutta, for the period from the 16th October to the 7th December 1923, both days inclusive, *vice* Babu Harish Chandra Datta, retired.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Rajshahi.

No. 935Edn.—The 11th March 1924.—Maulvi Abdul Hakim, Professor, Rajshahi College, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate for the period from the 14th January 1924 to the 21st April 1924 (both days inclusive), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, and is permitted to affix the summer vacation of the College for the period from the 22nd April 1924 to the 2nd July 1924 to his leave under rule 82 (*d*) of those rules.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 946Edn.—The 12th March 1924.—Maulvi Majid Ali, head maulvi, Calcutta Madrasah (substantively *pro tempore* in the Bengal Educational Service), was allowed leave for the period from the 14th August 1923 to the 2nd September 1923 (both days inclusive), viz., leave on average pay for four days under rules 81 (*b*) (*ii*) and 82 (*b*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

2. This cancels notification No. 3621Edn., dated the 14th December 1923.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

Calcutta.

No. 947Edn.—The 12th March 1924.—Maulvi Muhammad Yahya, assistant head maulvi, Calcutta Madrasah, acted in the Bengal Educational Service as head maulvi in the same Madrasah for the period from the 14th August 1923 to the 2nd September 1923 (both days inclusive), *vice* Maulvi Majid Ali on leave.

2. This cancels notification No. 3622Edn., dated the 14th December 1923.

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 913Edn.—The 10th March 1924.—Miss J. H. Russell, Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, has been granted by the High Commissioner for India an extension of leave on half average pay for twelve months.

Darjeeling.

E. F. OATEN,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg).

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 544Mis.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Dewan Shah Abdul Khaleque temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Dimla and Domar, in the district of Rangpur.

Rangpur.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 545Mis.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Dewan Shah Abdul Khaleque temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Dimla and Domar in the district of Rangpur.

Rangpur.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 554Mis.—The 10th March 1914.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Latif temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Kapasia and Kaliganj in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 555Mis.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Latif temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police stations Kapasia and Kaliganj in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 560Mis.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriage and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Ainuddin temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Kasiani, in the district of Faridpur, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Reazuddin, or until further orders.

Faridpur.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 561Mis.—The 10th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Ainuddin temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police station Kasiani, in the district of Faridpur, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Reazuddin, or until further orders.

Faridpur.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 578Mis.—The 9th March 1924.—It is notified for general information that the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) are pleased to sanction the retention, for a further period of one year up to the 28th February 1925, of the office of the Joint Sub-Registrar of Boda at Debiganj having concurrent jurisdiction with the Sub-Registry office at Boda, in the district of Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 113.—The 11th March 1924.—Babu Anath Nath Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur.

Rangpur.

No. 114.—The 11th March 1924.—Babu Binode Bihari Sen (No. II), Sub-Registrar of Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, is allowed leave on average pay for two months and two days only, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Rangpur.

No. 115.—The 12th March 1924.—Maulvi Abdul Khaleq Khan, Sub-Registrar of Muksudpur, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave on average pay for three months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Faridpur.

No. 116.—The 14th March 1924.—Maulvi Dilwar Ali Khan, Sub-Registrar of Dhunat, in the district of Bogra, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and fifteen days (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Bogra.

No. 117.—The 14th March 1924.—Maulvi Saiyid Abul Matahar, Sub-Registrar attached to Hooghly, is allowed leave on average pay for two months (entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date of his relief.

Hooghly.

No. 118.—The 14th March 1924.—Babu Kishori Mohan Basu, Sub-Registrar of Joynagar, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

24-Parganas.

No. 119.—The 14th March 1924.—Babu Kishori Mohan Basu, Sub-Registrar of Joynagar, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj, in the district of Jessore.

24-Parganas. Jessore.

This cancels this department notification No. 93, dated the 18th February 1924 appointing Babu Sachindra Nath Mitra to be a Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj.

No. 120.—The 14th March 1924.—Maulvi Enayut Rasul, Sub-Registrar attached to Alipore, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Joynagar, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 121.—The 15th March 1924.—Babu Satis Chandra Sen, Sub-Registrar of Manirampur, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave on average pay for three months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 562, dated the 19th December 1923.

Jessore.

No. 122.—The 15th March 1924.—Babu Bidhu Bhusan Raha, Sub-Registrar of Chitosi, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave on average pay for three months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd March 1924.

Tippera.

No. 123.—The 15th March 1924.—Maulvi Muzammal Haque, Sub-Registrar attached to Mymensingh, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Chitosi, in the district of Tippera, with effect from the 4th March 1924, *vice* Babu Bidhu Bhusan Raha, on leave.

Mymensingh. Tippera.

No. 124—The 15th March 1924.—Babu Rama Nath Raha, Sub-Registrar, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 502, dated the 6th December 1923.

No. 125.—The 15th March 1924.—Babu Kalipada Basu Ray, Sub-Registrar attached to Dacca, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Daudkandi, in the district of Tippera, with effect from the 5th March 1924, *vice* Maulvi Habibullah Ahmad, on leave.

Dacca. Tippera.

No. 126.—The 15th March 1924.—Babu Nalin Chandra Das, Sub-Registrar of Cox's Bazar, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the date on which he may relieved.

Chittagong.

J. N. RAY,

Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal (offg.).

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2568F.—The 28th February 1924.—Mr. M. K. Sen Gupta, M.A., Officer on special duty in the Finance Department of the Bengal Secretariat, is allowed leave on average pay from the 12th March to 11th April 1924, inclusive (the entire period being on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 621Mis.—The 14th March 1924.—With reference to Notification No. 2391Mis., dated the 15th November 1923, published at page 1743, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, the Governor in Council hereby declares, under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, the 3rd June 1924 to be a public holiday on account of the birthday of His Majesty the King Emperor of India.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1550Com.—The 1st March 1924.—The following draft of amendments, which, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council and in exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), the Governor in Council intends to make in the rules for regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum, published under the Government of Bengal, Marine Department, notification No. 143Marine, dated the 30th November 1914, and subsequently amended, is published, as required by sub-section (*1*) of section 24 of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft amendments will be taken into consideration on or after the 22nd April 1924, and any objections or suggestions with regard thereto received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft amendments.

In rules 3, 4 and 5 of Chapter II of Part II of the said rules after the words "and its products" *insert* the words "or coal."

No. 1879Com.—The 17th March 1924.—The following draft of rules, which, in exercise of the power conferred by section 33 of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923 (VIII of 1923), the Governor in Council proposes to make, is published, as required by section 34 of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 19th June 1924, and any objections or suggestions which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CHAPTER I.

Fees.

1. The following fees shall be payable in respect of proceedings under the Act :—

I. Applications for compensation :—	
(*a*) Where compensation is claimed in the form of recurring payments	Eight annas.
(*b*) Where compensation is claimed in the form of a lump sum	One rupee where the sum does not exceed Rs. 500 *plus* one rupee for each additional sum of Rs. 500 or fraction thereof.

II.	Application for commutation :—	
	(*a*) By agreement between the parties ...	Eight annas.
	(*b*) In all other cases	Two rupees.
III.	Applications for the deposit of compensation :—	
	(*a*) Under section 8 (*1*) of the Act	Nil.
	(*b*) Under section 8 (*2*) of the Act (in respect of each person to whom compensation is payable)	Eight annas.
IV.	Applications for distribution by dependants for each dependant	One rupee.
V.	Applications for review :—	
	(*a*) Where the review claimed is the continuance, increase, decrease or ending of half-monthly payments	Eight annas.
	(*b*) Where the half-monthly payments are sought to be converted into a lump sum ...	Two rupees.
	(*c*) In all other cases	One rupee.
VI.	Applications for the registration of agreements :—	
	(*a*) Where the application or the memorandum of agreement is signed by both parties ...	Nil.
	(*b*) In all other cases	Eight annas.
VII.	Applications to summon witness :—	
	(*a*) For the first witness mentioned in the application	Eight annas.
	(*b*) For every subsequent witness	Four annas.
VIII.	Applications for indemnification ...	Three rupees.
IX.	Applications for the recovery of compensation :—	
	(*a*) Under an order already passed by the Commissioner	Eight annas.
	(*b*) In all other cases	The same fee as is payable on a similar application for compensation.
X.	All applications not otherwise provided for ...	Eight annas.

2. In the case of any application falling under head X the Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, permit the application to be made without fee.

3. If in any case the Commissioner considers that he ought to pass orders granting relief of a different kind or to a different extent from that claimed by the applicant, and if the fee which would have been payable by the applicant on an application for the relief which the Commissioner considers to be due is greater than the fee which has actually been paid, the Commissioner may require the applicant to deposit fees to the extent of the difference.

CHAPTER II.

Costs.

1. Where the Commissioner directs that any costs shall not follow the event, he shall state his reasons in writing.

2. The costs which may be awarded shall include—

(*a*) the charges necessarily incurred on account of court-fees,

(*b*) the charges necessarily incurred on subsistence money to witnesses, and

(*c*) pleaders' fees on the scale prescribed in the following rule :—

3. In any proceeding involving an application for compensation in the form of a lump sum, an application for commutation or an application for indemnification, the fee allowed shall be Rs. 10, subject by special order of the Commissioner to diminution to a sum not less than Rs. 5 and to increase to a sum not more than Rs. 50, for each such proceeding. In all other applications the fee allowed shall be Rs. 5, subject to increase by special order to a sum not exceeding Rs. 20.

4. When a party engages more pleaders than one to conduct or defend a case, he shall be allowed one set of costs only.

5. When several defendants having substantially one defence to make employ several pleaders, they shall be allowed one set of costs only. In such cases it will be for

the applicant, at the time of hearing, to ask for a direction of the Court that separate costs be not allowed.

6. When two or more defendants having separate substantial defences have engaged the services of one pleader, they shall be allowed separate sets of costs. In this case it will be for the defendants interested to apply at the hearing for separate costs.

7. When several defendants having separate defences are represented by separate pleaders, they shall be entitled to separate costs.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 28-Marine.—The 18th February 1924.—The following by-law framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, in exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Howrah Bridge Act, 1871, is published as required by section 24 of the said Act :—

Fee for passes permitting motor lorries and other heavy vehicles to cross the Bridge.

The fee for each pass issued under by-law 2 of the by-laws for the safe and convenient use of the Howrah Bridge, published under this department notification No. 132Mne., dated the 29th December 1922, shall be Re. 1 yearly.

No. 36Marine.—The 10th March 1924.—Mr. P. J. Wilson, Branch Pilot, is appointed to the command of the S. P. V. *Fraser* with effect from the afternoon of the 2nd April 1924, *vice* Mr. J. Hudson, Branch Pilot.

No. 37Marine.—The 11th March 1924.—The following notification by the Government of India is republished :—

No. 2, dated Delhi, the 18th January 1924.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Marine Department.

APPOINTMENTS.

The services of Commander E. H. Marsden, Royal Indian Marine, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal for employment as Deputy Port Officer and Shipping Master, Calcutta, with effect from the 13th December 1923, *vice* Commander P. G. Glanville, Royal Indian Marine, vacated.

No. 38Marine.—The 12th March 1924.—Under the provisions of section 10 of the Chittagong Port Act, 1914 (Bengal Act V of 1914), Mr. A. W. Cook, C.I.E., I.C.S., is appointed Chairman of the Commissioners for the Port of Chittagong, *vice* Mr. F. A. Sachse, I.C.S., resigned, with effect from the forenoon of the 24th February 1924.

2. The resignation tendered by Mr. F. A. Sachse, I.C.S., of his office of Chairman is hereby accepted.

No. 39-Marine.—The 12th March 1924.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 6 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. R. B. Wilson, C.I.E., M.L.C., of the firm of Messrs. Birkmyre Brothers has been elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to be a Commissioner for the Port of Calcutta from the 29th February 1924 in place of Mr. R. O. Law, resigned.

No. 40Marine.—The 13th March 1924.—Mr. C. B. Owens, Senior Master Pilot, is granted leave for six months, viz., leave on average pay for ten days under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules, from the 3rd March 1924 P.M.

No. 41Marine.—The 17th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 35 (*i*) of the Indian Ports Act, 1908 (XV of 1908), as amended by Act VI of 1916, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following fees in addition to the ordinary pilotage fees shall be levied on vessels under way in charge of a Pilot in the lighted reaches of the river Hooghly (viz., the stretch of the river between the Kulpi lighted anchoring buoy and the Saugor light-house) between the hours of sunset and sunrise :—

	Rs.
(*i*) Vessels of under 3,000 tons gross	30
(*ii*) Vessels of 3,000 tons gross and under 5,000 tons gross ...	50
(*iii*) Vessels of 5,000 tons gross and over	70

2. The above order comes into force with effect from the date of this notification.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 10.—The 14th March 1924.—Babu Sharat Chandra Dam, Assistant Executive Engineer, who was transferred from the 2nd Calcutta Division to work at Belvedere under the Superintendent, Governor's Estates, Bengal, is retransferred, in the interests of public service, to the 2nd Calcutta Division with effect from the forenoon of the 1st March 1924.

G. G. DEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY.

INDUSTRIES.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1325Ind.—The 13th March 1924.—Mr. A. Cochran, C.B.E., of Messrs. Burn and Company, is appointed to be a member of the Board of Control for Apprenticeship Training constituted under this department resolution No. 30T.-Ind., dated the 10th June 1921, as amended by resolution No. 638Ind., dated the 11th February 1922, *vice* Mr. J. D. Balfour, resigned.

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J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

AGRICULTURE.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1300Agri.—The 12th March 1924.—Mr. M. Carbery, Agricultural Chemist to the Government of Bengal, is confirmed in the Indian Agricultural Service with effect from 11th March 1924.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1370 Agri.—The 15th March 1924.—Mr. F. Smith, Deputy Director of Agriculture, on return from leave, is appointed to be Deputy Director of Agriculture, Eastern circle, Bengal, with effect from the 27th February 1924.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1281Z.G.—The 12th March 1924.—Mr. H. B. Turle is appointed to be Honorary Secretary and Treasurer of the Committee of Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, with effect from the 15th March 1924, *vice* Mr. W. K. Dods, on leave.

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J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2410L.R.—The 11th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 108A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower the under mentioned Assistant Settlement Officers of Nadia to make corrections in the records-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Hooghly and the 24-Parganas, in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions of the said section :—

Nadia. Murshidabad. Burdwan. Hooghly. 24-Parganas.

1. Babu Pramatha Nath Datta. 2. Babu Makhan Lal Banarji.

No. 2545L.R.—The 14th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 39 of the Cess Act, 1880 (Bengal Act IX of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to determine that the Public Works cess for the year 1924-25 shall be levied in every district of the Presidency of Bengal to which the said Act has been extended, at the rate of one-half anna on each rupee of the annual value of lands and of the annual net profits from mines, quarries, tramways, railways and other immoveable property (except such as may have been exempted under section 2 of the said Act), ascertained respectively as in the said Act prescribed.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

No. 2499 L.A.—The 13th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a model colony staff quarters and a road at Khalasipara, Saidpur, in the village of Koya, pargana Kazirhat, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10·99 acres, bounded on the—

Rangpur.

North—By the Eastern Bengal Railway land,

East—By the lands of Abdul Gani, Rahim, Dukhan, Aghuri Miah, Moshaheb Visti, Damri Mistri, Bakrali Mistri, Tanka Driver, Dastali Fitter, Manki Miah, Duha Miah, Emaman Munshi, Mrs. Read, Khodabakash, Shadhu Miah, and Saidu Sadagar,

South—By the land of Mrs. Read and Saidu Sadagar,

West—By the Eastern Bengal Railway land,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Koya.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Rangpur.

No. 2505L.A.—The 13th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Noakhali District Board for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of Mir Ahmedpur village road on the 17th and 18th mile in the village of Alaiapur, pargana Patikara, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·53 of an acre, bounded on the—

Noakhali.

North—By portion of cadastral survey plot No. 868,

East—By portion of cadastral survey plots Nos. 820, 821, 822, 823, 844 and 842,

South—By village Sadakpur No. 352,

West—By portion of cadastral survey plots Nos. 820, 821, 822, 823, 844, 842 and 841,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Alaiapur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector, Noakhali.

No. 2508 L.A.—The 13th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the sub-jail at Kurigram, in the village of Madhabram, pargana Baharband, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby

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notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·108 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By sub-jail compound,
East—By Fakir and others' land,
South—By the village road,
West—By the District Board road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Madhabram.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Rangpur.

Burdwan.

No. 2511 L.A.—The 13th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for new down yard at Asansol at mile 132 of the railway in the village of Asansol, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 6 cottahs and 11 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·10 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Emdad Mistry, Raghu, Kangal, Panch, Ram, Fulchand, Khudiram, Raman, Bakranath, Dukhu and Gobinda Dome, Mahammad Hossain, Messrs. Martin & Company and Messrs. Apcar & Company,
East, South and West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company.

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Asansol.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Burdwan.

Calcutta.

No. 2516 L.A.—The 14th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, 1 of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the land measuring, more or less, 6 cottahs and 18 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to ·0994 of an acre, which was notified for acquisition under declaration No. 1707 L.A., dated the 17th February 1923, published at page 250, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, and was required for the King Edward Memorial Research Institute in connection with the School of Tropical Medicine in the town of Calcutta.

Tippera.

No. 2532 L.A.—The 14th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Chandpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of the Harishava Road, south section, Chandpur Municipality, in the village of Sriramdi, pargana Purchandi, zilla Tippera, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose five pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 2 cottahs and 14 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·7086 of an acre, bounded on the—

BLOCK A.

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 1500,
East—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 1339,
South—By cadastral survey plot No. 3241,
West—By cadastral survey plot No. 1340,

BLOCK B.

North and East—By cadastral survey plot No. 1334,
South and West—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 1333,

BLOCK C.

North—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 1306 and 1334,

East—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 1307, 1308, 1310 and 1311,

South—By cadastral survey plot No. 1312 and part of 1308,

West—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 1334 and 1323,

BLOCK D.

North, East and South—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 1316,

West—By cadastral survey plot No. 1323,

BLOCK E.

North and West—By cadastral survey plot No. 1323,

East—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 1322,

South—By part of cadastral survey plot Nos. 1318, 1319, 1320, 1321, 1322 and plot No. 1170,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Sriramdi.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 2535L.A.—The 14th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Chandpur Municipality for a public purposes viz., for diversion of the Bagadi road, in the village of Bishnudi and Gunarajdi known as mauza Chandpur municipality, pargana Purchandi, zilla Tippera, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9 bighas 3 cottahs and 5 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 3·03 acres, bounded on the—

North—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 2997, 2978, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 686, 654, 687, 688, 637, 636 and 2954,

East—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 2994, 2987, 2993, 3006, 3007, and 3008,

South—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 3010, 2979, 2980, 2981, 684, 685, 3277 and parts of 687, 688 and 2987,

West—By cadastral survey plots No. 3009 and parts of 2991, 2992 and 2987,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Bishnudi and Gunarajdi known as mauza Chandpur municipality.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 2596L.A.—The 14th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Tippera for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of Comilla-Nabinagar Road, Part III, in the villages of Majhikara and Aliabad, pargana Bardakhat, zilla Tippera, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 11 cottahs and 4 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·516 of an acre, bounded on the—

BLOCK A.

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 163,

East—By cadastral survey plot No. 180,

South—By cadastral survey plot No. 116,

West—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 235, 236 and 179,

BLOCK B.

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 116,
East—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 180 and 220,
South—By cadastral survey plot No. 214,
West—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 185, 186 and 191,

BLOCK C.

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 561,
East—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 562, 568, 569, 570, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582 and 583,
South—By cadastral survey plot No. 584,
West—By cadastral survey plot No. 560,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Majhikara and Aliabad.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Tippera.

Noakhali.

No. 2599 L.A.—The 14th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Noakhali for a public purpose, viz., for Veterinary Dispensary in the village of Maijchara, pargana Sundvip, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·23 acres, bounded on the—

North—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 1215,

East—By parts of cadastral survey plot Nos. 1215 and 1224,

South—By cadastral survey plot No. 1226 and part of cadastral survey plot 1224,

West—By District Board road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Maijchara.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Noakhali.

Malda.

No. 2608 L.A.—The 14th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Malda Central Bank, Limited, for a public purpose, viz., for the Co-operative Central Bank in mauza English Bazar, pargana Bhatia, zilla Malda, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·10 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the lane of English Bazar Municipality (khas land plot No. 927),

East—By the lands of Benoy Chandra Chakraverty (plot No. 940), Sk. Tamiz-uddin (plot No. 948) and Kader Baksh Hazi (plot No. 950),

South—By the municipal road (khas land plots Nos. 1011, 1010 and 1009),

West—By the lands of Goswain Ananda Giri Guru Jagannathji (plot No. 959), and Paresh Chandra Chaudhuri and others (plots No. 936 and 934),

is likely to be required within the aforesaid mauza of English Bazar.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication on this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Malda.

No. 2611L.A.—The 14th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Narail Central Co-operative Bank, Limited, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an office building for the aforesaid bank in the village of Mahishkhola, pargana Naldi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·33 of an acre from the west of plot No. 678 of the District Settlement map of the village, and bounded on the—

Jessore.

North—By the subdivisional office compound,

East—By the lodging house of Babu Satis Chandra Chakravarty,

South—By the house of Babu Jatindra Nath Bhattacharjee and Manindra Nath Bhattacharjee,

West—By the District Board road and Ferry Ghat road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Mahishkhola.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all to whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Jessore.

No. 2636L.A.—The 15th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dinajpur District Board for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Veterinary Dispensary at Thakurgaon in the village of Nischintapur, pargana Salbari, zilla Dinajpur, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·435 of an acre, bounded on the—

Dinajpur.

North and West—By Dharma Das Palit's land,

South—By late Rajani Kanta Ghosh's land,

East—By Umes Chandra and Ashutosh Das's land,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Nischintapur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dinajpur.

No. 2639L.A.—The 15th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for broad gauge siding in connection with Parbatipur yard remodelling, in the village of Parbatipur, pargana Rokanpur *alias* Hashiabangalipur, zilla Dinajpur, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·12 of an acre bounded on the—

Dinajpur.

North and East—By the railway land,

South and West—By the land of Chhamirulla Mandal,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Parbatipur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Dinajpur.

No. 2643L.A.—The 15th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of 24-Parganas for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a masonry well in the village of Ghosepur (jurisdiction list No. 7 of thana Baduria), pargana Ukhra, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified

24-Parganas.

that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·0207 of an acre bounded on the—

North—By the local board road,

East, South and West—By the land of Nagendra Nath Banerji,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Ghosepur.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of 24-Parganas.

Malda.

No. 2646L.A.—The 15th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the English Bazar Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of Gudribazar in mauza English Bazar, pargana Bhatia Gopalpur, zilla Malda, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more of less, ·048 of an acre bounded on the—

North—By Munshi Pear Mahamed's house, settlement plots Nos. 491 and 481,

East—By pucca house of Nabakrishna Poddar, settlement plot No. 482,

South—By Gudribazar lane or Bazarpatty Lane, settlement plots Nos. 484, 485 and 486.

West—By pucca drain of Pear Mahamed Munshi, settlement plots Nos. 488 and 489,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid mauza of English Bazar.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Malda.

24-Parganas.

No. 2651L.A.—The 15th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Panihati Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for Methar's shed, in the village of Panihati (Jurisdiction list No. 15 of thana Khardah), pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·6223 of an acre bounded on the—

North—By the approach road to garden and the drain of Lalit Mohan Ghosal's garden,

East—By the approach road to garden and Barrackpore Trunk Road,

South—By the land of Nimai Chand Bose,

West—By the land of Nimai Chand Bose and by the drain of Lalit Mohan Ghosal's garden,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Panihati.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of 24-Parganas.

Hooghly.

No. 2667L.A.—The 17th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Kotrung Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a pasture ground, in the village of Bhadrakali, pargana Boro, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose seven pieces of land altogether measuring,

more or less, 6 bighas 2 cottahs 1 chitak and 23 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to 2·02 acres, bounded on the—

PLOT NO. I :

North—By land of Bipra Das Banerjee,
East—By Municipal road (Darijangal road),
South—By Municipal road (Haranathpur Road),
West—By lands of Phakir Patari, Haridasi Dasi and Hari Mukherjee,

PLOT NO. II :

North—By land of Hari Patari,
East—By land of Amrita Lal Pal,
South—By land of Hari Mukherjee,
West—By land of Hari Mukherjee and Phakir Patari,

PLOT NO. III :

North—By land of Hari Patari,
East—By land of Bipra Das Banerjee,
South—By land of Phakir Patari,
West—By land of Nirmal Chandra Banerjee,

PLOT NO. IV :

North—By lands of Nirmal Chandra Banerjee and Hari Mukherjee,
East—By lands of Bipra Das Banerjee and Hari Mukherjee,
South—By land of Haridasi Dasi,
West—By land of Hari Mukherjee,

PLOT NO. V :

North, East and West—By lands of Hari Mukherjee,
South—By land of Phakir Patari,

PLOT NO. VI :

North—By land of Phakir Patari,
East, South and West—By lands of Hari Mukherjee,

PLOT NO. VII.

North—By land of Haridasi Dasi,
South—By Municipal road (Haranathpur Road),
East and West—By lands of Hari Mukherjee,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Bhadrakali.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 2670L.A.—The 17th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a night-soil depot, in the village of Rishra, pargana Boro, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs 15 chitaks and 5 square feet of standard measurement equivalent to 0·065 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By land of late Babu Purna Chandra Daw and Nagendra Nath Daw,

East—By tank of late Babu Purna Chandra Daw and Nagendra Nath Daw,

South—By garden of late Babu Purna Chandra Daw and Nagendra Nath Daw, tank of late Hari Mohan Chander and house of Khira Kumarni,

West—By Grand Trunk Road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Rishra.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 2673L.A.—The 17th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bansberia Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the Municipal office latrine, in the village of Bansberia, pargana Arsa, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs 6 chitaks 12 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·056 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By Municipal Office,
East—By land of Nabatarini Dassi,
South—By Bhupati Babu's Lane,
West—By the house of Amulya Chatarji,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Bansberia.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Hooghly.

Tippera.

No. 2676L.A.—The 17th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Brahmanbaria Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the maintenance and improvement of the squares on the banks of the Lokenath tank, in the village of Paschim Paikpara, pargana Sarail, zilla Tippera, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 14 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·91 of an acre, bounded on the—

BLOCK A:

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 435,
East—By cadastral survey plot No. 136,
South—By cadastral survey plot No. 137 and plot No. 101,

BLOCK B:

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 435 and part of No. 133,
East—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 133,
South—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 133 and 135,
West—By cadastral survey plot No. 136,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Paschim Paikpara.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Tippera.

Jessore.

No. 2679L.A.—The 17th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Chandpara, pargana Khosdah, zilla Jessore, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·07 acres, bounded on the—

North-east—By Chandpara village road,
South-east and South-west—By lands of Tachimaddin Shaik and others,
North-west—By the side land of Jessore-Calcutta road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Chandpara.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Jessore.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JAILS.

No. 2661-Jails.—The 15th March 1924. Mr. C. R Battersby, Press and Forms Manager, Bengal, now on special duty, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months, under the proviso to rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 26th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

No. 9-For.—The 4th March 1924.—Mr. F. J. A. Hart, Deputy Conservator of Forests attached to the Buxa Division, is transferred to the Darjeeling Division as an attached officer with headquarters at Darjeeling with effect from the 15th March 1924, or any subsequent date.

Buxa. Darjeeling.

No. 10-For.—The 7th March 1924.—Mr. R. A. M Macalpine, Assistant Conservator of Forests, on Working Plan duty in the Jalpaiguri Division, is appointed Working Plan Officer with effect from the 1st March 1924 with headquarters at Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri.

R. C. MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

No. 3937, dated Calcutta, the 10th March 1924.—Rai Jogendra Nath Mitra Bahadur made over charge of the Mymensingh Jail to Major E. B. Munro, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 2nd March 1924.

No. 4074, dated Calcutta, the 12th March 1924.—Dr. Surendra Nath Sen Gupta made over charge of the Comilla Jail to Rai Jogendra Nath Mitra Bahadur on the forenoon of the 7th March 1924.

W. G. HAMILTON, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal (offg.).

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 801 L., dated Calcutta, the 11th March, 1924.—It is hereby notified, in pursuance of rule 14 (*9*) of the Rules for the election and nomination of members to the Bengal Legislative Council, that Mr. Alexander Douglas Gordon has been declared under rule 14 (*2*) of the aforesaid rules to have been duly elected by the Indian Tea Association Constituency to be a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

C. TINDALL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED Deputy Collector Rai Sahib Amal Krishna Mukherji is placed in charge of the Midnapore District Treasury from the afternoon of to-day (10th March 1924). He is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

G. H. W. DAVIES, *District Officer.*

MIDNAPORE, *the 10th March 1924.*

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 of Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act) that during the months of April, May and June 1924, until further orders, the 2nd Additional Sub-Judge of Howrah and Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore and Howrah, will hold his sittings as detailed below :—

April 1924.

1st to 13th as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge, Howrah.
14th to 22nd as Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore.
23rd to 30th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.

May 1924.

1st to 14th as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge, Howrah.
15th to 20th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore.
21st to 31st as Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.

June 1924.

1st to 13th as 2nd Additional Sub-Judge, Howrah.
14th to 19th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore.
20th to 30th as Judge, Small Cause Court, Howrah.

(Excluding Sundays and holidays.)

TEJ CHANDRA MITTER, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

HOWRAH, *the 25th February 1924.*

ORDERS BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1548 R.G.—Babu Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, 24-Parganas, is posted to the Calcutta Collectorate under the Collector of Calcutta.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 8th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1561R.G.—This office notification No. 999R.G., dated the 10th December 1923, posting Babu Surendra Mohan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, to the Bagerhat subdivision in the district of Khulna, is hereby cancelled.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 10th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1431G.—Babu Akshay Kumar Majumdar, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Comilla, is transferred to Brahmanbaria to work as a Circle Officer under the Village Self-Government Act and is placed in charge of the circle comprising the areas of Brahmanbaria and Kasba police-stations.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 12th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 634J.G.—Babu Jatindra Krishna Ghose, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the district of Hooghly as Circle officer of Dhaniakhali, *vice* Babu Rajendra Nath Gupta, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 636J.G.—Babu Rajendra Nath Gupta, Circle officer of the Dhaniakhali circle of the district of Hooghly is transferred to the subdivision of Uluberia in the district of Howrah as 2nd officer, *vice* Babu Rajendralal Acharjya, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1357J.—Babu Jagadish Chandra Bardhan, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dacca, is allowed leave on average pay (privilege leave) for one month, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 19th February 1924 or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 14th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 700J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*2*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Maulvi Kabiruddin Ahmed and re-appoint also the following gentlemen to be non-official visitors of the Midnapore Central Jail for a period of two years with effect from the date of this notification :—

1. Syed Golam Ala Eba.
2. Babu Radha Govinda Pal.
3. Rev. J. A. L. Singh.
4. Babu Gnanendra Nath Chaudhury.
5. Babu Sital Prasad Ghose.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 704J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*2*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Miss K. B. Rai and also re-appoint the following ladies to be non-official lady visitors of the Midnapore Central Jail for a period of two years with effect from the date of this notification :—

1. Miss Ruth Daniels.
2. Miss M. E. Barnard.
3. Miss Niroj Basini Shome.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 708J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*1*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Babu Debendra Lal Khan, member of the Bengal Legislative Council, to be a non-official visitor of the Midnapore Central Jail for two years with effect from the 1st January 1924.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 712J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*2*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby re-appoint Babu Sricharan Bag and appoint Babu Ram Krishna Mukerjee to be non-official visitors of the Ghatal subsidiary jail, in the district of Midnapore, for a period of two years with effect from the date of this notification.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 716J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*1*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Babu Debendra Lal Khan, member of the Bengal Legislative Council, to be non-official visitor of the Ghatal subsidiary jail in the district of Midnapore for two years with effect from the 1st January 1924.

J. N GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 720J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*2*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby re-appoint Babus Atal Behari Singha and Jagadish Chandra Dhabal Deb to be non-official visitors of the Jhargram subsidiary jail in the district of Midnapore for a period of two years with effect from the date of this notification.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 729J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*1*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Babu Debendra Lal Khan, member of the Bengal Legislative Council, to be a non-official visitor of the Jhargram subsidiary jail, in the district of Midnapore, for a period of two years with effect from the 1st January 1924.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 733J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*2*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby re-appoint Babus Lalit Mohan Mitra and Behari Lal Mukerji to be non-official visitors of the Tamluk subsidiary jail, in the district of Midnapore for a period of two years with effect from the date of this notification,

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 787J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*1*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby appoint Babu Mahendra Nath Maity, member of the Bengal Legislative Council, to be a non-official visitor of the Tamluk subsidiary jail, in the district of Midnapore, for a period of two years with effect from the 1st January 1924.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 741J.G.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 63 (*2*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, I hereby re-appoint Babus Ramapati Mitra and Gyanada Charan Bose to be non-official visitors of the Contai subsidiary jail, in the district of Midnapore, for a period of two years with effect from the date of this notification.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 607M.—It is hereby notified for general information that, at the bye-election held on the 19th November 1923, Babu Kul Bahadur Prodhan was duly elected as a Commissioner of the Kurseong Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner (offg.).*

RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 12th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1444G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Munshi Muzafar Ahmed has been duly elected to be a member of the Sadar Local Board, Comilla, in the district of Tippera, in place of Babu Girish Chandra Roy, deceased.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 12th March 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election for the election of a member for the Santhia thana to the Pabna Local Board in place of Babu Hemanta Kumar Roy, resigned, will be held on Saturday, the 17th May 1924.

D. K. MITTER, *District Magistrate.*

PABNA MAGISTRACY, *the 15th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 132L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, read with rule 39 of the Rules for the election and appointment of members, etc., of union boards under the said Act, Babu Bijoy Gopal Chakravarty has been appointed to be a member of the Gopinathpur union board in police-station Tehatta in the Meherpur subdivision of the Nadia district, in place of Babu Nalini Chandra Dey, removed.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 11th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1295J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Paikarchar union board, police-station Narsingdi in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Harendra Nath Chakravarty.
2. „ Dinesh Chandra Ray Chaudhury.
3. Maulvi Nazamaddin Ahammed.
4. Munshi Rahim Bux Sarkar.
5. Mahammed Sahedali Sarkar.
6. Babu Rajendra Chandra Das.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Kumudbandhu Chakravarti.
2. Amiruddin Bepari.
3. Hossenali Bhuiya.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 10th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5291 S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the union boards in the Singur police-station in the Serampore subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	GOPALNAGAR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Girish Chandra Santra. 2. „ Nirode Narain Ghosh. 3. „ Abinash Chandra Santra.
II	1. Hrishicase Das. 2. Babu Nani Gopal Ghose. 3. „ Makhan Lal Kolay.
	BALORAMBATI UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Ashutosh Das. 2. Shaik Muhammed Ali.
II	1. Babu Krishnadhone Mukherji. 2. „ Probhat Chandra Das.
III	1. Babu Parbutty Charan Das. 2. „ Brojo Nath Pyne.
	ANANDANAGAR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Mahadeb Mondal. 2. „ Rasick Lal Maity.
II	1. Babu Jotindra Nath Bairi. 2. „ Nani Gopal Samonta.
III	1. Babu Debendra Nath Kower. 2. „ Monmotho Nath Singh Roy.
	SINGUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Harihar Chatterjee. 2. „ Surendra Nath Chatterjee. 3. „ Profulla Nath Barman. 4. „ Tarak Nath Mukerji.
II	1. Babu Fanindra Nath Santra. 2. „ Manik Chandra Santra.

Number of wards		Names of members.
		NASHIBPUR UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Purna Chandra Manna. 2. „ Ashutosh Chatterjee.
II	...	1. Saidal Islam. 2. Babu Kumud Nath Singha Roy.
III	...	1. Abdul Sabur. 2. Babu Nilmani Das Mondal.
		BORRA UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Anath Nath Chatterjee. 2. „ Akshoy Kumar Kolay. 3. „ Rakhal Chandra Dass.
II	...	1. Babu Fakir Chandra Sett. 2. „ Panchanan Chakrabarty. 3. „ Surendra Nath Dass.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village-Self Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Gopalnagar	...	1. Babu Ekkari Ghose. 2. „ Kshirode Kumar Banerji. 3. „ Nirode Narain Batabal.
Balorambati	...	1. Babu Makhan Lal Dass. 2. „ Benode Behari Dass. 3. Syed Shah Maidal Islam.
Anandanagar	...	1. Babu Gopal Chandra Chaudhury. 2. „ Nakur Chandra Khan Takur. 3. „ Sheikh Haldar.
Singur	...	1. Babu Narain Chandra De. 2. „ Dhirendra Nath Ghosal. 3. „ Sarat Chandra Chatterjee.
Nashibpur	...	1. Babu Bonomali De, B.A. 2. „ Troilakshya Nath Singha Roy. 3. Mian Abdul Rahman.
Borra	...	1. Babu Prasanna Kumar Mukherji. 2. „ Suhas Kumar Ghosh. 3. Sheikh Barik Mollah.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 10th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 536 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village-Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Jangipara police-station in the Serampore subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.		Names of members.
		RAJBOLHAT UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Dakhinapada Mukherji. 2. „ Satya Charan Roy.
II	...	1. Babu Kali Das Chatterjee. 2. „ Monmatha Nath Chakravarty. 3. „ Kartic Chandra Seal. 4. „ Godadhar Dutt.

Number of wards.	Names of member.
	AUTPUR-JANGIPARA UNION BOARD.
II	1. Babu Brindaban Chandra Singha Roy, B.L. 2. „ Upendra Nath Singha Roy.
III	1. Babu Atul Chandra Das. 2. „ Manmatha Nath Bagish.
	RADHANAGORE UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Satya Charan Singha Roy.
II	1. Babu Prosanna Kumar Banerjee. 2. „ Jotindra Nath Chakrvarty.
III	1. Babu Lakhi Narain Sinha Roy. 2. „ Nityananda Sinha Roy.
	RASIDPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Tulshi Charan Mukherji. 2. „ Bharat Chandra Kundu. 3. „ Upendra Nath Dutt.
II	1. Babu Ram Gopal Mukherji.
	DILAKASH UNION BOARD.
II	1. Babu Nritya Lal Mullick. 2. „ Hari Charan Sen.
III	1. Babu Anukul Chandra Mukherjee.
	MONDOLIKA-KOTALPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Durga Charan Kuar. 2. „ Nalini Kanta Nandi.
II	1. Babu Lakshi Narain Bhandari.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union board.	Names of members.
Rajbolhat	1. Babu Shyam Lal Dey. 2. „ Surendra Nath Chakravarti. 3. Munshi Amjed Ali Mullick.
Autpur-Jangipara	1. Babu Haridas Banerjee. 2. „ Sashi Bhusan Dirghangi. 3. Dharanidhar Singh Roy, M.B.
Radhanagore	1. Babu Jnan Chandra Singha Roy. 2. „ Naran Chandra Upadhayay. 3. Sheikh Ujiruddin Munshi.
Phurfura	1. Babu Protap Chandra Sinha Roy. 2. Kazi Nobibor Rahaman. 3. Babu Rajani Kanta Saha.
Rasidpur	1. Babu Phanindra Nath Mukherji. 2. „ Atul Krishna Mukherji. 3. „ Tarak Chandra Mukharjee.
Dilakash	1. Babu Nagendra Nath Mullik. 2. „ Jitendra Nath Mullick. 3. „ Rakhal Chandra Chakravarti.
Mondolika-Kotalpur	1. Hazi Abdul Haq. 2. Dr. Chuni Lall Banerjee. 3. Munshi Abdur Rahaman Mullick.

3. Under sub-section (4) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the undermentioned union board :—

Number of wards.	Names of members
	AUTPUR-JANGIPARA UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Ashutosh Basu. 2. „ Lalit Mohan Dutt.
	RADHANAGORE UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Jyoti Prosad Pandey.
	PHURFURA UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Sitaram Sinha Roy, B L. 2. Sheik Azizal Huq.
II	... 1. Hazi Elahi Bux. 2. Babu Hari Sadhan Bhattacharji.
III	... 1 Mahammad Tafzil. 2. Babu Priya Nath Ghose.
	RASIDPUR UNION BOARD.
II	... 1. Babu Nibaran Chandra Banerjee. 2. „ Bidhu Bhusan Chatterjee.
	DILAKASH UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Rakhal Raj Hazra. 2. „ Sadhan Chandra Mitra.
III	... 1. Babu Ekkari Mukherjee.
	MONDOLIKA-KOTALPUR UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Hafez Maula Bux.
II	... 1. Babu Probodh Chandra Banerjee. 2. Sheik Ahammadi.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 539L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Tarakeswar police-station in the Serampore subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards	Names of members
	TARAKESWAR UNION BOARD.
II	... 1. Babu Probhat Chandra Giri.
III	... 1. Babu Sasbi Bhusan Kamley.
	BALIGORI UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Ananga Mohan Chongdar. 2. „ Sabalak Chandra Nandy.
II	... 1. Sheik Soleman Haldar. 2. Babu Jatindra Nath Bandopadhyay.
III	... 1. Babu Panchanan Dass. 2. Sheik Osman Gani.

Number of ward.	Names of members.
	RAMNAGORE UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Accori Banarji. 2. „ Monmatha Nath Mukharji.
II	1. Babu Netai Pada Chakravarti. 2. „ Behari Lal Ghosh.
	TALPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Jugal Kissore Kundu. 2. „ Radhika Prosad Chakravarti.
II	1. Babu Nani Lal Bhakta.
	CHAMPADANGA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Jnanendra Mohan Pan. 2. „ Gopal Chandra Mondal.
II	1. Babu Arjun Chandra Samonta. 2. „ Banku Behari Das.
III	1. Babu Kala Chand Haldar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Tarakeswar	1. Babu Nilmadhab Sarkar. 2. „ Basanta Kumar Das. 3. „ Mritunjoy Chakravarti.
Baligori	1. Ahed Bux Mullick. 2. Babu Nisadepa Mukhopadhayay. 3. „ Hrishicase Mazumdar.
Ramnagore	1. Babu Annoda Prosad Bose. 2. „ Kshetra Mohan Bhattacharjee. 3. Sheik Esmail.
Talpur	1. Babu Jogendra Nath Roy. 2. „ Atul Chandra Pal. 3. „ Trilochan Gossamy.
Champadanga	1. Babu Sudhir Chandra Sinha. 2. „ Surendra Nath De. 3. „ Sudhir Chandra Nandi.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Governnment Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	TARAKESWAR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Ashutosh Pakira.
II	1. Babu Kshitish Chandra Shaw.
IV	1. Babu Girindra Kumar Shome. 2. „ Jotindra Mohan Samonta.
	RAMNAGORE UNION BOARD.
III	1. Babu Chandra Madhab Ghosh. 2. „ Annada Prosad Karmakar.
	TALPUR UNION BOARD.
II	1. Babu Ashutosh Chakravarti.
III	1. Babu Muktaram Mukherjee. 2. „ Upendra Nath Bera.
	CHAMPADANGA UNION BOARD.
III	1. Munshi Abdul Rajak.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 542L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union board in the Serampore police-station in the Serampore subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of ward.	Names of members.
	PEARAPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Narain Chandra Das. 2. „ Baikuntha Nath Hati. 3. „ Nani Lal Ghose.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members
Rajyadhar	1. Babu Indra Bhusan Neogi. 2. „ Dasurathi Ghose. 3. „ Abinash Chandra Sen.
Pearapur	1. Babu Bejoy Krishna Kundu. 2. „ Bidhu Bhusan Das. 3. Sheikh Kobat.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	RAJYADHARPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Koilash Chandra Hazra. 2. „ Bhusan Chandra Bagui. 3. „ Sashi Bhushan Biswas.
II	1. Sheik Abdur Molla. 2. Babu Narain Chandra Mallik. 3. „ Jogindra Nath Chaudhuri.
	PEARAPUR UNION BOARD.
II	1. Babu Gobordhon Santra. 2. „ Fakir Chandra Maiti. 3. „ Nagendra Nath Sarkar.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 545L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Haripal police-station in the Serampore subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	JEJUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Kalipada Santra. 2. „ Basanta Kumar Mitra. 3. „ Ekkari Lal Ghose.
II	1. Babu Sasthi Das Sinha Roy. 2. Munshi Abdul Gani Sarkar. 3. Sheik Jamadar Mondal.

Number of ward.	Names of members.

KAIKALA UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Sheik Moniruddin Mondal. 2. Babu Girish Chandra Bhar. 3. „ Haraprasanna Banerjee.
II	...	1. Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Mitra. 2. M. Golam Robbani. 3. Babu Ashutosh Dutta.

FARIDPUR UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Sheik Dauder Rahaman. 2. „ Munshi Abdul Hamid.
II	...	1. Sheik Rahim Bux Mondal. 2. Babu Dibakar Singha Ray.
III	...	1. Sheik Jabbar Ali Mondal. 2. „ Abdul Rahaman Mondal.

ILLIPUR UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Maulvi Fazal-ul-Huq. 2. „ Muhammad Eusaf. 3. Babu Pulin Behari Mukherjee.

BANDIPUR UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Babu Nakuleswar Chakravarty. 2. „ Nilratan Mukherjee.
II	...	1. Babu Upendra Nath Ghose. 2. „ Tincouri Bhattacharjee.
III	...	1. Babu Mihi Lal Dig. 2. „ Prosad Chandra Hat.

DWARHATA-GOPINATHPUR UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Babu Romanath Mitra. 2. „ Jogindra Nath Roy.
II	...	1. Babu Upendra Nath Ghosal. 2. „ Sashi Bhushan Dey.
III	...	1. Babu Nani Gopal Bhattacharji. 2. „ Benode Behari Dey.

HARIPAL UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Babu Janaki Nath Singha Roy. 2. „ Tincori Chowdhury.
II	...	1. Babu Amulya Nath Roy. 2. „ Bata Krishna De.
III	...	1. Babu Nibaran Chandra Banerjee. 2. „ Ashutosh Mullick.

NALIKUL UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Babu Benode Behari Das. 2. „ Krishna Chandra Chakravarti.
II	...	1. Babu Monoranjan Sen. 2. „ Jogindra Krishna Das.
III	...	1. Babu Nitai Charan Chakravarti. 2. „ Bhola Nath Bar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Jejur	...	1. Babu Hari Madhab Mitra. 2. „ Anukul Chandra Mukherji. 3. Sheik Keramat Ali.
Kaikala	...	1. Babu Sarat Chandra Sur. 2. „ Radhika Nath Banerjee. 3. Alimuddin Mullick.
Faridpur	...	1. Babu Surendra Nath Bhattacharji. 2. „ Sarat Chandra Ganguli. 3. „ Abinash Chandra Patra.
Illipur	...	1. Babu Kalipada Banerjee. 2. „ Saroda Prosad Chatterji. 3. „ Harish Chandra Chakravarti.
Bandipur	...	1. Babu Raseswar Chakravarti Kaviratna. 2. „ Nagendra Nath Chandra. 3. Sheik Abdul Karim.
Dwarhata-Gopinathpur.		1. Babu Sudhir Nath Banerjee. 2. Sheik Abdul Rab. 3. Babu Jotindra Mohan Mazumdar.
Haripal	...	1. Maulvi Abdul Latif. 2. Babu Haripoda Bose. 3. „ Bhola Nath Dutta.
Nalikul	...	1. Babu Debendra Nath Madak. 2. „ Gour Chandra Koley. 3. Abdul Rajak.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the Illipur union board :—

Number of ward.		Names of members
II	...	1. Babu Moti Lal Ghose Mondal. 2. „ Jogendra Nath Bag. 3. „ Girish Chandra Dhara.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 548L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the under-mentioned union boards in the Chanditolla police-station in the Serampore subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.		Names of members
		SHEHAKHALA UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Babu Jotindra Nath Nandy. 2. „ Harendra Krishna Mukherjee. 3. „ Banku Behari Mukherjee.
II	...	1. Babu Debota Charan Chatterjee. 2. „ Kali Charan Chakravarti.
III	...	1. Babu Bepin Behari Atta.
		NABABPUR KUMIRMORA UNION BOARD.
I	...	1. Munshi Golam Mahammad Mustafa. 2. Babu Manmatha Nath Pal.
II	...	1. Babu Nityananda Manna. 2. Shaik Endad Hossain.
III	...	1. Shaik Bazlal Rashid. 2. Babu Bama Charan Pal.

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	AKUNI-ECHAPASHAR UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Panchanan Mondal, B.A.
II	... 1. Babu Kristodhan Ganguli. 2. Syed Anwar Ali.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union boards as noted below :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Shehakhala ...	1. Babu Abhoyapada Mukherjee. 2. „ Kissori Mohan Mukherjee. 3. „ Bhabataran Santra.
Nababpur-Kumirmora.	1. Babu Lalit Mohan Mukherjee. 2. Abdul Rashid Patwar. 3. Sheik Reazuddin.
Akuni-Echapashar.	1. Kazi Mahammadali. 2. Khondakar Mahammad Abu Lais, B.A. 3. Babu Krishna Chandra Banerji.
Manoharpur ...	1. Babu Bama Charan Chandra, B.A. 2. Sheik Elahi Buksh. 3. Babu Satya Charan Konar.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the undermentioned union boards :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	AKUNI-ECHAPASHAR UNION BOARD.
III	... 1. Babu Sarat Chandra Chakravarti. 2. „ Gangadhar Das. 3. „ Surendra Nath Mukherjee.
	MANOHARPUR UNION BOARD.
I	... 1. Babu Tinkari Bhattacharji. 2. „ Kali Prosanna Mal. 3. Sheik Mahbud Ali Naskar.
II	... 1. Sheik Akbar Ali Sahna. 2. Babu Manik Chandra Neogi. 3. „ Ashutosh Neogi.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th March 1924*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 551L.S.-G.— It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Beghati-Khalsini union board in the Bhadreswar police-station in the Serampore subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
I	... 1. Babu Bhupendra Nath Bose. 2. „ Nogendra Nath Koley. 3. „ Nidhiram Dhara.
II	... 1. Babu Troilakshya Nath Bhattacharjya. 2. „ Bejoy Krishna Roy. 3. „ Bonomali Mukherjee.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the aforesaid union board as noted below :—

1. Babu Rasick Chandra Laha. 2. Babu Kshetra Nath Chatterjee.
3. Sheik Gulbahar Mondal.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 554 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Makla-Nawapara union board in the Uttarpara police-station in the Serampur subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

Number of wards.		Names of members
I	...	1. Babu Nafar Chandra Dhara. 2 „ Moti Lal Manjhi. 3. „ Surendra Nath Mondal. 4. „ Krishna Chandra Banerjee.
II	...	1. Babu Jaleswar Chatterjee. 2. „ Tarak Chandra Ghose.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the said union board as noted below :—

1 Babu Nando Gopal Moira. 2. Babu Ram Chandra Koyal.
3. Babu Nirmal Chandra Ganguli.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 133 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, read with rule 38 of the rules for the election and appointment of members and presidents of union boards and the election of vice-presidents under the said Act, Babu Provat Chandra Banerjee has been duly elected to be a member of the Baruli-Katipara Banka union board within the jurisdiction of police-station Paikgacha in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna, in place of Babu Fanindra Nath Bose, deceased.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 15th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 525 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 39 of the rules for election and appointment of members of union boards made thereunder, Babu Anukul Chandra Chatterjee has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Burdwan to be a member of the Jahannagar union board in Purbasthali police-station in the Kalna subdivision of the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Banerjee, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN, CHINSURA, *the 6th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 562L.S.-3.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Nannoor police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	SAUTA UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Ananta Hari Bhaumik. 2. „ Ram Pada Mondal.
II	1. Babu Fakir Chandra Mondal. 2. „ Jotindra Mohan Pal. 3. Maulvi Md. Yakub.
III	1. Babu Bahu Ballav Mazumdar.
	KADDA-SUBALPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Ram Jiban Chatterji. 2. „ Rakhal Das Sirkar.
II	1. Munshi Sajedar Rahaman. 2. Shaikh Bechan Mahammad.
III	1. Babu Nali Nakhya Chakravarty. 2. „ Gokul Chandra Mondal.
	NOWANAGAR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Syed Abdul Mannan. 2. Maulvi Syed Alaul Haque.
II	1. Shaikh Yasin. 2. Maulvi Abdul Lateef.
III	1. Babu Ram Saran Ghosh. 2. Maulvi Sufi Md. Fazlul.
	THUPSARA UNION BOARD.
II	1. Babu Akhoy Kumar Gorai. 2. „ Banka Behari Mondal. 3. „ Kali Pada Roy.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the following union boards :—

Names of union boards.	Names of members.
Sauta	1. Babu Surendra Nath Roy. 2. „ Mati Lal Saha. 3. Mahammad Siddik Hossain.
Kadda-Subalpur	1. Md. Motiur Rahman. 2. Babu Panchanan Mondal. 3. „ Rajendra Nath Bhattacharji.
Nowanagar	1. Maulvi Kazi Mahammad. 2. Babu Bhairab Chandra Chatterji. 3. „ Rakhal Das Mitra.
Thupsara	1. Babu Bhola Nath Hazra. 2. „ Sat Kari Sarkar. 3. Chaudhari Aftabuddin.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the Thupsara union board :—

Number of ward.	Names of members.
I	1. Babu Mohi Tosh Mukherji. 2. Shaikh Shamsuddin. 3. Babu Suresh Chandra Hazra.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner,*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 13th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 568L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the under-mentioned union boards in the Bolpur police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Number of wards.	Names of members.
	SATTORE UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Rakhakar Chatterji. 2. Shaikh Abdul Sattar. 3. Munshi Rahaman Molla.
II	1. Shaikh Kobhat Ali. 2. „ Behetar. 3. „ Sukuraddi Mondal.
	RUPPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Rakhal Chandra Mazumdar. 2. Shaikh Majid Rahaman. 3. „ Ghorai Molla.
II	1. Babu Narendra Nath Ghosh. 2. „ Dwija Pada Bhattacharji. 3. Munshi Khabiruddin Molla.
	RAIPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Narayan Das Sarkar. 2. „ Bhupendra Nath Ghosal. 3. „ Nityananda Chaudhary.
II	1. Babu Gopika Mathan Thakur.
III	1. Babu Jnanendra Nath Singh. 2. „ Tinkari Chaudhari.
	SHOOPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Dwija Pada Bhattacherji. 2. „ Krishna Chandra Roy.
II	1. Babu Sudhakar Mazumdar. 2. „ Hari Prosanna Gupta.
III	1. Babu Sashi Bhusan Mondal. 2. „ Ram Prosad Ghosh.
	BOLPUR UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Adhar Chandra Roy.
II	1. Babu Nagendra Nath Nayek. 2. „ Bhupati Nath Nayek.
III	1. Babu Gobinda Chandra Dalal.
IV	1. Babu Kali Mohan Ghosh.
V	1. Babu Satyendra Nath Sarkar.
	PALTORE UNION BOARD.
I	1. Babu Bagal Chandra Ghosh. 2. „ Tarapada Chattopadhya.
II	1. Babu Hari Das Banerji. 2. „ Ashutosh Acherji.
III	1. Babu Gopi Pada Roy. 2. Shaikh Lakibaddin.

KHANERPARA UNION BOARD

I	...	1. Babu Jagesh Chandra Chatterji. 2. „ Ashutosh Chakravarty. 3. „ Krishna Chandra Ghosh.
II	...	1. Babu Tara Pada Addya. 2. „ Sakti Pada Banerji. 3. „ Radhika Prosad Sadhu.

SEAN UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Babu Benode Behari Sar. 2. „ Radhika Prosad Santra. 3. „ Hrisi Kesh Chaudhari.
II	...	1. Babu Hrishi Bhushan Chaudhari. 2. „ Dakshineswar Mukherji. 3. Chaudhari Abu Eusuf.

BAHIRI UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Babu Kali Das Nayek. 2. „ Aswini Kumar Ghatak.
II	...	1. Babu Chuni Lal Roy.
III	...	1. Babu Bireswar Kundu. 2. „ Ashutosh Bandhu. 3. „ Hari Das Kunda.

PANCHSOA UNION BOARD.

I	...	1. Babu Benoy Krishna Chaudhari. 2. „ Durga Das Ghatak. 3. „ Umesh Chandra Mondal.
II	...	1. Babu Suresh Chandra Pain. 2. „ Satya Kinkar Hazra. 3. „ Sree Chandra Ghosh.

2. Under sub-section (3) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards :—

Names of union boards.		Names of members.
Sattore	...	1. Babu Bhupati Nath Roy. 2. „ Tin Kari Laha. 3. „ Gour Chandra Saha.
Ruppur	...	1. Babu Satkari Ghosh. 2. Hazi Himmat Molla. 3. Shaikh Isahak Molla.
Raipur	...	1. Babu Debendra Prosanna Singha. 2. „ Radha Gobinda Kunda. 2. Shaikh Ibrahim.
Shoopur	...	1. Babu Gopendra Nath Roy. 2. „ Gokul Chandra Adhikari. 3. Abdul Rejjak Molla.
Bolpur	...	1. Babu Dwijendra Nath Mukherji. 2. „ Nityananda Singha. 3. Shaikh Mahammad Hanif.
Taltore	...	1. Babu Jotindra Mohan Chatterji. 2. „ Bhola Nath Saha. 3. „ Romesh Chandra Chatterji.
Khanerpara	...	1. Babu Jamini Kanta Chakraverty. 2. „ Ram Saran Mondal. 3. „ Tin Kari Mondal.
Sean	...	1. Kazi Md. Abdulla. 2. Babu Anil Behari Chaudhuri. 3. „ Kanti Chandra Koar.

Bahiri	...	1. Babu Khudiram Kundu. 2. „ Sib Ram Chaudhuri. 3. Munshi Shaikh Maula Box.
Panchsoa	...	1. Munshi Sk. Tinai. 2. Shaikh Jia Rahaman. 3. Babu Bhairab Nath Pal.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 13th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 134L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, V of 1919, read with rule 38 of the Rules for the election and appointment of members and presidents of union boards and the election of vice-presidents under the said Act, Munshi Sayedali Akunji has been duly elected to be a member of the Raghunathpur union board within the jurisdiction of police-station Dumuria in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Khulna, in place of Munshi Hashem Ali Gazi, deceased.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 15th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 565L.S.-G.—In continuation of this office notification No. 338L.S.-G., dated the 13th February 1924, publishing the names of the elected and appointed members of the union boards in the Khanakul police-station in the Arambagh subdivision of the district of Hooghly, printed at pages 418-21, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, it is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly to be members of the Pole union board :—

1. Babu Krishna Chandra Chaudhury.
2. „ Natabar Ghose.
3. Munshi Fazle Haque Molla.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 13th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1525G.— It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Tippera to be members of Talshahar union board, police-station Brahmanbaria, in the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Barada Ranjan Chakraborty.
2. Munshi Muzaffar Hossan.
3. Munshi Doa Gazi.

2. Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Act the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Munshi Abu Taher Osman.
2. „ Abdul Hamid Mirdha.
3. „ Abdul Ahad.
4. Babu Kailash Chandra Saha.
5. „ Jagneswar Pal.
6. „ Haran Chandra Saha.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

CHITTAGONG, *the 15th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1365J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Goalundo subdivision of the district of Faridpur :—

Names of union boards.	Ward No.	Names of the elected members.
POLICE-STATION BALIAKANDI.		
Dumain ...	I ...	1. Babu Ramendra Nath Bose. 2. ,, Sasthi Charan Sen. 3. Munshi Siddique Ahmed.
Do. ...	II ...	1. Abdul Molla. 2. Sheikh Ibrahim. 3. Babu Ambica Charan Biswas.
Megchami ...	II ...	1. Babu Nabin Chandra Das. 2. ,, Akshoy Kumar Das.
Do. ...	III ...	1. Babu Kunjalal Maitra. 2. ,, Ambica Charan Maitra.

Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Faridpur to be members of the undermentioned union board :—

Names of union board.	Ward No.	Names of the elected members.
POLICE-STATION BALIAKANDI.		
Megcham ...	I ...	1. Babu Basanta Kumar Sen. 2. Munshi Badal Khan.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Faridpur to be members of the under-mentioned union boards :—

Names of union boards	Names of the elected members
POLICE-STATION BALIAKANDI.	
Dumain	1. Babu Nagendra Nath Sen. 2. ,, Madhab Chandra Mandal. 3. Munshi Kazi Aminuddin Ahmed.
Megachami	1. Babu Gaya Nath Biswas. 2. Munshi Bahadur Khan. 3. ,, Umedali Sheikh.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 14th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 131L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the charitable dispensary at Bhagwangola in the Lalbagh subdivision of the Murshidabad district :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Lalbagh ... } *Ex officio.*
2. The Subdivisional Medical Officer, Lalbagh ... } *Ex officio.*
3. The Thana Officer, Bhagwangola ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Babu Bipin Behary Roy.
5. ,, Srinath Poddar.
6. ,, Kedar Nath Saha.
7. Munshi Abdul Aziz Promanik.
8. Kazi Faizuddin
9. Mahamed Ismail Mondal.
10. Berkatullah Biswas.
11. Munshi Multan Mondal.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 11th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1097 J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20(*b*) of the Manual of rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the committee for the management of the charitable dispensaries at Dhanaidaha and Pakri, in the district of Rajshahi:—

DHANAIDHA DISPENSARY.

1. Mr. Mahammad Asraf Ali Khan Chaudhury.
2. Munshi Mir Abbas Ali.
3. Babu Ananda Govinda Choudhuri.
4. „ Kishori Mohan Sirker.
5. Munshi Dabiruddin Amin.
6. Babu Sashadher Kundu.
7. Munshi Md. Mazahar Ali Mridha.
8. Babu Kunja Lal Sirker.
9. Munshi Nasimuddin Sirker.
10. „ Imamuddin Mandol.
11. „ Somser Rahaman Khan.
12. „ Mayazuddin Pramanic.

PAKRI DISPENSARY

1. Hazi Manikulla.
2. Babu Michhuram Ghosh.
3. Munshi Amiruddin Sheikh.
4. Hazi Mokimuddin.
5. Babu Chandra Kanta Mondal.
6. Munshi Azmatulla Mirza.
7. Aterulla Sirker.
8. Munshi Yakub Ali Sirker.
9. „ Jesaratulla Sirker.
10. „ Sutub Mondal.
11. „ Ful Mian Sirker.
12. Hazi Hayabatulla.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner.*

RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1498G.—It is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers under section 6, clause (*b*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, delegated to Commissioners by Bengal notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st February 1904, the undersigned hereby takes possession of the following three private ferries and declares them to be public ferries :—

(1) Umarbepari ghat which lies 1½ miles east of Kodala ferry in Chittagong.

(2) Kodala ghat which lies 2½ miles east of Kodala ferry in Chittagong.

(3) Numarbepari ghat which lies 3½ miles east of Kodala ferry in Chittagong.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Government notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, the undersigned also directs under section 35 of the Act, that the abovementioned ferries be managed by the District Board of Chittagong and that all the proceeds of these ferries and the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof be paid into the District Fund of Chittagong with effect from the date of this notification.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 14th March 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for general information that Babu Jogendra Nath Mitra who was duly elected as a member of the Bengal Legislative Council at a bye-election of the Jessore South Non-Muhammadan Constituency lodged with the undersigned return of election expenses and declaration in the proper form on 8th March 1924. They may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between 1 P.M. and 3 P.M. on payment of a fee of one rupee.

C. SELLS, *District Magistrate* (*Returning Officer*).

JESSORE, *the 10th March 1924.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 1st March 1924, is re-published for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

TARIFF VALUATION.

Delhi, the 1st March 1924.

No. 2517.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 7 (*1*) of the Cotton Duties Act, 1896 (II of 1896), and in supersession of the notification in this Department, No. 1043, dated the 17th February 1923, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to fix, for the descriptions of cotton goods hereunder specified, tariff values as follows, with effect from the 1st March 1924 :—

Grey goods, plain or bordered.

		Tariff value per lb. Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Chadars and bedsheets, plain, or having only borders not over ¼"	1	4	0
2.	Dangari and khadi cloth	0	15	0
3.	Dhuties, cholas, dupattas, lungis, and gumchas, plain, or having only borders not over ¼"	1	6	0
4.	Dhuties, cholas, dupattas, lungis, and gumchas having only borders over ¼", but not over ½"	1	7	0
5.	Dhuties, cholas, dupattas, lungis, and gumchas, having only borders over ½", but not over 2"	1	8	0
6.	Domestics, T cloths, shirtings, long-cloth, sheetings, having borders not over ½"	1	4	6
7.	Drills and jeans, plain	1	3	0
8.	Fents	0	15	0
9.	Patals and saris with headings over 4" wide and only coloured borders, not over ¼"	1	7	0
10.	Printers, sadlapat and bhagavad	1	4	0
11.	Shirtings, twilled, unbleached	1	5	0
12.	Tent, sail, commissariat and double thread cloth (dosuti)	1	2	0
13.	Zanzibar cloth	1	2	0

Provided that for calendered grey goods 3 pies shall be added to the above values.

Figured or coloured goods.

		Tariff value per lb. Rs.	A.	P.
14.	Bedcovers, twilled sheets, quilts, and table cloths with borders not over ½"	1	6	0
15.	Bedcovers, quilts, table cloths, twilled or plain wove sheets and chadars, coloured warp or weft ...	1	9	0
16.	Bedcovers, quilts, table cloths, twilled or plain wove sheets and chadars, coloured warp and weft ...	1	11	0
17.	Bed ticking, plain or drilled	1	4	0
18.	Check gumchas and check cholas	1	8	0
19.	Cholis and saris (coloured)	1	11	0
20.	Cotton tweed, commonly called hunting cloth, plain or striped, including leheria, Thana susi, Thana drill, Thana twill, and Thana check	1	7	0
21.	Khadi, striped	1	0	0
22.	Drills, striped	1	3	0
23.	Drills, checked	1	6	0
24.	Drills, dyed	1	8	0
25.	English patterned checks, trouserings and coatings ...	1	14	0
26.	Fancy dobby pattern checks, coloured warp and weft ...	1	10	0
27.	Fents	1	2	0
28.	Flannel pattern susi and dobby susi, grey weft ...	1	6	0
29.	Flannel pattern susi and dobby susi, coloured weft ...	1	8	0
30.	Lungis, coloured	1	11	0
31.	Lungis, grey, with coloured stripes and borders ...	1	8	0
32.	Napkins, grey	1	6	0
33.	Napkins, bleached	1	9	0
34.	Shirtings, twilled bleached	1	10	0
35.	Susi checks, English, grey ground	1	11	0
36.	Susi checks, ordinary, grey ground	1	9	0
37.	Susi checks, ordinary, coloured warp or weft ...	1	10	0
38.	Susi checksheets, ordinary grey ground	1	7	0
39.	Susi ordinary, coloured stripes, grey ground ...	1	7	0
40.	Susi ordinary, coloured warp or weft	1	9	0
41.	Towels, Turkish, grey	1	8	0
42.	Towels, Turkish, bleached	1	11	0
43.	Towels, honeycombed and other sorts, grey ...	1	5	0
44.	Towels, honeycombed and other sorts, bleached ...	1	8	0
45.	Zephyr, cloth	1	5	0
46.	Zephyr, striped and checked	1	6	0

Provided that any goods specified in the foregoing lists shall, when woven with borders of silk, be assessed to duty *ad valorem*.

D. T. CHADWICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 8th March 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

COTTON DUTIES.

Delhi, the 8th March 1924.

No. 569.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 36 of the Cotton Duties Act, 1896 (II of 1896), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that in Form A annexed to the notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 133-D., dated the 2nd December 1916, the following amendment shall be made with effect from the 1st April 1924 :—

After item 8 under Part I of the Form, a new entry, namely, "9. Khadi, dungri or khaddar" shall be inserted, the existing item 9 being renumbered 10.

No. 571.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 36 of the Cotton Duties Act, 1896 (II of 1896), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that in Form A annexed to the notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 135-D., dated the 2nd December 1916, the following amendment shall be made with effect from the 1st April 1924 :—

After item 8 under Part I of the Form, a new entry, namely, "9. Khadi, dungri or khaddar " shall be inserted, the existing item 9 being renumbered 10.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 6th March 1924.

No. 605.—Mr. R. L. Jenks, Chemical Examiner for Customs and Excise, Calcutta, is granted leave on average pay for 8 months with effect from the 15th April 1924, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. J. N. Rakshit, 1st Assistant Chemist at the Opium Factory, Ghazipur, is appointed to act as Chemical Examiner for Customs and Excise, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. L. Jenks, or until further orders.

A. C. MCWATTERS,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Labour, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 8th March 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 5th March 1924.

No. G. (B)-3.—In pursuance of sub-clause (*i*) of clause (*c*) of regulation 2 of the Indian Boiler Regulations, 1924, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned officers to be Inspecting Officers in respect of material manufactured or boilers constructed in British India, namely :—

Mr. D. R. MacIntosh, Chief Inspector of Steam Boilers and Smoke Nuisances, Bombay.
Mr. J. A. Spencer, Inspector of Steam Boilers, Bombay.
Mr. F. H. Claridge, Inspector of Steam Boilers, Bombay.
Mr. J. R. Allan, Inspector of Steam Boilers, Bombay.
Mr. J. Cubbon, Inspector of Steam Boilers, Bombay.
Mr. F. Tinker, Inspector of Steam Boilers, Bombay.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Education, Health and Lands, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 8th March 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

HEALTH.

Delhi, the 29th February 1924.

No. 242.—Colonel R. Heard, M.D., K.H.S., I.M.S., Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Punjab, is appointed as Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties.

The 6th March 1924.

No. 275.—The services of Major T. C. Boyd, F.R.C.S.I., I.M.S., are placed permanently at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 23rd August 1921.

M. S. D. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Government of India

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Labour, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th March 1924, is republished for general information.

A. MARR,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 10th March 1924.

No. L.-859.—The following draft of certain rules which the Governor-General in Council proposes to make under section 32 of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923 (VIII of 1923), is hereby published as required by section 34 of the said Act for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration on or after the sixteenth day of June 1924, and that any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the said draft before the date aforesaid will be considered by the Governor-General in Council.

DRAFT RULES.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title. 1. These rules may be called the Indian Workmen's Compensation Rules, 1924.

Definitions. 2. In these rules, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*a*) "the Act" means the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923.
(*b*) "Form" means a form appended to these rules.
(*c*) "section" means a section of the Act.

PART I.

REVIEW OF HALF-MONTHLY PAYMENTS AND COMMUTATION THEREOF.

When application may be made without medical certificate. 3. Application for review of a half-monthly payment under section 6 may be made without being accompanied by a medical certificate—

(*a*) by the employer, on the ground that since the right to compensation was determined the workman's wages have increased ;
(*b*) by the workman, on the ground that since the right to compensation was determined his wages have diminished ;
(*c*) by the workman, on the ground that the employer, having commenced to pay compensation, has ceased to pay the same, notwithstanding the fact that there has been no change in the workman's condition such as to warrant such cessation ;
(*d*) either by the employer or by the workman on the ground that the workman has ceased since the right to compensation was determined to be a minor, provided that a certificate of the nature referred to in section 18 or any other certificate of a qualified medical practitioner is produced in support of the application ;
(*e*) either by the employer or by the workman, on the ground that the determination of the rate of compensation for the time being in force was obtained by fraud or other unlawful means.

Procedure on application for review. 4. If, on examining an application for review by an employer in which the reduction or discontinuance of half-monthly payments is sought, it appears to the Commissioner that there is ground for believing that the employer has a right to such reduction or discontinuance, he may at any time issue an order withholding the half-monthly payments in whole or in part pending his decision on the application.

Procedure on application for commutation. 5. (*1*) Where application is made to the Commissioner under section 7 for the redemption of a right to receive half-monthly payments by the payment of a lump sum, the Commissioner shall award such sum as is sufficient, with simple interest at the rate of one per cent. per mensem, to provide the total of the half-monthly payments which would be payable for the period during which he estimates that the disablement will continue.

(*2*) When in any case to which sub-rule (*1*) applies, the Commissioner is unable to form an approximate estimate of the probable duration of the disablement, he may from time to time postpone a decision on the application for a period not exceeding two months at any one time.

PART II.

DEPOSIT OF COMPENSATION.

Deposit under section 8 (*1*).

6. (*1*) An employer depositing compensation with the Commissioner under sub-section (*1*) of section 8 shall furnish therewith a statement in Form A and shall be given a receipt in Form B.

(*2*) If in the statement referred to in sub-rule (*1*) the employer indicates that he desires to be made a party to the distribution proceedings, the Commissioner shall, before allotting the sum deposited as compensation, afford to the employer an opportunity of establishing that the person to whom he proposes to allot such sum is not a dependant of the deceased workman, or, as the case may be, that no one of such persons is such dependant.

(*3*) The statement of disbursements to be furnished on application by the employer under sub-section (*4*) of section 8 shall be in Form C.

Procedure where amount deposited insufficient.

7. If it appears to the Commissioner that a sum deposited under sub-section (*1*) of section 8 is less than the amount of compensation payable under sub-section (*1*) of section 4, he may at any time before completing the distribution of the sum so deposited, either on his own motion or otherwise, require the employer to deposit such further sum as will, with the sum previously deposited, make up the amount so payable.

Procedure where no compensation deposited.

8. (*1*) Where a dependant of a deceased workman claims that compensation is payable in respect of the death of the workman, and no compensation has been deposited in accordance with sub-section (*1*) of section 8 in respect thereof, the dependant may apply to the Commissioner for the issue of an order requiring the employer to deposit compensation in accordance with the said sub-section :

Provided that no such application shall be entertained unless the applicant certifies therein that he has requested the employer to deposit compensation and that the employer has refused or omitted to do so.

(*2*) The Commissioner shall dispose of such application in accordance with the provisions of Part V of these rules : Provided that—

(*a*) the Commissioner may, at any time before issues are framed, cause notice to be given in such manner as he thinks fit to all or any of the dependants of the deceased workman who have not joined in the application, requiring them, if they desire to join therein to appear before him on a date specified in this behalf ;

(*b*) any dependant to whom such notice has been given and who fails to appear and to join in the application on the date specified in the notice shall not be permitted thereafter to claim that the employer is liable to deposit compensation.

(*3*) If, after completing the inquiry into the application, the Commissioner issues an order requiring the employer to deposit compensation in accordance with sub-section (*1*) of section 8, nothing in sub-rule (*2*) shall be deemed to prohibit the allotment of any part of the sum deposited as compensation to a dependant of the deceased workman who failed to join in the application.

Deposit under section 8 (*2*).

9. An employer depositing compensation in accordance with sub-section (*2*) of section 8 shall furnish therewith a statement in Form D and shall be given a receipt in Form E.

PART III.

NOTICE OF ACCIDENT.

Notice by person other than workman or dependant.

10. A notice given under sub-section (*1*) of section 10 shall not be deemed invalid by reason only of the fact that it is given by a person other than the workman to whom personal injury has been caused or a dependant of such workman.

Right of employer to present memorandum when notice given.

11. (*1*) Any employer to whom notice of accident has been given, may, at any time, notwithstanding the fact that no claim for compensation has been instituted in respect of such accident, present to the Commissioner a memorandum, supported by an affidavit made by himself or by any person subordinate to him having knowledge of the facts stated in the memorandum embodying the results of any investigation or inquiry which has been made into the circumstances or cause of the accident.

(2) A memorandum presented under sub-rule (1) shall, subject to the payment of such fee as may be prescribed, be recorded by the Commissioner.

Certain employers to maintain books, in which notice may be given.

12. (1) An employer by whom not less than five hundred workmen are employed in a factory or mine, and any other employer to whom the provisions of this rule are applied by the Commissioner for the local area concerned or by the Local Government, shall maintain in Form F a book to which the employer's workmen and any dependant of any such workman and any person acting in good faith on behalf of such workman or dependant shall have reasonable freedom of access during working hours.

(2) In cases to which this rule applies the giving and serving of a notice of accident which are required by section 10 may be effected by entry in the book referred to in sub-rule (1) of the particulars specified in Form F relating to the accident in respect of which notice is to be given and served.

(3) Before applying this rule to an employer under sub-rule (1), the Commissioner or the Local Government, as the case may be, shall give not less than fourteen days' notice to such employer.

PART IV.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Workman not to be required to submit to medical examination save in accordance with rules.

13. A workman who is required by sub-section (1) of section 11 to submit himself to examination by a qualified medical practitioner shall be bound to do so in accordance with the rules contained in this Part and not otherwise.

Examination when workman and medical practitioner both on premises.

14. When such workman is present on the employer's premises and the employer offers to have him examined free of charge by a medical practitioner who is so present, the workman shall submit himself for examination forthwith.

Examination in other cases.

15. In cases to which rule 14 does not apply the employer may—

(a) send the medical practitioner to the workman's residence, in which case the workman shall submit himself for examination on being requested to do so by the medical practitioner, or

(b) send to the workman an offer in writing of free medical examination, in which case the workman shall submit himself for medical examination at the employer's premises or at such other place in the vicinity as is specified in such offer and at such time as is so specified:

Provided that—

(i) the time so specified shall not be between the hours of 7 P. M. and 6 A.M. and,

(ii) in cases where the workman's condition renders it impossible or inadvisable that he should leave his place of residence, he shall not be required to submit himself to medical examination save at such place.

Maximum number of examinations per mensem.

16. A workman who is in receipt of a half-monthly payment, shall not be required to submit himself for medical examination more than twice in the first month following the accident or more than once in any subsequent month.

Examination after suspension of right to compensation.

17. If a workman, whose right to compensation has been suspended under sub-section (2) or sub-section (3) of section 11, subsequently offers himself for examination, his examination shall take place on the employer's premises or at such other place in the vicinity as may be fixed by the employer, and at a time to be fixed by the employer not being, save with the express consent of the workman, more than 72 hours after the workman has so offered himself.

Female not to be examined by male practitioner.

18. A female workman shall not be required to be examined by a male practitioner, if she objects to such examination.

PART V.

PROCEDURE.

Introductory.

19. Save as otherwise provided in these rules, the procedure to be followed by Commissioners in the disposal of cases under the Act or these rules and by the parties in such cases, shall be regulated in accordance with the rules contained in this Part.

20. (*1*) All applications of the nature referred to in section 22 shall, unless the Commissioner otherwise directs, be filed in duplicate and shall be signed by the applicant.

Applications.

(*2*) There shall be appended to every such application a certificate, which shall be signed by the applicant to the effect that the statement of facts contained in the application is to the best of his knowledge and belief accurate.

21. On receiving such application, the Commissioner may examine the applicant on oath, and, if he does so, shall record the substance of the examination in the manner provided for the recording of evidence in section 25.

Examination of applicant.

22 The Commissioner may, after considering the application and, if he thinks fit examining the applicant, summarily dismiss the application, if in his opinion there are no sufficient grounds for proceeding thereon.

Summary dismissal of application.

23. If the application is not dismissed under rule 22, the Commissioner may, for reasons to be recorded, call upon the applicant to produce evidence in support of the application before calling upon any other party, and, if upon considering such evidence the Commissioner is of opinion that there is no case for the relief claimed, he may dismiss the application.

Preliminary inquiry into application.

24. If the Commissioner does not dismiss the application under rule 22 or rule 23, he shall send to the party from whom the applicant claims relief (hereinafter referred to as the opposite party) a copy of the application together with a notice of the date on which he will dispose of the application, and may call upon the parties to produce upon that date any evidence which they may wish to tender.

Notice to opposite party.

25. (*1*) The opposite party may, on appearing before the Commissioner, file a written statement dealing with the claim raised in the application, and any such written statement shall form part of the record.

Appearance and examination of opposite party.

(*2*) If the opposite party contests the claim made but does file a written statement, the Commissioner shall proceed to examine him upon the claim, and shall reduce the result of the examination to writing.

26. (*1*) After considering any written statement and the result of any examination of the parties present, the Commissioner shall ascertain upon what material propositions of fact or of law the parties are at variance, and shall thereupon proceed to frame and record the issues upon which the right decision of the case appears to him to depend.

Framing of issues.

(*2*) In recording the issues, the Commissioner shall distinguish between those issues which in his opinion concern points of fact and those which concern points of law.

27. When issues both of law and of fact arise in the same case, and the Commissioner is of opinion that the case may be disposed of on the issues of law only, he may try those issues first, and for that purpose may, if he thinks fit, postpone the settlement of the issues of fact until after the issues of law have been determined.

Power to postpone trial of issues of fact where issues of law arise.

28. The Commissioner shall maintain under his hand a brief diary of the proceedings on an application.

Diary.

29. If the Commissioner finds it impossible to dispose of an application at one hearing, he shall record the reasons which necessitate a postponement.

Reasons for postponement to be recorded.

30. (*1*) The Commissioner, in passing orders shall record concisely in a judgment his finding on each of the issues framed and his reasons for such finding.

Judgment.

(*2*) The Commissioner, at the time of signing and dating his judgment, shall pronounce his decision, and thereafter no addition or alteration shall be made to the judgment other than the correction of a clerical or arithmetical mistake arising from any accidental slip or omission.

31. If an application is presented by any party to the proceedings for the citation of witnesses, the Commissioner shall, on payment of the prescribed expenses and fees, issue summonses for the appearance of such witnesses unless he considers that their appearance is not necessary for the just decision of the case.

Summoning of witnesses.

32. If the Commissioner is satisfied that the applicant is unable, by reason of poverty, to pay the prescribed fees he may remit any or all of such fees. If the case is decided in favour of the applicant, the prescribed fees which, had they not been remitted, would have been due to be paid, may be added to the cost of the case and recovered in such manner as the Commissioner in his order regarding cost may direct.

Exemption from payment of costs.

Right of entry for local inspection.

33. A Commissioner before whom any proceeding relating to an injury by accident is pending may, at any time, enter the place where the workman was injured, or where the workman ordinarily performed his work, for the purpose of making a local inspection or of examining any persons likely to be able to give information relevant to the proceedings.

Procedure in connection with local inspection.

34. (*1*) If the Commissioner proposes to conduct a local inspection with a view to examining on the spot the circumstances in which an accident took place, he shall give the parties or their representatives notice of his intention to conduct such inspection unless in his opinion the urgency of the case renders the giving of such notice impracticable.

(*2*) Such notice may be given orally or in writing, and, in the case of an employer, may be given to any person upon whom notice of a claim can be served under sub-section (*2*) of section 10, or to the representative of any such person.

(*3*) Any party, or the representative of any party, may accompany the Commissioner at a local inspection.

(*4*) The Commissioner, after making a local inspection, shall note briefly in a memorandum any facts observed, and shall show the memorandum to any party who desires to see the same, and, on payment of the prescribed fee, shall supply any party with a copy thereof.

(*5*) The memorandum shall form part of the record.

Power of summary examination.

35. (*1*) The Commissioner during a local inspection or at any other time, save at a formal hearing of a case pending before him, may examine summarily any person likely to be able to give information relative to such case whether such person has been or is to be called as a witness in the case or not and whether any or all of the parties are present or not.

(*2*) No oath shall be administered to a person examined under sub-rule (*1*).

(*3*) Statements made by persons examined under sub-rule (*1*) if reduced to writing, shall not be signed by the person making the statement, nor shall they, except as hereinafter provided, be incorporated in the record or utilized by the Commissioner for the purpose of arriving at a decision on the case.

(*4*) If a witness who has been exmined under sub-rule (*1*) makes in evidence any material statement contradicting any statement made by him in such examination, the Commissioner may call his attention to such statement, and shall in that case direct that the parties be furnished with the relevant part of such statement for the purpose of examining or cross-examining the witness.

(*5*) Any statement or part of a statement which is furnished to the parties under sub-rule (*5*) shall be incorporated in the record.

(*6*) Where a case is settled by agreement between the parties the Commissioner may incorporate in the record any statement made under sub-rule (*1*) and may utilize such statement for the purpose of justifying his acceptance of, or refusal to accept, the agreement reached.

Agreement to abide by Commissioner's decision.

36. (*1*) If an applicant states in his application his willingness to abide by the decision of the Commissioner, the Commissioner shall, before commencing the hearing of the case, inquire whether the opposite party is willing to abide by his decision.

(*2*) If the opposite party agrees to abide by the Commissioner's decision, the fact of his agreement shall be recorded in writing and signed by him.

(*3*) If the opposite party does not agree to abide by the Commissioner's decision, the party filing the application shall not remain under an obligation so to abide.

Procedure where indemnity claimed under section 12 (*2*).

37. (*1*) Where the opposite party claims that if compensation is recovered against him he will be entitled under sub-section (*2*) of section 12 to be indemnified by a person not being a party to the case, he shall, when first called upon to answer the application, present a notice of such claim to the Commissioner accompanied by the prescribed fee and the Commissioner shall thereupon issue notice to such person in Form G.

(*2*) If any person served with notice under sub-rule (*1*) desire to contest the applicant's claim for compensation or the opposite party's claim to be indemnified, he shall appear before the Commissioner on the date fixed for the hearing of the case or on any date to which the case may be adjourned and, if he so appears, shall have all the rights of a party to the proceedings; in default of so appearing he shall be deemed to admit the validity of any award made against the opposite party and to admit his own liability to indemnify the opposite party for any compensation recovered from him.

(*3*) In any proceeding in which a notice has been served on any person under sub-rule (*1*) the Commissioner shall, if he awards compensation, record in his judgment a finding whether the person against whom such claim is made is or is not liable to indemnify the opposite party.

Procedure in connected cases.

38. (*1*) Where two or more cases pending before a Commissioner arise out of the same accident, and any issue involved is common to two or more such cases, such cases may, so far as the evidence bearing on such issue is concerned, be heard simultaneously.

(2) Where action is taken under sub-rule (1), the evidence bearing on the common issue or issues shall be recorded on the record of one case, and the Commissioner shall certify under his hand on the records of any such other case the extent to which the evidence so recorded applies to such other case, and the fact that the parties to such other case had the opportunity of being present, and, if they were present, of cross-examining the witnesses.

Certain provisions of Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, to apply.

39. Save as otherwise expressly provided in the Act or these rules, the following provisions of the First Schedule to the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, namely, those contained in Order V, rules 9 to 30; Order VII, rules 9 to 18; Order IX; Order XIII; Order XVI, rules 5 to 21; Order XVII, and Order XXIII, rules 1 and 2, shall apply to proceedings before Commissioners, in so far as they may be applicable thereto:

Provided that—

(a) for the purpose of facilitating the application of the said provisions, the Commissioner may construe them with such alterations not affecting the substance as may be necessary or proper to adapt them to the matter before him;

(b) the Commissioner may, for sufficient reason, proceed otherwise than in accordance with the said provisions, if he is satisfied that the interests of the parties will not thereby be prejudiced.

PART VI.

TRANSFER.

Transfer for report and transmission of money.

40. (1) A Commissioner transferring any matter to another Commissioner for report in accordance with sub-section (2) of section 24 shall, along with the documents referred to in that sub-section, transmit to such other Commissioner a concise statement, in the form of questions for answer, of the matter on which the report is required.

(2) A Commissioner to whom a case is so transferred for report shall not be required to report on any question of law.

(3) Money transmitted by one Commissioner to another in accordance with the said sub-section shall be transmitted either by remittance transfer receipt, or by money order, or by messenger, as the Commissioner transmitting the money may direct.

PART VII.

APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Representative when may and when must be appointed.

41. Where any party to a proceeding is under legal disability by reason only of his age and his age is not less than 15 years, the Commissioner may appoint some suitable person, whose consents to the appointment, to represent such party for the purposes of the proceeding, and shall appoint such representative for any party to a proceeding who is under the age of 15 years or is under a legal disability otherwise than by reason of his age.

When new representative to be appointed.

42. If the Commissioner considers that the interests of any party for whom a representative has been appointed under rule 41 are not being adequately protected by that representative or if a person appointed to act as representative dies, or becomes incapable of acting, or otherwise ceases to act as such, the Commissioner shall appoint in his place another person who consents to the appointment.

PART VIII.

RECORD OF MEMORANDA OF AGREEMENT.

Form of memorandum.

43. Memoranda of agreement sent to the Commissioner under sub-section (1) of section 28 shall, unless the Commissioner otherwise directs, be in duplicate and shall be in as close conformity as the circumstances of the case admit with Form H or Form J, as the case may be.

Procedure where Commissioner on receipt of memorandum does not consider that he should refuse to record it.

44. (1) On receiving a memorandum of agreement the Commissioner shall, unless he considers that there are grounds for refusing to record the memorandum, fix a date for recording the same, and shall issue a notice in writing in Form K to the parties concerned that in default of objections he proposes to record the memorandum on the date so fixed:

Provided that the notice required to be communicated by proviso (a) to sub-section (1) of section 28 may be communicated orally to any parties who are present at the time when notice in writing would otherwise issue.

(2) On the date so fixed the Commissioner shall record the memorandum unless, after hearing any of the parties who appear and desire to be heard, he considers that it ought not to be recorded:

Provided that the issue of a notice under sub-rule (1) shall not be deemed to prevent the Commissioner from refusing to record the memorandum on the date so fixed even if no objection be made by any party concerned.

(3) If on such date the Commissioner decides that the memorandum ought not to be recorded, he shall inform the parties present of his decision and of the reasons therefor, and, if any party desiring the memorandum to be recorded is not present, he shall send information to that party in Form L.

Procedure where Commissioner considers he should refuse to record memorandum.

45 (1) If, on receiving a memorandum of agreement, the Commissioner considers that there are grounds for refusing to record the same, he shall fix a date for hearing the party or parties desiring the memorandum to be recorded and shall inform such party or parties and, if he thinks fit, any other party concerned, of the date so fixed and of the grounds on which he considers that the memorandum should not be recorded.

(2) If the parties to be informed are not present, a written notice shall be sent to them in Form M or Form N, as the case may be, and the date fixed in such notice shall be not less than seven days after the date of the issue of the same.

(3) If on the date fixed under sub-rule (1), the party or parties desiring the memorandum to be recorded show adequate cause for proceeding to the record of the same, the Commissioner may, if information has already been given to all the parties concerned, record the agreement. If information has not been given to all such parties, he shall proceed in accordance with rule 44.

(4) If on the date so fixed the Commissioner refuses to record the memorandum, he shall send notice in Form L to any party who did not receive information under sub-rule (1).

Procedure on refusal to record memoranda.

46. (1) If in any case the Commissioner refuses to record a memorandum of agreement, he shall briefly record his reasons for such refusal.

(2) If the Commissioner refuses to record a memorandum of agreement, he shall not pass any order directing the payment of any sum or amount over and above the sum specified in the agreement unless opportunity has been given to the party liable to pay such sum to show cause why it should not be paid.

(3) Where the agreement is for the redemption of half-monthly payments by the payment of a lump sum and the Commissioner considers that the memorandum of agreement should not be recorded by reason of the inadequacy of the amount of such sum as fixed in the agreement, he shall record his estimate of the probable duration of the disablement of the workman together with his reasons for the estimate.

Registration of memorandum accepted for record.

47. In recording a memorandum of agreement the Commissioner shall cause the same to be entered in a register in Form O, and shall cause an endorsement to be entered under his signature on a copy of the memorandum to be retained by him in the following terms, namely:—

"This memorandum of agreement bearing Serial No. of 19 in the register has been recorded this day of

(Signature)

Commissioner."

Form A.

[*See rule 6.*]

DEPOSIT OF COMPENSATION FOR FATAL ACCIDENT.

[*Section 8 (1) of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923.*]

Compensation amounting to Rs._____ is hereby presented for deposit in respect of injuries resulting in the death of _____ residing at _____ _____ which occurred on _____ 19 . His monthly wages are estimated at _____ . He was $\frac{\text{over}}{\text{under}}$ the age of 15 years at the time of his death.

_____ *Employer.*

*Dated*_____*19* .

To be added if desired — I desire to be made a party to the proceedings for distribution of the aforesaid compensation.

_____ *Employer.*

Form B.

[*See rule 6.*]

RECEIPT FOR COMPENSATION.

Deposited under section 8 (1) of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Book No. Receipt No. Register No.

Depositor _____

Deceased workman _____

Date of deposit_____ 19 .

Sum deposited Rs._____

_____

Commissioner.

Form C.

[*See rule 6.*]

STATEMENT OF DISBURSEMENTS.

[*Section 8 (4) of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923.*]

Serial No._____

Depositor_____

Date Rs.

	Amount deposited		
	Funeral expenses paid		
	Compensation paid to the following dependants.		
	Name.	Relationship.	
		Total	

_____

Commissioner.

*Dated*_____ *19* .

Form D.

[*See rule 9.*]

DEPOSIT OF COMPENSATION FOR NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS.

[*Section 8 (2) of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923.*]

Compensation amounting to Rs._____is hereby presented for deposit in respect of

permanent / temporary injuries sustained by _____residing at_____

which occurred on _____19 .

_____

Employer.

*Dated*_____ *19* .

Form E

[*See rule 9.*]

RECEIPT FOR COMPENSATION.

[*Deposited under section 8 (2) of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923.*]

Book No. Receipt No. Register No.

Depositor

In favour of

Date of deposit 19 .

Sum deposited Rs.

Commissioner.

Form F.

[*See rule 12.*]

Date of accident and time if known.	Name of person injured.	Address of person injured.	Cause of injury.	Date and time of notice.	Thumb impression or signature of person giving notice.

Form G.

[*See rule 37.*]

NOTICE.

Whereas a claim for compensation has been made by applicant, against, and the said has claimed that you are liable under section 12 (*2*) of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923, to indemnify him against any compensation which he may be liable to pay in respect of the aforesaid claim, you are hereby informed that you may appear before me on and contest the claim for compensation made by the said applicant or the claim for indemnity made by the opposite party. In default of your appearance you will be deemed to admit the validity of any award made against the opposite party and your liability to indemnify the opposite party for any compensation recovered from him.

Commissioner.

Dated 19 .

Form H.

[*See rule 43.*]

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT.

It is hereby submitted that on the _____

_____ day of _____ 19____, personal injury was caused to _____, residing at _____, by accident arising out of and in the course of employment in _____. The said injury has resulted in temporary disablement to the said workman whereby it is estimated that he will be prevented from earning more than / any _____ of his previous wages for a period of _____ months. The said workman has been in receipt of half-monthly payments which have continued from the _____ day of _____ 19. _____ day of _____ 19____, amounting to Rs. _____ in all. The said workman's monthly wages are estimated at Rs. _____. The workman is over the age of 15 years / will reach the age of 15 years on _____.

It is further submitted that _____, the employer of the said workman, has agreed to pay, and the said workman has agreed to accept, the sum of Rs. _____ in full settlement of all and every claim under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923, in respect of all disablement of a temporary nature arising out of the said accident whether now or hereafter to become manifest. It is, therefore, requested that this memorandum be duly recorded.

Dated _____

Signature of employer _____

Witness _____

Signature of workman _____

Witness _____

(NOTE.—An application to register an agreement can be presented under the signature of one party, provided that the other party has agreed to the terms. But both signatures should be appended, whenever possible.)

Receipt (to be filled in when the money has actually been paid).

In accordance with the above agreement, I have this day received the sum of Rs. _____.

_____ Workman.

Dated _____ *19* .

The money has been paid and this receipt signed in my presence.

_____ Witness.

NOTE.—This form may be varied to suit special cases, *e.g.*, injury by occupational disease, agreement when workman is under legal disability, etc.

Form J.

[*See rule 43.*]

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT.

It is hereby submitted that on the _____ day of _____ 19 , personal injury was caused to _____, residing at _____ , by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment in _____

_____

The said injury has resulted in permanent disablement to the said workman of the following nature, namely,_____

The said workman's monthly wages are estimated at Rs. _____. The workman is over the age of 15 years

_____

will reach the age of 15 years on_____

The said workman has, prior to the date of this agreement, received the following payment, namely :—

Rs. on _____ Rs. on _____.

Rs. on _____ Rs. on _____

Rs. on _____ Rs. on _____

It is further submitted that _____, the employer of the said workman, has agreed to pay, and the said workman has agreed to accept, the sum of Rs. _____ in full settlement of all and every claim under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923, in respect of the disablement stated above and all disablement now manifest. It is therefore requested that this memorandum be fully recorded.

Dated _____ .

Signature of employer _____

Witness _____

Signature of workman _____

Witness _____

[NOTE.—An application to register an agreement can be presented under the signature of one party, provided that the other party has agreed to the terms. But both signatures should be appended, whenever possible.]

_____

Receipt (to be filled in when the money has actually been paid).

In accordance with the above agreement, I have this day received the sum of Rs. _____

_____ Workman.

Dated _____ *19* .

The money has been paid and this receipt signed in my presence.

_____ Witness.

NOTE.—This may be varied to suit special cases, *e.g.*, injury by occupational disease, agreement when workman is under legal disability, etc.

Form K.

[*See rule 44.*]

Whereas an agreement to pay compensation is said to have been reached between

_____ and _____

and whereas _____ has/have applied for registration of the agreement under section 28 of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923, notice is hereby given that the said agreement will be taken into consideration on _____ 19 and that any objections to the registration of the said agreement should be made on that date. In the absence of valid objections, it is my intention to proceed to the registration of the agreement.

_____

Commissioner.

Dated _____ *19* .

Form L.

[*See rules 44 and 45.*]

Take notice that registration of the agreement to pay compensation said to have been reached between you _____

and _____ on the _____ 19

has been refused for the following reasons, namely :—

_____

_____

_____

_____

Commissioner.

Dated _____ *19* .

Form M.

[*See rule 45.*]

Whereas an agreement to pay compensation is said to have been reached between

_____ and _____

and whereas _____ has/have applied for registration of the agreement under section 28 of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923, and whereas it appears to me that the said agreement ought not to be registered for the following reasons, namely :—

_____

_____

an opportunity will be afforded to you of showing cause on _____ 19 why the said agreement should be registered. If no adequate cause is shown on that date, registration of the agreement will be refused.

_____

Commissioner.

Dated _____ *19* .

Form N.

[*See rule 45.*]

Whereas an agreement to pay compensation is said to have been reached between

_____ and _____

and whereas _____ has / have applied for registration of the

agreement under section 28 of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923, and whereas it appears to me that the said agreement ought not to be registered for the following reasons, namely :—

_____

an opportunity will be afforded to the said _____

of showing cause on _____ 19 why the said agreement should be registered. Any representation which you have to make with regard to the said agreement should be made on that date. If adequate cause is then shown the agreement may be registered.

_____

Commissioner.

Dated *19* .

Form O.

[*See rule 47.*]

REGISTER OF AGREEMENTS FOR THE YEAR 19 .

Serial No.	Date of agreement.	Date of registration.	Employer.	Workman.	Initials of Commissioner.	Reference to orders rectifying the register.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 8th March 1924, is republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 5th March 1924.

No. 105-E.—Mr. L. M. Crump, C.I.E., of the Political Department, is appointed to officiate as a Resident of the 2nd class and is posted as Resident at Gwalior, with effect from the 19th February 1924.

J. P. THOMPSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Orders by the Commissioner of Income-Tax, Bengal.

No. 11.—The 11th March 1924.—In pursuance of the provisions of sub-section (*3*) of section 46 of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1922 (XI of 1922), and of the same sub-section as read with sub-section (*1*) of section 58 of that Act, the Commissioner of Income-tax, Bengal, directs that, with effect from the 1st April 1924, the process for recovery of municipal rates and taxes described in Chapter XVI of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, may ordinarily be employed for the recovery of dues on account of income-tax and super-tax within the Presidency of Bengal.

2. The Commissioner further directs, under sub-section (*4*) of section 46 of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1922, that an Income-tax Officer shall, with effect from the 1st April 1924, exercise, in the enforcement of such process, the powers conferred upon the Corporation by the said Chapter XVI of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923.

3. Notification No. 2, dated the 11th May 1922, and No. 18, dated the 10th January 1923, by the Commissioner of Income-tax, Bengal, are hereby cancelled with effect from the 1st April 1924.

W. D. R. PRENTICE,

Commissioner of Income-tax, Bengal.

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1924.

PART IB.

Educational Notices.

Campbell Medical School and Hospital, Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of compounders at the Campbell Medical School, Calcutta.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of compounders will begin at 11 A.M., on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 23rd, 24th and 25th April 1924.

2. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School before the 17th April 1924 an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

3. No certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination he will forfeit his fee.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to rules 9 and 10 of the persons granting the certificates, to rules 11 and 14 (3) and to the certificate forms C (3), D, E and F in the schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid notification as circulated by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal to all Civil Surgeons Superintendents of Calcutta Hospitals, Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Chief Medical Officer, etc., with his circular No. 25, dated the 22nd July 1923.

W. L. HARNETT, M.A., M.B., F.R.C.S., MAJOR, I.M.S.,

Superintendent, Campbell Medical School and Hospital.

CALCUTTA, *the 1st February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

Preliminary test examination for admission into the compounders' class, Campbell Medical School, Calcutta.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next examination for admission of students to the compounders' class, Campbell Medical School, Calcutta, will be held on Wednesday, the 30th April 1924, at 11 A.M.

Candidates desirous of sitting at this examination must send their applications with a fee of Rs 2 to the Superintendent, Campbell Medical School, Calcutta, between the 1st and, 15th April 1924.

No fees will be received on Sundays or public holidays.

W. L. HARNETT, M.A., M.B., F.R.C.S., MAJOR, I.M.S.,

Superintendent, Campbell Medical School and Hospital.

CALCUTTA, *the 1st February 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

Dressers' Examination at the Campbell Medical School, Calcutta.

PASSED compounders, who have completed a further three months' course of dressing prescribed in rule 13, and students of the Licentiate class of this school, on the completion of their second year's course, will be allowed to appear at the Dresserships Examination to be held on Saturday, the 26th April 1924. A fee of Rs. 2 shall be charged for this examination.

2. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School before the 17th April 1924 an examination fee of Rs. 2. Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

3. No certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination he will forfeit his fee.

NOTE.—This examination is also open to persons qualified for admission to the examination prescribed under the rules for the grant of certificates to compounders on production of a certificate that they have received instructions in a hospital or dispensary recognized by Government in bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments and in the duties of a hospital dresser. Such persons shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 2 for this examination.

W. L. HARNETT, M.A., M.B., F.R.C.S., MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Campbell Medical School and Hospital.

CALCUTTA, *the 1st February 1924.*

Dacca Medical School.

NOTICE.

Examination of Compounders and Dressers at the Dacca Medical School.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next half-yearly examination of compounders will be held on the 4th April 1924 and subsequent days.

(*a*) No person will be admitted to this examination unless he produces certificates as required by rules 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Government notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*b*) All male candidates must forward to the Deputy Superintendent, Dacca Medical School, an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the commencement of the examination. A fresh fee must be paid on each occasion that the candidate enters for the examination ; but a candidate, who, after payment of the fee, is unable, through illness, to attend the examination, will be allowed, on producing a satisfactory medical certificate, to attend the next examination without payment of fresh fee.

(*c*) Women candidates are examined free of charge.

(*d*) Passed compounders who have completed a further three months' course of dressing prescribed in rule 13, and students of the Licentiate class of this school, on the completion of their second year's course will be allowed to appear at an examination in bandaging, sterilization of dressings and instruments and in minor duties of hospital work. A fee of Rs. 2 shall be charged for this examination.

This examination is also open to persons qualified for admission to the examination prescribed under the rules for the grant of certificates to compounders, on production of a certificate that they have received instruction in a hospital or dispensary recognised by Government in bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments and in the duties of a hospital dresser. Such persons shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 2 for this examination.

M. MACKELVIE, C.I.E., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Dacca Medical School.

DACCA, *the 26th February 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next examination for admission of students to the compounder's class, Medical School, Dacca, will be held on the 10th April 1924 at 8-30 A.M. (local time).

Candidate desirous to sit at this examination shall send their applications with a fee of Rs. 2 to the Deputy Superintendent, Dacca Medical School, on or before 7th April 1924.

N.B.—Owing to the large number of matriculates the vacancies for non-matriculate students are very limited.

M. MACKELVIE, C.I.E., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Dacca Medical School.

DACCA, *the 26th February 1924.*

The Final Examinations of Normal Schools in the Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions, 1923.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final Examinations of Normal Schools in the Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions held in December 1923 :—

First Division.

(Arranged in order of merit.)

Roll No.	Name.	Age. Y.	M.	D.	Name of School.
31 (Dac.)	Muhammad Danesh ...	19	1	0	Dacca Normal School.
51 (Chit.)	Zainal Abedin ...	17	11	2	Chittagong Normal School.
8 (Dac.)	Chakrabarti, Bepin Chandra ...	20	11	0	Dacca Normal School.
46 (Chit.)	Sarma, Surendra Kumar ...	18	11	3	Chittagong Normal School.
28 (Chit.)	Lal Muhammad ...	20	11	9	Ditto.

Second Division.

(Arranged in order of roll number.)

Roll No.	Name.	Age. Y.	M.	D.	Name of School.
	DACCA CENTRE.				
1	Abdul Jabbar Mean ...	18	0	0	Dacca Normal School.
5	Bir, Harendra Chandra ...	22	2	0	Ditto.
9	Chakrabarti, Upendra Chandra ...	18	9	0	Ditto.
14	Das, Matilal ...	18	0	0	Ditto.
16	Debnath, Debendra Chandra ...	18	1	0	Ditto.
17	Dutta, Taranath ...	20	0	0	Ditto.
18	De, Pramode Chandra ...	20	9	0	Ditto
20	Halder, Balaram ...	19	1	0	Ditto.
33	Md. Nural Islam Khan ...	20	1	0	Ditto.
36	Md. Serajul Haque Khandaker ...	18	0	0	Ditto.
37	Md. Shamsuddin ...	19	11	14	Ditto.
41	Moslemuddin Akand ...	18	0	0	Ditto.
43	Pal, Debendra Chandra ...	23	9	0	Ditto.
44	Pal, Satish Chandra ...	18	8	0	Ditto.
45	Ramizuddin Ahmed ...	19	0	0	Ditto.
46	Saiguddin Ahmed ...	19	4	0	Ditto.
47	Sarkar, Prabhat Kiran ...	22	11	0	Ditto.
48	Sen, Jogendra Chandra ...	21	6	0	Ditto.
	CHITTAGONG CENTRE.				
1	Abdul Aziz I ...	18	4	17	Chittagong Normal School.
2	Abdul Latif ...	17	10	23	Ditto.
3	Abdul Mannân Khan ...	19	0	23	Ditto.
4	Abdus Sabur ...	18	1	5	Ditto.
6	Amin Ullah ...	17	11	2	Ditto.
11	Chakrabarti, Sachindra Kumar ...	19	0	2	Ditto.
13	De, Ananda Chandra ...	18	9	2	Ditto.
22	Ghulam Hossain ...	18	2	4	Ditto.
26	Idris Miyan ...	17	11	13	Ditto.
32	Mabarakali Mollah ...	18	9	2	Ditto.
35	Mukhlasur Rahman ...	17	11	3	Ditto.
41	Pal, Sachindra Kumar ...	18	7	0	Ditto.
48	Serajuddin Ahmed ...	18	1	0	Ditto.
50	Tariq Ullah ...	18	11	2	Ditto.
	RANGPUR CENTRE.				
1	Ahmed Afazaddin ...	19	6	10	Rangpur Normal School.
5	Barma, Narendra Narayan ...	19	9	0	Ditto.
7	Chaudhury Nizabuddin ...	18	5	2	Ditto.
8	Dam, Nagendranath ...	19	4	23	Ditto.
19	Pramanik, Mahiruddin ...	17	11	11	Ditto.

Third Division.

(In order of roll number.)

Roll number.	Name.	Age. Y.	M.	D.	Name of School.
	DACCA CENTRE.				
2	Abu Md. Kasemali ...	18	7	0	Dacca Normal School.
3	Akram Ali ...	19	0	0	Ditto.
4	Basarat Ali Khan ...	18	9	0	Ditto.
6	Biswas, Manomohan ...	18	11	0	Ditto.

Roll No.	Name.	Age. Y.	M.	D.	Name of School.
7	Biswas, Purna Chandra ...	22	11	0	Dacca Normal School.
10	Das, Bijoy Krishna ...	18	6	0	Ditto.
11	Das, Ganesh Chandra ...	18	3	0	Ditto.
12	Das, Jogesh Chandra ...	19	4	0	Ditto.
13	Das, Mahesh Chandra ...	18	2	0	Ditto.
15	Das, Tarini Charan ...	18	0	0	Ditto.
21	Sabedali Khan ...	20	5	0	Ditto.
22	Kar, Ramesh Chandra ...	18	0	0	Ditto.
24	Makbul Ahmed ...	18	1	0	Ditto.
25	Mahiuddin ...	18	10	0	Ditto.
27	Mandal, Rajendra Nath ...	20	6	0	Ditto.
28	Mahammad Azamali ...	19	9	0	Ditto.
32	Mahammad Kasem ...	21	3	0	Ditto.
34	Mahammad Samish Khan ...	20	3	7	Ditto.
35	Muhammad Serajuddin ...	18	2	0	Ditto.
38	Mitra, Dharani Chandra ...	18	11	0	Ditto.
39	Mitra, Jotindra Mohan ...	18	0	0	Ditto.
40	Mamtazuddin Bhuyan ...	18	1	0	Ditto.
42	Muzaffar Ali ...	18	0	0	Ditto.
49	Tarab Ali ...	18	9	0	Ditto.

CHITTAGONG CENTRE.

7	Amin Ali ...	19	10	2	Chittagong Normal School.
8	Arabar Rahman ...	21	2	0	Ditto.
9	Bal, Sudhanya Chandra ...	18	2	0	Ditto.
15	De, Chandra Mohan ...	19	2	20	Ditto.
17	Fazlul Rahman, I ...	17	11	2	Ditto.
20	Farizuddin ...	18	6	21	Ditto.
21	Ghose, Birendra Kumar ...	18	1	6	Ditto.
24	Guha, Satya Kanta ...	19	11	2	Ditto.
25	Habibar Rahman ...	18	8	7	Ditto.
29	Majumdar, Nalini Kanta ...	22	0	22	Ditto.
31	Mistri, Barada Kanta ...	19	10	27	Ditto.
33	Muhammad Ali Mridha ...	20	4	2	Ditto.
34	Muhammad Aiyub Ali ...	18	9	12	Ditto.
36	Mamtazer Rohman ...	19	1	28	Ditto.
38	Naku Miyan ...	19	5	24	Ditto.
40	Nazem Ali ...	19	1	2	Ditto.
42	Rudra Pal, Mahendra Kumar ...	18	8	0	Ditto.
43	Sarkar, Prakash Chandra ...	18	3	2	Ditto.
45	Sarma Dinabandhu ...	18	11	15	Ditto.
47	Sekendar Miyan ...	18	0	22	Ditto.
49	Sona Miyan ...	19	10	28	Ditto.
(Last year's student.)					
2	Datta, Prakash Chandra ...	20	6	19	Ditto.

RANGPUR CENTRE.

2	Ahmed, Diamatuddin ...	18	2	10	Rangpur Normal School.
3	Ahmed, Noyezuddin ...	17	10	22	Ditto.
9	Das, Ramani Kanta ...	20	7	21	Ditto.
11	Kunda, Akhileswar ...	18	0	4	Ditto.
12	Khandakar, Fariduddin ...	18	0	2	Ditto.
13	Mandal, Malekuddin ...	19	5	6	Ditto.
14	Mandal, Maniruddin ...	20	10	1	Ditto.
15	Muhammad Abdul Sovan ...	18	9	21	Ditto.
16	Nath, Dharani Kanta ...	21	7	2	Ditto.
17	Pramanik, Yusuf Ali ...	19	11	14	Ditto.
18	Pramanik, Fazlal Karim ...	20	8	12	Ditto.
22	Roy, Rai Kanta ...	23	1	1	Ditto.
24	Saha, Prasanna Kumar ...	21	5	18	Ditto.
25	Sarkar, Abdul Kuddas ...	18	6	22	Ditto.
26	Sarker, Asar Muhammad ...	20	10	22	Ditto.
27	Sarker, Ayetulla ...	.....			Ditto.
28	Sarker, Mahatabuddin ...	23	7	19	Ditto.
29	Sarma, Durga Charan ...	17	10	0	Ditto.
30	Sheikh Jabedali ...	19	9	12	Ditto.
(Private.)					
2	Lahiri, Kuladhan ...	20	11	2	Ditto.
(Private.)					
3	Sarder, Abul Hossen ...	20	3	0	Ditto.
(Private.)					
4	Kazi, Safatullah ...	...	...	...	Ditto.

ONE-YEAR COURSE.

Second Division.

(Arranged in order of roll number.)

Roll No.	Name.	Age.			Name of School.
		Y.	M.	D.	
	DACCA CENTRE.				
5	Chakrabarti, Ramesh Chandra ...	26	0	0	Dacca Normal School.
6	De, Hemanta Kumar ...	22	1	0	Ditto.
7	Efazuddin ...	21	0	0	Ditto.
8	Halder, Bisweswar ...	26	0	0	Ditto.
9	Muhammad Alfazuddin ...	22	0	0	Ditto.
10	Muhammad Sabetali ...	32	9	0	Ditto.
12	Roy, Akhil Chandra ...	23	0	0	Ditto.
13	Sadhak, Aswini Kumar ...	26	0	0	Ditto.

Third Division.

3	Asmat Ali ...	27	0	0	Dacca Normal School.
4	Barai, Bhola Nath ...	25	0	0	Ditto.
11	Nizam Uddin Ahmed ...	21	0	0	Ditto.

M. WEST,
Principal, Teachers' Training College, Dacca.

DACCA, *the 11th March 1924.*

JUNIOR MADRASAH EXAMINATION, 1924.

Time-Table.

Date.	Day.	MORNING. 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	AFTERNOON. 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
18th November ...	Tuesday ...	Arabic, First paper (on Literature including prose and poetry texts and principles of Islam).	Arabic, Second paper (on Grammar, Composition and Translation).
19th „ ...	Wednesday ...	English, First paper (on Literature including prose and poetry texts).	English, Second paper (on Grammar, Composition and Translation).
20th „ ...	Thursday ...	Arithmetic ...	History and Geography.
22nd „ ...	Saturday ...	Vernacular (Urdu or Bengali).	

J. M. BOTTOMLEY,
Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal (offg.).

CALCUTTA, *the 11th March 1924.*

Bengal Veterinary College.

CANDIDATES for admission into the Bengal Veterinary College should be present at the College at Belgachia, Calcutta, with necessary certificates, in original as required in the rules, at 9 A.M. on 22nd April 1924. Rules will be supplied free on application.

A. D. MACGREGOR, I.V.S.,
Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.

NOTIFICATION.

LIST of scholarships awarded on the results of the Higher Grade Schools Scholarship Examination held in November 1923. The scholarships are tenable for 4 years with effect from 1st January 1924.

	Name.	School from which appeared.	Value of the scholarship.	School at which the scholarship is tenable.
			Rs.	
1.	Frank, Leila ...	St. Thomas', Howrah ...	24	Girls' High School, Allahabad.
2.	Harris, Stanley ...	St. Andrew's Colonial Homes, Kalimpong.	24	St. Andrew's Colonial Homes, Kalimpong.
3.	Magry, Phyllis ...	B. N. Ry. European School, Khargpur.	12	B. N. Ry. European School, Khargpur.
4.	Mordon, Arthur ...	Ditto ...	12	Ditto.
5.	Magry, Gwendoline	Ditto ...	12	Ditto.
6.	Masson, Horatio P.	St. Thomas' Boys', Calcutta...	12	St. Thomas' Boys', Calcutta.

W. F. PAPWORTH,
Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 10th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

AN examination in English Idiom and Pronunciation for teachers of secondary schools who have to teach English or other subjects through the medium of English will be held at the office of the Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, 40-1A, Free School Street, Calcutta, on Monday, the 23rd June 1924, at 11 A.M.

2. Teachers who intend to present themselves for examination should send at least one week before the examination a statement containing the following information, and should also bring with them their University certificates, on the day of the examination :—

1. Name in full.
2. Name of father in full.
3. Name of native village and district.
4. Last University examination passed.
5. Year of passing.
6. Signature of the applicant.
7. Designation and full address.

3. Candidates should also state whether they have sat for this examination before, and if so, how often, giving dates.

4. No candidate shall be allowed to appear at the examination more than once in a calendar year, or more than three times in all.

J. W. GUNN,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division (offg.).

CALCUTTA, *the 5th March 1924.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the Junior Muhammadan Educational Fund Settlement Scholarships (now known as the "Jack Muhammadan Settlement Scholarships") attached to the Dacca Intermediate College, of the value of Rs. 90 each per annum, are awarded to the following students :—

(1) Md. Solayman ... Sadasadi High School.
(2) Abdul Aziz ... Sabhar A. C. High School.

2. The scholarships are tenable at the Dacca Intermediate College for two years with effect from the 1st June 1923.

3. The scholars must reside in the Dacca Intermediate College Hostel.

E. F. OATEN,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (offg.).

CALCUTTA, *the 13th March 1924.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

REVISED NOTICE.

THE next B. Com. Examination will be held on Monday, the 28th July 1924, and the following days, instead of on Monday, the 23rd June 1924, and the following days as previously notified.

By order of the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate,

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 10th March 1924.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION No. Mis. N.—92.

The following changes in the regulations sanctioned by the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) under provisions of section 25, sub-section (*1*) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VII of 1904), as amended by the Calcutta University Act, 1921 (VII of 1921), are notified for general information :—

That the following alterations have been made in Chapter XXX of the Regulations (the changes will come into effect from the Matriculation Examination, 1926) :—

I. *Omit* paragraph 10.

II. *Insert* the following in lieu of paragraph I under the syllabus for English :—

(1) (*i*) The Matriculation Examination in English shall be a test (*a*) of ability to write clear, simple and correct English, (*b*) of intelligent comprehension of plain modern English on familiar subjects.

(*ii*) The course in English shall include select pieces in prose and verse to be prescribed by the Syndicate on the recommendation of the Board of Studies in English. The Syndicate shall also draw up, on the recommendation of the Board, a small selection of books as showing the standard up to which students will be expected to have read.

(*iii*) The first paper in English shall include passages in one of the following vernaculars for translation into English :—

Bengali, Hindi, Uriya, Urdu, Burmese, Modern Armenian, Modern Tibetan, Parbatia, Assamese, Khasi, Tamil, Gujrathi, French, Telugu, Malayalam, Marathi, Garo, Lushai, Kanarese, Sinhalese and Mundari.

The Syndicate shall have power to add to this list.

(*iv*) Questions shall be set under the following heads, namely : —

(*a*) Passages from prescribed texts.

(*b*) Simple unseen passages.

(*c*) Grammar and Composition.

(*d*) Translation from one of the recognised vernaculars into English.

(*e*) Simple Essays.

III. *Substitute* the following for paragraph 6 of the Syllabus in English :—

	Marks.
Paper I.—Translation from a vernacular into English ; three short passages shall be set, of which two only must be attempted, each carrying 20 marks ...	40
Two essays, each carrying 15 marks ...	30
Grammar and Composition ...	30
Paper II.—(*a*) Questions on the subject-matter and on the language of the prescribed texts ...	50
(*b*) Unseen passages ...	50

J. C. GHOSH, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 11th March 1924.*

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Intermediate Examination in Law held in January 1924 :—

First Division.

(In order of merit.)

1	Ray, Bimanbilas	... University Law College.
2	Bora, Motiram	... Ditto.
3	Chattoraj, Saurikinkar	... Ditto.
	De, Syamsundar	... Gauhati Earle Law College.
5	Harris, E.	... Ditto.
6	Bhattacharyya, Jnanendranath	... University Law College.
	Sarkar, Umasankar	... Ditto.
8	Chakrabarti, Giridhar	... Ditto.
9	Niyogi, Santoshkumar	... Ditto.
10	Saha, Rajendrachandra	... Ditto.
11	Raydastidar, Ranadhirkrishna	... Ditto.
12	Hor, Surendranath	... Ripon Law College.
	Palit, Gobindaprasad	... University Law College.
14	Toazuddin Ahmed	... Ripon Law College.
15	Krishnamenon Puthezhalh	... University Law College.
16	Deb, Kshirodbihari	... Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Goswami, Nilmani	... University Law College.
	Pal, Bansidhar	... Ditto.
	Som, Bhupendrakumar	... Ditto.
20	Konar, Satkari	... Ditto.
21	Acharyya, Jogindranarayan	... Ditto.
	Md. Abdul Majid	... Ditto.
23	Sanyal, Prabodhnath	... Ditto.

Second Division.

(In alphabetical order.)

	Abdul Baset	... University Law College.
	Abdul Ghani Miah	... Ripon Law College.
	Abdul Matlib	... Dacca Law College.
	Abdul Monem	... University Law College.
	Abdul Rashid Komundi	... Ripon Law College.
	Abdur Rahman Sarder	... Ditto
	Abdur Razzak Akhunji	... University Law College.
	Aboo Darda	... Ditto.
	Ahmadur Rahman	... Ditto.
10	Ahmed Mahtabuddin	... Ripon Law College.
	Arshadwazaman Khan	... University Law College.
	Atabuddin Sarkar	... Ripon Law College.
	Azizal Islam	... Ditto.
	Badiruddin Ahmed	... Ditto.
	Bagchi, Mrinalkanti	... University Law College.
	,, Susilkumar	... Ditto.
	Baksi, Sureschandra	... Ditto.
	Bandyopadhyay, Amiyabhushan	... Ditto.
	,, Amulyaratan	... Ditto.
20	,, Bankimchandra	... Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	,, Batakrishna	... University Law College.
	,, Durgadas	... Ditto.
	,, Jitendranath	... Ripon Law College.
	,, Jogeschandra	... University Law College.
	,, Kamakhyacharan	... Ditto.
	,, Manmathanath	... Ditto.
	,, Nanigopal	... Ditto.
	,, Sailendranath	... Ditto.
	,, Satyapriya	... Ditto.
30	,, Sibaram	... Ditto.
	,, Surendranath, I	... Ditto
	,, Surendranath, II	... Ditto.
	,, Tarapada	... Ditto.
	Banik, Lalitmohan	... Ripon Law College.
	,, Satischandra	... Ditto.
	Barnya, Dharmaranjan	... Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Basu, Girindranath	... University Law College.
	,, Gobindachandra	... Ripon Law College.
	,, Jatindramohan	... University Law College.
40	,, Kalikinkar	... Ditto.
	,, Kamalabhushan	... Ditto.

	Basu, Niradbaran	...	University Law College.
	,, Paritoshchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Samarendranath	...	University Law College.
	Bhandari, Charuchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	Bhattacharyya, Apurbakumar	...	University Law College.
	,, Priyanath	...	Ditto.
	Bhaumik, Jaminikanta	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	,, Praphullakumar	...	Ripon Law College.
50	,, Sajanikanta	...	University Law College.
	Biswas, Kalipada	...	Ditto.
	,, Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Amulyakisor	...	Ditto.
	,, Debendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Kshitischandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Makhanlal	...	University Law College.
	,, Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Nalinikanta	...	Ditto.
	,, Naliniranjan	...	Ripon Law College.
60	,, Prabirkumar	...	University Law College.
	,, Pramathakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Sureschandra	...	Ditto
	,, Tribikramdas	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Binaybhushan	...	Ditto.
	,, Jagadiskumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Manindrakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Prabhaschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
70	,, Rajendranath	...	University Law College.
	,, Rakhahari	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	,, Ramkinkar	...	University Law College.
	Chaudhuri, Jogeschandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Kalicharan	...	Ditto.
	,, Nirmalprakas	...	Ditto.
	,, Pramathanath	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Radharaman	...	Ditto.
	,, Sibnarayan	...	University Law College.
	,, Sudhenduranjan	...	Dacca Law College.
80	,, Surendranath	...	University Law College.
	Das, Amarchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Benibhushan	...	University Law College.
	,, Benimadhab	...	Ditto.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
	,, Madhabchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Mahendrakumar	...	University Law College.
	,, Phanindramohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Rohiniuandan	...	Ditto.
90	,, Sahadeb	...	Ditto.
	,, Sailendramohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Satyendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	,, Saurindranath	...	University Law College.
	Dasgupta, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Subodhchandra	...	Ditto.
	Dasmahapatra, Debendranath	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Anilchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Banbihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Harakumar	...	Ditto.
100	,, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Nalinikumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Narendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	,, Pulinbihari	...	University Law College.
	,, Sasankasekhar	...	Ditto.
	Dattaray, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto.
	De, Binodlal	...	Ditto.
	,, Brajagopal	...	Ditto.
	,, Sunalchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Sureschandra	...	University Law College.
110	Deb, Suchitkumar	...	Ditto.
	Dharchaudhuri, Dwijadas	...	Ditto.
	Edbar, Upendranath	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Bhupatiharan	...	Ditto.
	,, Goshthabihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Kalipada	...	Ditto.
	,, Mohinimohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Nirmalchandra	...	Ditto
	Ghosh, Atulkrishna	...	Ditto.
	,, Bhabanisankar	...	Ditto.
120	,, Binaykrishna	...	Ditto.
	,, Birajmohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Hemantakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Jatindramohan	...	Ditto.

	Ghosh, Kamalkrishna	...	University Law College
	,, Kshirodchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Kshirodmohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Kumudranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Lalitmohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Nandakumar	...	Ditto.
130	,, Phanibhushan	...	Ditto.
	,, Saurendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	,, Sudhendumohan	...	University Law College.
	,, Sudhirkumar	...	Ditto.
	Guha, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Jyotishchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	,, Sudhansukumar	...	University Law College.
	,, Sukumar	...	Ditto.
	Guhathakurta, Kanailal	...	Ditto.
	Guin, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
140	Gupta, Ajitkanta	...	Ditto.
	,, Amulyaranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Jyotischandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Matilal	...	Ditto.
	,, Nagendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Rajkisorprasad	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	,, Sitendu	...	Ripon Law College.
	Hajra, Girijabhushan	...	University Law College.
	Harikisor Prasad	...	Ditto.
	Himmet Ali	...	Ditto.
150	Hor, Debendralal	...	Ditto.
	Jalaluddin Ahmad	...	Ripon Law College.
	Jamaluddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	Kakati, Baidyanath	...	Gauhati Earle Law College.
	Kar, Harakumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	Kazi Abdul Khaleque	...	Ditto.
	Kazi Mahamed Badiuzzaman	...	Ditto.
	Konar, Srischandra	...	University Law College.
	Kumar, Probodhkrishna	...	Ripon Law College.
	Kundu, Girindranath	...	University Law College.
160	,, Jitendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Nityagopal	...	Ditto.
	,, Pramathanath	...	Ditto.
	Lala Gopal Prasad	...	Ditto.
	M. Fazlur Rahman	...	Ditto.
	Mahammed Makbul Hossain	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mahatabuddin Khan	...	Ditto.
	Mahatabuddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	Maiti, Gopalkrishna	...	University Law College.
	,, Sarojkumar	...	Ditto.
170	,, Upendranath	...	Ditto.
	Maitra, Abanimohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Annadaprasad	...	Ditto.
	,, Jyotishchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Majibur Rahman	...	University Law College.
	Majumdar, Kshirodbihari	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Kshirodgopal	...	Ditto.
	,, Tikendrajit	...	University Law College.
	Malakar, Kumudkanta	...	Ditto.
	Mandal, Bipinbihari	...	Ditto.
180	Md Hashim Khan	...	Ditto.
	Misra, Gatiswar	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Haridas	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Praphullachandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Rabindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Sachindranath, I	...	Ditto.
	,, Sukumalchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Sudhirkumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Syamacharan	...	Ditto.
	Mohamad Mozaffar	...	Ripon Law College.
190	Mohammad Mohsin	...	University Law College.
	Muezzul Islam	...	Ripon Law College.
	Muhammad Elias	...	University Law College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Anilchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Atulchandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Banamali	...	Ditto.
	,, Banbihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Basantakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Binaykrishna	...	Ditto.
	,, Binaykumar	...	Ditto.
200	,, Charulal	...	Ditto.
	,, Kshetramohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Kshitischandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Manoranjan	...	University Law College.
	,, Narendranarayan	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College.)

	Mukhopadhyay, Nikhilkumar	...	University Law College.
	,, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	Nath, Narendrakumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	Niyogi, Bipradas	...	University Law College.
210	Noorul Hoda Qadre	...	Ripon Law College.
	Pal, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	Pandit, Ajitnath	...	University Law College.
	Poddar, Brajendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Jatindramohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Nisikanta	...	Ditto.
	Rahim Baksh Mian	...	Ripon Law College.
	Rakshit, Bankimbihari	...	University Law College.
	Ray, Bhabaranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Dhananjay	...	Ditto.
220	,, Harendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Jnanendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Niradbaran	...	Ditto.
	,, Parimalchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Probodhchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Prakritiranjan	...	University Law College.
	,, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Rajendralal	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Rajendranath	...	Ditto.
230	,, Sudhirkumar	...	University Law College.
	,, Sureschandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Syamnarayan	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	,, Upendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	Raychaudhuri, Premranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Sailendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Rezzaqul Haider Chowdhury	...	Ripon Law College.
	Sadaruddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Abinaschandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Bhaktibhushan	...	Ditto.
240	,, Radhikamohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Raimohan	...	University Law College.
	Sain, Matilal	...	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Phanindrakumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	Sarkar, Birendranath	...	University Law College.
	,, Haripada	...	Ditto.
	,, Jogendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Jogeschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Krishnaprasad	...	University Law College.
	,, Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
250	,, Manomohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Manoranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Phanibhushan	...	Ditto.
	,, Sachindranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Sibsaran	...	University Law College.
	,, Sudhansudhar	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Asitkumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Bimalbihari		Ditto.
	,, Charukamal	...	Ditto.
	,, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
260	,, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Nirmalkumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Praphullachandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Saileschandra	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Bhupatinath	...	Ditto.
	,, Birendranath	...	University Law College.
	,, Harendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Niranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Sitalchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Sushkumar	...	University Law College.
270	Sinha, Nripendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student (University Law College).
	Sk. Ahad Ali	...	University Law College.
	Syed Habibar Rahaman	...	Ditto.
273	Varghese, E. P.	...	Ditto.

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations,*
Calcutta University.

SENATE HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 19th March 1924.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION No. MIS. N. 91.

THE following alteration has been made in the list of text-books prescribed for the B A Examination, 1925 :—

Carlyle's Heroes is prescribed as an alternative to Carlyle's Schiller.

J. C. GHOSH, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 7th March 1924.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1924, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1196	Pargana Kedarkundu, mahal Gogram.	724 12 0	Entire ...	.....	Jotindra Kumar Nag and others.	...	7 3 5 June and September 1923,	...	Revenue— 7 3 5 Cess— 32

K. M. SEN, *for* Collector.

Midnapore, the 29th November 1923.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 18, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue (for the kist ending 12th January 1924).

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abul Fasel.	643 3 7	Whole	.....	Fazar Ali Sowdagar ...	...	291 7 10	...
746	Thana Jararganja, C. S. Miroswari, taraf Chik Daulat.	2,006 7 5	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdurani, manager for (a) Saletha Khan.	...	1,316 15 5	...
1242	Thana Satkania, C. S. Bankhali, Patya, C. S. Anwara, taraf Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Do. ...	.....	Wahed Ali ...	...	315 13 7	...
1283	Thana Mireswari, taraf Jarip Mahamad.	788 12 6	Do. ...	.....	Bidhu Bhusan Ray Chowdhuri, Jogendra Nath Ray, and others.	...	121 13 6	...
1407	Thana Town Patiokchari, Patya, Satkania, Rouzan and Hathazari, taraf Jiban Khan.	1,654 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Majiba Khatoon Chowdhurani, manager for (a) Aboo Bashar, and others.	...	456 9 10	...
1885	Thana Hathazari and Rouzan, taraf Mahamad Hafes Khansama.	924 9 6	Do. ...	.....	Ram Kumar Do, Abdul Khalek, and others	...	292 3 8	...
2099	Thana Sitakunda, Hathazari, Bankhali, Satkania, town Patiya, Mireswari and Anwara, kismat Murari Dhar Kanu and Nil Kamal Sen Babaits, taraf Gouri Shankar Kanungoe.	1,230 3 1	Share ...	Residue	Bidhu Bhusan Ray and Srimati Sashi Kumari Ray.	976 2 6	...	442 0 10
3054	Thanas Rouzan, Hathazari Town and Patikchari, taraf Shib Durga Charan Chaudhuri.	2,942 2 0	Do. ...	Share No. 3	Srimati Lakshmi Kumari Sen.	314 3 4	...	233 0 0
93916	Thana Ramoo, mahal Rajakul, taluk Obedullah Sheik, Badeosama, father of Makbul Ali, Dewan Bibi and Asalat Khan.	963 11 3	Do. ...	Residue	Prasanna Kumar Ray, Binode Lal Ray and others.	662 9 2	...	289 14 19

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924.

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
34611 / 3	Mauza Dhopachari, thana Patiya.	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	...
1-0749 / 892	Neabad taluk Keramatali Kamalafrue.	844 0 0 Cess— 177 8 0	Whole ...	.....	Sarfuddin Sikdar, son of Mosharaf Ali Sikdar, of Pekua, thana Chakaria.	...	211 0 0 Cess— 44 6 0	...

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924.

L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
1 159/3	Mauza Teknaf, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Fatey Choudhuri.	1,374 1 2 83 15 9	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Chewa Choudhurin, daughter of Alathoni Choudhuri, Keokhain and Keojapra Choudhuri, sons of Chatiafru Chaudhuri of Teknaf.	.....	498 11 0 33 8 0	.....
3 509/5	Mauza Lengurbil, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Thow Choudhuria.	798 0 0 44 4 6	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	200 0 0 16 2 4	.....
4 400/876 560	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluq Ishan Chandra Choudhuri.	2,321 6 0 195 12 3	Do. ...	.....	Mongjai Choudhuri and Keojai Choudhuri, sons of Rapoy Choudhuri of South Nilla.	.....	703 13 0 66 14 0	.....
5-1035	Mauza South Nilla, thana Teknaf, mahal Noabad, taluk Srimati Khoamay.	1,621 8 0 153 8 9	Do. ...	.....	Fateh Choudhuri, Angia Choudhuri, sons of Koheong Choudhuri, and others of South Nilla.	.....	546 4 0 64 10 0	.....
303 294/307	Mauza Harbang, thana Chakaria, mahal Noabad 1, taluk Mobarakali.	929 14 0 85 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Sherali Khan, son of Ajamullah Khan, of Harbung.	.....	232 8 0 31 0 0	.....

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924. L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th day of March 1924, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
3/403	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Puichari, mahal Noabad, taluk Moberak Ali Bakshally.	3,125 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Makbul Ali Chowdhury, son of Md. Sharif Mafi, of Chota Sauna. Besharatali Chowdhury, son of Jafarali Chowdhury, of Puichari.	.....	Road— 182 12 0 Cess— 24 1 3	...
4051/36000	Thana Bashkhally, mauza Burasma Chara, mahal Noabad, tal taluk Ramdia-Hazari.	1,942 5 6	Do. ...	.....	Sm. Mathuria Debya and on behalf of her minor son Rajnarayan Hazari, of Auderkilla.	.....	Cess— 83 5 9	...
5674/5069	Thana Satkania, mauza Paharchunda, mahal Noabad, taluk Nilmani.	651 10 0	Do. ...	.....	Md. Aktar Kamal Chowdhury, son of Maulvi Nezamuddin, of Joaria-mala.	.....	Road— 162 14 6 Cess— 27 4 3	...
6239/5617	Thana Satkania, mauza Charamba, mahal Noabad, taluk Kalikinkar.	1,965 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Pran Hari Chowdhury, son of Haradas Chowdhury, of Charamba and others.	.....	Road— 178 4 6 Cess— 36 14 6	...

Chittagong, the 8th February 1924. L. B. BURROWS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
6378	Taluk char Soula, pargana Rajnagar.	671	Whole ...	.....	Svarna Mojee Debi ...	...	202 4 0	..
6448	Taluq Tarpur, pargana Jalalpur.	960	No ...	Residuary 10 annas share. The following share is exempted from sale:—Separate account No. 1 for 6 annas share of the estate.	Krisnadas Roy and others.	600 0 0	...	145 0 0
6797	Taluq surplus land of thak of Kojaria, pargana Kasimpur Sehalapatti.	849	Whole ...	.....	Barada Kanta Ghosh	...	2 5 4	...

Faridpur, the 12th February 1924. D. H. WARES, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th of March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2381	Kaligadu, Kalisafa, pargana Kalisafa.	549 4 0	Yes ...	.....	(1) Krishna Gopal Sanyal, (2) Ram Gopal Sanyal.	...	105 3 0 Cess— 137 4 0	..

Rajshahi, the 13th February 1924. F. B. BRADLEY-BIRT, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
2709	Joar Gauripura Meadi Pattani, taluq pargana Bardakhat.	1,868 11 0	Whole ...	.....	Aswini Kumar Pal and others.	...	28 15 3	...
2714	Joar Maheshpur Meadi pattani, taluq pargana Bardakhat.	1,265 6 0	Do. ...	.....	Hari Das Rakshit and others.	...	25 2 9	...

Comilla, the 15th February 1924. A. J. DASH, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Midnapore, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
				S. A. No. 1—				
276	Pargana Tappa Ballista, mahal Bhitor Benode, 4 annas share.	1,658 14 10	...	8 as. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ratnakar Das ...	829 7 5	...	385 0 6
312	Pargana Batitaki, mahal Palgerya.	630 1 7	Entire ...	.....	Kedar Nath Pal and others, Sebait of Lakshi Janardan Jeu Thakur.	...	153 12 7	...
				S. A. No. 5—				
333	Pargana Birkul, mahal Rampur *alias* Rampur and Sanpur, 7 annas share.	5,174 2 9	...	1 a. 16 gds. 3 ch. 2 kaus 12½ til share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Srimatya Rajeswari Dasi.	596 14 1	...	12 14 9
				S. A. No. 7—				
333	Ditto ...	5,174 2 9	...	1 a. 16 gds. 3 ch. 2 kaus 12 tils 2 cora share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Achinta Nath Sasmal and another.	596 14 1	...	31 2 8
954	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Harijhana.	3,136 3 6 (including police).	...	Residuary share excluding separate account No. 1. 11 as. 14 gds. 3 c. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sarat Chandra Banerjee and others executors of the estate of late Bhuban Chandra Banerjee.	2,802 5 3 (including police).	...	389 8 3
				S. A. No. 7—				
3051	Pargana Protapwan, mahal Kotebar.	6,229 9 9	...	2 as. 10 gds. share of each of the following mauzas will be sold :— Mauza Adam chak. ,, Aladi chak. ,, Anua. ,, Bigulbarh. ,, Brahim chak. ,, Bel chak. ,, Bhairabdandi. ,, Farid chak. ,, Gangra. ,, Gobardhanpur. ,, Gobinda chak. ,, Gokulpore. ,, Gopal chak. ,, Ghorasalya chak. ,, Husen chak. ,, Jambarh.g ,, Joki chak. ,, Kankal. ,, Kalika chak. ,, Keshab chak. ,, Kotebar. ,, Krishnapur. ,, Kharan. ,, Lochhibar. ,, Narasingpur. ,, Nyambalya. ,, Oyad chak. ,, Oladpur chak. ,, Paschimsai. ,, Purusottampore. ,, Rangi chak. ,, Rambar. ,, Satsanda. ,, Sultan chak. ,, Raja chak. ,, Teghari. ,, Raghunathpore. ,, Unuan. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Choudurl Surendra Nath Pahari and others.	973 6 1	...	252 6 8

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2376	Pargana Shahapur, mahal Baragor.	3,196 12 4 (including police).	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 4, 6, 7, 9 to 16 only. 10 annas share in each of mauzas will be sold— Mauza Baragarh. ,, Debra Kismat. ,, Ramgere. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Muchi Ram Maity and others.	1,035 2 4 (including police).	...	42 14 8 (January 1923 to January 1924).
2681	Pargana Uttar Behar, mahal Bastupur *alias* Dhaneswarpur.	4,675 4 9	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3 only. 16 annas share in each of the following mauzas will be sold— Mauza Agarbar chak. ,, Kamal chak. ,, Pahari chak. ,, Patpore. ,, Purusattampur Patna. ,, Muhammad Jana chak. ,, Bauri chak. ,, Lachi chak. ,, Barobatia. ,, Deulbar. ,, Haripur. ,, Suria. ,, Kotebar. ,, Lalpore. ,, Nokibar. ,, Sarifabad. ,, Sukarbar. ,, Akilabad. ,, Uriapara *alias* Turiapara. ,, Kanakpur. ,, Shamsundarpur. ,, Damodarpur. ,, Moni chak. ,, Mirzapur. ,, Purusottampur. ,, Deulbar. ,, Dasrul. ,, Agar. ,, Bhalukar. ,, Chandpore. ,, Desbetya. ,, Kharikar. ,, Masurya. ,, Napara. ,, Rashra. ,, Manasiri. ,, Asti kismat. ,, Dhaneswarpur. ,, Khanderpur. ,, Mriljabeg. ,, Paparhasi. ,, Ambi. ,, Bhadua. ,, Behala. ,, Paikhola. ,, Gamarya. ,, Palapia. ,, Barobetyasana, 3 as. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Gobinda Chandra Pal and others.	4,585 7 9	...	11 0 2
				PART II.				
2689	Pargana Patashpur, mahal Nalpur.	1,789 0 0	...	Residuary share excluding separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3 only. 9 as. 18 gds. 1 c. 1 kt. share in each of the following mauzas will be sold— Mauza Ajodhyapore. ,, Gopal chak. ,, Modhupur. ,, Marulia chak. ,, Nalpur. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Jotindra Nath Das Pattanaik and others.	1,108 12 11	...	17 10 1

Midnapore, the 16th February 1924.

N. C. SEN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Dacca, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
9069	Pargana Khalilabad, diara mahal char Kukurhati.	1,788 8 0	16 annas	.....	Swarnamoyee Debya and others.	...	288 3 0	...
9070	Pargana Shahanial, diara mahal char Singair.	961 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Kripamoyee Debi and others.	...	60 0 0	...
9423	Pargana Sinduri, diara mahal char Baghutia.	6,841 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Sarat Chandra Biswas	3,500 0 0	...	...
9965	Tappe Ran Bhowal, Zemindari Marium Begum. 4 annas 15 gandas.	1,719 8 0	...	Residue— Part I—13 annas 10 gandas 2 karas share of mauza Airmara, Patehpur.	Kunja Mohan Pal and others.	1,416 8 11	...	124 9 4
				Part II—16 annas 15 gandas share of mauza Chop-Dakhin and others.	Maulvi Abu Ahmed and others.			
				Part III—13 annas 3 gandas 1 kara 1 krantl share of char Sakhipur and others.	Ditto.			
				Part IV—12 annas 14 gandas 3 karas 2 krantis share of mauza Utturkandi and others.	Dwarka Nath Saha.			
				Part V—7 annas 14 gandas 2 krantis 11 tilsshare of mauza Jaipur (Tippera).	Maulvi Abu Ahmed, Abdul Basid and others.			
				Part VI—9 annas 8 gandas 2 krantis 13 tils share of mauza Boral char (Tippera).	Radha Kanta Poddar and others.			
				Part VII—15 annas 3 gandas 2 karas 2 krantis share of mauza Sendi (Tippera).	Surendra Chandra Poddar and others.			
				Part VIII—15 annas 15 gandas share of remaining mauzas.	Abu Ahmed, Abdul Basid and others.			
				All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale.				
				Part I—Separate account Nos. 5, 11, 16, 45—hissya 2 annas 9 gandas 2 karas.				
				Part II—Separate account No. 5—hissya 5 gandas.				
				Part III—Separate account Nos. 5, 18, 28—hissya 2 annas 16 gandas 2 karas 2 krantis.				
				Part IV—Separate account Nos. 5, 20, 21-26, 31 and 37—hissya 3 annas 5 gandas 1 krantl.				
				Part V—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27, 39, 46, 38, 1, 42—hissya 3 annas 5 gandas 3 karas 9 tils.				
				Part VI—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27, 46, 39, 43, 44—hissya 6 annas 13 gandas 3 karas 7 tils.				
				Part VII—Separate account Nos. 5, 26, 27 and 21—hissya 16 gandas 1 kara 1 krantl				
				Part VIII—Separate account No. 5—hissya 5 gandas.				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
10623	Pargana Sindurl, diara mahal char Gobindapur.	2,901 0 0	...	Residue hissya 8 annas— All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale. Separate account No. 1—hissya 8 annas.	Surendra Krishna Datta Barma and others.	1,452 0 0	...	400 0 0
				Separate account No. 1—hissya 8 annas. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale. Residue hissya 8 annas.	Satya Charan Datta Barma.	1,452 0 0	...	200 0 0
10946	Pargana Jahangirnagar, diara mahal char Kamarta.	649 0 0	16 annas	.....	Swarnamoyee Debi and others.	...	40 12 0	...
11037	Pargana Makimpur, taluq char Binodepur.	953 5 0	16 ,,	.....	K. B. Datta, receiver for (a) Satish Chandra Das.	...	71 9 8	...
13546	Pargana Bikrampur, diara mahal char Saidpur.	564 8 0	16 ,,	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakrabarty and others.	...	37 10 9	...
15780	Pargana Jahangirnagar, diara mahal Ruhitpur.	1,665 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Swarnamoyee Debi and others.	...	100 0 0	...

Dacca, the 14th February 1924. B. N. GUPTA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Nadia, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
44/1	Boalia, pargana Asrafabad.	...	No ...	8 annas ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Siva Das Mukherjee and others.	591 6 8	...	89 4 0
534	Talberia, pargana Krishnagor.	3,510 14 10	Whole ...	.....	Dharani Mohan Roy ...	...	74 7 9	...
3554	Tinkari, pargana Pajnour.	1,213 5 4	Do. ...	.....	Debendra Prosad Ghose and another.	...	364 10 8	...
567	Char Manikdihi, pargana Rajpur.	541 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Brojeswari Dasi and another.	...	135 0 0	...
3635/0	Deara taluk Pramatho Nath Roy and others, pargana Hapania.	...	No ...	10 as. 11 gds. 1 kr. and 1 kt. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Nilmoni Roy Choudhury and others.	311 10 6	...	78 14 10

Krishnagar, the 16th February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
39 A	Bahirgorra, pargana Baligori.	7,830 12	...	1 anna 12 gandas ...	Sailaja Nath Rai Chowdhury and 11 others.	784 0 3	...	61 7 11
			Temporary settled estates.					
2025 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Rampur char, pargana Raipur.	858 0	Whole ...	.....	Settled with Khagendra Nanda Asram, Sebait of Brindaban Chandra Thakur.	...	214 8	...
2027 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati new char, pargana Raipur.	2,105 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	526 4	...
2035 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati char, pargana Raipur.	1,639 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	409 12	...
2092 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati Ohhera char, pargana Raipur.	2,266 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	566 8	...
3479 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1923.	Rasulpur char, pargana Patmahal.	568 0	Do. ...	.....	Sett'ed with Kalipada Banerjee and another.	...	71 0	...

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Chinsura, the 15th February 1924.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
47	Kismat Raipur and others, Magura.	2,053 8 0	Whole ...	.....	Amrito Lal Chakraverty, Upendra Krishna Mandal, Gopi Krishna Mandal.	...	20 0 1½	.....
335	Pargana Sahanagar, mauza Iswaripur and others.	6,444 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Atul Ch. Mukerji and Sahayaram Chakravarty, Trustee to the estate of Gopi Nath Jew Thakur and other debtor.	...	1,971 15 4½	.....

Alipore, the 18th February 1924.

H. CHATTERJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
19	Gidhagram, etc., pargana Arsha.	7,308 12 11	...	Residuary share 2-3-0-3-2 is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Priyatama Debi, sebait of Annapurna Thakurani and executrix to the estate of late Hari Charan Banerji and others.	963 2 11	...	236 15 11

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
157	Pilkhundi, etc., pargana Ajmatsahi.	3,140 1 0	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Anadi Nath Dutt and others as sebait of Radhaballav Jew Thakur and others.	.....	635 13 3	.....

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and share of estate, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
5170	Dahukadanga, etc., pargana Sahabad.	6,491 15 3	.....	Residuary share as. 8 is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Monmohini Dasi ...	3,210 15 3	.....	1,197 14 8

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Noakhali, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 25th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lot No. 16, tauzi No. 1576.	Nilakhi deara tenure No. 84.	941 12 0	Whole ...	.....	Hari Preya Saha ...	...	Land revenue— 382 8 0 Cess— 18 7 6 400 15 6	...
Lot No. 28 tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 1.	2,999 7 0	Do. ...	.....	S. M. Asamaleruesa Chaudhurani.	...	Land revenue— 608 9 6 Cess— 78 0 0 686 9 6	...
Lot No. 29, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 24.	777 6 0	Do. ...	.....	Aptarali and others ...	...	Land revenue— 315 13 0 Cess— 23 4 0 339 1 0	...
Lot No. 34, tauzi No. 1636.	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, tenure No. 48.	559 8 0	Do. ...	...	Jol Fakkar Haidor ...	...	Land revenue— 227 4 9 Cess— 14 11 2 241 15 11	...
Lot No. 43, tauzi No. 1658.	Bangshi, kismat Lakhi, tenure No. 671.	883 11 0	Do. ...	...	Hara Lal Bhuya ...	...	Land revenue— 92 2 11 Cess— 0 1 0 92 3 11	...
Lot No. 66, tauzi No. 1672.	Nalchira Choudhurir katta, tenure No. 80.	773 3 0	Do ...	.....	Munshi Mozaharuddin Ahmed.	...	Land revenue— 386 9 0 Cess— 23 1 11 409 10 11	...
Lot No. 103, tauzi No. 1672.	Nalchira Shahober katta, tenure No. 172.	912 6 0	Do ...	.....	Shamsul Haq ...	...	Land revenue— 326 10 0 Cess— 50 15 3 377 9 3	...
Lot No. 120, tauzi No. 1673.	Char Bharat Sen, tenure No. 49.	707 11 0	Do. ...	.....	Badiar Rahman	...	Land revenue— 35 3 0 Cess— 22 8 6 57 11 6	...
Lot No. 121, tauzi No. 1686.	Char Alexander, tenure No. 1.	940 15 8	...	.....	Sorazul Haq and others ...	...	Land revenue— 382 5 0 Cess— 20 0 0 402 5 0	...

Noakhali, the 18th February 1924.

S. C. RAY, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Pabna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3	Dehi Shorabali, pargana Ishafshahi.	10,767 9 0	...	* Separate account No. 40 ... ... 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Kurandaypur, Chak Kurabari *alias* Kurabaju Chak, Dattabari, Jangli Khamar, Jhonjhoulbari, Kau Neorgacha, Khamarpara, Bitbari *alias* Bitobari, Neorgacha, Krishnapur Chak, Nagorbhyra, Pangashi, Farid, Shoratola, Shyambaria, Durgapur, Haludghorpara, Sitolpari, Potia Bhagirath, Horepara, Raghabpur *alias* Raghalpur, Rakhalgachha, Nandiganti, Shingganti, Baldipara, Janglibari K. *alias* Jangalpur : 1 a. 2 gds. 2 cr. 1 kg. 5 tils share of Shyampur ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Mariola, Uchal Satbaria *alias* Uchal Sanbaria ; 12 gds. 1 cr. 17½ tils share of Dariapur, Dasharathdia and Khonjondiar ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Kacharibari and Narnia Alokdia ; 3 gds. 2 cr. share of Pechakola ; 6 gds. 1 cr. 3 kg. share of Sontosha ; 6 gds 1 cr. 2 kgs. 12 tils ½ tilpon 17 T. P. G.-14½ T. P. G. P. share of Laharibari and Paikalia ; 8 gds. 3 cr. share of Majgram *alias* Latibpur ; 1 cr. 2 kgs. 11½ til share of Chak Tebaria with Chandpur ; 8 gds. 3 cr. share of Arjoondia Hissya 6 as. *alias* Khamargaon ; 8 gds. 1 cr. 3 kgs. 7¾ til share of Gopinathpur ; 19 gds. 2 cr. 3 kgs. share of Pakurtola ; 13 gds. 2 kgs. share of Tentbulia *alias* Ekrampur ; 2 gds. 1 cr. 3 kgs. 7½ tils share of Satbaria Chala Hissya 13 as. 10½ gds. ; 13 gds. 2 kgs. share of Basantapur and Thakurbari and Chalubarapara, Gohotibori *alias* Gohatibari ; 12 gds 1 cr. 17½ tils share of Dandaputti and Khidraputia ; 3 gds. 2 kgs. 1½ tils share of Bashbaria ; 2 gds. 1 cr. 3 kgs. 7½ tils share of Domdoma ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Koyra Khamarpara, Kacharupara, Misriganti, Thor Potagia, Baghutia Bhata, Palkhanda, Nandina Chanda, Mohespur and Mahamedpur ; 1 a. 15 gds. share of Botli Hissya 7 as. and Arjoondia Hissya 7 annas 8 gds. 3 cr. share of Chala Botli Kismat *alias* Botli Hissya 6 as. ; 2 as. 12 gds. 2 cr. share of Uday Krishnapur, Elongjani, Ichhamati, Kansona Kura Pestak, Kumarpara *alias* Sontola, Gudhibari, Jagtola, Jolahati *alias* Jokatati, Baniaganti bonam Lal Khan, Mohajiterpara, Hisila, Horo Soratoli, Kura Udaypur, Bilijhati belai Bipro Tethulia *alias* Kalinga Chadraghat *alias* Kalinja, Barohar *alias* Faridepara, Barahar, Bonbaria *alias* Kadai Bonbaria, Bora Baniaganti, Bengnai, Bhutgacha, Barahar and Ghoseganti 1 a. 16 gds. 1 kg. 10 til share of Govindabari.	Soshi Bala Debya, wife of Hem Chandra Mukhopadhya.	1,256 7 0	...	457 3 0 Police— 3 6 0
104	Pargana Islampur, pargana Islampur.	24,325 5 5	...	* Separate account No. I ... ... 8 annas share of the estate	Gopi Sundari Dasya, mother of Upendra Narayan Singha.	12,164 11 6	...	4,889 0 6
209	Dihi Hat Sira, pargana Katarmahal.	1,144 12 0	...	* Residuary share ... ... 4 annas share of Chowrabari Chowki, Gariswar jote, Kishore Mazumdar Chak, *alias* Mohishabathan, Mirja Chak, Rainagore Baipa, Ramkrishna Chak Mudafat Rohimpur 12 as. share of Bashudebkole with Chak Gopalnagore Hatsira Chak, Shyampur Chak K. Mudafat Keshabpur, Syam Talukder Jote Mudafat Gangarampur, 8 as. share of Ghoshgram Chak with Chak Hari Roy and Ram Saran Ghose Mudafat Ghorgram 16 as. share of Ghorgram K. and Khirpara Chak. * All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Upendra Chandra Guha Choudhury and others.	611 0 0	...	45 5 0

Pabna Collectorate, the 25th February 1924.

R. GOSWAMI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Murshidabad, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
345	Kist pargana Mohanpur, pargana Mohanpur.	4,390 11 0	Yes ...	.....	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, jointly and equally with Asit Mohan Ghose Maulik, as sebait of Radha Gobinda Deb Thakur, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	...	591 7 8	...
361	Mauza Madhupur, pargana Kulberia.	...	No ...	8 annas ... ... All other shares than that specified should be excluded from sale.	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	775 8 4	..	289 5 0
495	Mauza Harispur, pargana Kulberia.	530 0 0	Yes ...	.....	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, jointly and equally with Asit Mohan Ghose Maulik, as sebait of Sri Sri Iswar Joy Sib Durga, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	...	69 13 7	...

L. S. BINGEMANN, Collector.

Berhampore, the 22nd February 1924.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of sale.

(*See* Rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Howrah will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on Wednesday, the 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 (Bengali according to the era current in the district).

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
2043	Abandoned site of the Palpara quarantine hospital.	7·18 acres or 21 bighas 14 cottahs 9 chitaks 15 square feet.	Revenue-free	Upset price, more or less, Rs. 2,167-3. Boundaries— *North*—Benode Roy's khal. *East*—River Ganges. *South and West*—Zamindari bundh and mauza Palpara.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Howrah, the 23rd February 1924.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of sale.

(*See* Rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Howrah, will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on Wednesday, the 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 B.S. (Bengali according to the era current in the district).

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
1045	Thana Makua (মাকুয়া), pargana Boro	·06	13 0 0	Upset price, more or less, Rs. 200. *North*—Andul Road. *East*—Panchanantollah Road. *South and West*—Panchkori Ghose's land. Case No. $\frac{8}{228}$ of 1920.

Howrah, the 23rd February 1924.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

(*See* Rule 161.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Howrah will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on the 26th March 1924, corresponding with 13th Chaitra 1330 B.S. (Bengali, according to the era current in the district) :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
1000	Patihal, pargana Balia ...	·02	11 0	Upset price more or less Rs. 20-10. *North*—Behary Mondol's land. *East*—Patihal Road. *South*—Rakhal Samoory's land. *West*—Nakoo Sinha's land. Case No ½ of 1922-23.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Howrah, the 23rd February 1924.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua ...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situated in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Manikganj, on the 24th day of March 1924, corresponding with 11th Chaitra of 1330 (Bengali Era).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Subdivisional Officer at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As.	
11656	Myadi mahal Jala Maharpur, pargana Shujabad Kutubpur.	·26	10 (rental).	

J. G. DRUMMOND, Collector

Collector's office, Dacca, the 11th February 1924.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

See Rule 161.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the proprietary right of Government specified in the condition of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate at 12 noon, on Monday, the 27th March 1924, corresponding with 14th Chaitra 1330, Bengali era. The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue-free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
Tauzi No. 3610	Estate Mandra, pargana Jahangirabad ...	·465	Rs. A. P. 0 11 0	

Collector's Office, Burdwan, the 13th February 1924.

J. YOUNIE, Collector

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 7th March 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	21,36,21,000	0	0
Other Deposits	69,67,91,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra... ...	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	12,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	92,18,000	0	0
	1,14,08,80,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,41,50,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,22,42,000	0	0
Loans	24,80,67,000	0	0
Cash credits	42,88,90,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	17,18,60,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	85,59,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,50,15,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries...	50,04,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	1,62,85,000	0	0
	1,01,50,72,000	0	0
Cash	12,58,08,000	0	0
	1,14,08,80,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London	£1,489,600
Advances in London	£ 478,800
Cash and balances at other Banks in London	£1,084,900

Percentage 12·05.
Bank Rate 9 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M. MURRAY (offg.),
Managing Governors.

(509—1)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order ex the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 113 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and, if not cleared on or before the 26th April 1924, on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 7.		
	SS. "Magdapur."		
14th Feb. 1924 ...	15425 in a diamond, T on top, b H on sides.	1	Case ground detector
13th ,, ,, ...	74 in a diamond, C L on top, & Co below	1	Case cotton.
14th ,, ,, ...	$\frac{1470}{30213}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co. below.	1	Case cycles.
12th ,, ,, ...	G M C K / C in a diamond, C C on top, C B below, Cawnpore.	2	Cases rubber goods, grease and repair outfits.
15th ,, ,, ...	M in a diamond	2	Cases whisky.
12th ,, ,, ...	N L S 2259	2	Cases oilcloth.
13th ,, ,, ...	T in a heart	1	Bundle G C sheets.
	Unidentified goods.		
	Nil	1	Galvanic instrument.
	Nil	1	Combination hand tool set with bits complete.
	Nil	1	Sewing machine handle.
	SHED No. 4.		
	SS. "Manaar."		
18th Feb. 1924 ...	CCCC in a diamond, 1	1	Case asphalt.
19th ,, ,, ...	D & Co in a diamond, 1-2 ...	2	Cases steel sheets.
19th ,, ,, ...	5093 GCD in a diamond, 1-2 ...	2	Cases stick fast.
16th ,, ,, ...	GFK & Co, G	1	Case angostural bitter.
16th ,, ,, ...	HSAG 3731 in a diamond, 157-62 ...	6	Cases medicines.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 4—*concld.*		
	SS. "Manaar"—*concld.*		
18th Feb. 1924 ...	SLC 3544 in a diamond, B B & Co below, 1-2.	2	Cases medicine.
18th „ „ ...	Singha in a diamond, L E on top, W Co below, 2.	1	Case copper wire.
16th „ „ ...	S B S & B	2	Cases Old Tom gin.
16th „ „ ...	Ditto	1	Case advertisement materials.
	SHED No. 2.		
	SS. "City of Norwich."		
19th Feb. 1924 ...	1 M Co in a diamond, M T on top, & Co, Lucknow below, 1-2.	2	Cases writing ink.
21st „ „ ...	L E C Seads in a block, H B Shroff, Govt. 518 School and Dyeing & Printing, Cawnpore.	1	Case machinery parts.
20th „ „ ...	605 in a double triangle, R N on top, D S below, 691-95.	5	Bales C. P. goods.
	SHED No. 5.		
	SS. "Modasa."		
23rd Feb. 1924 ...	Benares in a diamond, B B on top, & S below, 18.	1	Case medicine.
23rd „ „ ...	3625 in diamond, B B & Co. below, 1-4	4	Cases medicine.
25th „ „ ...	3882 in a diamond, B B & Co. below, 1-2.	2	Ditto.
25th „ „ ...	C F in a diamond, B W on top, & Co. below, 3405-9.	5	Ditto.
23rd „ „ ...	1613-4 in a diamond, D B on top, B C below.	1	Case C. P. goods.
25th „ „ ...	Gramophone Co, Ltd	1	Case gramophone.
23rd „ „ ...	Haji in a diamond, 80-81	2	Cases merchandise.
23rd „ „ ...	H S A G, 1-10	10	Cases chemicals.
23rd „ „ ...	Haji in a diamond, 683-85 ...	3	Cases perfumed spirit.
23rd „ „ ...	30 in a diamond, H S A G below, 543-44.	2	Cases medicine.
23rd „ „ ...	I T D K Delhi	1	Case spirit.
23rd „ „ ...	J G in a diamond, 100	1	Case electric fires.
23rd „ „ ...	Kanai in a diamond, U T on top, & Co below, 5600-1.	2	Cases Blakey's shoe protectors

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description
	SHED No. 5—*concld.*		
	SS. "Modasa"—*concld.*		
23rd Feb. 1924 ...	M D in a diamond, B W on top, & Co below, 3602-5.	4	Cases medicine.
23rd „ „ ...	M C G S, 6-7	2	Cases merchandise.
25th „ „ ...	M A M R in a diamond, S C on top, 9721.	1	Case toilet preparation.
23rd „ „ ..	N L D in a diamond, B W on top, & Co below, 2903-4, 3620 1, 3622-5.	8	Cases medicine.
23rd „ „ ...	N L D in a diamond, 1-26	26	Cases vinegar
25th „ „ ...	$\frac{A\ N}{C}$ in an inverted triangle, 636-38 ...	3	Cases personal effects.
25th „ „ ...	A C D in a diamond, B W on top, & Co below, 3517-28.	12	Cases medicine.
25th „ „ ...	$\frac{2689}{306}$ in a diamond, A D on top, 1 ...	1	Case laboratory apparatus.
25th „ „ ...	R M & Co in a diamond, 20-21 ...	2	Cases motor parts and washers.
25th „ „ ...	R R	1	Case fibre.
23rd „ „ ...	S A D & Co, 15-17	3	Cases merchandise.
23rd „ „ ...	S in a triangle, T C on top, C below, 361	1	Case provisions
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Ridderkirk."		
22nd Feb. 1924 ...	G F R in a cross, 5520 below, 42664 ...	1	Case electric bulbs
21st „ „ ...	G H, 246 8, 255-7	6	Cases table lamps and horns.
22nd „ „ ...	$\frac{M}{1047\text{-}9}$ in a block	8	Cases carbons.
22nd „ „ ...	1940 Calcutta	1	Case merchandise.
22nd „ „ ...	III Red one End	2	Bundles square iron.
21st „ „ ...	S S E 1954 1821	2	Cases machinery parts.

H. H. HUDSON, Traffic Manager (offg.).

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 19th March 1924. (558—1)

Notification of sale.

SUIT No 1234 OF 1916.

Rai Bahadur Janaki Nath Roy and others *versus* U. N. Roy and others.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Official Receiver, High Court, Calcutta, in his office in the High Court Buildings, on Saturday, the 29th day of March 1924, at 12 noon, pursuant to an order made in the above suit dated the 20th February 1924 the undermentioned property :—

Share nine annas and nine and one-fourth gandas of Diara Mehal of Radha Kanta Roy, tauzi No. 9013-2 of Dacca Collectorate, pargana Mahmudpur, in mauza chur Salina *alias* chak Hari Charan, district Dacca, police-station and Sub Registry Gheor, revenue Rs 568-5-6.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned or to Mr. K. K Dutt, solicitor, at No. 10, Hastings Street, Calcutta.

K S. BONNERJEE, Official Receiver.

High Court, the 12th March 1924. (507—1)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 155 OF 1924.

To Kamini Mohan Guha, of Shaymgunj, Carstairs Town, holding No. 425—3331.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs 51-14-9 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B S.), you are hearby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(524—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 156 OF 1924.

To Tarini Charan Chakraburty, Carstairs Town, holding No. 426—3332.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 70-12-9 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(525—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 160 OF 1924.

To Bhabataran Pahari of Salona, Williams' Town, Deoghar ; holding No 527—3432.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 85-5-3 (arrears of rent from 1329 and 1330), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(526—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 165 OF 1924.

To Manomohan Das of Ranga ; holding No. 542—3432.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 76-11 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(527—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 166 OF 1924.

To Ramani Mohon Chowdhari, Barmashia, holding No. 553—2863.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 92-0-9 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B. S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 13th March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(528—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT NOS 167 AND 168 OF 1924.

To Suprava Dasi, Barmashia, holding Nos. 559—2869 and 560—2870.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 138-2 (arrears of rent from 1328 to 1330), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.
(529—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 169 OF 1924.

To Mr. B. L. Chowdhari, holding No 563—2872 (Ka) Barmashia.

WHEREAS Ijardar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini has instituted a suit against you for rupees 69-1 (arrear of rent from 1328 to 1330 B. S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.
(530—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 170 OF 1924.

To Bepin Behari Biswas, holding No. 565—2872 (Ga)

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 61-5 3 (arrear of rent from 1328 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.
(531—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 171 OF 1924

To Sanjib Chandra Chowdhari, holding No 567—2872.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 69-1 (arrear of rent from 1328 to 1330), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.
(532—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No 172 OF 1924.

To Manmatha Nath Sen, No. 570—2872, Barmashia.

WHEREAS Ijardar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 21-13-3 (arrear of rent from 1329 to 1330), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 4th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.
(533—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 173 OF 1924.

To Benoy Bhusan Ghose, holding No. 604—2859, of Basmata.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 101-12 (arrears of rent) you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 4th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.
(534—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 175 OF 1924.

To Sarojini Ghose, Deonathdih, holding No. 638—2847.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 96-14-3 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 4th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(535—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 178 OF 1924.

To Mohendranath Banerjee of Koreasha, holding No. 652—3498.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 69-1 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person on by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 4th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(536—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 179 OF 1924.

To Anukul Chandra Ray, of Koreasha, holding No. 658—3505.

WHEREAS the Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 86-0-6 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 4th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(537—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 180 OF 1924.

To Dhirendranath Ganguli, Koreasha, holding No. 661—3505.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri, Mahals Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 58-2-3 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in person in this Court or by a Pleader duly instructed on the 4th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses, upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of you appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(538—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 183 OF 1924.

To Sarojini Gupta, Totradih, No. 682—3493.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 61-12-9 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 4th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(539—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 184 OF 1924.

To Tarini Prasad Roy, Barlarbandhi Bompas Town, holding No. 694—3450.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 50-3 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1329 and 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 4th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(540—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 185 OF 1923.

To Sarat Sasi Debi, Bariarbandhi Bompas Town, holding No. 710—3473.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 72-10 9 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 4th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(541—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas

RENT SUIT No. 188 OF 1924.

To Noresh Chandra Lahiri, Bompas Town, No. 734—3485.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basuori Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 99-5 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in the Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 4th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and with all documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(542—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 189 OF 1923.

To Tarini Prosad Pal Chowdhuri, Bompas town, holding No. 740—3493.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 81-2-6 on account of arrears of rent for 1328 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in suport of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the abovementioned day, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(543—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Santal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 190 OF 1924.

To Phani Bhusan Adhicary, Bompas Town, holding No. 746—3493.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basai Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 50-14 on account of arrears of rent for the year 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in the Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(544—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 191 OF 1924.

To Debeswar Biswas, Bompas Town, holding No. 753—3493 (La.).

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 45 12-6 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1328 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(545—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Santal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 192 OF 1924.

To Hemendra Narayan Roy, Bompas Town, holding No. 754—3493.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 82-6 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(546—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Santal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 193 OF 1924.

To Brinda Sundari Dasi, Basnadih, holding No. 769—2923.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 93-4-9 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(547—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

DISTRICT SONTHAL PARGANAS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 194 OF 1924.

To Kumar Satis Kanto Roy, Basnadih, holding No. 772—2923.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 52-2 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(548—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 195 OF 1924.

To Kali Prasanna Mukerjee, Basnadih, holding No. 779—2923.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 52-2 on account of arrears of rent for the year 1327 to 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(549—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 196 OF 1924.

To Saiyad Munshi, Basnadih holding No. 780—2923.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 48-7-0 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear, in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(550—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 197 OF 1924.

To Motilal Rai, Sidheswar Bose, Dhibadih, holding No. 791—3532.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 96-14-3 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(551—2.)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 198 OF 1924.

To Indu Moti Dasi, Dibadih, holding No. 794—3532.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 193-12-6 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B. S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(552—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 199 OF 1924.

To Nilmoney Mallik, Simria, holding No. 813—3530.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 72-10-9 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(553—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 200 OF 1924.

To Bidhumukhi Debi, Ramchandrapur, holding No. 816—3506.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 59-6 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(554—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 202 OF 1924.

To Nalini Mohan Singh, Ramchandrapur, holding No. 841—3531.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 32-11-9 (arrears of rent from 1329 and 1330 B.S), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(555—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 204 OF 1924.

To Bidhubhusan Mukerjee, Sibbhusan Mukerjee and Gangabhusan Mukerjee, holding No. 851—3539 (Ka), Jassidih.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 140-12-6 (arrears of rent from 1329 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(556—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. OF 1924.

To Sat Cowrie Mittra, holding No. 867—3555 of Jassidih.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 81-7-6 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(557—2)

In the First Court of the Subordinate Judge at Alipore, district 24-Parganas.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Nazir of 24-Parganas District Judge's Court in his sale-room in the Court-house on 14th April 1924 at 12 o'clock noon in execution case No. 62 of 1922 (Tarapada Sinha and others (decree-holders) *versus* Gurudas Sinha (judgment-debtor) the undermentioned properties for realization of Rs. 23,058-9-3 only.

Lot No. 1.

One-eighth share in 2 bighas and 5 chittaks of rent-free land measuring 5 cottas and 12 gondas of land or more or less being premises No. 35 1, Kankulia Road, Ballygunge, thana Ballygunge, district 24-Parganas.

Lot No. 2.

(*a*) Four bighas of rent-free land or more or less with two storied pucca building thereon consisting of six rooms with verandahs on the ground floor and first floor being premises No. 27, Kankulia Road, in Ballygunge, district 24 Parganas.

(*b*) One bigha of land out of a plot of 2½ bighas of rent-free garden land or more or less in village Kankulia, thana Ballygunge, in 24-Parganas, which is premises No. 27, Kankulia Road.

K. B. BISWAS, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 6th March 1924. (466—1—419)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 59 OF 1924.

Re Mahadeo Jhoon Jhoonwala and Brijmohon Jhoon Jhoonwala, residing at No 52, Jackariah Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business in co-partnership in piece-goods under the name and style of Mohadeo Brijmohan at No. 201, Harrison Road, in Calcutta aforesaid but now without occupation, *ex parte* the debtors.

R. K. Basu, debtors' solicitor.

ON the 4th day of March 1924, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as insolvents.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 8th March 1924.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 63 OF 1924.

Re Nemai Chand Addy, residing at No. 33, Tara Chand Dutt Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as broker and dealer in shares under the name and style of N C. Addy & Co., at No. 2, Royal Exchange Place, in Calcutta aforesaid but at present a clerk in the employ of Babu Mohan Chand De, of No. 28, Colootola Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, *ex parte* the debtor.

A. C. Dey, debtor's solicitor.

ON the 12th day of March 1924, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 14th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 61 OF 1924.

Re Ramnivas Taraogi, residing at No. 9, Juggo Mohan Mullick Lane in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business under the name and style of Sewdutrai Ramnivas as dealers in piecegoods and commission agent at No. 180, Harrison Road, and No. 9, Juggo Mohan Mullick Lane in Calcutta aforesaid, and at present doing nothing, *ex parte* the debtor.

P. N. Banerjee, debtor's solicitor.

ON the 11th day of March 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 12th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 60 OF 1924.

Re William Henry Saviel residing at No. 2, Chatu Babu Lane, Middle Road, Entally, Calcutta, a telegraphist in the Central Telegraph Office, Calcutta, *ex parte* the debtor in person.

ON the 7th day of March 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 13th day of March 1924

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 62 OF 1924.

Re Stanly Lawrence Floyd, residing at No. 9D, Bow Street, in the town of Calcutta, employed as telegraphist in the Government Telegraph Department in Calcutta aforesaid, *ex parte* the debtor in person.

ON the 12th day of March 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 14th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 64 OF 1924.

Re Ram Kissen Joydoyal, a partnership firm consisting of Ram Kissen and Joydoyal, both residing at No. 166 Cross Street, in the town of Calcutta, as partners, and lately carrying on business as commission agents and general merchants at No. 166, Cross Street, Calcutta, aforesaid and also at Amritsar in the Punjab and at present doing no business, *ex parte* the debtors' firm.

H. C. Ghose, debtors' firm solicitor.

ON the 12th day of March 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed firm as insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 14th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 249 OF 1923.

Re Rai Charan Biswas and Company, a firm lately carrying on business in timber at No. 65, Darmahatta Street, in the town of Calcutta.

Ex parte the creditor.

ON the 12th day of February 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed firm as insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 8th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

No. 82 OF 1919.

Re Nagurmul Jugnance and Sew Doyal, *ex parte*, Binjraj Zorawarmul Bantia, creditor.

To Nagurmul Jugnance and Sew Doyal, the insolvents abovenamed, and

Mr. Charu Chandra Bose, their Attorney and G. M. Falkner, Esq., the Official Assignee of Calcutta and Assignee of the estate of the insolvents abovenamed.

PLEASE take notice that on Tuesday, the 8th day of April 1924, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon or so soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, an application will be made to the learned Judge of this Hon'ble Court sitting in insolvency on behalf of Messrs. Binjraj Zorawarmul Bantia, one of the creditors of the said insolvents abovenamed, for an order that the adjudication order made herein on the 23rd day of June 1919 be annulled and that the costs of and incidental to this application to be taxed by the Taxing Officer of this Hon'ble Court be paid to Mr. S. C. Datta, Attorney for the said Binjraj Zorawarmul Bantia, by the said Official Assignee out of the funds in his hands or such further or other order be made in the premises as to this Hon'ble Court may seem fit.

Dated this 13th day of March 1924.

S. C. DATTA,
Attorney-at-Law and Attorney for the creditor Binjraj Zorawarmul Bantia

Grounds.

1. Affidavit of Jibraj Saha solemnly affirmed on the 10th day of March 1924.
2. Records of this matter.

N.B.—You need not appear unless you have good and valid cause to shew to the contrary.

(510—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

No. 73 OF 1916.

Re Chogon Lal Domani and Harruk Chand Domani, *ex parte.*

Moti Lal Fomra, creditor.

To Chogon Lal Domani and Harruk Chand Domani, the Insolvents abovenamed, and Mr. Debi Prosad Khaitan, their Attorney, and G. M. Falkner, Esq, the Official Assignee of Calcutta and Assignee of the estate of the insolvents abovenamed.

PLEASE take notice that on Tuesday, the 8th day of April 1924, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon or so soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, an application will be made to the learned Judge of this Honourable Court sitting in Insolvency on behalf of Moti Lal Fomra, one of the creditors of the abovenamed insolvents, for an order that the adjudication order made herein on the 5th day of May 1916 be annulled and that the costs of and incidental to this application to be taxed by the Taxing Officer of this Honourable Court be paid to Mr. S. C. Datta, Attorney for the said Moti Lal Fomra, by the said Official Assignee out of the assets in his hands, or such further or other order be made in the premises as to this Honourable Court may seem fit.

Dated this 13th day of March 1924.

S. C. DATTA, Attorney-at-Law and Attorney for the said creditor Moti Lal Fomra.

Grounds :

1 Affidavit of Rup Chand Fomra solemnly affirmed on the 13th day of March 1924.

2. Records of this matter.

N.B.—You need not appear unless you have a good and valid cause to shew to the contrary.

(511—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 3 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Purna Chandra Chakravartty, son of late Harish Chandra Chakravartty, of Bargram, ch. Rampurhat, district Birbhum, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 30th January of 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice to the creditors of the said debtor that the Court has fixed the 10th day of April 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

K. C. NAG, District Judge.

Suri, the 12th March 1924. (506—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Birbhum.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 203 OF 1923.

Bholanath Hati and another, of Kurumba, chowki Bolpur, decree-holders,

versus

Friman Rai Rajkumar Saheb Srimat Bunwari Mukunda Das Nandi and others, of Bunwaribad, chowki Kandi, district Murshidabad, judgment-debtors.

SIXTEEN annas zamindari right of lot Gayespur bearing tauzi No. 7 of Murshidabad Collectorate and lot Chahata bearing tauzi No. 13 of Birbhum Collectorate will be sold in Court on 1st April 1924 at 12 noon. The annual revenue payable to Government on account of the two lots is Rs. 16,001-13-3 and Rs. 11,984-8-5, respectively.

S. C. BASU, Sub-Judge.

Suri, the 11th March 1924. (512—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 24 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 27th July 1923, filed by Shaikh Mohammad Yeacoob *alias* S. M. Yeacoob, son of late Shaikh Locu Ostagar, of 8-1, Wright Street, thana Ballygunge, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of February 1924.

G. N. ROY, District Judge.

(457—1—418)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 14 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Makbul Ali, son of late Abdul Ali, of Jaldi, at present Chambal, police-station Banskhali, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 16th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 20th day of March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 5th February 1924. (486—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Abdul Nubi, son of Syed Abdur Rohoman *alias* Hussamoddin, of Solosahar, police station Bakolia, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 1st February 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 29th day of March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 8th March 1924. (483—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 15 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Jatra Mohan Biswas, son of late Kailash Chandra Biswas, of Gairola, police-station Patiya, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 27th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 28th day of March 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

J. W. NELSON, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 8th March 1924. (484—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 12 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Abdulbari, son of Ahamodulla Bhuiyan, of Baraikhali, police-station Mirsarai, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 23rd February 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 5th day of April 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

H. C. STORK, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 11th March 1924. (499—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 9 OF 1924.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 12th February 1924, filed by Golok Kanta Seal, son of Rashromon Seal, of 7-1, Gour Dey's Lane, Bowbazar, Calcutta, now residing at Sadarghat, Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor and on reading the application and hearing the pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The debtor is directed to apply for discharge within six months. Mr. Perceival is appointed receiver.

Dated this 8th day of March 1924.

H. C. STORK, District Judge.

(500—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 77 OF 1923.

BASARAT ALI CHOWDHURY, son of Babarali Chowdhury (deceased), resident of Kundaran, police-station Ghoraghat, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated insolvent on the 4th day of February 1924. He must apply for discharge within 12 months.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 7th day of March 1924. (493—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Rakhal Chandra Hati, son of late Ananta Ram Hati of Naisarai, thana Arambagh, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 53 of 1923 and that the 29th March 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. LIDDELL, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 3rd January 1924. (56—1—396)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 29 OF 1916 (ACT 3 OF 1907).

In the matter of Syed Fatteh Ali Mirza, resident of Murshidabad, at Raja's Kothi, police-station Murshidabad, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the order of adjudication, dated the 23rd January 1917, against the abovenamed petitioner is hereby annulled

B. MUKHERJI, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 12th March 1924. (505—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 14 OF 1924.

Petitioner Ramdeo Agarwala, son of late Jugol Kishore Agarwala, of Kushtia, police station Kushtia, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*3*) of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the abovenamed petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that 5th April 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 10th March 1924. (489—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 39 OF 1923.

WHEREAS Jalaluddin Talukdar, son of late Kasimuddin Talukdar, of Bennabari, police-station Belkuchi, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 30th November 1923, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 5th April 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 8th March 1924. (487—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Niamat Mondal, of Bangabari, police-station Gomostapur, district Malda, has applied to this Court under Act V of 1920 and 5th April 1924 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 7th March 1924. (491—1—395)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1922.

PRESENT:

P. K. Mukherjee, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the insolvent, Basiruddin, son of late Badia Bepari, of Radhaballav Jummapara, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for an absolute order of discharge, the 29th day of March 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the insolvent.

P. K. MUKHERJEE, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 8th March 1924. (490—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 12 OF 1924.

PRESENT:

D. P. Ghosh, Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Rahim Baksh Sarkar, son of late Jenatullah Gachhua, of Lashkarpur, police-station Mithapukur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 29th day of March 1924 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

D. P. GHOSH, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th March 1924. (501—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Tippera.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given under clause (*2*) of section IXX of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to the creditors that the insolvency petition of Nabadwip Chandra Saha, son of late Basi Chandra Saha, of village Sreeramdi, pargana Purchandi, police-station Chandpur, district Tippera, has been admitted by this Court as No. 4 of 1924 and that the 10th day of April 1924 has been fixed for hearing.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Comilla, the 8th March 1924. (485—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 226 OF 1923.

Mobarak Gazi, of Mudiali, thana Metebruz, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Golam Khan of Mudiali, thana Metebruz, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors

ON the 28th day of November 1923 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 24th day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 18th January 1924. (143—1—420)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 241 OF 1923.

Bhola Nath Gusait, of Garagacha, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Fainda Khan Kabuli, of Behala, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 5th day of February 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 14th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th February 1924. (364—1—406)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 249 OF 1923.

Atul Chandra Mukerji, of Kholapota, thana Basirhat, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Matiar Rahaman, of Basirhat, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 6th day of December 1923 is was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 14th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th February 1924. (365—1—407)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 277 OF 1923.

Jalim Hajam, of Kamarhati, thana Barahanagore, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Gopal Chandra Saha, of Kamarhati, thana Barahanagore, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 9th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 31st day of March 1924, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th February 1924. (366—1—408)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 278 OF 1923.

Chandi Charan Das, of 2, Pitambar Sarkar Lane, Keddirpur, applicant.

To Messrs. Bidhubhusan Ray and Company, of 86, Khongrapati, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

On the 9th day of January 1924, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 31st day of March 1924, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th February 1924. (367—1—409)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 279 OF 1923.

Hatem Naiya, of Sankarpur, thana Mathurapur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Enajaddi Shaha, of Birampur, thana Mathurapur, 24 Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 9th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 31st day of March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th February 1924. (368—1—410)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1924.

Annada Prosad Sarkar, of 14-1, Kali Lane, Kalighat, applicant.

To Kalipada Dhara, of 22-2, Nepal Bhattacherji Street, Kalighat, and others, creditors,

ON the 10th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th day of April 1924, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th February 1924. (369—1—411)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1924.

Haripada Mitra, of Sahapur, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Niranjan Chakraverty, of Chanditola, thana Tallygunj, and others, creditors.

ON the 10th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th day of April 1924, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th February 1924. (370—1—412)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1924.

Shaikh Sovan, of Bawali, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Kuldeb Singh, of Bawali, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 10th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th February 1924. (371—1—413)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1924.

Raj Mohan Das, of Ghora, thana Basirhat, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Manoda Sundari Dassi, of Ghora, thana Basirhat, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 11th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th February 1924 (372—1—414)

NOTICE

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1924.

Fulbas Biswas, of 81, Russa Road, South, thana Tallygunj, applicant

To Saifulla Khan, of 132-2, Russa Road, South, thana Tallygunj, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 11th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th February 1924. (373—1—415)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 275 OF 1923.

Jogendra Nath Moudal, of Bamali, thana Budge Budge, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Bhagabati Sing, of Bamali, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 16th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 28th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 25th February 1924. (388—1—397)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 1 OF 1924.

Rup Chand Koyal, of Khajati, thana Sonarpur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Sridhor Chandra Roy, of Bundel, thana Tallygunj, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 16th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 25th February 1924. (389—1—398)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1924.

Hamijaddin Molla, of Moricha, thana Bhangor, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Akkel Ali Molla, of Moricha, thana Bhangor, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 12th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 25th February 1924. (390—1—399)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1924.

Krishna Lal Gui, of 35, Russa Road, North, thana Bhawanipur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Nandan & Co., of 43, Clive Street, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 14th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 25th February 1924. (391—1—400)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1924.

Rameswar Chamar, of Khardah, thana Khardah, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Mewalal Jamadar, of Khardah Bazar, tha Khardanha, 24 Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 19th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 14th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 25th February 1924. (392—1—401)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1924.

Judhistir Das, of 25-9, Olamayertola, Belgachia, thana Belgachia, applicant.

To Harendralal Saha, of 24, Durga Charan Banerji Road, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 16th day of January 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 14th day of April 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 25th February 1924. (393—1—402)

Wanted.

TWO probationers, one for the District Judge's office, Berhampore, and the other for the 2nd Munsif's Court, Berhampore, on Rs. 35 a month. Applications will be received up to the 24th March 1924 only from those whose names are on the list of surplus officers issued by Government. Preference will be given to those who know type-writing.

B. MUKHERJI, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 4th March 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924.

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

NOTICE.

Imperial Bank of India.

THE members of the Local Board have made the following changes in the Bank's Establishment :—

Mr. R. D. Kamath to be Assistant-in-charge, Sialkot Branch, as from the 27th February 1924, *vice* Mr. Radha Kishen, transferred.

Mr. R. V. Baird to be Officer-in-charge, Bareilly Branch, as from the 28th February 1924, *vice* Mr. W. A. Smurthwaite, granted short leave.

Mr. F. R. Powell to be Agent, Simla Branch, as from the 7th March 1924, *vice* Mr. B. Darling, transferred.

Mr. A. W. Stewart to act as Sub-Agent, Secunderabad Sub-Agency, as from the 8th March 1924, *vice* Mr. P. H. Lemon, transferred.

By order,

D. S. MCCLURE,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 14th March 1924. (559—1)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 009426 of the 6 per cent. loan of 1936 for Rs. 700, originally standing in the name of Drona Kumar Tagore, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been destroyed, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—Drona Kumar Tagore.

Residence—26-1, Prosonno Kumar Tagore Street, Calcutta.

(361—3—324)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. A007011 of the 6 per cent. loan of 1930 for Rs. 1,000, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal, and last endorsed to Bejoy Kumar Bhattacharjee, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—Bejoy Kumar Bhattacharjee.

Residence—3, Bhowani Dutt Lane, Calcutta.

(342—3—319)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 2640, dated 18th February 1924, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the and securities—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount. Rs.	Holder's name.
076384 ...	3 per cent. 1896-97 ...	100 ...	
076325 ...	Ditto ...	100 ...	
074335-36 ...	Ditto ...	100 each ...	
079433 ...	Ditto ...	100 ...	
040438 ...	Ditto ...	100 ...	
081319 ...	Ditto ...	100 ...	Radhanath Roy.
088865 ...	Ditto ...	600 ...	
230632 ...	3½ per cent. 1900-01 ...	100 ...	
230634 ...	Ditto ...	500 ...	
279748-49 ...	3½ per cent. 1865 ...	100 each ...	
298675 ...	Ditto ...	100 ...	
0709/6 ...	3 per cent. 1896-97 ...	100 ...	

Name of the Proprietor—R Roy.

Residence—9, Pyari Mohan Pal Lane, Central Avenue, Calcutta.

(467—1—405)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 962, dated 20th February 1924, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount. Rs.	Holder's Name.
D006067	6 per cent. 1930	100	Tarini Churn Law.

Name of Proprietor—Tarini Churn Law.

Residence—223, Cornwallis Street.

(482—1—403)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 4187, dated 6th March 1924, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities.

G. P. Note No.	Loan.		Amount. Rs.	Holder's name.
200291	3½ per cent.	1900-1	1,000	Benwari Lall Dhole.
172400	3½ „ „	1854-55	1,000	
195033	3½ „ „	1900-1	500	
091084	3 „ „	1896-97	100	
257352	3½ „ „	1900-1	100	
D016913	6 „ „	1930	100	
001054	6 „ „	1930	500	

Name of the Proprietor—Benwari Lall Dhole.

Residence—Bonhughly, P. O. Alambazar, 24-Parganas.

(503—3—416)

Lost.

THE Calcutta Municipal Debenture No. 338 of the 4 per cent. loan of 1914-15, dated 1st March 1915, for Rs. 1,800 only, originally standing in the name of Harendra Nath Bagchi, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Debenture and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

HARENDRA NATH BAGCHI.

43, Bagbazar Street, Calcutta (508—3—417)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and In the matter of the Amritsar Woollen Mills, Limited (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a general meeting of the Company will be held at the office of the Company, Albert Road, Civil Lines, Amritsar, at 3 P.M., on Friday, the 11th day of April 1924, for the purpose of receiving the Liquidator's Report and Accounts on the liquidation of the Company, and, if thought fit, of passing and adopting same.

W. ROBERTSON TAYLOR, Liquidator.

Albert Road, Civil Lines, Amritsar, the 10th March 1924. (498—1—404)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and In the matter of Bengal Book Society, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Bengal Book Society, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 14th March 1924.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and In the matter of Bikanir Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Bikanir Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 14th March 1924.

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :—

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs. 25.

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*," which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post.

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs. Re 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Re. 2.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

Government reserve the right to alter the price without notice.

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The Indian School Supply Depôt, 309, Bowbazar, Calcutta.

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The Standard Literature Company, Limited, 13-1, Old Court House Street, Calcutta.

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Mr. Ernest Leroux, Rue Bonaparte, Paris, France.

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Acts, Bills and Legislative Council Proceedings.

Bengal Act III of 1923 (Calcutta Municipal) as modified by the Calcutta Municipal (No. II) Act, 1923 (Bengal Act XI of 1923). Rs. 2. (7a.)

MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS.

Boiler—

The Bengal—Rules, 1924. As. 2. (1a.)

Cinchona—

Annual Report of the Government—Plantations and Factories in Bengal for the year 1922-23. As. 8. (1½a.)

Coal Mining—

A Bengali Manual of—by Roberton, Mondal. Rs. 7 (10a.)

Companies—

Annual Report on the Administration of the Indian—Act, 1913, and other Acts in Bengal for 1922-23. Rs. 3. (4a.)

Dictionary—

English-Nepali—, 1923. Rs. 9. (12a.)

Emigration—

Report on Inland—for the year ending 30th June 1923. Re. 1. (2a.)

Forest—

Annual Progress Report on—Administration of the Presidency of Bengal for 1922-23. Rs. 2-12. (3a.)

Housing—

Report of the Calcutta—and Communications Committee, 1923. Rs. 2. (2a.)

Irrigation—

Classified List and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 1st January 1924 (Irrigation Department). As. 14. (2a.)

Jails—

Administration Report on the—of the Bengal Presidency for the year 1922 Rs. 5-14. (8½a.)

List, Civil—

Quarterly—for Bengal, corrected up to 1st January 1924. Rs 3. (11a.)

Match—

Report on the investigations into the possibilities of—industry in Bengal by A. P. Ghosh, M.S.C. I. (Lond.), Match Expert. (Agricultural Bulletin No. 16.) As. 12 (2a.)

"Okara"—

Report and Evidence of the Court of Enquiry appointed to enquire into the loss of the SS.—on the 5th May 1923. Re. 1. (2a.)

Schools—

List of—in the Burdwan Division, corrected up to 31st March 1923. Rs. 2. (2½a.)

Telephone—

Report of the Bengal Government—Committee on the message rate system of charges for the—Service, 1924. As. 6. (1a.)

PUBLICATIONS ISSUED BETWEEN 1st JULY and 31st DECEMBER 1923.

Acts, Bills and Legislative Council Proceedings.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council—

For the meetings held on the 12th, 14th to 16th and 19th to 23rd February 1923, Vol. XI, No. 2. Rs. 2-8. (9*a.*)

For the meetings held on the 26th to 28th February and 1st March 1923, Vol. XI, No. 3. Re. 1. (4½*a.*)

For the meetings held on the 2nd, 5th to 7th March 1923, Vol. XI, No. 4. Re. 1-2. (4*a.*)

For the meetings held on the 14th to 17th, 19th to 23rd and 26th and 27th March 1923, Vol. XI, No. 5. Rs. 2-6. (9*a.*)

For the meetings held on the 2nd to 5th July 1923, Vol. XII. Re. 1. (4*a.*)

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Calcutta Suppression of Immoral Traffic Bill, 1923. In English. As. 2 (1*a.*) In Bengali. As. 10 (1*a.*)

Bengal Act II of 1866 [Calcutta Suburban Police] as modified up to 1st June 1923. English As. 8 (1½*a.*)

Bengal Act I of 1923 [Goondas]. English 9*p.* (6*p.*); Bengali As. 4 (6*p.*); Nagri As. 4 (6*p.*); Urdu. As. 6 (6*p.*)

Bengal Act II of 1923 [Calcutta Rent (Amendment)]. 3*p.* (6*p.*)

Bengal Act IV of 1923 (Smoke Nuisance). 3*p.* (6*p*)

Bengal Act V of 1923 (Children, Amendment). 3*p.* (6*p.*)

Bengal Act VI of 1923 (Calcutta Port Amendment). 6*p.* (6*p.*)

Bengal Act VII of 1923 (Bengal Aerial Ropeways). As. 2-6. (1*a.*)

Bengal Act VIII of 1923 (Village Chaukidari Amendment). 3*p.* (6*p.*)

Bengal Act IX of 1923 [Calcutta Improvement (Amendment)]. 3*p.* (6*p.*)

Bengal Act X of 1923 [Bengal Tenancy (Utbandi Amendment)]. 6*p.* (6 *p.*) In Bengali. 6*p.* (6*p.*)

Bengal Act XI of 1923 [The Calcutta Municipal (No. II)]. 9*p.* (6*p.*)

Bengal Act XII of 1923 (The St. Thomas' School). 9*p.* (6*p.*)

Bengal Act XIII of 1923 (The Calcutta Suppression of Immoral Traffic). 6*p.* (6*p.*)

India Act, IV of 1923 (Indian Mines). In Bengali. Re. 1-4. (1*a.*)

India Act, V of 1923 (Indian Boilers). In Bengali. Re. 1. (1*a.*)

India Act, VIII of 1923 (Workmen's Compensation). In Bengali. Re. 1-2. (1*a.*)

India Act, IX of 1923 [Indian Factories (Amendment)]. In Bengali. A. 1-6. (6*p.*)

India Act, X of 1923 (Indian Paper Currency). In Bengali. As. 12. (1*a.*)

India Act, XV of 1923 (Indian Income-tax (Amendment)]. In Bengali. A. 1-6. (6*p.*)

India Act, XVI of 1923 [Government Savings Bank (Amendment)] In Bengali A. 1 6 (6*p.*)

India Act, XX of 1923 [Indian Penal Code Amendment (Suppression of Traffic in Women and Children)]. In Bengali. As. 4. (6*p.*)

India Act XXVII of 1923 [Indian Income Tax (further amendment)]. In Bengali. As. 2. (6*p.*)

MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS.

Accounts—

Report of the Committee appointed to investigate the present system of—and Routine work in the Public Works Department offices in Bengal. Re. 1 (3*a.*)

Administration—

Report on the—of Bengal for 1921-1922. Foolscap, board, paper cover. Rs. 3. (12*a.*)

Boards—

Resolution reviewing the Reports on the working of District—in Bengal, 1921-22. As. 12-6. (2½a.)

Chaukidari—

A—Manual with the Village—Act, 1870, and the Bengal Village—Act, 1871, as modified up to October 1922. Super Royal 8vo, board, paper cover. Re. 1-4. (4a.)

Census—

Bengal—of India, 1921, Vol. V, Part I (Report). Rs. 8. (Re. 1-2.)

Bengal—of India, 1921, Vol. V, Part II (Tables). Rs. 13. (Re. 1-2.)

Calcutta—of India, 1921, Vol. VI, Part I (Report). Rs. 5-8. (9a.)

Calcutta—of India, 1921, Vol. VI, Part II (Tables). Rs. 7-8. (10a.)

Co-operative—

List of—societies in the districts of Chittagong and Chittagong Hill Tracts, corrected up to 31st December 1922. Foolscap, paper cover. Rs. 3-8. (3a.)

List of—societies in the district of Bakarganj, corrected up to 31st December 1922. Foolscap, paper cover. Re. 1. (5a.)

List of—societies in the district of Dacca, as corrected up to 31st December 1922. Rs. 4-12. (8a.)

Electoral—

Legislative Assembly—Rules and Regulations, 1923. As. 8. (2½a.)

Bengal—Rules and Regulations, 1923 [contains Government of India Notification No. F.-213V., dated the 30th July 1923 (Bengal Electoral Rules) and Government of Bengal Notification No. 1627A.R., dated the 11th August 1923 (Bengal Electoral Regulations)]. Foolscap, paper cover. As. 8 (2½a.)

Council of State—Rules and Regulations, 1923. As. 4. (1½a.)

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Elementary notes on—for survey classes in Bengal. Rs. 2-12. (4a.)

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Question papers set for the Bengal Provincial Services—1922. Re. 1. (2a.)

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Report of the Committee appointed to elaborate a practical working scheme for the separation of—functions in the Administration of Bengal and to report on the cost thereof, 1922. Foolscap, paper cover. Re. 1-4. (4a.)

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Annual Progress Report on—Administration of the Presidency of Bengal for the year 1921-22. Foolscap, paper cover. Rs. 2-4. (3a.)

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Price list of Staple—in the local areas in Bengal for 1922. Re. 1-12. (2a.)

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A summary of the cottage—in the districts of Bengal. Published 1923. Foolscap, paper cover. Re. 1. (4a.)

Irrigation—

Classified List and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 1st July 1923 (Irrigation Department). Re. 1-4. (2a.)

List—

Classified—and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 1st July 1923 (Roads and Buildings). Re. 1. (3a.)

—of recent books on Education, compiled from the Library of the Teachers' Training College, Dacca, also short list of books on Education giving the names of 46 books specially recommended. As. 6. (1½a.)

List, Civil—

Quarterly —for Bengal, corrected up to 1st October 1923. Rs. 3. (11a.)

Mines—

Rules framed by the Governor-General of India in Council under section 20 of the Indian—Act (VIII of 1901) for the working of Mica, Manganese and Limestone. In Bengali. In pamphlet or sheet form. Published 1921. As. 2. (1*a*.)

Government of India, Industries Department, Notification No. 498M., dated the 29th June 1922, amending the General Rules under section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, applicable to Mica, Manganese and Limestone. In Bengali. In pamphlet or sheet form. As. 2-6. (1*a*.)

Municipalities—

Resolution reviewing the Reports on the working of the—in Bengal. Foolscap, paper cover, for 1921-22. Re. 1-1. (3½*a*.)

Pilot Service—

Report of the Bengal—Reorganisation Committee, Vol. I. Super Royal 8vo Re. 1-2. (2*a*.)

Report of the Bengal—Reorganisation Committee, Vol. II. Re. 1. (2*a*.)

Police—

Annual Report on the—Administration of the Town of Calcutta and its Suburbs. For 1922. Rs. 3. (5*a*.)

Rebates—

Prevention of Deferred Bill, 1923. In Bengali. As. 14. (1½*a*.)

Records—

Supplement to the Bengal District—Rangpur, Vol. I, 1770, 1777-1779. As. 12. (1*a*.)

Salt—

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Legislative Assembly on the 1st February 1924 :—

No. 1 OF 1924.

A Bill further to amend the Indian Penal Code for certain purposes.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Indian Penal Code for certain purposes hereinafter appearing ; It is hereby enacted as follows ; — XLV of 1860.

Short title and commencement.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Penal Code (Amendment) Act, 192 .

(*2*) It shall come into force on such date as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, appoint.

Amendment of sections 361, 372 and 373, Act XLV of 1860.

2. In sections 361, 372 and 373 of the Indian Penal Code, for the word "sixteen" the word "eighteen" shall be substituted. XLV of 1860.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

In 1923 the Indian Legislature passed an Act to give effect to certain Articles of the International Convention for the suppression of the traffic in women and children, namely, Act XX of 1923. Section 3 of this Act inserted a new section—366A—in the Indian Penal Code, prescribing an age-limit of eighteen years in respect of the offence of procuration of minor girls. The Act was not brought into force immediately on its being assented to by the Governor General, as it was considered that Local Governments should be consulted on the advisability of retaining the age of 18 years in the new section 366A in view of the age-limits laid down in the Code for more serious kindred offences. After considering the opinions received, the Government of India have decided to bring forward the present Bill with the object of raising the age-limit in sections 361, 372 and 373 of the Code from sixteen to eighteen years. It is proposed to bring Act XX of 1923 into force simultaneously with the present Bill, if it is passed into law.

W. M. HAILEY.

DELHI,
The 7th December 1923.

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Legislative Assembly on the 6th February 1924 :—

No. 8 of 1924.

A Bill to amend the Indian Passport Act, 1920, for certain purposes.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Indian Passport Act, 1920, for certain purposes hereinafter appearing ; It is hereby enacted as follows :— XXXIV of 1920.

Short title. **1.** This Act may be called the Indian Passport (Amendment) Act, 192 .

Amendment of section 3, Act XXXIV of 1920. **2.** In sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Indian Passport Act, 1920 (hereafter referred to as the said Act), the word "and" at the end of clause (*b*) shall be omitted, and after that clause the following clause shall be inserted, namely :— XXXIV of 1920.

"(*bb*) prohibit any person, who has entered British India under a passport authorising such entry for a specified temporary purpose only, from remaining in British India after the expiry of such period as is reasonably sufficient for such purpose, or from going to any place in British India otherwise than for such purpose ; and ".

Amendment of section 5, Act XXXIV of 1920. **3.** In section 5 of the said Act, for the words "in contravention of any rule made under section 3 prohibiting entry into British India without passport, has entered therein," the following shall be substituted, namely :—

" has entered, or remained in, or gone to any place in, British India in contravention of any rule made under section 3."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The attention of the Government of India has been drawn to the fact that there is no provision at present in the Rules framed under the Indian Passport Act, 1920, imposing a penalty for a breach of the conditions of a trans-shipment or transit visa which require the holder to leave India by a specified date. In a few cases recently *ex*-enemy aliens have come to India with a trans-shipment visa and have stayed in the country longer than was necessary for the purpose of trans-shipment, but could not be dealt with under the Act, which provides a penalty for entering India without a passport, but not for remaining in India. It is considered that the provision of a penalty clause in the Indian Passport Act, 1920, itself should discourage undesirables from disregarding the terms of their visa. To meet this object the Government of India have decided to bring forward the present Bill amending the Indian Passport Act, 1920.

DELHI,

The 14th January 1924.

E. B. HOWELL.

H. MONCIEFF SMITH,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Legislative Assembly on the 11th February 1924 :—

No. 9 OF 1924.

A Bill further to amend the Indian Penal Code and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, for the purpose of affording greater protection to persons under the age of eighteen years.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Indian Penal Code and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, for the purpose of affording greater protection to persons under the age of eighteen years; It is hereby enacted as follows :— XLV of 1860. V of 1898.

Short title and commencement.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Criminal Law Amendment Act, 192 .

(*2*) It shall come into force on such date as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, appoint.

Amendment of sections 372 and 373, Act XLV of 1860.

2. In sections 372 and 373 of the Indian Penal Code, for the words "minor under the age of sixteen years with intent that such minor shall be employed or used for the purpose of prostitution, or for any unlawful and immoral purpose, or knowing it to be likely that such minor will be" the words "person under the age of eighteen years with intent that such person shall at any age be employed or used for the purpose of prostitution or illicit intercourse with any person or for any unlawful and immoral purpose, or knowing it to be likely that such person will at any age be" shall be substituted. XLV of 1860.

Further amendment of section 372, Act XLV of 1860.

3. To section 372 of the same Code the following *Explanations* shall be added, namely :—

"*Explanation I.*—When a female under the age of eighteen years is sold, let for hire, or otherwise disposed of to a prostitute or to any person who keeps or manages a brothel, the person so disposing of such female shall, until the contrary is proved, be presumed to have disposed of her with the intent that she shall be used for the purpose of prostitution.

Explanation II.—For the purposes of this section "illicit intercourse" means sexual intercourse between persons not united by marriage or by any union or tie which, though not amounting to a marriage, is recognised by the personal law or custom of the community or communities, as the case may be, to which they belong as constituting between them a *quasi*-marital relation."

Further amendment of section 373, Act XLV of 1860.

4. To section 373 of the same Code the following *Explanations* shall be added, namely :—

"*Explanation I.*—Any prostitute, or any person keeping or managing a brothel, who buys, hires or otherwise obtains possession of a female under the age of eighteen years shall, until the contrary is proved, be presumed to have obtained possession of such female with the intent that she shall be used for the purpose of prostitution.

Explanation II.—"Illicit intercourse" has the same meaning as in section 372."

Amendment of section 552, Act V of 1898.

5. In section 552 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, for the word "fourteen" the word "sixteen" shall be substituted. V of 1898.

Insertion of new sections after section 552, Act V of 1898.

6. After section 552 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the following sections shall be inserted, namely :— V of 1898.

Power to take proceedings for the protection of minor females living in circumstances calculated to lead to prostitution.

"552A. (*1*) Whenever it appears to a Presidency Magistrate, District Magistrate or Subdivisional Magistrate, or a Magistrate of the first class specially empowered in this behalf by the Local Government either in the course of an inquiry into or the trial of an offence under section 372 or section 373 of the Indian Penal Code or, otherwise than in the course of such inquiry or trial, from information received from any person not being a police officer of lower rank than an Inspector, that any female within the limits of his jurisdiction who has not attained the age of eighteen years, or such less age as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, specify in this behalf,— XLV of 1860

(*a*) frequents the company of any prostitute, or

(*b*) is living in circumstances calculated to cause, encourage or favour the prostitution of such female,

the Magistrate shall fix a date for further inquiry into the matter, and shall issue a notice to the person, if any, having lawful charge of the female and to the person, if any, with whom the female is living, and to any other person to whom, in the opinion of the Magistrate, notice of the proceedings should be given, calling upon such persons to appear before him on the date so fixed and to show cause why an order committing the female to suitable custody should not be made ; and may, by any such notice issued to the person having the lawful charge of the female or to the person with whom the female is living, order such person to produce the female before the Magistrate on the date so fixed :

Provided that no action shall be taken by the Magistrate under this section upon information received otherwise than in the course of such inquiry or trial as is herein mentioned, unless the informant has been examined upon oath and the substance of the examination has been recorded and signed in the manner provided by section 200 in the case of the examination upon oath of a complainant.

(*2*) On such date, or on any subsequent date to which the inquiry may be adjourned, the Magistrate shall hear and record all evidence which may be adduced and all such further evidence as may appear necessary, and shall consider any cause which may be shown why such order should not be made.

(*3*) Evidence recorded under sub-section (*2*) shall be recorded in the manner prescribed for recording evidence in summons-cases.

(*4*) If any person, without reasonable excuse, the burden of proving which shall lie upon him, fails to produce before the Magistrate any female whom he has been required by a notice under sub-section (*1*) so to produce, he shall be punishable as if he had committed an offence under the second part of section 174 of the Indian Penal Code.

(*5*) When any female is produced before a Magistrate in pursuance of a notice issued under sub-section (*1*), the Magistrate may cause her to be detained, pending the completion of the inquiry, in such place, other than a police-station or a jail, as the Local Government may, by general or special order, direct in this behalf. XLV of 1860

Power to commit to suitable custody after enquiry under section 552A.

552B. (*1*) If, after inquiry under section 552A, the Magistrate is satisfied that an order committing the female to suitable custody should be made and that—

(*i*) no order of a Civil Court or Court of Wards appointing or declaring a guardian of the person of the female is in force, and

(*ii*) a suitable person is willing to undertake the custody of the female,

the Magistrate may, after recording his reasons, make an order committing the female to the custody of such person until she attains the age of eighteen years or, if the Local Government

has fixed any less age for the purposes of sub-section (*1*) of section 552A, that age, or for such shorter period as the Magistrate thinks fit :

Provided that no such order shall be made if the Magistrate is satisfied that the only prostitute whose company the female frequents is her mother and that the mother exercises all such care and supervision as is necessary to protect such female from physical and moral contamination.

(*2*) The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, make rules for the purpose of prescribing the manner in which and the considerations by which the suitability of persons shall be determined for the purposes of sub-section (*1*) ;

Provided that, where any Act of the local legislature relating to the protection of children or young persons contains provision for the committal of children or young persons to suitable custody and directions as to the manner in which the suitability of persons to undertake such custody shall be determined, such rules shall not be inconsistent with those directions.

(*3*) In making an order under sub-section (*1*), the Magistrate may, with the consent of the person to whose custody the female is committed, annex such conditions to the order as the Magistrate thinks fit.

(*4*) The Magistrate, or, where the female is within the limits of the jurisdiction of any other Magistrate competent to make an order under sub-section (*1*), such other Magistrate, may at any time—

(*a*) compel compliance with any order so made, using such force as may be necessary ; or

(*b*) cancel or vary such order ; or

(*c*) with the consent of the person to whose custody the minor is committed vary any of the conditions annexed to such order.

(*5*) If any person, to whose custody any female has been committed by an order under this section, makes default in complying with any of the conditions annexed to the order, he shall be punishable as if he had committed an offence under the second part of section 188 of the Indian Penal Code. XLV of 1860

(*6*) The Sessions Judge may cancel or vary any order made under sub-section (*1*) on application made to him within three months of the date of the passing of the order by any person aggrieved thereby.

Power to accept security during or after inquiry under section 552A.

552C. If during or after an enquiry under section 552A the parent or any person who had the lawful charge of the female at the date of the institution of the enquiry offers to execute a bond (with or without sureties) to the satisfaction of the Magistrate, engaging that he will exercise all such care and supervision as is necessary to protect such female from physical and moral contamination until she attains the age of eighteen years, or, if the Local Government has fixed any less age for the purposes of sub-section (*1*) of section 552A, that age, or for such shorter period as the Magistrate thinks fit, the Magistrate may accept such bond and, if he does so, shall stay further proceedings or, if an order has been made under section 552A, cancel such order, and shall further order the female to be made over to the person executing the bond.

Powers and protection of custodians under an order under section 552B.

552D. (*1*) Any person to whose custody a female has been committed by an order under section 552B shall, whilst the order is in force, be entitled to the custody of the female, notwithstanding that she is claimed by her parent or any other person and shall, subject to such rules as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, make in this behalf, have the powers and perform the duties of the lawful guardian of the person of the female.

(*2*) Nothing in section 552B or this section shall affect any power exercisable under the law for the time being in force by any Civil Court or Court of Wards in respect of the appointment or declaration of a guardian of the person of a minor, and, if an order under section 552B or section 552C is made in respect of any female and a guardian of the person of such female is subsequently appointed or declared by any Civil Court or Court of Wards, the order and any bond taken under section 552C shall be deemed to have been cancelled and the female shall be made over to the guardian so appointed or declared.

(*3*) Save as expressly provided by section 552C or this section, no Court shall entertain any suit or other legal proceeding to enforce any right or power which would interfere with the control of the custodian over the female as provided for by or under sub-section (*1*)."

Amendments of Schedules III, IV and V, Act V of 1898.

7. (*1*) In Schedule III to the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, in Head IV (*Ordinary Powers of a Subdivisional Magistrate*), after item (19) the following item shall be inserted, namely :— V of 1898.

"(20) Power to commit minor female to suitable custody or to accept security from the person having lawful charge of such female, sections 552B, 552C."

(*2*) In Schedule IV to the same Code, to the list of powers with which a Magistrate of the first class may be invested by the Local Government the following shall be added after item (13), namely :—

"(14) Power to commit minor female to suitable custody or to accept security from the person having lawful charge of such female, sections 552B, 552C."

(*3*) To Schedule V of the same Code, after Form LIII the following Form shall be added, namely :—

"LIV.—BOND TO EXERCISE DUE CARE TO PROTECT A MINOR FEMALE FROM PHYSICAL AND MORAL CONTAMINATION.

(*See section 552C.*)

Whereas I (*name*), inhabitant of (*place*), being the person in lawful charge of A. B., a female under the age of years, have offered to enter into a bond to exercise all such care and supervision as may be necessary to protect the said A. B. from physical and moral contamination until she attains the age of years and the Magistrate is willing to accept such a bond.

I hereby bind myself to exercise all such care and supervision as may be necessary to protect the said A. B. from such contamination until she attains the age of years; and in case of my making default therein, I bind myself to forfeit to His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, the sum of rupees

(*Signature.*)

Dated this

(*Where a bond with sureties is to be executed add*)—We do hereby declare ourselves sureties for the above-named that he will exercise all such care and supervision as may be necessary to protect the said A. B. from physical and moral contamination as stipulated in the bond executed by him and, in case of his making default therein, we bind ourselves jointly and severally to forfeit to His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, the sum of rupees

(*Signature.*)"

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

In September 1912, Mr. (now Sir) M. Dadabhoy introduced in the Indian Legislative Council a Bill for the protection of women and girls and other purposes. In the light of the opinions received from Local Governments on that Bill, the Government of India considered that, while Sir M. Dadabhoy's measure, in the form in which it was introduced, was not altogether suitable, nevertheless the degree of acceptance which was accorded to the principle underlying it, namely, the desirability of strengthening the Law for the safeguarding of minor girls and affording some facilities for the rescue of children from undesirable surroundings, justified a cautious advance in this direction. In September 1913, Government accordingly introduced a Bill to amend the Indian Penal Code and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, with that object in view. The Bill was circulated for the opinion of Local Governments, and when these opinions were received, it was referred to a Select Committee whose report was presented in March 1914. The Committee made material alterations in the Bill and recommended its republication. The Local Governments were again consulted on the Bill as amended by the Select Committee, but further consideration was postponed owing to the outbreak of the War. Since then, however, some local legislatures have enacted laws dealing with the protection of children and the suppression of brothels and prostitution.

2. On the 27th February 1922, Dr. H. S. Gour moved, and the Legislative Assembly adopted, a Resolution recommending to the Governor-General in Council that a law be enacted prohibiting the wholesale traffic in minor girls for immoral purposes ostensibly intended as *devadasis* but in reality used for indiscriminate immoral purposes. The present Bill is the outcome of the discussion on that Resolution, and it reproduces the provisions of the Bill of 1914 as amended by the Select Committee, with certain modifications which have been introduced in view of the opinions of Local Governments collected in 1914, and the provisions of the Indian Penal Code (Amendment) Act, 1923 (XX of 1923), and of the local laws enacted for the protection of children. The main provisions of the Bill fall within two categories : one part is designed to remedy defects in the provisions of sections 372 and 373 of the Indian Penal Code and the other part provides a procedure for the rescue of girls living in circumstances calculated to lead to prostitution which will be capable of adoption in cases in which there is suitable custody to which the girl can be committed. The purport of the principal clauses is given in the notes below.

Notes on Clauses.

Clause 2.—The amendment is designed to make it clear that an offence is committed under section 372 or 373 of the Indian Penal Code, when the minor is either disposed of or procured for the purpose of being sexually known either before or after attainment of the age of eighteen years, and whether she is made over to a life of immorality or merely subjected to an isolated act of carnal intercourse. In either case the child is equally deserving of protection. The age of eighteen years has been fixed with reference to the provisions of the Indian Penal Code (Amendment) Act, 1923.

Clause 3.—The first Explanation provides that if a minor girl is disposed of to a prostitute or a brothel-keeper or manager, the person so disposing of her shall be presumed to have done so with the improper intent mentioned in section 372 of the Indian Penal Code.

The second Explanation defines the offence of illicit intercourse as sexual intercourse between persons not united by marriage or by any union or tie which, though not amounting to a marriage, is recognised by the personal law or custom of the community concerned, as constituting between them a *quasi*-marital relation.

Clause 4.—The amendments are consequential to the Explanations added by clause 3.

Clause 5.—Under the provisions of section 552 of the Code of Criminal Procedure a Magistrate may compel the restoration of abducted females, if their age is less than fourteen years. The clause increases the age to sixteen years. It is not proposed to increase the age further, as it is considered that it is most suitable to fix sixteen years as the age under which a girl may be restored to her husband, parent, guardian or other person having lawful charge of her.

Clause 6.—Empowers a Presidency or District or Subdivisional Magistrate, or a Magistrate of the first class specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf, upon knowledge obtained in the course of an inquiry into or trial of an offence under section 372 or 373 of the Indian Penal Code, or on information received from any person not being a police officer of lower rank than an Inspector, to take proceedings for the protection of females under the age of eighteen years or such less age as the Local Government may specify in this behalf, and to commit such females to suitable custody. Local Governments are empowered to make rules for the determination of the suitability of custodians, but such rules must not be inconsistent with any directions contained in the local Children Acts in regard to such matters. The Sessions Judge is empowered to cancel or vary an order of committal to suitable custody on application made within 3 months. The powers of guardians appointed by Civil Courts are safeguarded.

W. M. HAILEY.

The 1st February 1924.

H. MONCRIEFF SMITH,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

First general election of Councillors under Act III (B.C.) of 1923.

NOTICE.

IN compliance with section 49 (*4*) (*f*) of Act III (B. C.) of 1923 and paragraph 15 (*2*) of the Government orders, dated the 27th December 1923, passed under section 44 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, it is hereby notified that the gentlemen named below have been declared duly elected as Councillors of the Corporation of Calcutta from the constituencies specified below against their names :—

Name.	Constituency.
1. Sundari Mohan Das ...	Sukea Street (Non-Muhammadan), Ward No. 4.
2. Kumar Narendra Nath Law	
1. Sukumar Ranjan Das ...	Colootola (Non-Muhammadan), Ward No. 8.
2. Dr. Sudam Chandra Seal ...	
1. Anath Nath Mullick ...	Maniktala (Non-Muhammadan), Ward No. 29.
1. S. Ahmed ...	Muhammadan Constituency No. V, Wards 28 and 29.
2. Mahomed Hasem ...	
1. Shaik Karim Bux ...	Muhammadan Constituency No. VI, Wards 30 31 and 32.

HARIDHAN DUTT, *Chairman.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, CALCUTTA, *the 15th March 1924.*

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

First general section of Councillors under Act III (B.C.) of 1923.

NOTICE.

In compliance with section 49 (*d*) (*f*) of Act III (B.C.) of 1923 and paragraph 15 (*2*) of the Government orders, dated the 27th December 1923, passed under section 44 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, it is hereby notified that the gentlemen named below have been declared duly elected as Councillors of the Corporation of Calcutta from the constituencies specified below against their names:—

Name.	Constituency.
1. Nripendra Nath Bose 2. Rai Lalit Kumar Mitter	Shampukur (Ward No. 1). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Harisankar Pal 2. Jogesh Chandra Sen	Kumartuli (Ward No. 2). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Dr. Sudhir K. Bose 2. Narendra Nath Sett	Bartala (Ward No. 3). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Ram Kumar Goenka 2. Nalini Nath Sett	Jorabagan (Ward No. 5). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Madan Mohan Burman 2. Dr. Bimal Ch. Ghose	Jorasanko (Ward No. 6). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Sailapati Chatterjee 2. Dr. Harendra Nath Das	Muchipara (Ward No. 9). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Bepin Chandra Mullik	Bowbazar (Ward No. 10). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Gocul Chand Boral	Puddopukur (Ward No. 11). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Dr. Bireswar Mitra	Taltola (Ward No. 14). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Sanat Kumar Roy Chowdhuri	Tangra (Ward No. 18). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Dr. Suresh Chandra Sircar	Entally (Ward No. 19). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Nagendra Nath Chatterjee	Beniapukur (Ward No. 20). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. L. M. Sen	Ballygunj (Ward No. 21). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Subhas Chandra Bose 2. Rama Prasad Mukhopadhyay 3. Priya Nath Mallik	Bhowanipur (Ward No. 22). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Santosh Kumar Basu	Ekbalpur (Ward No. 24). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Brojo Gopal Goswami	Watgunj and Hastings (Non-Muhammadan) (Ward No. 25).
1. Adyanath Chatterjee 2. Upendra Chandra Das Gupta	Garden Reach (Ward No. 26). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Ramtaran Banerji	Tollygunj (Ward No. 27). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Girindra Nath Banerjee 2. Pulin Behary Shawoo	Belgachia (Ward No. 30). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. Jitendriya nath Bose 2. Probodh Chandra Mitter	Cossipore (Ward No. 32). (Non-Muhammadan)
1. S. M. S. Kahaman	Muhammadan Constituency No. I (Wards 1 to 7).
1. Syed Nasim Ali 2. Abdul Halim 3. Gholam Jilani Khan 4. Sk. M. Yakub	Muhammadan Constituency No. II (Wards 8 to 12).
1. M. M. Huq 2. Syed Mahammed Ziaul Huque 3. M. Abdul Razzak	Muhammadan Constituency No. IV (Wards 21 to 25 and 27).

Name.		Constituency.
Special Constituencies comprising:		
1. C. F. Hooper	...	Calcutta Trades Association.
2. W. H. Burnup	...	
3. G. Cruickshank	...	
4. W. H. Phelps	...	
1. George Morgan	...	Bengal Chamber of Commerce.
2. J. Campbell Forrester	...	
3. D. C. Stewart-Smith	...	
4. D. J. Dalgarno	...	
5. N. R. Luke	...	
6. H. G. Pooler	...	
1. Raja Reshee Case Law	...	Calcutta Port Commissioners.
2. S. C. W. Stuart-Williams	...	

HARIDHAN DUTT, *Chairman.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, CALCUTTA, *the 10th March 1924.*

Statement showing gift over Rs. 1,000 and up to Rs. 5,000 in value made by private individuals for the construction of works of public utility in the districts of Chittagong Division during the year 1923.

Division.	District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of district.	Total of division.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Chittagong	Tippera ...	Munshi Amjad Mazumdar, of Sripur, post-office Choudda-gram, district Tippera.	For the construction of a pucca bridge at Durgapur in Tippera.	1,100	1,100	1,100	Verified by Maulvi Mafizuddin Ahmed, Circle Officer, Tippera.

A. W. COOK, *Commissioner (offg.).*

CHITTAGONG, *the 11th March 1924.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Irrigation operations for the official year 1923-24.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of January 1924.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Details of areas leased.							Rainfall, 1923-24.		Rainfall, 1922-23.	
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.					Grand total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.
									Kharif.	*Rabi.*	Sugarcane.	Hot weather.	Total.					
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
S.-W. Circle.	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	1,411	41	...	63,929	73,309	62,933	1,005	...	...	...	1,005	63,938	0·09	44·05	...	52·93
		Panchkura	522	15	...	5,415	4,869	6,099	...	...	...	...	...	6,099	0·73	43·79	...	67·95
	Howrah ...	Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·42	45·27	...	81·56
		Total Midnapore Canal ...	...	...	...	69,344	78,178	69,032	1,005	...	...	...	1,005	70,037	...	...	...	...
		Total of the corresponding period last year.	...	...	...	...	...	76,750	3,203	...	...	...	3,203	79,953	...	...	...	...
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	1	...	20,328	21,520	19,292	172 (a)	277	34	...	483	19,775	0·57	55·87	...	69·83
		Total of the corresponding period last year	...	...	...	...	...	20,912	605	205	24	...	834	21,746	...	...	...	...
		Grand Total ...	...	...	...	89,672	99,698	88,324	1,177	277	34	...	1,488	89,812	...	...	...	...
		Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	97,662	3,808	205	24	...	4,037	101,699	...	...	...	...

(a) Of which 8 acres are single watering.

CALCUTTA, *the 11th March 1924.*

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DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 12th March 1924.

Summary.—Slight showers fell only in parts of Jalpaiguri, Darjeeling, Rangpur and Cooch Behar; elsewhere there was no rainfall. Field operations for jute and paddy continue, but rain is badly needed. Harvesting of spring crops is nearing completion. The condition of standing crops is fair on the whole. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 0·45 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	Nil	$6\frac{8}{17}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$	Effects of weather on crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Magrahat.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	$8\frac{8}{8}$	$8\frac{3}{16}$	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	Nil	$7\frac{2}{3}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8	8	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and cultivation of *bhadoi* crops continue. Rain is badly needed. Cattle-disease is reported from Ranaghat. Stock of rice is sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Chuadanga ..	Nil	8	8	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	8	Prospects of the standing crops are discouraging in the Lalbagh subdivision and fair elsewhere. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder is sufficient. No large import or export Cattle-disease is reported from thana Jiaganj in Lalbagh. Scarcity of water is being felt in Debigram and Bhagawangola thanas in Lalbagh.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	$8\frac{1}{2}$	$8\frac{1}{2}$	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8 to $8\frac{1}{2}$	$8\frac{1}{2}$ to $8\frac{1}{2}$	
4	Jessore .	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Cultivation of lands for the sowing of jute and *aman* paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large import or export. Cattle-disease is reported from thanas Bongaon and Sarsa in the Bongaon subdivision.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	9	
	Magura ...	Nil	$9\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$	
	Narail ...	Nil	10	10	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

(a) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable and its effects on crops are beneficial. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Pressing of sugarcane is going on. Stock of rice is sufficient. Export and import as usual. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7	7½	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7½	7½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	8	Pressing of sugarcane is going on. Cattle-disease exists. Fodder is sufficient, but water is insufficient.
	Rampurhat ...	Nil	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8	8½	Weather seasonable. Export of rice and paddy continues. Stock of rice and fodder and water are sufficient.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	8	8	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	8½	8½	Transplantation of *boro* paddy continues. Fodder and stock of rice are sufficient.
	Contai ...	Nil	9	9	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8⅞	8	
	Jhargram ...	Nil	7	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	Weather seasonable. Rain is needed. Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Rain is wanted. Condition of *boro* and *rabi* crops is satisfactory.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Drought is apprehended. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Nator.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7⅛	7⅛	Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8	8	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	0·17	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7½	7	
15	DARJEELING ...	0·04	5	5	Potatoes are being harvested in the Terai. Maize and potatoes are growing. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	0·01	6½	7	
	Kalimpong ...	Nil	5½	5½	

(*n*) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	6½	6½	Sowings of jute and *aus* paddy are being retarded for want of rain which is badly wanted. Prospects of standing crops are good. Cattle-disease is reported from Gaibandha, Govindaganj, Nilphamari, Kishenganj and Palashbari. Fodder and water are not sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	6½	6½	
	Kurigram ...	0·05	6½	6½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6	6	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of *rabi* crops are bad. Rain is badly required for the sowing of jute.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	6½	6½	Rains are badly wanted. Fodder and water are adequate. Stock of food-grains is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing *rabi* crops and mangoes are fair.
20	COOCH BEHAR	0·92	7 7/16	7 7/16	Sowing of *bitri* paddy and cutting of tobacco leaves are going on. Outturn of winter paddy is below normal. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease exists in the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Fields are being prepared for jute and *aus* paddy. Want of rain has retarded the growth of *rabi* crops. Jute is being sown in places in low lands. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Narayanganj ...	Nil	8½	7½	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	(*n*)	7½	7½	
22	MYMENSINGH ...	Nil	7	7	Weather hot. Cultivation for *aus* paddy and jute is going on. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Fodder and water are available.
	Jamalpur ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6 5/8	6 5/8	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	Nil	7	7	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Cultivation of lands for jute and *aus* paddy and harvesting of *rabi* crops continue. Prospects and state of the standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	Nil	7½	7½	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	9	9	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	Nil	9	9	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	8 7¼†	8 7¼†	Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	8	8	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	8	8	
25	CHITTAGONG ...	Nil	7 6½*	7 6¼*	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and cultivation of *pania aus* crops are in progress. Prospects of standing crops are good. Water and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Satkania and Banskhali. *Panga* salt is selling at 11 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	7½	7½	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	Weather hot. Rain is badly wanted. Ploughing of lands for jute and *aus* paddy are going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair at Brahmanbaria and good elsewhere. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Brahmanbaria.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	6⅞	6⅞	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7½†	7½†	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are not satisfactory in Sadar but are fair in Feni subdivision. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	8	8	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Clearing of *jhooms* for next crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are fair. Condition of cattle is good. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 25 to Rs. 60 and jute at Rs. 5 to Rs. 10 per maund.

* Burma rice. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

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DACCA, *the 15th March 1924.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of January 1924, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1923-24.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Major Works.						
Midnapore Canal	3,136	30,140	31,625	70,125	3,578	31,818
Hijili Tidal Canal	5,589	73,238	...	3,076	4,329	66,263
Total ...	8,716	103,378	31,625	73,201	7,907	98,081
Minor Works and Navigation.						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	61,650	421,390	2,157	42,527	43,351	2,77,368
Tolly's Nala	22,717	218,918	28,800	285,100	7,248	65,015
Madaripur Bil Route ...	111,787	1,070,213	1,728	10,739	26,031	2,56,313
Total ...	196,154	1,710,821	32,185	338,366	76,630	5,98,696
Magrahat Channels ...	13,010	65,654	1,790	10,090	3,812	22,574
Orissa Coast Canal	2,977	37,428	1,538	13,335	1,246	14,543
Nadia Rivers	...	16,065	...	365,215	...	5,119
Grand Total ...	212,141	1,829,968	35,513	727,006	81,688	6,40,732

Canals.	1922-23.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Major Works.						
Midnapore Canal	3,197	50,983	4,850	16,650	5,184	33,709
Hijili Tidal Canal	5,165	62,557	68	3,005	4,401	62,628
Total ...	8,362	113,540	4,918	19,655	9,585	96,337
Minor Works and Navigation.						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	62,256	413,300	4,432	10,156	38,707	2,47,563
Tolly's Nala	21,249	206,087	34,000	309,579	6,181	60,465
Madaripur Bil Route ...	80,719	1,150,181	642	15,226	18,329	2,54,646
Total ...	164,224	1,769,568	39,074	334,961	63,217	5,62,674
Magrahat Channels ...	12,582	52,678	2,983	46,074	3,502	20,381
Orissa Coast Canal	4,153	39,146	1,569	14,159	1,529	15,091
Nadia Rivers	2,038	34,703	41,378	830,548	1,196	11,204
Grand Total ...	182,997	1,896,095	85,004	1,225,742	69,444	6,09,350

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Calcutta, *the 15th March 1924.*

Monthly and Annual Rainfall Table in the

Division.	District.	STATION.	JANUARY.			FEBRUARY.			MARCH.			APRIL.			MAY.			JUNE.		
			Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas.	Saugar Island (Obsy.).	Nil	Nil	0·55	7	5·58	1·07	Nil	Nil	1·33	1	0·73	1·28	4	2·90	4·45	7	9·34	10·75
		Diamond Harbour	Nil	Nil	0·60	4	3·05	1·31	Nil	Nil	1·58	2	0·75	1·60	3	2·04	5·30	9	4·56	11·03
		Budge-Budge ...	Nil	0·02	0·55	7	3·16	1·57	1	0·45	1·72	2	0·40	2·02	4	1·39	5·65	10	4·89	12·28
		Canning Town ...	Nil	Nil	0·45	5	4·07	0·93	Nil	Nil	1·75	2	1·60	1·94	Nil	Nil	5·82	5	8·06	11·45
		Alipore (Obsy.) ...	Nil	0·01	0·37	7	3·67	1·17	1	1·15	1·39	1	0·92	1·82	2	1·02	5·77	8	5·37	11·63
		Barrackpore ...	Nil	Nil	0·39	6	4·15	1·53	1	0·97	1·64	2	3·59	2·05	7	1·82	5·40	10	8·30	10·48
		Dum Dum ...	Nil	Nil	0 48	8	6·08	1 10	2	1·23	1 48	1	2·20	2·04	5	2·15	5 78	11	9·06	11·21
		Barasat ...	Nil	Nil	0·55	4	3·28	1·53	1	0·95	1·46	1	2·04	3·12	4	0·80	5·60	8	3·37	10·58
		Basirhat ...	Nil	Nil	0·43	6	2·99	1·07	1	0·78	1·69	4	0·88	2·36	4	1·31	6·02	12	12·17	11·71
		Gosaba ...	Nil	Nil	(*)	6	5·19	(*)	Nil	Nil	(*)	Nil	0 07	(*)	3	1·28	(*)	9	10·28	(*)
		Total ...	Nil	0·03	4·17	60	42·31	10·48	7	5·51	14·04	16	13·08	17·33	36	14·11	49·79	89	78·00	101·07
		District average ...	Nil	0·00	0·46	6·00	4·23	1·21	0·70	0 55	1·56	1·60	1·31	1·92	3 60	1·41	5·53	8·90	7·80	11·23
	Nadia ...	Ranaghat ...	Nil	Nil	0·48	7	2·05	1·25	Nil	Nil	1·51	2	2·15	2·91	6	3·71	6·36	6	4·18	9·72
		Krishnagar (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·42	7	3·55	1·26	Nil	Nil	1·46	1	0·17	2·45	5	3·04	6·51	8	6·71	10·01
		Chuadanga ...	Nil	0·01	0·41	4	2·07	1·09	Nil	Nil	1·68	2	0·88	2·91	10	5·34	7·53	9	7·81	10·41
		Meherpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·37	5	2·43	1·07	1	0·25	1·69	3	1·56	3·17	8	4·51	6·13	11	5·91	10·22
		Kushtia ...	Nil	Nil	0·34	3	1·04	1 00	1	0·60	1·60	5	5·76	3·06	8	2·81	7·00	8	2·26	11·31
		Haringhata ...	Nil	Nil	0·15	5	1·51	0·46	1	0·10	1·31	1	0·91	2·56	5	0·53	4·93	7	2·43	7·44
		Total ...	Nil	0·01	2·12	31	13 68	6·12	3	1·15	9·25	14	10·96	17·11	40	20·94	39·35	49	29·24	59·11
		District average ...	Nil	0·00	0·35	5·17	2·28	1·02	0·50	0·19	1·54	2·33	1·83	2·85	6·67	3·49	6·56	8·17	4·87	9·85
	Murshidabad.	Kandi ...	Nil	Nil	0·39	4	2·31	0·96	1	0·20	1·17	1	0·81	1·94	8	3·12	4·79	11	7·09	10·47
		Berhampore (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·45	2	1·15	0·93	Nil	Nil	1·03	1	0·40	1·96	10	6·76	5·44	9	5·91	9·89
		Lalbagh ...	Nil	Nil	0·39	2	1·00	0·70	Nil	Nil	1·03	1	0·87	1·52	8	3·94	5·09	9	7·38	10·59
		Azimgunj ...	Nil	Nil	0·46	2	0·89	0·74	1	0·22	0·97	1	0·04	1·65	10	4·62	5·81	11	7·07	10 80
		Jangipur ...	Nil	0·01	0·45	4	1·51	0·74	Nil	0·03	0·81	2	1·59	1·35	8	2·90	4·81	11	4·69	10·18
		Lalgola ...	Nil	Nil	0·47	3	0·84	0·90	Nil	Nil	0·92	1	1·00	1·46	5	2·89	5·17	13	8·39	10·07
		Akriganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·43	2	0·95	0·89	1	1·27	0 91	1	0·23	1·59	5	3·31	6·20	10	5·94	11·35
		Patkabari ...	Nil	Nil	0 21	3	2·38	0·69	1	0·31	0·79	4	1·37	2·03	7	4·00	5·86	10	4·83	9·69
		Dumkal ...	Nil	Nil	0·34	2	1·19	0·66	Nil	Nil	1 34	2	2·08	1·86	9	3·79	5·78	11	4·62	10 48
		Kalyanganj (Behanpur) ...	Nil	Nil	0·25	1	0·56	0 97	2	0·37	1·16	3	0·44	1·56	7	1·69	4·62	8	4·16	12·02
		Total ...	Nil	0·01	3·74	25	12·58	7·98	6	2·42	10·13	17	9·33	16·53	77	37·62	53·35	103	58·98	104·79
		District average ...	Nil	0·00	0·37	2·50	1·26	0·80	0·60	0·24	1·01	1·70	0·90	1·65	7·70	3·76	5·34	10·30	5·90	10·48
	Jessore ...	Narail ...	Nil	Nil	0·55	6	1·17	1·25	1	0·23	1·81	5	2·48	3·82	10	3·89	7·21	13	7·23	11·88
		Jessore (Obsy.) ...	Nil	Nil	0·47	6	1·58	1·82	1	0·20	2·05	3	4·62	3·65	9	6 92	8·28	9	9·15	12·36
		Jhenida ...	Nil	Nil	0·42	5	2·20	1·19	1	0·58	2 0*	1	0·15	3·25	10	6·97	7·33	10	9 71	12·85
		Magura ...	Nil	Nil	0 30	5	2·68	1·10	1	0·63	2·07	5	4·31	4·01	10	4·34	8·78	13	8·71	11·61
		Bongaon ...	Nil	Nil	0·38	6	1·83	1·18	1	1·30	1·71	1	0·54	2·67	7	6·44	6·58	9	9·62	10·49
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	2·21	28	10·46	6·04	5	2·94	9·72	15	12·10	17·40	46	28·56	37 78	54	44·42	59·22
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·44	5·60	2·09	1·21	1·00	0·59	1·94	3·00	2·42	3·48	9·20	5·71	7·56	10·80	8·88	11·84
	Khulna	Satkhira (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·43	6	2·61	1·03	2	0·34	2·12	3	1 33	3·01	4	1·91	6·57	9	9·72	11·86
		Bagerhat ...	Nil	Nil	0·55	4	1·86	1·18	Nil	Nil	1·97	3	1·79	3·18	7	4·64	7·16	8	6·09	14·27
		Khulna (Obsy.) ...	Nil	Nil	0·52	5	2·05	1·13	1	0·33	2·07	3	1·27	3·12	11	7·34	7·09	7	4·01	13·70
		Kaliganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·75	6	4·05	1·23	1	0·46	1·75	2	2·62	3·47	3	0·75	7·58	12	16·08	13·36
		Nakipur ...	Nil	Nil	0·30	6	3·68	0·75	Nil	Nil	1·51	1	1·22	2·28	3	2·93	5·77	7	12·63	12·86
		Dumuria ...	Nil	Nil	0·34	5	2·08	1·42	1	0·40	1·84	4	3·39	3·45	7	5·09	8·09	7	7·04	12·31
		Rampal ...	Nil	Nil	0·34	3	0 84	1·25	Nil	0·07	2·09	3	2·60	2·89	5	4·08	7 51	8	6·94	12·58
		Kalaroa ...	Nil	Nil	0·34	6	2·76	1·06	Nil	Nil	2·56	3	1·78	3·43	10	4·09	8·82	9	4·50	10 93
		Paikgachha ...	Nil	Nil	0·09	6	2·59	1·28	Nil	Nil	2·06	1	1·05	3·29	11	5·69	7·63	13	14·16	13·01
		Mollahat ...	Nil	Nil	0·38	4	1·45	1·40	Nil	0·05	2·46	5	1·65	6·00	11	4·98	8·85	11	9·30	14·53
		Morelganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·64	3	1·56	1·57	Nil	Nil	2·54	2	1·40	4·20	12	6·69	9·52	11	14·80	15·18
		Tala ...	Nil	Nil	0·55	6	2·12	1·31	Nil	0·06	2·53	Nil	Nil	3·13	3	5·77	7·92	9	11·88	11·32
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	0·43	60	27·65	14·61	5	1·71	25·50	30	19·73	41·45	87	53·88	92 84	111	117·15	153·91
		District average	Nil	Nil	0·54	5·00	2·31	1·22	0·42	0·14	2·13	2·50	1·64	3·45	7·25	4·49	7·74	9·25	9·76	12·83
	Burdwan	Kalna ...	Nil	Nil	0·42	5	3·00	1·18	Nil	Nil	1·51	3	3·12	2·62	8	5·33	5·82	7	4·19	10·18
		Burdwan (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·59	7	4·88	1·22	Nil	Nil	1·57	1	0·66	2·26	9	6·34	5·66	9	6·27	9·68
		Katwa ...	Nil	Nil	0·41	6	2·56	1·15	1	0·45	1·34	1	0·80	1·78	7	4·02	5·43	10	4·53	10·01
		Asansol (Obsy.) ...	Nil	Nil	0·46	6	4·38	1·09	Nil	Nil	1·99	1	0·70	1·54	1	0·44	3·82	10	5·55	9·68
		Mankar ...	Nil	Nil	0·44	2	1·75	0·98	Nil	Nil	1·39	Nil	Nil	1·46	2	3·56	4·78	6	5·54	9·80
		Mangalkot ...	Nil	Nil	0*	5	2·08	0·88	Nil	Nil	1·54	3	2·60	1·89	4	1·61	4·72	6	3·70	15·00
		Hoyna ...	Nil	Nil	(*)	5	5·65	(*)	Nil	Nil	(*)	Nil	Nil	(*)	1	0·50	(*)	4	5·05	(*)
		Monteswar* ...			(*)			(*)			(*)			(*)			(*)			(*)
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	2·12	36	24·30	6·50	1	0·45	8·14	9	7·48	11·84	32	21·80	30·38	52	34·02	64·35
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·35	5·14	3·47	1·08	0·14	0·07	1·36	1·28	1·12	1·92	4·57	3·11	5·08	7·43	4·86	10·73
BURDWAN.	Birbhum	Suri ...	Nil	Nil	0·39	4	2 89	0 90	1	0·34	1·04	1	0·41	1·08	6	4·83	3·76	9	2·83	10·05
		Hetampur* ...			0·50			0·97			0·84			1·14			3·78			10·31
		Rampurhat ...	Nil	Nil	0·47	3	1·34	0 42	2	1·10	0·92	2	1·00	1·39	7	4·35	4·25	7	3·44	10·43
		Bolpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·44	5	3 50	0·79	Nil	Nil	0·95	Nil	Nil	1·05	3	4·28	4·01	7	6·68	9·18
		Murari ...	Nil	Nil	0·27	2	0·37	0·67	Nil	Nil	0·75	Nil	Nil	1·25	9	4·64	5·25	9	7·57	11·85
		Labpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·33	3	3·10	0·60	1	1·45	1·10	2	1·53	1·51	8	4·19	4·82	7	2·87	10·09
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	2·40	17	11·90	4·75	4	2·89	5·60	5	2 94	7·42	33	22·14	26·01	39	23·38	62·51
		District average	Nil	Nil	0·40	3·40	2·38	0·79	0·80	0·58	0·93	1·00	0·59	1·24	6·60	4·43	4·34	7·80	4·67	10·42

(*) Not ascertained.

* Rain gauge is out of order.

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JULY.			AUGUST.			SEPTEMBER.			OCTOBER.			NOVEMBER			DECEMBER.			ANNUAL.		
Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.
15	13·34	14·86	16	29·43	13·34	10	4·31	11·02	6	4·35	3 31	3	0 68	1·32	1	0·23	0 26	70	70·39	68·84
18	8·98	14·95	17	13·21	13·66	12	4·39	10·58	4	3·19	4·71	2	1·02	0·80	Nil	0·08	0·19	71	41·37	66 43
20	18·79	14·34	18	10·80	11·35	11	4·31	10·81	7	3·75	3·77	1	0 60	0·64	1	0·18	0·24	82	48·86	64·87
23	23·80	12·48	19	34·55	12·79	4	7·09	10 05	2	2 80	4·61	1	0·66	1·16	Nil	Nil	0·08	61	80·88	63·51
17	16·33	12·85	20	16·06	12·18	8	5·25	9·88	5	3·33	3 83	1	0·89	0 65	1	0·20	0·27	71	50·50	61·81
17	16 50	12·14	20	16·84	11·54	5	2·64	8·79	6	3·50	3·07	1	0·95	0·74	Nil	Nil	0 35	75	55·82	58·32
13	18·08	13·38	16	11·09	11·62	8	2·38	9·89	4	0·57	4·23	1	0·39	0·59	1	0·23	0·30	69	58·43	60·99
14	9·80	11·48	14	16·20	11·41	5	3·71	9·28	6	2 80	4·23	1	0·10	0·59	1	0·90	0·21	59	43·95	58·83
16	16·16	13·38	20	14·52	11·80	8	4·51	8·77	7	6·12	4·41	2	0·52	0·59	Nil	0·04	0·33	80	61 00	62·49
19	20·76	(n)	17	24·14	(n)	11	5·39	(n)	5	2·57	(n)	1	1·19	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	71	70·80	(n)
171	161·60	118·86	177	186·54	109·87	82	43·94	89·01	52	39·88	41·75	14	6·02	7·18	5	1·86	2·06	709	587 80	565·99
17·10	16·16	13·21	17·70	18·66	12·21	8·20	4·39	9·89	5·20	3·99	4·64	1·40	0·60	0·80	0·50	0·19	0·22	70 90	58·78	62·88
10	10·55	10·55	17	8·65	11·62	9	6·29	8·41	4	3·43	3·33	Nil	Nil	0 70	Nil	Nil	0·16	61	40·99	56·97
17	13·16	10·85	18	12·63	10·51	8	2·58	7 89	3	4·64	4·10	1	0 49	0·74	Nil	Nil	0·11	88	46·94	50·30
17	12·46	10·39	18	14·12	11·23	8	5·34	8·71	5	3·82	4·19	1	0·21	0·85	Nil	Nil	0·15	74	53 46	59 60
12	8·33	10·65	14	11·89	11·45	10	8·25	8·16	5	4·21	3·74	1	0·23	0·66	Nil	Nil	0 15	70	47 50	57·15
11	8·23	10·73	13	3 55	10·56	5	2·28	9·26	Nil	0·12	4 13	1	0·14	0·74	Nil	Nil	0 15	55	31·99	60 79
15	11·86	7·87	22	15·11	8 00	2	1·82	3·93	3	2·12	3·51	Nil	Nil	0·43	Nil	Nil	0 29	67	36·43	29·85
80	59·63	61·04	102	65·88	63·17	42	26·41	46·38	20	18·34	21 99	4	1·07	3·99	Nil	Nil	1·03	385	247·31	330·06
13·33	9·94	10·17	17·00	10·98	10 53	7·00	4·40	7·73	3·33	3·06	3·67	0·67	0·18	0·67	Nil	Nil	0·17	64·17	41· 8	55·11
17	10·98	11·76	18	8·71	11·08	9	7·21	9·47	3	0·85	3 69	1	0·13	0·64	Nil	Nil	0·13	78	42·31	56·49
16	10·65	10·86	14	5·97	11·75	6	3 31	10 19	2	1·34	3·59	Nil	Nil	0·54	Nil	Nil	0·13	60	34·49	56·36
10	5·79	12·28	15	8·55	13·08	8	11·32	10·58	4	2·30	4·15	Nil	Nil	0·67	Nil	Nil	0·11	57	38·95	60·43
10	8·95	10·99	16	6 96	11·29	8	5·85	9·10	2	0·91	3·93	Nil	Nil	0·44	Nil	Nil	0·10	61	36 11	55·18
9	9·32	11·15	17	9·75	11·18	8	5·95	9·96	3	2·99	3·38	Nil	0·01	0·47	Nil	Nil	0·10	62	38·87	54 53
12	11·32	11·11	13	5·82	10·44	11	8·73	10·19	3	1·87	3·62	Nil	Nil	0·48	Nil	Nil	0·10	61	40·66	55·13
12	13·09	11·12	15	6·89	9·39	6	3·09	8·79	2	2·44	3 15	Nil	Nil	0·51	Nil	Nil	0·07	54	37·01	54·20
8	5·40	9·33	15	6·85	8·41	9	5·53	6·95	4	1 58	2·51	1	0·32	0 64	Nil	Nil	0·08	62	32·88	46 89
13	9·93	1.·54	9	5·05	:0·89	7	11·38	9·21	2	3 62	2·96	Nil	Nil	0·49	Nil	Nil	0·14	55	4 ·58	54·47
15	8·77	10·34	15	6·58	12·75	6	3 51	8·41	3	2·27	3·50	Nil	Nil	0·50	Nil	Nil	0·18	62	30·35	58·44
122	91·20	109·43	147	86·93	110·02	80	65·78	92·85	28	20·17	34 58	2	0·47	5·38	Nil	Nil	1·14	607	337·19	549·92
12·20	9·12	10·94	14·70	8·69	11·00	8·00	6·58	9·29	2·80	2 01	3·46	0·20	0·05	0 54	Nil	Nil	0·11	60·70	36·72	54·99
16	12·30	10·79	16	11·37	10·16	7	5·60	7 54	2	1·51	4·27	1	0·80	0·84	Nil	0·03	0·.8	77	18·41	60·93
17	10·37	12·05	18	10·44	11·27	8	3 22	8·38	3	4 17	4·71	Nil	0·08	0·94	Nil	Nil	0·20	74	50 75	66 12
18	12·13	10·36	16	9·61	11·01	8	5 10	9·23	2	1·18	4·25	1	0·40	0·79	Nil	Nil	0 16	74	48· 8	62·42
14	6·73	10·64	16	6·88	9·76	6	5·81	9·61	3	2·70	3·90	1	0·30	0 84	Nil	Nil	0·16	74	45·09	61·49
17	11·23	11·11	17	15·26	11·62	8	4·36	9·04	7	2·29	4·46	Nil	Nil	0·38	Nil	Nil	0 26	75	54·19	60 08
82	53·78	54·88	85	53·80	53·82	37	24·29	42·74	17	11·90	21·09	3	1·38	3·98	Nil	0·03	0·96	372	243·49	310·34
16·40	10·56	10·98	17·00	10·71	10·76	7·40	4·86	8·55	3·40	2·38	4·32	0·60	0·27	0·80	Nil	0·01	0·19	74·40	48 48	62·07
19	17·33	12·87	21	13·44	11·17	7	2·54	8·83	5	4·25	4·56	1	0·21	0·67	Nil	0·04	0·20	77	51·61	63 61
18	17·06	14·63	28	18·18	12·10	10	4·47	9·19	1	0·39	4·82	3	3·48	0·97	1	0 34	0·18	83	58· 0	70 20
15	16·30	12 86	22	14·13	11·83	8	3·18	8·87	4	3·07	4·45	1	0·15	0·75	Nil	Nil	0·20	77	51·77	65·28
19	21·93	18·73	25	14·38	15·10	9	4·37	12·13	2	1·35	5·70	2	2·75	0 75	Nil	Nil	0·41	81	68·72	81·66
18	19·81	14·04	23	14·66	11·45	13	8·30	8·62	4	1·13	4·90	2	1·65	0·94	Nil	0·02	0·10	77	60·03	64·42
15	13·21	15·65	23	15·35	13·85	8	3·78	10·86	2	1·04	4·15	2	0·64	0·75	Nil	0·09	0·10	76	52 91	73·01
17	22·63	14·41	25	18·33	13 11	16	10·13	9·44	8	2 28	4·70	3	2·38	1·16	Nil	0 09	0·16	83	70·07	69·87
21	17·55	12·85	20	13·56	11·49	9	2·40	9 01	7	5·64	5 01	1	0· 4	0·48	Nil	0·05	0·15	86	65·41	66·34
16	24·96	15·61	25	11·23	13·24	16	5·72	9·88	6	3·05	5·56	2	1·60	0·69	Nil	Nil	0·14	96	70·05	72·08
15	10·74	16·34	28	17·28	16·36	12	4·88	11·46	6	2·86	5·52	Nil	Nil	1·06	1	0·30	0·28	93	54·69	81·09
26	26·69	17·32	27	22·99	14·22	18	11·73	10·79	5	1·54	5·52	3	3·03	1·25	1	0·30	0·20	111	91·13	82·95
17	22·03	16 20	18	11·67	11·11	2	1 30	10 30	Nil	Nil	4·58	Nil	Nil	0·74	Nil	Nil	0·14	55	35 44	69·92
216	240·34	180·51	285	186·20	154·69	128	62·99	119·46	45	28·60	60·48	23	16·83	10·21	3	1 43	1·91	993	746 51	861·93
18·00	19 19	15·04	23·75	15·52	12·89	10·66	5 25	9 95	3·75	2·79	5·04	1·92	1·24	0·85	0·25	0·12	0·15	82·75	62·19	71·83
15	14·37	11·52	16	11·45	10·90	6	2·94	7·63	5	4·17	3·62	1	1·15	0·84	Nil	Nil	0·17	66	49·92	58·41
17	23·63	12·37	18	19·17	11·32	7	3·22	8·36	4	4·09	3·25	1	0·46	0·80	Nil	Nil	0·17	73	58· 2	57·05
16	12·43	11·16	16	10·42	10·89	10	5·10	8·04	1	1·31	3·66	2	0 64	0·59	Nil	Nil	0·13	70	42·15	54·49
17	19·60	13·25	20	20·07	12·91	6	1·90	7 69	3	3·25	3·65	1	0·23	0·55	Nil	Nil	0·11	65	56·10	53·83
4	8·88	11·45	23	10·14	11·74	3	0·97	9·18	1	0·11	3·37	·1	0·19	0·59	Nil	Nil	0·14	42	31·14	54 17
13	7·02	8·59	16	8·80	9·84	5	1·46	9·73	1	0·51	3 31	1	0·25	0·92	Nil	Nil	0·02	53	27·03	58 44
12	10·15	(n)	10	7·40	(n)	6	3·80	(n)	1	1 00	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	39	34·15	(n)
		(n)			(n)			(n)			(n)			(n)			(n)			1·87
93	96·08	68·34	119	87·45	66·70	43	19·39	50·63	16	15 02	20·86	7	2·82	4 09	Nil	Nil	0·74	408	309 21	331·39
13·28	13·73	11·39	17·00	12·49	11·12	6·14	2·77	8·44	2·29	2·15	3·48	1·00	0·40	0·58	Nil	Nil	0·12	58·29	44·17	55·73
13	9·29	12·85	20	13·17	12·84	8	4·10	9·61	5	1·96	3·28	Nil	0·01	0 42	Nil	Nil	0·08	67	40·46	56·91
		12·60			12·20			9 18			2·89			0·50			0·09			54 95
20	8·54	11·61	16	10·03	11·73	9	5·00	9 88	3	1·97	3·59	Nil	Nil	0·48	Nil	Nil	0·11	69	37·99	55·78
13	9·29	11·37	14	8·09	11·88	2	1·05	8·37	3	1·40	3·63	Nil	Nil	0·62	Nil	Nil	0·06	46	44·17	50·36
9	7 30	14·77	15	7·34	11·50	5	3·87	10·98	5	4·85	3·12	Nil	Nil	0·48	Nil	Nil	0·00	52	35·74	60·96
14	8·27	11·36	16	7·59	11·37	3	2·73	9·10	2	1·15	3·65	Nil	Nil	0·55	Nil	Nil	0·05	56	33·87	54·52
58	42·59	74·55	81	46 17	70·53	27	18·55	57 07	16	11·23	19·16	Nil	0·04	3·05	Nil	Nil	0·45	290	181·63	331·49
13·60	8·52	12·43	16·20	9·23	11·75	5·40	3·67	9·51	3·20	2 25	3·19	Nil	0·01	0·51	Nil	Nil	0·07	58·00	36·33	55·38

(n) Not ascertained.

Monthly and Annual Rainfall Table in the

Division.	District.	Station.	JANUARY.			FEBRUARY.			MARCH.			APRIL			MAY.			JUNE.		
			Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.
BURDWAN.	Bankura	Bankura (Obsy.)...	Nil	Nil	0·42	7	5·34	1·16	Nil	0·01	1·30	1	0·75	1·40	5	3·94	4·05	11	6·49	10·11
		Vishnupur ...	Nil	Nil	0·34	8	5·01	1·29	Nil	0·02	1·31	1	0·35	1·53	5	4·23	4·67	12	10·75	9·84
		Mallara	Nil	Nil	0·44	11	4·81	1·11	Nil	0·07	0·88	1	0·96	1·08	3	0·41	3·86	6	5·32	9·71
		Khatra	Nil	0·01	0·44	5	3·96	1·11	1	0·29	1·19	2	1·81	1·27	7	2·10	3·77	12	9·91	10·84
		Indas	Nil	Nil	0·35	8	4·80	1·08	Nil	Nil	1·21	Nil	Nil	1·66	7	4·36	5·12	8	4·18	9·13
		Kotalpur	Nil	Nil	0·35	8	4·32	1·18	Nil	Nil	1·43	Nil	Nil	1·86	5	3·01	3·16	6	7·40	9·98
		Onda	Nil	Nil	0·28	6	3·24	1·10	1	0·12	0·90	Nil	Nil	1·10	6	3·57	3·15	9	5·85	8·13
		Gangajalghati ...	Nil	Nil	0·43	5	4·86	0·94	Nil	0·02	1·06	1	0·20	1·17	6	3·32	3·54	8	6·50	10·38
		Raipur	Nil	Nil	0·47	4	3·45	1·36	Nil	Nil	1·43	2	1·45	1·63	2	2·31	3·18	8	7·19	10·04
		Sonamukhi ...	Nil	Nil	0·39	9	6·23	1·28	Nil	Nil	1·24	1	0·24	1·35	4	3·49	4·05	8	7·19	9·40
		Taldangra... ...	Nil	Nil	(n)	8	4·51	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	1	0·47	(n)	5	3·18	(n)	8	4·53	(n)
		Sarenga	Nil	Nil	(n)	5	2·64	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	4	2·30	(n)	5	4·95	(n)	12	12·75	(n)
		Indpur	Nil	Nil	(n)	8	4·93	(n)	Nil	0·05	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	5	4·06	(n)	12	8·80	(n)
		Arhra	Nil	Nil	(n)	6	3·95	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	1	0·12	(n)	4	1·50	(n)	10	3·16	(n)
		Barjora	Nil	Nil	(n)	5	3·78	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	4	1·83	(n)	6	6·62	(n)
		Simlapal	Nil	Nil	(n)	6	3·76	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	1	0·67	(n)	4	5·81	(n)	12	7·33	(n)
		Mejia	Nil	Nil	(n)	4	6·11	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	1	1·29	(n)	4	1·19	(n)	6	4·82	(n)
		Siromanipur ...	Nil	Nil	(n)	3	1·59	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	1	1·54	(n)	2	2·07	(n)	8	9·25	(n)
		Palsadanga ...	Nil	Nil	(n)	3	4·30	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	6	1·85	(n)	7	7·68	(n)
		Chatna	Nil	Nil	(n)	2	3·34	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	2	1·82	(n)	6	5·79	(n)
		Ranibandh ...	Nil	Nil	(n)	6	1·82	(n)	1	0·70	(n)	3	1·56	(n)	6	2·28	(n)	10	6·69	(n)
		Saltora	Nil	Nil	(n)	5	3·51	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	7	2·19	(n)	10	4·80	(n)
		Joypur	Nil	Nil	(n)	7	4·13	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	1	0·64	(n)	5	3·25	(n)	7	4·12	(n)
		Ambikanagar ...	Nil	Nil	(n)	13	6·63	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	9	3·34	(n)	13	5·79	(n)
		Jairampur (Radhanagar).	Nil	Nil	(n)	7	4·13	(n)	1	0·14	(n)	1	0·39	(n)	4	2·56	(n)	7	7·07	(n)
		Total ...	Nil	0·01	3·91	179	103·16	11·37	4	1·42	11·85	23	13·71	14·16	132	79·89	43·45	217	171·04	97·54
		District average...	Nil	0·00	0·39	6·26	4·21	1·16	0·16	0·06	1·18	0·92	0·55	1·42	4·88	2·91	4·35	8·68	6·84	9·75
	Midnapore.	Contai	Nil	Nil	0·47	7	4·54	1·29	Nil	Nil	1·40	Nil	0·09	1·36	4	4·25	5·01	6	2·25	9·91
		Tamluk	Nil	Nil	0·40	6	7·53	1·17	Nil	Nil	1·75	Nil	Nil	1·59	4	5·00	5·07	11	10·01	10·09
		Midnapore (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·58	6	6·08	1·16	1	0·13	1·65	2	1·05	1·93	6	3·48	5·06	12	8·13	9·85
		Ghatal	Nil	Nil	0·38	6	2·68	0·98	1	0·28	1·81	1	0·35	2·01	3	2·18	5·45	10	7·47	9·92
		Kukrahati... ...	Nil	Nil	0·55	5	4·32	1·23	Nil	Nil	1·59	Nil	Nil	1·35	4	2·45	5·58	13	5·38	11·05
		Amlagora	Nil	Nil	0·38	5	3·90	1·25	Nil	Nil	1·47	1	0·35	1·98	6	3·39	4·77	10	7·21	10·32
		Pankura	Nil	Nil	0·51	7	4·70	1·20	Nil	Nil	1·47	3	1·30	1·76	4	5·35	5·86	11	4·77	10·35
		Dantan	Nil	Nil	0·49	7	4·72	1·28	1	0·80	1·36	1	0·70	1·95	3	1·83	4·69	7	3·28	9 65
		Chandrakona ...	Nil	Nil	0·33	1	0·80	1·42	Nil	Nil	1·32	1	1·50	2·28	3	3·00	5·71	6	5·50	13·57
		Pachet	Nil	Nil	0·30	6	4·85	0·85	1	0·31	2·28	2	1·90	1·13	4	3 90	5·92	7	3·58	12·55
		Bhagwanpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·38	6	4·49	1·23	Nil	0·04	2·07	Nil	Nil	2·17	5	2·45	4·64	10	4·51	14·50
		Keshiary	Nil	Nil	0·53	10	5·50	1·26	2	0·82	2·18	3	0·90	1·41	5	1·89	4·28	10	6·68	9·11
		Nayabasan ...	Nil	Nil	(n)	4	4·00	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	1	0·35	(n)	4	2·71	(n)	2	2·12	(n)
		Silda (Belpahari)	Nil	Nil	0·38	5	3·35	1·22	2	1·19	1·26	3	2·75	2·38	7	3 82	4·55	8	5·11	8·84
		Kharagpur ...	Nil	Nil	(n)	5	4·37	(n)	1	0·12	(n)	2	1·25	(n)	6	2·43	(n)	10	7·39	(n)
		Goaltore	Nil	Nil	0·33	5	2·73	1·14	Nil	Nil	1·06	2	0·72	1·49	7	7·18	4·49	10	7·88	8·77
		Salboni	Nil	Nil	0·05	4	3·52	1·33	1	0·20	1·24	2	0·73	1·17	9	6·58	4·20	14	8·98	5·81
		Narayangarh ...	Nil	Nil	0 73	6	5·10	1·34	1	0·17	0·83	Nil	Nil	1·64	5	2·70	11·02	3	1·80	13·77
		Ramnagar... ...	Nil	Nil	0·46	9	5·62	1·39	Nil	Nil	1·67	Nil	Nil	1·15	4	2·86	5·27	9	1·78	11·11
		Mohanpur	Nil	Nil	0·14	5	3·67	0·87	1	0·31	2·49	1	0·15	1·41	5	3·59	6·64	9	5·14	9·96
		Henria	Nil	Nil	0·42	5	5·55	0·87	Nil	Nil	2·95	1	0 80	0·77	2	2·73	4·04	2	1·10	12·45
		Jenka (Khajri) ...	Nil	Nil	0·19	6	4·84	0·61	Nil	Nil	1·98	Nil	Nil	2·04	5	3·00	5·28	9	4·75	14·86
		Nandigram	Nil	Nil	0·30	7	4·27	1·13	Nil	Nil	2·76	Nil	Nil	1·38	1	1·15	5·39	4	0·82	13·48
		Moyna	Nil	Nil	0.05	6	4·82	2·15	1	0·22	2·23	Nil	Nil	1·04	6	5·06	4·96	13	6·90	9·58
		Pingla	Nil	Nil	0·12	5	5·35	3·50	Nil	Nil	2·28	2	0·40	0·71	2	0·10	4·50	5	4·78	12·56
		Narajol	Nil	Nil	0·19	6	4·86	2·31	1	0·07	2·35	3	0·73	2·10	6	4·28	7·15	9	10·98	16·16
		Kolahat	Nil	Nil	(n)	7	2·82	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	2	1·16	(n)	3	1·96	(n)	11	9·55	(n)
		Jhargram	Nil	Nil	(n)	4	3·03	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	4	2·74	(n)	2	1·67	(n)	10	8·10	(n)
		Balichak	Nil	Nil	(n)	6	3·27	(n)	1	2·28	(n)	2	0·89	(n)	6	3·61	(n)	13	8·62	(n)
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	8 57	167	124·81	32·36	14	6·89	44·75	39	20 73	39·89	131	96·56	129·33	256	163·30	270·01
		District average...	Nil	Nil	0·35	5·76	4·31	1·35	0·48	0·24	1·36	1·34	0 71	1·66	4·52	3·32	5·39	8·83	5·63	11·35
	Hooghly ..	Serampore ...	Nil	0·01	0·40	6	2·60	1·26	1	1·29	1·44	1	0·64	2·21	4	1·39	5·28	8	2·68	10·20
		Hooghly	Nil	Nil	0·38	7	3·54	1·27	1	0·58	1·48	3	0·81	2·21	6	2·21	5·07	9	4·78	9·80
		Arambagh ...	Nil	Nil	0·39	8	3·87	1·13	Nil	0·02	1·27	3	1·96	1·90	5	2·81	5·56	7	4·49	9·50
		Total ...	Nil	0·01	1·15	21	9·71	3·66	2	1·89	4·19	7	3·61	6 32	15	7·11	17·01	24	11·89	29·80
		District average ...	Nil	0·00	0·38	7·00	3·24	1·22	0·67	0·63	1·39	2·33	1·21	2·11	5·00	2·37	5·67	8·00	3·96	9·93
	Howrah	Howrah	Nil	Nil	0·43	8	3·74	1·09	1	1·40	1·35	1	0·94	1·95	3	0·68	5·03	9	5·16	11·02
		Mahanreka ...	Nil	Nil	0·48	8	3·82	1·52	Nil	Nil	1·48	2	0·75	1·65	6	4·05	5·30	10	7·50	11·29
		Uluberia	Nil	0·02	0·46	6	3·88	1·21	Nil	Nil	1·40	2	0·29	1·80	3	2·09	5·41	12	5·05	10·91
		Amta	Nil	Nil	0·49	7	4·99	1·65	1	0·60	2·40	2	0·83	2·06	7	5·74	5·65	13	11·02	11·02
		Total ...	Nil	0·02	1·86	29	16·43	5·47	2	2·00	6·63	7	2·65	7·46	19	12·76	21·10	44	29·41	44·74
		District average ...	Nil	0·00	0·17	7·25	4·11	1·37	0·50	0·50	1·66	1·75	0·66	1·87	4·75	3·19	5·36	11·00	7 35	11·18
RAJSHAHI.	Boalia...	Boalia (Obsy.) ...	Nil	Nil	0·34	3	0·95	0·75	1	2·22	1·17	1	0·16	1·81	7	3·14	5·73	14	6·44	10·12
		Nator	Nil	Nil	0·31	4	1·76	0·79	Nil	0·03	0·97	2	0·69	2·28	7	4·07	7·28	11	10·41	11·07
		Naugaon	Nil	Nil	0·41	2	1·41	0·76	Nil	Nil	1·05	1	0·80	1·59	3	0·89	6·18	11	4·57	12·54
		Billmaria	Nil	Nil	0·34	3	1·72	0·72	Nil	0·08	1·10	2	0·47	2·16	12	7·87	6·50	13	12·24	10·44
		Manda	Nil	Nil	0·44	2	1·46	0 60	Nil	Nil	0·73	1	0 85	1·43	7	1·77	5·31	10	8 37	10·59
		Mahadebpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·40	Nil	0·06	0·71	Nil	Nil	0·88	Nil	Nil	1·25	7	2·56	5·92	11	7·07	11·78
		Tanor	Nil	Nil	0·63	3	1·27	0·63	Nil	Nil	0·85	Nil	Nil	1·24	4	1·69	6·54	11	9·29	10·06
		Chaugram ...	Nil	Nil	(n)	1	0·30	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	1	0·20	(n)	4	2·02	(n)	1	0 95	(n)
		Joari	Nil	Nil	(n)	3	0·49	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	2	0·83	(n)	10	6·21	(n)	10	7·10	(n)
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	3·07	21	10·02	4·96	1	2·33	6·75	10	3·60	11·61	61	31·20	42·46	102	75·44	77·40
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·14	2·33	1·11	0·71	0·11	0·26	0·96	1·11	0·40	1·66	6·78	3·36	6·06	11·33	8·38	11·06

(n)=Not ascertained.

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JULY.			AUGUST.			SEPTEMBER.			OCTOBER.			NOVEMBER.			DECEMBER.			ANNUAL.		
Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.
13	9·41	12·42	22	18·60	11·85	6	3·37	8·53	5	2·31	3·21	2	0·77	0·45	Nil	Nil	0·13	72	50·86	54·93
16	14·67	11·85	16	16·88	12·41	6	2·99	8·85	4	1·05	2·71	1	0·45	0·54	Nil	Nil	0·15	69	56·40	55·54
20	16·25	11·97	22	18·29	11·83	5	3·79	7·39	3	2·72	2·70	Nil	Nil	0·43	Nil	Nil	0·13	71	51·32	50·43
13	15·37	12·53	22	26·84	11·08	8	3·11	9·36	3	2·27	3·15	1	1·02	0·70	Nil	Nil	0·19	74	66·39	56·68
16	16·82	11 34	19	16·88	9·72	7	2 48	8·22	2	1·78	2 48	1	0 25	0·55	Nil	Nil	0·19	63	51·56	51·28
19	17·28	12·85	23	28·43	11·86	9	3·44	8·38	2	2·44	2·85	1	0·15	0·65	N 1	Nil	0·12	73	60·54	56·40
14	11·95	9·87	19	15·30	9·78	2	1·51	7·99	2	1·15	2·33	1	1·42	0·32	Nil	Nil	0·09	60	44·11	48·16
17	13·60	11·65	23	20 02	10·43	6	3·58	7·92	4	3·48	3·26	2	0·30	0·62	Nil	Nil	0·09	72	56 58	50·89
14	11·02	12·57	24	27·06	12 10	8	5 10	9·16	3	2·74	3·83	1	0·38	0·61	Nil	Nil	0·17	66	60 70	58·05
12	16·26	12 15	18	18·88	10 74	8	3 82	8·24	4	3·31	2·59	1	1·55	0·65	Nil	Nil	0·11	65	59·97	52·79
14	17·96	(n)	14	14·45	(n)	3	1·73	(n)	2	0·56	(n)	1	0 47	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	56	47·86	(n)
13	8 73	(n)	22	23·59	(n)	8	6·21	(n)	2	1 11	(n)	1	0·54	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	72	62·82	(n)
15	13·28	(n)	21	17·95	(n)	6	2·83	(n)	4	5·39	(n)	2	1·54	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	72	58 68	(n)
19	13·56	(n)	23	18·32	(n)	6	1·87	(n)	5	1·28	(n)	Nil	0·15	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	74	75·91	(n)
17	12·28	(n)	18	15·93	(n)	7	1·76	(n)	3	2·60	(n)	2	1·26	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	62	46·26	(n)
12	13·93	(n)	18	22·34	(n)	7	3·93	(n)	2	1·66	(n)	1	0·49	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	68	61·72	(n)
10	11·64	(n)	14	12·83	(n)	7	4·45	(n)	4	2·49	(n)	2	0·60	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	53	45·42	(n)
14	15·86	(n)	20	21·51	(n)	10	4·76	(n)	2	4·13	(n)	1	0·12	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	61	60 83	(n)
10	15·16	(n)	13	17·43	(n)	4	1·08	(n)	3	1·49	(n)	2	1·10	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	48	50·48	(n)
13	14·16	(n)	19	17·42	(n)	10	5·69	(n)	1	0·80	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	57	49·02	(n)
11	7·47	(n)	21	24·61	(n)	9	4·83	(n)	1	2·47	(n)	1	0·70	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	72	53·08	(n)
20	17·40	(n)	21	18·22	(n)	7	3·10	(n)	3	2·64	(n)	1	0·56	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	74	47·42	(n)
12	10 18	(n)	17	13·38	(n)	5	2·76	(n)	2	3 02	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	56	41·38	(n)
14	12·45	(n)	20	18·82	(n)	9	3·25	(n)	5	3·42	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	63	53·70	(n)
16	14·94	(n)	18	16 84	(n)	5	4·27	(n)	3	3·79	(n)	1	3·19	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	63	55·32	(n)
364	312·04	119·20	485	470·34	111·00	168	85·71	83·99	76	59·99	27·61	26	13·81	5·52	Nil	Nil	1·30	16·44	1330·16	531·10
14·56	13·68	11·92	19·40	18·82	11·10	6·72	5 48	8·40	5·04	2·40	2·76	1·04	0·55	0·55	Nil	Nil	0·13	65·76	53 45	53·11
18	9·39	13·71	16	22·39	13·42	12	8·97	11·15	5	6·34	6·75	3	2·70	1·28	Nil	Nil	0·26	71	60 92	65·01
17	13 28	13·46	23	18·19	12·70	15	7·50	9·06	3	1·07	3·98	1	0·76	0·62	Nil	Nil	0·19	80	63 34	59 09
17	10·65	13·00	17	13·16	11·84	10	6·05	8 61	3	0·80	3·71	2	0·40	0·80	Nil	Nil	0·24	76	50·20	57·24
12	12·82	12 43	18	13·31	12 60	6	4·17	9·56	2	0·73	3·15	1	0 10	0·70	Nil	Nil	0·21	60	43 39	59·00
16	8·21	13·78	16	15 40	11·81	14	4·50	9·98	7	6·77	4·30	2	0·40	0·87	Nil	Nil	0·09	77	47·38	61·93
14	18·17	11·92	21	19·90	13·87	6	1·91	8 99	3	1·18	2·88	1	0·45	0·64	Nil	Nil	0·19	67	57·36	57·64
17	15·15	11·56	16	9·76	11·44	10	4·24	9·05	5	1·56	3·33	2	0·85	1·03	Nil	0·08	0·19	75	47·76	57·35
13	10·20	11·58	17	17 93	11·18	14	11·90	9·34	5	4·14	4·46	2	0·90	0·89	Nil	Nil	0·14	70	56·37	59·96
7	16·10	13·92	14	14·20	12 23	3	2·20	8·85	1	2·10	3·07	Nil	Nil	0·65	Nil	Nil	0·49	36	44·10	62 84
16	11·84	13·16	13	17·49	10·86	12	7·30	9·51	3	1·42	3·79	2	2·06	0·71	Nil	Nil	0·08	66	51·39	61·14
18	18·18	11·77	15	17·60	11·20	9	5·52	8·26	4	1·95	4·28	2	0·77	0·79	1	0·25	0·20	68	55·77	61·04
15	8·08	12·57	14	14·78	10·38	11	8·66	9·39	4	1·83	6·26	3	1·79	1·04	Nil	Nil	0·06	76	50·93	58·48
12	10·13	(n)	14	23·90	(n)	9	8·10	(n)	1	3·66	(n)	1	0·55	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	48	55·06	(n)
10	5·61	10·04	22	28·48	10·86	8	4·00	10·32	3	1·08	4·73	1	0·38	0·40	Nil	Nil	0·19	69	65·92	58·17
17	9·42	(n)	13	10·60	(n)	6	3·97	(n)	2	1·42	(n)	1	0·54	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	68	41·01	(n)
14	13·45	12·85	22	25 52	9·73	7	4·06	9·13	5	1·80	4 75	2	0·61	0 31	Nil	Nil	0·31	72	63·95	55·16
14	15·79	11·85	21	13 36	7·13	7	5·07	8 91	2	8·93	3·72	Nil	Nil	1·26	Nil	Nil	0·31	74	55·16	50·06
18	10 80	14·41	14	13 85	10·27	14	5·45	9·95	5	1·70	5·16	1	0·80	1·63	Nil	Nil	0·48	67	42·17	70·21
23	10·74	11·51	17	16·45	9·84	11	5 37	9·82	3	2·13	6·04	2	1·82	1·52	Nil	Nil	0·05	80	47·91	59 63
13	8·15	14·01	6	14 94	9·34	9	10 38	10 82	4	1·35	5·84	2	2·86	0·98	1	0·10	0·00	86	51·88	68·00
8	10·50	12·04	13	12·95	11 76	9	5 40	7·67	3	1·50	5·44	2	0·85	1·21	Nil	Nil	0·05	45	41·06	59 47
18	12·29	12·18	18	16·73	11·68	14	5 84	9·48	6	1·73	4·85	4	2·38	1·32	1	0·11	0·10	81	51·67	64 54
22	13·40	11·47	22	13·40	9·90	11	4·10	7·00	5	2·95	6·03	2	0·32	1 00	Nil	Nil	0 03	77	40·51	60·39
15	11·72	11·97	15	10 03	10 31	12	9·26	8·63	4	3·23	4·94	1	0·41	0·75	Nil	Nil	0·00	73	51·85	56·61
13	10·19	13·64	13	9·08	8·27	12	6·17	6 71	3	1·21	4 09	2	0 82	0 66	Nil	Nil	0·01	57	38·35	57·20
11	16·05	13·40	16	14·95	13·55	8	5·40	9·86	3	1·79	6·33	Nil	Nil	0·90	Nil	Nil	0·28	59	57·27	76·07
17	13·64	(n)	15	9·80	(n)	7	3·41	(n)	3	1·85	(n)	1	0·24	(n)	Nil	0·05	(n)	66	46·50	(n)
9	11·38	(n)	17	18·50	(n)	8	5·23	(n)	3	0·72	(n)	3	0·63	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	60	52·08	(n)
19	14·49	(n)	18	11·94	(n)	13	4·42	(n)	5	3·70	(n)	1	0·74	(n)	Nil	0·03	(n)	84	53·44	(n)
424	351·55	299·18	481	458·84	363·95	287	116·91	219·72	108	65·77	111 83	46	24·76	21·98	3	0·32	4·17	19·56	1,479·54	1,445·74
14·62	12·12	12·47	16·59	15·72	11·00	9·90	5 83	9·16	3·72	2·27	4·66	1·59	0·85	0·09	0·10	0·02	0·17	67·45	51 02	60·24
16	.8·99	12·52	22	13·71	11·30	9	4·82	9·06	4	1·70	4·10	Nil	0·08	0·64	Nil	0 04	0·21	71	46·09	58·72
20	17·06	11 02	18	19·26	10·52	4	2·98	8·17	6	3·03	3·68	Nil	Nil	0·68	Nil	Nil	0·80	74	54·95	58·96
14	10 10	12·64	16	14·78	12·38	8	3·26	8·74	4	1·99	2·47	Nil	0·14	0·53	Nil	Nil	0 17	65	43·92	57·97
50	44·95	36·18	56	47·75	34·20	21	11·06	25·97	14	6·72	11·25	Nil	0·22	1·85	Nil	0·04	0·68	210	144·96	172·25
16·67	14·98	12·06	18·67	15·92	11·40	7·00	3·69	8·66	4·66	2·24	3·75	Nil	0·07	0·62	Nil	0·01	0·23	70·00	48·32	57·42
15	16 36	12·32	21	16·36	11·22	7	4·63	8·96	5	3·32	3·90	2	0·30	0·53	1	0·13	0·21	73	53·18	58·10
18	21·90	13·40	15	14·57	12·56	13	4·27	8·89	4	1·40	3·61	1	1·60	0·61	Nil	0·06	0·22	77	60·01	61·07
17	17·34	13 86	16	8·45	10·31	10	4·17	8·41	4	5 54	3·21	1	0 59	0·68	1	0·13	0 17	72	47·75	58·83
16	18·10	13·13	15	18·25	10·68	8	5·87	8·45	5	3·45	3·38	Nil	Nil	0·71	1	0·30	0·29	73	69·75	60·30
66	73 70	51·70	67	57·33	44·67	36	18·94	34·71	16	13·91	14·19	4	2·69	2·53	3	0·62	0·89	295	230·66	236 30
16·50	18·42	12·92	16·75	14·38	11·17	9·50	4·74	8·69	4·00	3·48	3·55	1·00	0 67	0·63	0·75	0·16	0·22	73·75	57·68	59·08
16	9·14	0·91	14	8·47	10·48	8	6·26	9·93	4	5·14	4·03	1	0·27	0·41	Nil	Nil	0·08	69	42·49	56·04
18	10·09	13·49	16	10·55	11·35	7	4·07	10 58	2	1·37	3·82	Nil	0·07	0 47	Nil	Nil	0 09	67	44·11	61·35
13	11·12	11·72	10	6·55	9 99	11	3·65	10·69	2	1·58	3·59	Nil	0 02	0·56	Nil	Nil	0·10	51	30·37	59·18
15	8·27	10·80	11	8·69	10·43	8	4 98	9·72	1	1·16	3·30	Nil	Nil	0·54	Nil	Nil	0·12	65	45·48	56·17
12	6·62	12·35	11	8·83	10 27	7	3·48	9·77	3	0·96	3·14	Nil	Nil	0·41	Nil	Nil	0·02	53	28·74	54·96
17	10·84	11·96	13	7·94	11·75	10	5·92	10·80	1	0·94	3·88	Nil	Nil	0·49	Nil	Nil	0·10	80	35·33	59·04
14	8·93	10·96	12	8·49	8·74	4	4·33	6·73	1	0·20	3·35	Nil	Nil	0·34	Nil	Nil	0·11	49	34·20	49·68
12	9·75	(n)	13	11·35	(n)	9	3·59	(n)	1	4·00	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	52	41·34	(n)
16	10·92	(n)	12	10·81	(n)	9	8·03	(n)	1	2·62	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	63	47·41	(n)
131	85·88	87·21	112	78·48	73·01	73	44·21	68·21	16	17·95	25·11	1	0·36	3·22	Nil	Nil	0·62	530	346·47	397·62
14·78	9·54	11·60	12·45	8·72	10·43	8·11	4·91	9·74	1·78	2·00	3·59	0·11	0·04	0·46	Nil	Nil	0·09	58·89	38·72	56·80

(n)=Not ascertained.

Monthly and Annual Rainfall Table in the

Division.	District.	Station.	JANUARY.			FEBRUARY.			MARCH.			APRIL.			MAY.			JUNE.		
			Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.
Rajshahi.	Dinajpur	Nithpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·61	3	1·50	1·18	Nil	Nil	0·76	1	0·35	0·90	4	0·95	5·71	14	12·81	11·45
		Nawabganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·13	2	0·85	0·43	Nil	Nil	0·62	3	1·90	1·39	6	6·60	7·73	15	18·04	15·80
		Gangarampur ...	Nil	Nil	0·27	3	1·25	0·85	Nil	0·14	0·77	2	1·30	1·44	6	2·19	6·80	16	13·68	13·40
		Churamon ...	Nil	Nil	0·38	3	1·26	0·88	Nil	Nil	0·66	Nil	0·08	1·11	5	4·88	4·70	13	20·08	11·55
		Raiganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·39	3	1·61	0·60	1	0·10	0·83	Nil	0·08	1·39	5	6·82	5·61	15	21·78	12·90
		Dinajpur (Obsy.)...	Nil	Nil	0·32	3	1·38	0·64	1	0·10	0·80	3	2·34	2·19	8	5·01	7·41	16	19·36	14·5
		Balurghat ...	Nil	Nil	0·37	3	1·86	0·75	1	0·10	0·82	2	0·90	1·56	7	13·18	6·93	14	23·77	11·95
		Thakurgaon ...	Nil	Nil	0·28	4	0·86	0·79	Nil	Nil	1·04	8	5·53	2·18	10	19·92	7·65	17	14·72	16·59
		Setabganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·13	3	1·37	0·72	Nil	Nil	1·14	2	1·25	1·80	7	7·40	6·96	11	17·10	15·26
		Rangani ...	Nil	Nil	0·19	2	1·07	0·80	Nil	Nil	0·93	1	0·59	2·09	8	6·80	6·76	17	29·25	16·82
		Atwari ...	Nil	Nil	0·12	1	1·00	0·43	1	0·85	1·41	9	3·05	3·33	11	8·15	8·22	17	11·81	19·94
		Birganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·18	3	1·69	0·93	Nil	Nil	1·90	6	4·76	2·18	6	7·46	8·98	15	17·63	16·80
		Parbatipur ...	Nil	Nil	0·11	3	2·31	0·92	Nil	Nil	1·13	3	0·79	2·44	10	8·21	8·80	17	23·70	13·40
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	3·09	36	19·01	9·78	4	1·29	13·11	40	22·90	24·25	93	90·47	93·26	197	240·73	190·43
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·28	3·27	1·39	0·75	0·31	0·10	0·94	3·08	1·76	1·87	7·15	6·96	7·09	15·15	18·52	14·65
	Jalpaiguri.	Jalpaiguri (Obsy)	Nil	Nil	0·37	1	0·17	0·39	Nil	Nil	1·52	9	8·66	3·82	16	20·79	11·16	18	21·77	24·94
		Alipur Duars ...	Nil	Nil	0·34	4	1·50	0·81	Nil	Nil	1·95	12	5·96	5·92	23	33·22	14·80	19	28·53	23·69
		Falakata ...	Nil	Nil	0·31	4	1·37	0·84	Nil	Nil	1·41	8	5·20	4·13	19	28·88	11·96	19	19·79	22·77
		Debiganj ...	Nil	0·04	0·37	2	0·81	0·84	Nil	Nil	1·17	6	7·99	3·16	8	14·74	9·84	13	11·44	18·70
		Bhagatpur (*Na. rakata*).	Nil	Nil	0·59	5	2·02	1·00	1	0·40	1·93	8	6·93	6·60	22	16·00	15·79	20	27·69	25·89
		Buxa ...	Nil	Nil	1·04	7	3·85	1·16	Nil	Nil	2·89	13	12·21	8·49	23	23·14	19·62	21	33·40	38·15
		Kalchini ...	Nil	Nil	0·36	3	1·67	1·24	Nil	0·08	1·95	10	6·61	6·26	22	22·67	14·80	19	26·51	26·05
		Kumargram ...	Nil	Nil	0·47	4	1·77	1·35	Nil	Nil	2·58	13	6·37	7·44	21	23·41	17·49	19	37·09	30·79
		Total ...	Nil	0·04	3·85	30	13·16	7·63	1	0·48	15·40	79	59·93	45·81	155	179·05	114·96	147	204·42	216·68
		District average ...	Nil	0·01	0·48	3·75	1·65	0·95	0·12	0·06	1·93	9·88	7·49	5·72	19·38	22·49	14·37	18·37	25·55	27·09
	Darjeeling	Siliguri ...	Nil	Nil	0·42	3	2·06	0·76	Nil	Nil	1·32	7	5·53	3·61	14	16·91	10·81	20	38·78	25·00
		Darjeeling (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·68	2	2·18	1·00	3	1·41	1·78	8	3·35	3·98	12	6·32	8·52	19	14·47	23·89
		Kalimpong ...	Nil	Nil	0·63	2	1·89	0·81	2	0·37	1·52	7	2·37	3·00	8	2·39	5·63	18	14·01	16·84
		Mungpoo ...	Nil	Nil	0·68	4	2·56	1·10	3	0·96	1·62	7	3·98	4·35	21	12·22	9·61	18	24·18	24·65
		Kurseong ...	Nil	Nil	0·75	4	2·76	1·18	3	1·54	1·92	12	5·49	4·01	16	8·05	12·01	20	28·48	31·18
		Pedong ...	Nil	Nil	0·67	3	1·66	1·10	4	0·89	2·11	12	3·18	4·97	18	9·34	8·57	22	19·10	19·21
		Jalpaihar ...	Nil	Nil	(*n*)	2	2·18	(*n*)	3	1·41	(*n*)	8	3·55	(*n*)	12	6·32	(*n*)	19	16·47	(*n*)
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	3·70	20	15·89	5·93	16	6·08	10·44	61	27·35	23·92	98	61·75	55·15	136	148·66	140·47
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·63	2·86	2·27	0·99	2·57	0·94	1·74	8·72	3·91	3·99	14·00	8·82	9·19	19·43	21·24	23·41
	Rangpur	Bhawanigunj (*Satbandha*).	Nil	Nil	0·35	4	1·27	0·73	2	0·70	1·36	3	1·33	2·98	7	4·38	10·14	10	16·71	15·48
		Rangpur (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·46	3	1·25	0·60	1	0·95	1·21	6	5·81	3·09	13	10·28	10·86	14	15·94	17·78
		Pirganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·16	3	1·45	0·90	1	0·80	0·81	1	0·60	2·62	12	10·04	13·22	18	29·29	15·67
		Kaligaon ...	Nil	Nil	0·40	3	1·60	0·57	1	0·40	1·76	6	3·38	4·71	16	17·75	11·19	15	13·89	21·73
		Gobindganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·20	(*)	(*)	0·74	(*)	(*)	1·10	(*)	(*)	2·47	(*)	(*)	9·14	(*)	(*)	13·87
		Bhogdogra (*Nilphamari.*)	Nil	Nil	0·38	3	0·96	0·68	Nil	Nil	1·15	6	5·76	3·91	13	14·41	10·00	16	13·18	19·92
		Ulipur ...	Nil	Nil	0·25	3	1·01	0·60	4	1·12	1·30	4	6·04	4·08	11	11·17	13·57	14	19·93	18·41
		Sundarganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·22	3	1·18	0·54	1	0·70	1·38	3	3·58	3·44	11	8·47	1·49	12	11·85	15·84
		Saidpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·05	2	1·44	0·72	Nil	0·02	1·42	4	2·19	2·15	11	9·14	10·49	14	13·76	14·50
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	2·47	24	10·06	6·08	10	4·39	11·27	32	28·60	28·08	94	85·81	100·03	113	126·53	152·66
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·27	3·00	1·26	0·68	1·25	0·55	1·25	4·00	3·57	3·12	11·75	10·79	11·11	14·12	15·82	16·96
	Bogra.	Sherpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·44	1	0·63	0·77	1	0·10	1·18	3	1·46	2·40	10	8·01	7·95	7	5·91	11·70
		Nowkhilla ...	Nil	Nil	0·39	Nil	Nil	0·87	Nil	Nil	1·24	1	0·43	2·44	5	1·77	9·18	8	5·47	14·49
		Bogra (Obsy.) ...	Nil	Nil	0·42	3	1·18	0·88	Nil	0·02	1·11	2	0·73	2·40	9	8·84	8·66	13	9·40	13·81
		Panchbibi ...	Nil	Nil	0·33	3	1·09	0·80	1	0·80	1·03	1	0·16	2·08	9	9·20	7·67	13	9·96	21·93
		Khetlal ...	Nil	Nil	(*n*)	1	0·12	(*n*)	1	0·45	(*n*)	1	0·70	(*n*)	4	3·72	(*n*)	16	16·85	(*n*)
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	1·58	8	3·02	3·32	3	1·37	4·56	8	3·50	9·32	37	31·03	33·46	64	47·59	60·93
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·40	1·60	0·72	0·83	0·60	0·27	1·14	1·60	0·70	2·48	7·40	6·33	8·37	10·60	9·52	12·73
	Pabna...	Shahzadpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·04	4	1·90	0·28	1	1·20	1·94	5	2·05	3·13	8	4·83	7·81	10	4·88	11·03
		Pabna ...	Nil	Nil	0·33	4	2·38	0·95	1	0·49	1·35	6	1·90	3·14	12	5·97	7·65	10	16·08	11·28
		Serajganj (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·49	6	2·07	0·89	Nil	0·06	1·34	2	2·71	3·26	10	6·97	8·01	10	10·17	12·09
		Sara ...	Nil	Nil	0·02	3	1·66	0·50	1	0·12	0·89	2	0·36	2·44	9	3·61	7·19	11	10·19	11·88
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	0·78	17	8·01	2·57	3	1·87	5·43	15	7·02	11·97	39	21·38	30·76	41	41·32	46·28
		District average...	Nil	Nil	0·20	4·25	2·00	0·64	0·75	0·47	1·36	3·75	1·76	2·99	9·75	5·34	7·69	10·25	10·33	11·57
	Malda...	Malda (Obsy.) ...	Nil	0·12	0·53	4	1·37	0·79	Nil	Nil	0·75	1	0·70	1·01	2	0·54	4·21	12	13·47	10·19
		Chanchal ...	Nil	Nil	0·46	3	1·61	0·84	1	0·25	0·67	1	0·10	1·05	3	1·67	4·95	13	13·46	11·49
		Gazol ...	Nil	Nil	0·36	3	1·35	0·75	1	0·30	0·87	1	0·70	1·11	3	1·12	4·43	14	15·25	9·83
		Sibganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·38	2	1·64	0·81	Nil	Nil	0·64	2	1·91	1·02	3	3·22	4·33	8	8·99	9·82
		Gomastapur ...	Nil	Nil	0·15	3	1·04	1·18	Nil	Nil	0·89	Nil	0·03	1·48	3	1·04	5·19	11	7·16	10·05
		Nawabganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·28	3	2·17	0·93	Nil	Nil	1·20	Nil	Nil	1·49	6	4·11	4·99	12	9·77	11·80
		Total ...	Nil	0·12	2·36	18	9·38	5·30	2	0·45	4·52	5	3·46	7·16	20	11·70	29·10	69	68·39	63·27
		District average...	Nil	0·02	0·39	3·00	1·56	0·88	0·33	0·07	0·80	0·83	0·58	1·19	3·33	1·95	4·85	11·50	11·40	10·55

(*n*) Not ascertained. * Rain gauge was out of order.

Province of Bengal for the year 1923.

JULY.			AUGUST.			SEPTEMBER.			OCTOBER.			NOVEMBER.			DECEMBER.			ANNUAL.		
Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.
12	13·15	12·04	10	6·76	10·83	6	4·01	9·60	Nil	Nil	3·78	Nil	Nil	0·43	Nil	Nil	0·01	80	39·56	37·19
10	7·18	15·47	4	3·06	13·94	9	6·83	11·78	2	0·85	3·29	1	0·30	0·20	Nil	Nil	0·00	32	43·81	71·78
14	8·39	15·31	9	5·55	13·55	7	10·82	10·40	1	0·59	2·87	Nil	Nil	0·16	Nil	Nil	0·20	58	41·94	66·08
12	10·55	13·63	12	5·43	12·90	8	6·18	11·30	4	4·38	2·98	Nil	Nil	0·29	Nil	Nil	0·11	57	38·81	60·59
7	3·8	14·84	4	2·77	13·86	3	2·88	10·37	2	2·42	3·25	Nil	Nil	0 21	Nil	Nil	0·12	40	41·77	64·43
16	6·49	15·15	5	1·84	12·25	7	10·82	12·07	2	2·10	4·21	Nil	Nil	0·17	Nil	0·05	0·07	61	49·49	69·80
14	9·66	13·26	10	3·14	11·73	7	5·28	10·18	1	0·60	3·75	Nil	Nil	0·35	Nil	Nil	0·09	59	55·49	61·73
14	13·44	13·97	9	5·96	16·95	14	13·50	14·31	2	3·45	3·61	Nil	Nil	0 22	Nil	0·05	0·05	78	73·45	83·64
7	10·65	14·78	6	3·95	14·94	11	9·45	11·81	2	4·15	2·76	Nil	Nil	0·20	1	0·70	0·08	50	55·92	70·16
9	7·79	15·52	4	2·77	15·34	12	15·55	12·58	2	3·06	3·19	Nil	Nil	0·33	Nil	Nil	0·02	55	69·88	74.82
28	30 21	26·73	18	11·95	22·28	22	17·24	13·78	5	3·52	3·96	Nil	Nil	0·00	1	0·15	0·02	113	87·93	100·23
6	8·58	16·34	6	5·06	13·52	12	10·43	10·47	2	3·91	3·59	Nil	Nil	0·27	Nil	Nil	0·09	56	59·52	74·60
12	11·19	16·09	5	1·92	14·26	11	11·69	10·77	1	1·27	3·81	Nil	Nil	0·41	Nil	Nil	0·05	62	61·08	72·18
161	143·11	210·12	102	58·16	186·04	129	124·18	149·06	26	33·23	45·05	1	0·30	3·32	2	0·95	0·91	791	733·53	937·02
12·39	11·01	16·16	7·85	4·47	14·31	9·92	9·55	11·46	2·00	2·56	3·47	0·08	0·01	0·29	0·15	0·07	0 07	60·85	56·43	71·31
26	47·92	29·84	12	10·59	25·00	21	44·05	23·09	4	4 85	4·87	Nil	Nil	0·21	Nil	Nil	0·12	107	158·80	124·53
21	28·08	32·18	15	8·24	26·24	18	38·99	22·44	5	3·89	4·38	Nil	Nil	0·30	Nil	Nil	0·16	115	180·51	139·31
25	37·53	27·34	14	8·42	22·63	20	34·03	17·34	3	5·25	3·94	Nil	Nil	0·35	2	0·30	0·13	114	135·77	112·99
12	13·77	19·42	9	6·27	18·94	13	15·16	14·42	2	4·92	3·86	Nil	Nil	0·40	1	0·70	0·35	85	76·06	87·97
30	47·22	37·70	24	21·04	32·67	27	30·90	24·86	4	4·07	8·38	Nil	0·03	0·81	1	0·55	0·33	142	157 85	155·75
24	73·42	50·86	15	8·51	43·19	26	32·80	30·99	5	4·68	10·06	1	0·42	0·91	Nil	0·16	0·65	136	191·65	209·53
26	57·56	34·91	15	11·21	33·44	22	27·09	19·73	3	3·64	5 60	Nil	0 09	0·71	Nil	0·10	0·19	120	156·23	144·93
24	37·53	40·70	13	9·01	30 26	27	40·71	24·03	3	2·39	8·10	Nil	Nil	0·72	Nil	0·02	0·32	124	158·30	184·25
187	343·03	272·45	117	83·79	231·27	174	263·79	176·44	28	35·69	49·21	1	0·54	4·91	4	1·83	1·85	923	1184·65	1138·96
23·38	42·88	34 06	14·62	10·47	28·99	21·78	32·97	21·93	3·50	4·21	6·15	0·12	0·07	0·53	0·50	0·34	0·24	115·37	148·08	142·37
20	38·65	32·40	17	23·43	27·33	20	27·18	20·60	3	2·45	5·80	Nil	Nil	0·49	1	0·45	0·12	105	156·04	128·86
26	42·05	32·15	18	14·74	29·70	15	13·32	17·64	4	2·14	5·05	Nil	Nil	0·62	Nil	Nil	0·24	100	100·86	120·92
27	28·43	34·40	22	16·61	19·37	14	10·37	11 97	1	0·95	2·97	Nil	Nil	0·72	Nil	0·02	0·31	101	71·41	88·17
28	31·08	31·19	15	17·93	27·04	16	16·52	17·12	4	3·34	3·76	Nil	Nil	0·79	Nil	0·01	0 38	116	113·97	122·44
29	41·71	44 04	24	27·25	35·81	20	22 53	23·81	(b)	(b)	5·82	(b)	(b)	0·57	(b)	(b)	0·0	128	132 91	161·36
27	25·35	23·85	26	20·30	22·53	22	16·32	14·19	2	2·29	3·74	Nil	Nil	0·55	Nil	0 03	0·33	133	98·66	102·32
28	42·97	(a)	18	14·74	(a)	15	13·31	(a)	4	2·14	(a)	Nil	Nil	(a)	Nil	Nil	(a)	109	101 09	(a)
187	246·64	188·03	140	134·00	157·78	122	119·55	106·33	18	13·33	27·14	Nil	Nil	4·04	1	0·51	1·88	901	774·26	723·86
26·71	35·23	31·34	20·00	19·14	26·30	17·43	17·08	17·55	2·57	1·90	4·52	Nil	Nil	0·67	0·14	0·08	0·31	114·43	110·61	120·64
7	3·85	12 83	6	2·28	13·02	10	10·81	12·21	3	1·33	5·37	Nil	Nil	0·28	Nil	Nil	0·10	50	42·63	73 72
11	5·76	15·86	7	3·28	13·11	14	9·36	13·81	3	2·28	4·80	Nil	Nil	0·21	Nil	Nil	0·06	72	54·79	81·94
16	9·15	14·62	7	6·75	13·80	9	14·16	12·42	1	0 80	4·59	1	0·10	0·81	Nil	Nil	0·12	69	72·84	75·47
10	4·90	15 66	5	7·55	12 11	15	20·24	14·29	3	6·24	4·78	Nil	Nil	0·27	Nil	Nil	0·13	77	75·05	90·19
*	*	13·93	*	*	13·95	(1)	(0·30)	13·11	Nil	Nil	4 87	Nil	Nil	0·52	Nil	Nil	0 07	(a) 1	(a 0·30	71·97
13	12·01	16·88	10	8·67	15·56	13	10·80	14·42	2	0·88	5 87	Nil	Nil	0·16	Nil	Nil	0·09	76	66·65	86·05
6	2·52	13 30	6	3·58	12·36	13	15·24	13·77	3	1·27	5·69	Nil	Nil	0·36	Nil	Nil	0·04	64	54·83	83·75
10	3 31	14·36	5	1·61	12·90	12	11·71	12·71	2	1·55	5·50	Nil	Nil	0·36	Nil	Nil	0·09	50	43 96	78·23
7	6·41	15·00	6	2·94	14·25	11	10·08	11·51	2	1·78	5·11	Nil	Nil	0·31	Nil	Nil	0 07	57	47·67	74·38
80	47·91	131·74	45	36·68	118·86	97	102·40	118·23	18	15·91	42·47	1	0·10	3·01	Nil	Nil	0·75	534	488·17	715·70
10·00	5·99	14 64	6·88	4 58	13·21	12·13	12·80	13·14	2·25	1·99	4·72	0·12	0·01	0·33	Nil	Nil	0·09	63·50	57·27	79·62
9	5·43	12·40	7	4·65	11·91	6	5·83	10·29	1	1·26	4·17	Nil	Nil	0·61	Nil	Nil	0·13	45	33·26	68·95
11	7·03	12·55	6	4·65	11·85	4	1·80	10·74	1	1·30	4 84	Nil	Nil	0·58	Nil	Nil	0·12	38	33·07	67·98
12	10·80	13·40	10	5·75	12·62	11	8·98	10·97	1	1·22	4·31	Nil	Nil	0·60	Nil	Nil	0·09	61	46·92	69·28
16	7·61	13·47	11	3·72	11·68	7	5·72	11·38	1	0·72	4·19	Nil	Nil	0·30	Nil	Nil	0·10	62	39·53	64·96
11	7·88	(a)	16	12·32	(a)	6	8·42	(a)	1	1·75	(a)	Nil	Nil	(a)	Nil	Nil	(a)	57	52·01	(a)
59	33·05	50·82	50	31·15	48·07	34	30·75	43·27	5	6·25	17·21	Nil	Nil	2·09	Nil	Nil	0·44	258	194·81	268·17
11·80	7·79	13·70	10·00	6·23	12·09	6·80	6·15	10·84	1·00	1·25	4·30	Nil	Nil	0·52	Nil	Nil	0·11	51·60	38·96	66·29
17	7·19	10·38	15	5·86	11·80	11	8·09	6·69	1	0·70	4·37	Nil	Nil	0·18	Nil	Nil	0·24	72	36·70	57·43
19	8·08	10·89	15	14·21	10·80	9	5·42	9·14	2	0·55	3·90	2	0·30	0·58	Nil	Nil	0·13	73	56·08	59·89
17	8·22	11·55	10	5·75	11·31	9	6·13	9·14	2	0·50	4·23	Nil	Nil	0·32	Nil	Nil	0·13	66	42·58	62·96
16	10·51	11·49	11	9·22	10·31	5	2·80	7 50	2	2·56	4·27	1	0·10	0·44	Nil	Nil	0·80	61	41·13	57·23
69	34·60	44·41	51	35·14	43·81	34	22·44	33·77	7	4 31	16·83	3	0·40	1·72	Nil	Nil	0·79	273	176·49	237·71
15·50	8·65	11·10	12·75	8·78	10·95	8·50	5·61	8·19	1·75	1·08	4·21	0·75	0·10	0·43	Nil	Nil	0·20	68·00	44·13	59·13
17	12·91	10·86	9	6·03	10·64	7	4·13	10·00	4	3·80	3·90	Nil	Nil	0·31	Nil	Nil	0·10	56	43·27	53 29
13	7·69	13 93	12	5·21	12 56	9	5·26	9·86	3	2·30	3·55	Nil	Nil	0·28	1	0·13	0·06	58	37·68	54·70
13	8·80	12·81	9	7·68	12·45	5	3·80	10·98	2	1·48	3·99	Nil	Nil	0·36	Nil	Nil	0·05	51	42·06	56 07
20	15·69	11·11	14	8·34	10·15	11	8·45	9·38	3	3·18	3·19	Nil	Nil	0·33	Nil	Nil	0·10	65	51·42	52 66
16	8·76	11·65	15	6·02	10·26	7	3·66	6·84	2	0·82	4·03	Nil	Nil	0·69	Nil	Nil	0·13	57	39·44	52·54
16	10 71	10·06	14	11·45	10·57	5	2·04	6·88	Nil	Nil	3·81	Nil	Nil	0·58	Nil	Nil	0·14	56	40·25	52·82
95	64·58	70·42	73	45·33	66·63	44	29·34	53·22	14	11·28	20 47	Nil	Nil	2·75	1	0·13	0·54	341	244·14	326·06
15·84	10·76	11·74	12·17	7·56	11·11	7·33	4·89	8·87	2·33	1·88	3·41	Nil	Nil	0·46	0·17	0·02	0·10	56·83	40 69	54·35

(a) Represents total from September to December only.
(b) Readings were not taken owing to abolition of the Observatory staff.

Monthly and Annual Rainfall Table in the

Division.	District.	Station.	JANUARY.			FEBRUARY.			MARCH.			APRIL.			MAY.			JUNE.		
			Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.
Dacca.	Dacca	Munshiganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·49	2	2·50	1·93	Nil	0·05	3·02	7	10·00	5·37	12	16·25	10·16	10	14·86	14·36
		Dacca ...	Nil	Nil	0·36	4	1·57	1·21	Nil	0·08	2·59	8	6·15	5·09	11	7·81	10·06	12	7·85	13·89
		Nawabganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·21	3	1·16	0·91	1	0·65	3·75	8	10·13	7·31	12	11·74	9·05	8	6·15	16·21
		Narayanganj (Obsy.).	Nil	Nil	0·22	4	2·17	1·50	Nil	0·17	2·56	10	11·65	5·61	12	8·04	10·04	11	6·48	13·91
		Naraingdi ...	Nil	Nil	0·22	4	1·69	1·00	Nil	0·10	3·83	10	7·04	7·63	10	6·95	12·15	15	15·90	14·21
		Manikganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·42	5	1·98	1·17	1	0·19	1·82	9	6·16	4·30	14	11·25	9·34	10	7·47	11·53
		Joydebpur. ...	Nil	Nil	0·40	2	0·86	0·94	3	1·10	2·11	7	3·15	5·74	11	5·64	10·45	15	14·06	14·35
		Kapasia ...	Nil	Nil	0·45	2	1·23	0·64	1	0·60	2·15	10	7·09	7·05	15	9·03	9·68	14	13·24	15·08
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	2·87	26	13·15	8·44	6	3·03	21·33	69	61·37	48·10	97	76·31	80·91	95	90·96	115·44
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·36	3·25	1·64	1·06	0·75	0·38	2·67	8·63	7·67	6·01	12·12	9·54	10·11	11·88	11·37	14·43
	Mymensingh.	Kishorganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·57	4	1·36	0·88	2	0·46	2·27	8	2·53	6·15	10	12·70	12·26	15	21·36	18·32
		Atia (Tangail) ...	Nil	Nil	0·42	2	1·26	0·94	Nil	Nil	1·34	3	2·01	3·84	9	4·44	8·61	17	4·72	12·31
		Serisabari ...	Nil	Nil	0·27	2	0·34	0·64	1	0·15	1·33	3	1·59	3·89	6	4·39	9·29	11	18·81	13·32
		Mymensingh (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·39	5	1·31	1·00	2	0·74	2·11	7	1·93	5·17	11	11·56	12·50	13	14·62	19·03
		Jamalpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·40	3	1·49	0·90	1	0·42	1·40	5	1·95	3·53	9	4·49	10·15	18	17·66	15·07
		Netrakona ...	Nil	Nil	0·32	5	1·23	0·95	1	0·65	2·52	4	3·10	6·06	14	13·71	14·62	19	15·53	23·2
		Pingna ...	Nil	Nil	0·13	4	4·06	1·10	Nil	Nil	1·38	2	1·58	2·82	9	4·42	9·04	12	11·24	12·70
		Durgapur ...	Nil	Nil	0·39	3	0·63	0·74	1	0·82	2·29	9	8·75	5·67	11	10·41	16·70	14	13·24	27·26
		Sherpur (Town) ...	Nil	Nil	0·41	3	2·20	0·78	2	0·72	1·79	4	3·80	4·62	9	7·09	11·77	16	16·79	16·47
		Dewanganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·31	3	2·45	0·56	1	0·33	1·43	5	7·75	3·21	12	25·50	12·37	18	39·70	15·92
		Nalitabari ...	Nil	Nil	0·29	2	0·53	0·64	Nil	0·05	1·70	4	1·74	5·33	9	9·12	13·24	17	21·18	21·63
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	3·90	36	17·16	9·13	11	4·54	19·56	54	36·92	49·09	109	108·03	130·64	170	194 80	199·78
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·35	3·27	1·56	0·83	1·00	0·41	1·78	4·91	3·36	4·55	9·91	9·82	11·88	15·46	17·71	17·80
	Faridpur	Madaripur ...	Nil	Nil	0·30	4	0·99	1·06	1	0·14	2·41	10	9·43	4·20	7	3·46	8·51	12	8·51	12·76
		Faridpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·46	6	1·66	1·31	Nil	0·05	2·34	10	7·73	4·48	12	9·03	8·88	13	7·40	13·12
		Rajbari Goalundo	Nil	Nil	0·42	4	1·74	1·17	1	0·12	2·03	10	5·81	4·11	14	14·19	8 34	8	3·13	14·28
		Haridaspur ...	Nil	Nil	0·30	5	1·23	1·10	Nil	Nil	1·43	5	1·73	5·05	8	3·40	10·84	7	3·23	13·41
		Takerhat ...	Nil	Nil	0·30	4	0·98	0·78	1	0·15	1·51	8	5·49	5·74	10	5·44	11·72	15	11·94	20·04
		Bhanga ...	Nil	Nil	0·04	4	2·27	1·29	1	0·25	2·06	12	8·63	5·61	12	7·10	9·73	10	6·40	13·16
		Pangsa ...	Nil	Nil	0·10	4	7·55	0·92	Nil	0·02	2·23	6	7·11	3·35	13	13·70	8·84	10	10·39	14·86
		Balliakandi ...	Nil	Nil	0·30	6	2·77	1·21	Nil	Nil	2·42	7	11·06	4·60	13	1 ·54	10·77	7	4·11	16·07
		Bhuana ...	Nil	Nil	0·34	4	2·48	1·21	1	0·17	2·25	8	5·23	6·27	11	4·00	11·69	11	10·88	18·74
		Paieng ...	Nil	Nil	0·22	3	1·96	1·67	Nil	Nil	2·06	6	5·66	7·31	7	4·10	13·11	9	8·03	19·73
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	3·13	44	23·63	11·81	5	0·90	21·65	82	68·88	50·72	107	76·96	109·13	101	73·97	180·32
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·31	4·4	2·36	1·18	0·50	0·09	2·17	8·20	6·89	5·07	10·70	7·70	10·91	10·10	7·40	18·03
	Bakarganj.	Patuakhali ...	Nil	Nil	0·59	4	2·12	1·38	Nil	Nil	2·15	4	2·81	3·79	9	3·27	10·29	14	15·41	21·78
		Barguna ...	Nil	Nil	0·41	5	1·23	1·38	Nil	Nil	2·69	3	1·75	4·55	7	5·21	9·90	10	12·55	20·80
		Pirozpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·57	6	3··4	1·30	1	0·55	1·69	3	2·45	3·01	9	3·25	8·09	13	13·56	15·36
		Barisal (Obsy.) ...	Nil	Nil	0·48	3	1·30	1·10	Nil	Nil	2·42	3	3·06	3·95	7	2·13	8·86	13	13·02	16·59
		Gaurnadi ...	...	...	0·24	*	*	1·08	*	*	2·45	*	*	4·90	*	*	8 65	*	*	13·92
		Bhola ...	Nil	Nil	0·36	4	1·59	0 96	Nil	Nil	2·14	3	3·34	4·28	10	3·98	8·34	14	13·36	18·54
		Daulatkhan ...	Nil	Nil	0·28	3	1·37	1·01	Nil	0·03	1·87	4	4·72	5 47	9	5·45	11·02	16	14·66	21·29
		Bauphal ...	Nil	Nil	0·48	2	1·05	1·14	Nil	Nil	1·65	5	3·36	4·10	7	4·37	10·08	13	10·22	17·14
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	3·41	27	11·90	9·25	1	0·58	17·06	22	21·29	32·37	58	28·35	75·03	92	97·78	145·42
		District aver ge ...	Nil	Nil	0·43	3·66	1·70	1·16	0·14	0·08	2·13	3·14	3·04	4·17	8·28	4·05	9·38	13·14	13·97	18 18
Chittagong.	Chittagong.	Cox's Bazar (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·36	2	1·53	0·42	Nil	Nil	1·58	4	3·27	3·30	9	12·30	10 71	16	25·59	20·39
		Chittagong (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·40	3	1·03	1·06	Nil	Nil	2·40	4	4·98	4·70	10	5·97	9·82	18	29·53	21·87
		Kutubdia ...	Nil	Nil	0·39	2	0·55	0·59	Nil	Nil	2·11	4	3·76	3·76	11	7·95	11·10	15	25·93	22·90
		Satkania ...	Nil	Nil	0·24	3	1·45	0 37	Nil	Nil	1·92	3	3·10	4·17	12	7·85	9·28	16	28·18	19·58
		Kodala ...	Nil	Nil	0·25	4	1·02	0·84	Nil	0·07	2·88	3	1·88	5·24	11	4·54	10·47	16	19·16	17·90
		Mirsarai ...	Nil	Nil	0·11	5	2·21	0·86	Nil	Nil	2·55	5	5·62	6·04	11	6·10	10·67	22	23·62	22·59
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	1·75	18	8·69	4·14	Nil	0·07	13·41	23	22·49	26·91	64	44·71	62·05	103	151·96	135·13
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·29	3·00	1·45	0·69	Nil	0·01	2·24	3·84	3·75	4·48	10·67	7·45	10·34	17·50	25·33	22·52
	Tippera	Comilla (Obsy.) ...	Nil	Nil	0·45	2	0·85	1·03	Nil	Nil	2 82	4	4·49	5·95	12	9·09	12·00	13	19·80	18·05
		Chandpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·45	2	1·68	1·09	2	0·94	2·85	4	4·71	5·14	10	7·96	9·52	8	9·73	15·66
		Brahmanbaria ...	Nil	Nil	0·54	4	1·38	1·18	2	2·30	3·82	6	5·89	6·33	13	8·71	12·69	19	20·81	15·85
		Ramchandrapur ...	Nil	Nil	0·37	2	1·56	0·99	Nil	Nil	2·43	5	2·14	7·24	9	6·93	11·02	14	13·92	16·29
		Nasirnagar ...	Nil	Nil	0·40	2	0·25	0·96	1	0·28	2·94	9	4·40	9·03	7	10·83	13·45	10	14·01	16·24
		Daudkandi ...	Nil	Nil	0 41	2	2·18	0·94	2	0·81	2·27	8	7·67	4·43	15	6·76	9 26	11	10 37	14·38
		Kasba ...	Nil	Nil	0·75	2	0 68	0·96	Nil	Nil	3·13	5	4·11	7·00	9	5·47	11·16	14	16·30	15·80
		Laksam ...	Nil	Nil	0·50	2	0·85	1·25	Nil	Nil	2·27	4	4·60	5·60	4	2·53	11·42	12	13·84	16·43
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	3·27	18	9·43	8·40	7	4·23	22·55	45	38·01	50·72	78	57·57	90·54	101	117·48	128 40
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·41	2·25	1·18	1·05	0·88	0·53	2·82	5·62	4·75	6·34	9·75	7·20	11 32	12·63	14·68	16·05

* Rain gauge was out of order.

Province of Bengal for the year 1923.

JULY.			AUGUST.			SEPTEMBER.			OCTOBER.			NOVEMBER.			DECEMBER.			ANNUAL.		
Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.
19	7·71	13·78	21	18·18	13·72	14	10·73	10·56	6	6·59	5·28	Nil	Nil	1·09	Nil	Nil	0·23	91	86·87	79·24
21	8·82	13·68	17	15·65	12·92	8	5·17	9·15	5	5·56	4·41	Nil	0·10	0·88	Nil	0·03	0·18	86	68·78	73·43
12	8·38	13·69	17	12·03	11·21	6	8·43	5·66	5	2·91	4·32	Nil	Nil	0·39	Nil	Nil	0·22	79	61·73	73 01
19	9·27	13·78	23	15·01	13·27	9	7·51	9·64	4	1·67	4·99	2	0·39	1·12	Nil	0·05	0·24	94	62·44	76·76
17	8.80	11·01	18	16·34	11·64	13	9·53	8·01	8	5·87	4·98	1	0·40	1·11	Nil	0·03	0·44	96	72·04	77·71
13	13·56	11·51	17	8·92	11·36	7	3·44	8·23	4	4·28	4·02	1	0·20	0·95	Nil	Nil	0·16	81	57·40	65·01
19	16·51	13·98	17	14·09	14 00	9	6·34	9·71	5	2 08	4·44	1	0·50	1·07	Nil	Nil	0·12	89	64·41	76·25
17	9·08	14·39	15	9·14	13·85	10	7·22	8·66	5	4·37	4·87	Nil	Nil	0 89	Nil	Nil	0·24	89	66·00	76·25
137	82·14	103·67	145	109·35	101·17	76	58·40	) 69·62	42	33·26	37·20	5	1·59	7·60	Nil	0·09	1·93	698	539·67	597·77
17·12	10·27	12·36	18·18	13·87	12·65	9·50	7·30	8·70	5·25	4·16	4·66	0·62	0·20	0·87	Nil	0·01	0·24	87·25	66·21	74·72
17	6·50	14·23	20	8·45	14·89	16	10·74	12·64	5	1·96	5·37	2	0·66	0·77	Nil	Nil	0·21	99	66·72	88·56
16	5·67	10·94	12	8·34	11·07	7	4·02	8·58	3	1·22	4·26	1	0·40	0·55	Nil	Nil	0·11	70	52·18	62·67
9	8·84	13·78	9	6·17	13·65	12	5·23	8·10	1	0·95	3·58	Nil	Nil	0·33	Nil	Nil	0·39	54	47·47	67·17
15	8·17	16·16	17	12·12	15·26	17	17·64	14·11	3	0·53	5·31	Nil	0·07	0·89	Nil	Nil	0·11	90	68·69	92·06
15	6·44	13·95	18	11·99	13·70	15	9 55	12·80	1	0·13	4·86	1	0·24	0 45	Nil	Nil	0·15	86	54·26	77·36
21	13·36	19·95	19	15·97	20·75	18	18·54	15·01	3	1·81	6·44	1	0·15	0·85	Nil	Nil	0·14	105	82·05	111·02
12	9·29	9·47	10	5·98	13·49	7	7·35	6 68	2	5·21	3·25	Nil	Nil	0·00	Nil	Nil	0·06	56	49·13	60·06
22	20·87	29·89	24	22·84	30·06	8	10·15	19 46	2	0·55	6·62	Nil	Nil	0·47	Nil	Nil	0·04	94	88·46	139·59
14	5·17	17·30	20	20·34	16·65	13	11 55	13·18	3	2·63	4·93	Nil	Nil	0·47	Nil	Nil	0·05	84	71·38	88·32
18	18·20	14·17	11	18·40	13·80	10	24·57	11·52	2	1·95	4·94	Nil	0·05	0·85	Nil	Nil	0·04	80	139·10	78·92
19	9 85	20·28	15	12·37	20·07	13	27·41	14·85	1	2·10	4·89	Nil	Nil	0·62	Nil	Nil	0·05	80	84·30	103·59
178	113 56	180·12	175	140·97	183·49	136	147·45	134·88	36	19·04	54·42	5	1·57	5·95	Nil	Nil	1·37	900	783·84	969·23
16·18	10·31	16·37	15·91	12·82	16·68	12·36	13·40	12·26	2·36	1·73	4 95	0·46	0·14	0·54	Nil	Nil	0·12	81·82	71·26	88·11
12	12·65	12·46	17	10·64	11·85	10	4·10	8·33	4	3 23	4·52	1	0·26	0·83	Nil	Nil	0·17	78	53·41	67·60
15	10·64	12·70	15	7·88	12·17	7	3·78	9·24	3	2·16	4·50	1	0·26	0·99	Nil	0·02	0·15	81	50·61	70·96
17	9·63	10·94	20	8·92	10·66	10	6·58	8·07	4	1·50	4·11	1	0·32	0·94	Nil	0·02	0·13	89	51·94	63·33
16	10·01	12·84	25	10·94	14·13	11	7·52	6 34	6	3·46	5 13	1	0·65	0·94	Nil	0·05	0·31	94	42·22	73·49
11	11·47	13·20	17	11·24	15·09	8	3·36	7·37	4	4·31	4·29	1	0·18	0·81	Nil	0·06	0·32	79	54·63	81·02
14	5·92	10·06	16	8·70	12·79	11	5·29	6·29	8	5·16	5·67	1	0·37	0·35	Nil	0·05	0·28	89	50·23	67·36
21	17·30	12·12	21	13·64	11·79	11	10·79	5·89	3	1·13	4·73	Nil	Nil	0·77	Nil	Nil	0·36	89	81·03	65·47
20	14·95	12·08	21	11·78	12·03	10	11·07	6·15	3	4 66	5·81	Nil	Nil	0·39	Nil	Nil	0·74	87	73·84	72·67
17	9·53	10·69	21	9·11	13·06	9	3·49	7·58	4	3·28	6·72	1	1·17	0·84	Nil	Nil	0·37	87	49·39	74·76
13	16·54	15·95	17	12·32	17·22	7	4·75	6·37	4	2·95	6·99	2	0·17	0·78	Nil	0·06	0·43	68	56·54	92·84
136	118·64	123·04	190	105·26	130·79	94	60·70	71·13	43	31·84	53·47	9	3·48	7·44	Nil	0·28	3·28	831	564·44	727·91
15·60	11·86	12·30	19·00	10·52	13·08	9 40	6·07	7·11	4·30	3·18	5·25	0·90	0·34	0·76	Nil	0·03	0·33	83·10	56·44	72·79
28	40 25	21·57	28	37·44	18·75	13	10·89	13·40	7	2·39	7·59	6	3·75	1·57	Nil	Nil	0·46	113	118·23	103·89
26	42·48	22·47	24	32·55	18·07	9	4·65	11·79	3	1·33	7·73	3	1·48	0·59	Nil	Nil	0·31	87	103·45	100·69
20	19·95	15·93	27	19·21	13·57	9	4·05	10·32	4	5·02	5·46	3	2 90	1·15	1	0·20	0·25	96	73 38	76·71
22	22·14	15·95	26	24·40	13·28	9	5·65	11·16	5	3·05	5·64	6	5·10	1·35	Nil	0·11	0·34	96	80·65	80 87
*	*	13·71	*	*	12·81	*	*	8·76	(2)	(0·49)	4·56	(3)	(1·33)	1·11	Nil	(0·08)	0·17	(5)(a)	(2·90)(a)	71·66
25	19·28	17·86	25	18·41	16·72	14	8·86	11 55	3	2·81	6·14	3	3·31	1·35	Nil	0·05	0·37	100	74·98	88·39
23	22·39	19·15	23	23·83	18·72	17	12·73	12·33	5	2·43	7·05	7	4·14	1·32	Nil	0·09	0·39	107	91·84	99·80
24	28·19	18·82	26	28·96	18·10	12	9·75	12·93	3	1·90	6·87	5	2·52	1·28	Nil	Nil	0·45	94	98·32	93·94
167	191·78	145·16	181	184·80	139·97	83	56·57	92·24	32	19·62	51·04	34	25·53	9·72	1	0·53	2·64	698	641·73	714·31
23·86	27·83	18·14	25·86	26·40	16·25	11·86	8·08	11·53	4·29	2·78	6·38	4·43	3·82	1·21	0·14	0·08	0·83	99·00	91·26	89·39
25	42·74	28·13	24	42·74	28·02	11	10·09	14·58	10	6·73	8·24	4	2·31	2·49	1	0·53	0·42	106	147·82	138·31
21	30·72	23 52	19	27·29	20·89	13	21·52	12·50	8	9·02	7·19	5	6·24	1·73	1	0·52	0·68	103	136 82	106·86
25	3v 84	28·78	24	61·16	24·42	8	21·37	11·96	9	7·53	7·12	3	1·98	2·32	1	0·45	0·61	103	170·52	116·08
19	34·09	24·27	19	39·10	19·47	14	23·68	11·24	7	11·25	6·77	5	2·05	1·71	1	0·15	0·45	101	150·94	99·47
23	17·72	20·24	22	27·02	18·49	14	13·79	11·23	9	4·83	6·69	6	3·72	1·81	1	0·65	0·72	109	95·28	96·85
22	29 75	25·74	17	29·26	25·41	11	13·78	15·40	10	12·38	7·82	4	4·47	1·55	1	0·22	0·54	108	127·41	119·28
135	194·85	160·78	125	226·57	136·70	71	101·28	76·90	53	51·83	43·84	27	20·87	11·62	6	2·53	3·42	627	828·79	676·65
22·50	32·47	26·80	20·83	37·76	22·78	11 83	17·37	12·82	8·83	8·04	7·31	4·50	3·48	1·94	1·00	0·42	0·57	104·50	138·13	112·78
25	19·80	15·85	12	12·90	16·67	9	8·78	10·53	6	4·73	5·80	2	2·41	1·02	Nil	0·09	0·38	85	82·53	90·33
16	14 98	14·29	18	17·27	16·32	9	6·39	10·39	4	2·10	5·81	3	1·00	0·90	Nil	0·08	0·27	76	66 14	82·27
17	6·90	11·95	17	15·72	12·22	10	7·03	10·19	5	2·80	5·21	4	1·35	0·78	Nil	Nil	0·26	96	72·59	80·32
16	5·86	12·97	19	18·63	13·27	8	7·09	9·15	2	1·23	5·69	1	0·40	1·15	Nil	Nil	0·11	74	57·76	80·58
8	4·68	11·89	19	10·70	11·84	9	8·25	10·63	1	1·26	5·05	Nil	Nil	0·82	Nil	Nil	0·19	66	54·85	83·48
20	9·39	13·15	19	18·49	12·10	8	5·97	8·00	3	1 55	4·08	2	0·38	0 93	Nil	Nil	0·13	100	63·47	70·07
13	10·83	11 82	15	10·61	11·85	7	4·24	8·95	3	4·49	4·41	1	1·30	1·13	Nil	Nil	0·28	69	57·03	76 52
22	17·78	18·69	14	18·43	17·79	6	4·27	10·86	1	0·62	5·67	4	3·31	1·07	Nil	Nil	0·25	69	66·23	91·80
147	89·81	109·71	133	132·75	112·06	66	52·02	78·70	25	18·78	41·39	17	10·15	7·80	Nil	0·17	1·83	637	590·40	655·37
18·37	11·35	13·71	16·63	15·34	14·01	8·25	6·50	9·84	3·13	2·35	5·17	2·12	1·27	0·97	Nil	0·02	0·23	79·63	62·06	81·92

(a) Represents total for the months of October to December.

Monthly and Annual Rainfall Table in the

Division.	District.	Station.	January.			February.			March.			April.			May.			June.		
			Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.
Chittagong.	Noakhali	Noakhali (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·36	2	0·61	1·15	Nil	0·04	2·87	3	2·46	5·21	9	7·69	11·35	15	14·18	23·47
		Feni ...	Nil	Nil	0·46	2	1·16	1·03	1	0·16	3·20	4	4·61	6·02	8	5·49	11·53	21	22·62	22·08
		Harishpur ...	Nil	Nil	0·29	2	1·36	0·92	Nil	0·07	2·21	3	5·07	4·83	12	3·98	10·90	12	17·80	22·20
		Ramganj ...	Nil	Nil	0·27	2	2·49	1·09	1	0·20	2·93	3	4·13	4·55	9	6·11	9·89	15	19·84	16·49
		Chhagalnaiya ...	Nil	Nil	0·20	4	2·67	1·00	1	0·24	2·59	4	7·16	6·35	11	7·38	12·05	19	22·70	20·56
		Hatiya ...	Nil	Nil	0·18	2	0·75	1·10	Nil	Nil	1·83	4	8·60	5·67	9	7·53	10·71	13	20·26	22·13
		Lakhmipur ...	Nil	Nil	0·27	2	0·67	1·13	Nil	Nil	2·11	3	2·64	6·23	6	7·32	10·72	8	10·68	20·31
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	1·93	16	9·71	7·43	3	0·71	17·74	32	34·87	40·96	64	46·63	77·15	101	130·47	148·24
		District average...	Nil	Nil	0·28	2·29	1·39	1·06	0·43	0·10	2·53	3·14	4·98	5·85	9·14	6·52	11·02	14·43	17·21	21·18
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	Nil	Nil	0·33	6	4·27	1·07	Nil	0·08	2·91	4	3·63	4·81	12	11·83	10·16	20	22·60	17·84
		Bandarban ...	Nil	Nil	0·20	3	2·19	0·53	Nil	Nil	2·81	7	6·24	4·55	9	7·95	10·94	14	16·91	20·06
		Barkal ...	Nil	Nil	0·18	3	1·52	1·09	Nil	Nil	2·73	6	4·63	6·47	9	11·99	9·54	16	17·49	19·06
		Mahalchari ...	Nil	Nil	(a)	2	0·20	(a)	Nil	Nil	(a)	2	2·79	(a)	7	5·46	(a)	15	15·90	(a)
		Lama ...	Nil	Nil	(a)	1	0·48	(a)	Nil	Nil	(a)	5	4·80	(a)	12	11·93	(a)	19	21·89	(a)
		Rangarh ...	Nil	Nil	(a)	3	2·38	(a)	Nil	Nil	(a)	4	5·94	(a)	7	4·88	(a)	12	16·69	(a)
		Manikseri ...	Nil	Nil	(a)	5	4·71	(a)	1	0·84	(a)	3	3·33	(a)	10	4·77	(a)	20	23·68	(a)
		Dighinala ...	Nil	Nil	(a)	2	1·11	(a)	Nil	Nil	(a)	5	3·71	(a)	7	3·79	(a)	21	13·79	(a)
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	0·71	24	16·81	2·69	1	0·96	8·45	37	33·06	16·13	73	62·36	30·64	137	158·90	56·96
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·24	3·00	2·10	0·89	0·13	0·12	2·82	4·63	4·13	5·38	9·12	7·80	10·21	17·13	19·86	18·99
	Hill Tippera.	Agartala ...	Nil	Nil	0·43	3	2·22	0·66	1	0·18	3·74	10	9·65	6·24	11	7·23	11·63	17	18·77	15·47
	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata ...	Nil	Nil	0·43	4	1·21	0·66	1	0·12	1·88	9	5·27	4·31	21	28·67	14·02	19	13·45	26·02
		Cooch Behar (Obsy.)	Nil	Nil	0·33	3	1·61	0·65	Nil	Nil	1·90	10	8·72	5·70	22	23·72	15·66	19	20·31	31·98
		Mekligunj ...	Nil	Nil	0·29	2	1·19	0·66	Nil	Nil	1·42	11	8·89	3·64	20	13·56	13·01	16	11·32	24·84
		Mathabhanga ...	Nil	Nil	0·29	3	1·22	0·70	Nil	Nil	1·81	12	5·67	4·29	21	14·67	13·42	18	20·87	27·75
		Tufanganj (Tufanigunj).	Nil		0·31	5	1·66	0·87	Nil	Nil	1·80	11	8·35	5·45	20	25·08	16·47	19	26·34	27·72
		Total ...	Nil	Nil	1·85	17	6·89	3·54	1	0·12	8·58	53	35·90	24·39	104	105·70	71·58	91	94·29	138·01
		District average ...	Nil	Nil	0·33	3·40	1·38	0·71	0·20	0·04	1·71	10·60	7·18	4·88	20·80	21·14	14·32	18·20	18·86	27·60

(a) Not ascertained.

DACCA,
The 11th March 1924.

Province of Bengal, for the year 1923.

JULY.			AUGUST.			SEPTEMBER.			OCTOBER.			NOVEMBER.			DECEMBER.			ANNUAL.		
Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.	Number of rainy days.	Rainfall.	Normal rainfall.
26	28·72	24·58	22	21·51	26·12	17	12·37	16·48	6	4·12	7·88	5	1·68	1·59	Nil	0·04	0·47	104	103·55	121·63
22	17·05	24 89	19	21·86	24·50	9	7·21	13 97	3	2·27	7·40	6	3·10	2·00	Nil	0·05	0·58	95	86·98	118·05
25	20·52	26·97	19	20·55	27·17	13	12·50	17·01	7	8·11	9·44	2	1·60	1·58	Nil	0·05	0·52	95	99·31	130·04
24	16·79	16·96	26	27·28	17·90	9	4·00	11·31	6	4·49	6·15	4	5 00	1·09	1	0·10	0·25	97	83·15	88·88
27	18·26	24·03	29	22·81	23·06	9	11·25	15·11	6	5·27	8·60	5	5·52	1·65	Nil	Nil	0·44	106	103·26	115·64
26	29·40	27·29	21	35·85	26·94	11	9·30	16·16	12	18·00	9·79	4	3·45	1·06	2	0·40	0·49	104	136·73	123·35
13	13·81	20·19	14	27·26	19·66	5	4·30	13·83	2	3·93	7·15	1	0·60	1·23	Nil	Nil	0·30	54	71·21	103·03
163	146·65	166·50	143	195·82	164·35	73	61·63	101·67	42	47·19	56·41	27	20·95	11·20	3	0·64	3·05	687	684·17	796·62
23·29	20·94	23·78	20·43	27·97	23·48	10·43	8·81	14·52	6·00	6·74	8·06	3·86	2·99	1·60	0·43	0·09	0 44	98·86	97·74	113·80
26	13 19	18·84	22	20·93	17·46	14	18·60	11·69	11	11·03	6·44	6	4·89	1·66	1	0·61	0·62	132	111·66	93·83
20	19·76	21·81	25	25·03	16·90	15	11·31	13·34	10	7·03	7·17	1	1·05	1·61	1	0·46	0·59	105	98·52	100·07
20	8·81	21·99	20	15·91	19·19	14	14·89	14·34	10	13·00	7·41	4	2·39	1·67	1	0·65	0·82	102	90·48	104·49
17	13·72	(n)	22	20·74	(n)	9	9·14	(n)	8	5·77	(n)	3	3·75	(n)	1	0·49	(n)	88	75·86	(n)
27	44·82	(n)	25	45·81	(n)	16	14·75	(n)	8	6·29	(n)	4	2·32	(n)	1	0·75	(n)	118	163·88	(n)
19	18·01	(n)	13	23·77	(n)	8	9·40	(n)	1	2·70	(n)	6	2·65	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	73	84·32	(n)
15	15·82	(n)	22	20·69	(n)	12	16·71	(n)	7	6·16	(n)	4	2·38	(n)	1	0·39	(n)	103	99·47	(n)
19	5·05	(n)	27	14·41	(n)	13	13·13	(n)	7	5·06	(n)	7	4·58	(n)	Nil	Nil	(n)	109	64·86	(n)
166	139·18	62·64	176	187·89	53·61	101	107·97	38·37	62	54·04	21·02	37	24·23	5·14	6	3·84	2·08	880	768·75	298·39
20·75	17·40	20·88	22·00	23·48	17·57	12·62	13·80	12·79	7·75	6·75	7·00	4·63	3·03	1·71	0·75	0·42	0·68	102·50	96·59	99·46
21	11·47	12·14	22	18·13	11·84	11	4·11	9·42	6	6·74	5·15	3	0·65	1·06	Nil	0·04	0·32	105	79·20	78·75
18	15·09	19·09	11	6·77	17·57	15	31·60	19·43	3	4·13	5·42	Nil	Nil	0·27	Nil	Nil	0·11	101	106·81	108·97
19	23·33	27·39	13	8·01	22·99	14	24·58	23·22	4	5·98	5·66	Nil	Nil	0·20	Nil	Nil	0·10	104	122·76	135·96
22	21·84	23·50	15	11·90	23·51	17	27·00	17·29	3	2·89	4·96	Nil	Nil	0·16	1	0·22	0·13	107	96·35	111·11
22	25·19	26·04	14	11·35	22·60	14	21·70	19·01	4	4·25	5·35	Nil	Nil	0·21	Nil	Nil	0·09	108	104·94	122·36
16	17·38	27·37	15	13·03	20·57	15	29·42	23·89	2	3·10	6·31	Nil	Nil	0·39	1	0·21	0·18	104	126·47	152·33
97	101·77	125·39	68	51·00	106·24	75	144·30	103·43	16	18·25	28·10	Nil	Nil	1·23	2	0·42	0·61	524	558·81	610·75
19·40	20·35	24·68	13·60	10·21	21·25	15·00	28·86	20·69	3·20	3·67	5·62	Nil	Nil	0·24	0·40	0·09	0·12	104·80	111·76	122·15

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Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 8th March 1924.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
2nd March ...	7 A.M.	6·0	6·0	6·0	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
3rd ,, ...	7 ,,	6·0	6·0	6·2	
4th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·1	6·1	6·5	The bench mark for this gauge is marked on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
5th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·3	6·3	6·6	
6th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·3	6·3	6·8	
7th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·5	6·5	6·7	
8th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·7	6·7	6·6	

Highest water level of the year	...	24·1.
Lowest water level of the year	...	5·7.
Highest recorded flood	...	24·1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood	...	25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Lowest recorded water-level	...	5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923.
Previous recorded low water-level	...	1·0 on the 8th February 1914.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909

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RAJBARI, *the 8th March 1924.* *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 8th March 1924.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks
1924.					
2nd March ...	7 A M.	38·15	38·15	36·65	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet above Kidderpur old dock sill.
3rd ,, ...	7 ,,	38·10	38·10	36·65	
4th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·10	38·10	36·65	
5th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·05	38·05	36·70	B. M. on Rajshahi College step 64·93.
6th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·05	38·05	36·70	
7th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·05	38·05	36·75	Value of zero = 0·00 P. W. D.
8th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·10	38·10	36·80	

			Old value.	According to P. W. Datum.
The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...		on 27th August 1923	... 61·05
Do. ...	Lowest ,, ...		on 4th May 1923	... 35·80
Record ...	Highest ,, ...	69·25	on 26th August 1879	... 64·44
Do ...	Ditto ,, ...	69·08	on 9th September 1885	... 64·27
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	68·30	on 25th August 1906	... 63·47
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	68·21	on 26th August 1890	... 63·40
Do. ...	Lowest ,, ...	37·68	on 25th April 1884	... 32·82
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	38·18	on 14th and 15th April 1883	... 33·32
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	39·02	on 21st and 22nd April 1897	... 34·21
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	39·28	on 6th and 7th May 1908	... 34·47
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...		on 9th May 1922	... 34·70

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer,*

RAMPUR BOALIA, *the 8th March 1924.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 8th March 1924.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1924.							
2nd Mar.	52·0	8-25	53·0	15-20	51·05	51·6	H. T. at 8 35. F. T. at 15-35.
3rd ,, ...	51·9	9-20	53·1	16-15	51·2	51·4	H. T. at 9-28. F. T. at 16-30.
4th ,, ...	51·7	10-25	53·15	17-10	51·45	51·5	H. T. at 10-37. F. T. at 17-32.
5th ,, ...	51·65	11-40	53·2	18-15	51·5	51·75	H. T. at 11-53. F. T. at 18-28.
6th ,, ...	51·5	12-35	53·2	Dark		52·2	H. T. at 13-45.
7th ,, ...	51 85	13 30	53·25	7 15	51·7	52·4	H. T. at 13-40. F. T. at 7-30.
8th ,, ...	52·2	14-20	53·35	8-5	51·05	52·7	H. T. at 14-30. F. T. at 8-12.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

High.				Low.			
27th August	1906	...	70·5	28rd February	1907	...	51·06
5th September	1909	...	67·86	18th ,,	1908	...	51·06
10th August	1910	...	69·86	12th March	1912	...	51·06
1st ,,	1911	...	68·46	6th ,,	1914	...	50·60
18th ,,	1912	...	67·16	22nd February	1915	...	50·80
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7	15th ,,	1916	...	50·60
18th ,,	1916	...	68·1	3rd March	1917	...	51·0
12th ,,	1917	...	67·1	21st February	1918	...	51·40
31st ,,	1918	...	69·12	26th ,,	1919	...	50·4
2nd ,,	1919	...	66·5	18th ,,	1920	...	50·9
8th September	1920	...	66·9	19th ,,	1921	...	50·9
28th July	1921	...	68·4	8th March	1922	...	51·05
10th August	1922	...	68·00				

Taken at high tide.

Taken at low tide.

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48 51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

A. N. GHOSAL, for *Executive Engineer*,
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 15th March 1924.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Government of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

during April 1924.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
April.	HOURS.		
2nd, Wednesday ...	15-15	Leave Sealdah ...	By special train. Private departure.
	20-35	Arrive Santahar.	
	21-25	Leave Santahar.	

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
April.	HOURS.		
3rd, Thursday ...	7-20	Arrive Siliguri.	
	7-30	Leave Siliguri ...	By motor-car.
	11-30	Arrive Darjeeling ...	Private arrival.

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Private Secretary.

Major H. G. Benton, Military Secretary (offg.).

Captain S. B. Horn, M.C., Aide-de-Camp.

Captain R. A. deSalis, Aide-de-Camp.

(2) All letters and telegrams should be addressed to Governor's Camp Bengal, *without the name of any post town.*

H. G. BENTON, MAJOR,
Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bengal (offg.).

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, *the 19th March 1924.*

No. 1839A.R.—The 20th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 36 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to appoint the following three persons as Commissioners to enquire into the petition presented by Maulvi Abdul Hakim Mukhtar against the election of Mr. Altaf Ali to the Bengal Legislative Council by the Mymensingh East Muhammadan Constituency :—

Mr. Muhammad Yusuf, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Mymensingh (President).

Mr. Kedar Nath Chaudhuri, First Additional District and Sessions Judge, Mymensingh.

Rai Sarada Prosad Sen Bahadur, Retired District and Sessions Judge.

His Excellency the Governor is further pleased, under rule 38 of the said rules, to appoint Mymensingh as the place where the enquiry shall be held.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

No. 4767A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4504A.—The 15th March 1924.*—Babu Gyanada Prasad Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is transferred to the headquarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

Howrah. 24-Parganas.

No. 4566A.—The 19th March 1924.—Mr. P. H. Waddell, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 4569A.—The 19th March 1924.—Mr. Sukumar Sen, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Tippera, is appointed to have charge of the Kurigaon subdivision of the Rangpur district.

Rangpur.

No. 4572A.—The 19th March 1924.—Mr. P. J. Griffiths, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Dacca, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of the Midnapore district.

Dacca.
Midnapore.

No. 4578A.—The 19th March 1924.—Mr. K. A. L. Hill, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Dacca, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of the Burdwan district.

Dacca.
Burdwan.

No. 4601A.—The 19th March 1924.—Babu Lal Bihari Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kurigaon, Rangpur, is appointed to have charge of the Thakurgaon subdivision of the Dinajpur district.

Rangpur.
Dinajpur.

No. 4603A.—The 19th March 1924.—Babu Manohar Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Thakurgaon, Dinajpur, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district.

Dinajpur.
Chittagong.

No. 4606A.—The 19th March 1924.—Babu Bhabesh Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Rajshahi district.

Mymensingh.
Rajshahi.

No. 4609A.—The 19th March 1924.—Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Mymensingh district.

Burdwan.
Mymensingh.

No. 4612A.—The 19th March 1924.—Babu Binod Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Dinajpur district.

Dinajpur.

No. 4655A.—The 20th March 1924.—Mr. P. E. Cammiade, I.C.S., on leave, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 4661A.—The 20th March 1924.—Maulvi Kabiruddin Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, Feni, Noakhali, is transferred to the Rajshahi Division.

Noakhali.
Rajshahi.

No. 4711A.—The 22nd March 1924.—Mr. W. H. Thompson, I.C.S., is appointed substantively to the grade of Magistrates and Collectors with effect from the 30th December 1923.

POLICE.—*No. 4552A.—The 18th March 1924.*—Mr. C. E. Ezechiel, Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed temporarily to act as Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Presidency Range.

Presidency Range.

This cancels notification No. 3672A., dated the 29th February 1924.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 4589A.—The 19th March 1924.*—The Reverend E. R. Wilkinson, Chaplain of Barrackpore and Dum-Dum, is appointed to be Chaplain of Lebong Cantonment (Darjeeling), with effect from the 25th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Darjeeling.
24-Parganas.

No. 4592A.—The 19th March 1924.—The Reverend W. C. Young, Chaplain of Darjeeling and Lebong Cantonment, is appointed to be Chaplain of Barrackpore and Dum-Dum, with effect from the 25th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Darjeeling.
24-Parganas.

No. 4597A.—The 19th March 1924.—The Reverend Canon W. A. H. Parker, officiating Archdeacon of Calcutta, is appointed to be Chaplain of Darjeeling, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 25th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Darjeeling.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 4526A.—The 17th March 1924.*—Mr. L. S. S. O'Malley, C.I.E., I.C.S., is allowed leave on average pay for six months and twenty-three days under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for two months and eight days under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules or the amount due on the date of relief, with effect from the 26th March 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 4545A.—The 18th March 1924.—Mr. J. G. Drummond, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Dacca, is allowed leave for seven months and ten days, viz., leave on average pay for three months and twenty-three days (of which one month and nine days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 10th April 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Dacca.

No. 4548A.—The 18th March 1924.—Mr. Nilkanta Mahadeva Ayyar, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Bankura, on settlement training, is allowed leave on average pay for ten weeks, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st April 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Bankura.

No. 4631A.—The 19th March 1924.—In modification of the orders of the 12th March 1924, Mr. F. B. Bradley-Birt, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Rajshahi, is allowed leave on average pay for seven months, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st April 1924 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Rajshahi.

No. 4651A.—The 20th March 1924.—In supersession of the orders contained in notification No. 11554A., dated the 27th October 1923, Mr. Nrisinha Ranjan Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months (of which five months and twenty-eight days are on account of privilege leave at his credit), under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and note thereunder, with effect from the 10th November 1923.

POLICE.—*No. 4537A.—The 17th March 1924.*—Mr. R. N. Robertson, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 28th January 1924.

Calcutta.

No. 4559A.—The 18th March 1924.—Babu Raghabendra Nath Banarji, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under article 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st March 1924.

Darjeeling.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4642A.—The 20th March 1924.—Babu Haripada Mukharji, head master, Zilla School, Birbhum, having passed an examination in the Santhali language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, is authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 1,000.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under Rule 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

PRESENT :

1. G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge of the 24-Parganas ... *President.*
2. G. B. Mumford, Esq., I.C.S., Additional District Judge of Hooghly ... ... } *Commissioners.*
3. Rai Girindra Nath Mukerjee Bahadur ... ...

Election Case No. 8 of 1924.

Amulya Dhone Addy

versus

Mr. Byomkesh Chakravarty.
Raja Reshee Case Law, C.I.E.
Mr. Murali Dhar Roy.

Report.

This election petition concerns the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce Special Constituency. It appears that a number of firms are members of the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce. When the electoral roll of this special constituency was prepared, 118 firms or companies were placed on the roll out of a total of 180. Sixty-two persons were entered by their names as electors. There were four candidates on the date of the election to the Bengal Legislative Council. Mr. Byomkesh Chakravarty and Raja Reshee Case Law obtained a majority of votes and were declared elected. The petitioner was an unsuccessful candidate. He filed the present application making the other three candidates parties. There was no allegation against Raja Reshee Case Law and Mr. Murali Dhar Roy, the respondents Nos. 2 and 3. Mr. Murali Dhar Roy did not appear. Raja Reshee Case Law appeared on the first date, but as the petition was not pressed against him he was allowed to depart.

The petition proceeded only against Mr. Byomkesh Chakravarty. The main contention raised by the petitioner is that Mr. Chakravarty is not entitled to be a candidate by reason of the fact that his name does not appear on the electoral roll, though the Bengal National Bank, Limited, of which he is a director, is on the roll. The petitioner also pleaded that firms and companies are not entitled to be registered as electors in the electoral roll and all votes purporting to have been exercised on their behalf ought to be rejected. Certain other allegations were made ; but it is not necessary to mention them as they were not pressed. The reply of Mr. Byomkesh Chakravarty is that the petition is out of time, that the petitioner, not having objected to his nomination at the scrutiny of the nomination papers, has waived his right to question the nomination and election, that the Bengal National Bank, Limited, is an ordinary member of the constituency known as the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce Constituency and is therefore rightly registered as an elector and that he as director of the aforesaid bank is duly qualified to be nominated and elected and returned as member of the Bengal Legislative Council. It was mentioned that in other Commerce and Industry Constituencies firms and companies are registered as electors in the rolls of such constituencies. The following issues were framed by us :—

(1) Is the petition barred by time ?
(2) Was Mr. Byomkesh Chakravarty properly nominated in view of the fact that his name does not appear in the electoral roll ?

(3) Were there any votes improperly received—
  (*1*) either because they were votes given by firms and companies, or
  (*2*) because the votes were tampered with ?

(4) Was Regulation LVI complied with ? If not, was the result of the election materially affected thereby ?

At the time of the hearing the petitioner gave up issues 3 (*2*) and 4, but an additional issue was framed as follows :—

(5) Has the petitioner waived his right, if any, to question the nomination, election and return of the respondent ?
  Has he acquiesced in the correctness of the electoral roll, and is he precluded from now questioning its correctness ?

Issue No. 1.—The election petition was filed on 2nd January 1924. Mr. Chakravarty filed the return of his election expenses on the 14th December 1923. It appears that the intervening days between the 28th December 1923 and 2nd January 1924 were notified by the Local Government as days to be observed as holidays in Government offices. We have examined the notification and we have no hesitation in holding that the petition is in time.

Issue Nos. 2 and 3.—Rule 8 (*2*) of the Bengal Electoral Rules states that the qualifications of an elector for a special constituency shall be the qualifications specified in schedule II in the case of that constituency. Turning to the Schedule II, 13 (*2*) we find that " *life* and *ordinary members* of the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce.....shall be qualified as electors for the Constituency comprising.....the Chamber of which they are members ".

Provided *that no person shall be* so qualified *who has not a place of residence* in India.

There is an explanation which runs :—

" Explanation—Member, life member, ordinary member include—

(*a*) in the case of a firm, any one partner in the firm, or if *no such partner is present in Calcutta at the date fixed for the election*, any one person empowered to sign for such firm, and

(*b*) in the case of a company or other corporation any one manager, director or secretary of the company or corporation."

These qualifications are not enough to get the elector on the electoral roll. To be entitled to have his name registered " the person " must have the above qualifications and must not be subject to the disabilities of minority, lunacy and so on. Rule 7 (*1*) governs rule 8 (*2*). Rule 10 again lays down that the person registered on the electoral roll shall be entitled to vote, but not if he is subject to the disabilities mentioned in rule 7. Rule 6 (*b*) says that no person shall be eligible for election as a member of the Council to represent a special constituency *unless his name is registered on the electoral roll* of the constituency and to be fit for election under rule 5 he must be a British subject, not a female nor a lunatic nor a bankrupt nor an unpardoned *ex*-convict and so forth. Various other rules and regulations including Regulation XV have been referred to and have been considered by us. We cannot but come to the conclusion that the legislature intended that it was a natural person who should have the right to be on roll and to be entitled to vote or nominate or be a candidate. We had the advantage of hearing the learned Advocate-General in the case and he has admitted that if the word " person " is construed strictly the idea of a firm being on the electoral roll must be discarded. We cannot go to the General Clauses Act or the English Interpretation Act for the proposition that a person includes an association. It is our duty to construe the law in question here. It is an accepted canon of construction that unless there is something in the context to the contrary, the same word has the same meaning. The explanation in the schedule means no more than that a firm must exercise the franchise through a partner or representative. It seems that by the constitutions of these chambers and associations firms and companies can be members of these bodies ; but we do not consider that the legislature intended to put firms and companies on the electoral roll.

Learned Counsel Mr. H. D. Bose appearing for Mr. Chakravarty wished us to lay stress on the Schedule II, paragraph 13, and he contended that firms and companies can come in He argued that since firms can be on the electoral roll the persons who make up the firm are on the electoral roll and that therefore a partner can be eligible for election.

The learned Advocate-General confessed that the rules were not very clear but wished us to adopt a view, if we could, which would reconcile the law to the existing state of things. He urged that the legislature must have been aware of the constitutions of these associations and chambers and that the draftsman who drew up the rules made the mistake of not making things clear. It was argued by him that since firms can only work through a representative it might be taken that the disabilities which can be predicated only of a natural person were meant to apply only to the representative of the firm. It was pointed out that in these Commerce and Industry Constituencies there is no ballot and the electors need not appear in person, and that the voting papers are sent to them and returned by them to the returning officer.

There is nothing necessarily unreasonable in firms being put on electoral rolls, being allowed to vote and nominate and being even candidates for election ; but we venture to think that if this was the intention of the legislature, the legislature would have made rules to carry out the idea. Firms being artificial persons can only act through a natural person. The question is, did the legislature intend that the representative of a firm should be allowed to vote and stand for election without being on the electoral roll ? Learned Counsels are really assuming that, by rule 8 read with Schedule II, firms were meant to be electors and then asking us to interpret the other rules in this light. But if we consider the rules and the schedule, the qualifications with their provisos and explanations, the disabilities which electors must not be subject to, and the rule that no votes shall be received by proxy, there is no escape from the conclusion that it is the partner or representative of the firm who should be on the roll and be able to stand for election.

We must not be led into absurdities. Females, lunatics, minors and aliens cannot be electors ; but we are to hold that if they join with one another they should be " deemed " as electors. It was suggested by Mr. Bose that they may remain on the electoral roll thus joined as firms ; but the disabilities might be considered when they exercise their right to vote. The disabilities have to be taken into account under rule 7 when persons are to be put on the roll or during the period allowed for objections thereto.

Consider for a moment again where the proposition that a firm can be a voter, will lead us. It is the elector eventually who becomes a member of the Council. Does the

firm become member of Council? Certainly not. The candidate has to give the name of his father and his age and, if elected, he is to take the oath If he dies, resigns or goes away, etc., the constituency is called upon to elect another person. If the argument be that a firm is an elector then the firm is eventually the elected person and there is nothing to prevent the different members A, B, C of a firm sitting in the Council on different dates Learned Counsel will not face the logical conclusion. It was argued by Mr. Bose that once elected the member is not bound to obey the commands of his constituency. That is so; but if you say the firm is the elected person, then why should not the firm exercise its right in Council through different representatives? Very likely in these associations and chambers firms act in this fashion. Different partners might vote on different dates. That is not possible in the Bengal Legislative Council. The elected person is there for the life of the Council. He has years and he has a father and he has to take the oath. Learned Counsels are therefore forced to admit that when it comes to the question of election to the Council the candidate must be a natural person. If we follow the rules down to the election the conclusion is that that candidate must be on the electoral roll. The question of an elector or a proposer or a seconder stands on the same footing.

With great respect to the learned Advocate-General we cannot follow him in his contention. We cannot add and subtract to bring the law into conformity with the way the electoral roll has been prepared. "We are not entitled," said Lord Loreburn (Vickers and Evans 79 L. J. K. 1955), "to read words into an Act of Parliament unless clear reason for it is to be found within the four corners of the Act itself." The learned Advocate-General wishes us to leave out the proviso clause about residence in the schedule and leave out the disqualifications as affecting firms and add that this proviso and these disqualifications refer to a representative of the firm who is not himself on the roll. "Nothing is to be added to or to be taken away from a statute, unless there are adequate grounds to justify the inference that the legislature intended something which it omitted to express" (Tindal C. J. in Everett *v.* Wells, 2 M & Gr. 277 and Lord Eldon in Davis *v.* Marlborough, 53 R. R 29).

It was mentioned that the contention of the petitioner, if given effect to, will cause great hardship. The hardship consists in the fact that in these Commerce and Industry Constituencies firms have been put on the electoral roll. We learn that there are only three individuals on the roll of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and none on the roll of the Trades Association. The electoral rules seem to provide for a revision when the roll is very defective. The argument of hardship is a dangerous one to listen to. Courts ought not to be influenced or governed by any notions of hardship. "They must look hardships in the face rather than break down the rules of law" (Jessel in Ford *v.* Kettle, 9 Q. B. D., p. 139). Even if there were anything to suggest *aliunde* that it was the intention of the legislature to put firms on the electoral rolls we are not at liberty to speculate. Our business is to construe not what the legislature meant but what its language means. We expound but we do not improve the statute. We are to remember, as Lord Bacon said, that our office is "*jus dicere*", not "*jus dare.*" The law as laid down in these rules is not unreasonable nor inconsistent nor unjust and the natural construction cannot be departed from, merely because it may operate with hardship or injustice in some cases.

There is one sentence in the explanation to paragraph 13 of Schedule II which has been made much of. Let us repeat it. "Members, etc., include (*a*) in the case of a firm any one partner in the firm, or if no such partner *is present in Calcutta at the date fixed for the election*, any one person empowered to sign for such firm." It looks at first sight as if the legislature contemplated a fluctuating body. Mr. Bose argues that it gives power to a firm to put up a representative for election if a partner is absent from Calcutta. Logically it follows that even though someone else has been nominated, if he is absent on the date of election, the firm might put up another person for election. The learned Advocate-General thinks that this would be going too far and that at the date of the election, as only the right to vote is left, the firm might exercise the right to vote by a representative other than a partner. The meaning of the sentence has not been very clearly expressed; but we have to look to the rest of the statute to construe it. If the firm has already put forward a candidate who has been nominated but who has had to leave Calcutta, it cannot be that the firm can say that it will have some other representative in his place. The returning officer will, under the rules, reject him at once as not having been nominated at all. We have seen and it is conceded that when it comes to election the candidate must be an individual. The date of final publication of the electoral roll is not very long ahead of the election that is going to take place, and the date for lodging claims can be extended by Regulation XI, and our interpretation is that the sentence means that the firm would know beforehand if the partners are going to be away and they can put forward a person empowered to sign for such firm as the elector in the electoral roll. The word "include" only enlarges the meanings of phrases and words, and here it only extends the power of the firm to put forward a representative other than a partner. The very explanation, if considered along with the rules, shows that it is not the firm which is to be on the electoral roll but the partner or the representative. If the contention of the learned Counsel be correct the explanation was unnecessary.

We are fortified in this view by a consideration of the electoral rules in the other Provinces. We take them from Mr. Hammond's book. Take Bombay: The rule for the

local Council is that "a person shall be qualified as an elector for a Commerce and Industry Constituency whose name is entered in the list of members, for the time being in force of the association forming such constituency or who is entitled to exercise the rights and privileges of membership on behalf of and in the name of any firm or company or corporation entered in such lists of members." The Assam and Central Provinces Rules are precise and lay down that the person is to be authorised by the firm as well. It is clear that a natural person is meant. An examination of the Council of State rules leads us to the same conclusion. In the Indian Commerce Constituency of Madras the rule is, "every Indian and one *duly authorised representative* of every Indian partnership shall be qualified.....if such person *has* resided in the Presidency, etc." Clearly a natural person is meant.

In the very Schedule II of the Bengal Electoral Rules in the earlier part a distinction is drawn between a person and a firm, and in cases of joint families it is laid down that the person qualified is the manager of the family. All throughout therefore it is the individual who can vote and who can stand for election. We hold therefore that the petitioner's contention must prevail. Mr. Chakravarty's name not being in the electoral roll he was not properly nominated. We hold that the election of Mr. Byomkesh Chakravarty was null and void and that it should be set aside. We are of opinion that a fresh election should be held to fill the vacancy so caused.

No evidence has been produced before us as to the actual votes given, and we are therefore not in a position to hold that any votes should be rejected because such votes were given by companies and firms. It has transpired, however, that the Bengal National Bank, Limited, nominated Mr. Chakravarty to contest the seat and empowered Mr. B. N. Banerjee to vote for the Bank. Mr. Bose argues that there is nothing to prevent a firm from exercising these separate rights. It is sufficient to say that in the view we come to the person who can exercise the right to vote must be on the roll and the procedure was incorrect.

Issue No. 5.—It was pointed out that the electoral rolls were prepared some time ago. The rules contemplate the filing of objections. No objection was taken by the petitioner then or before the returning officer. All parties proceeded upon the basis that there was a valid nomination paper. The petitioner courted the election and has now come forward with his objection only after he has been unsuccessful. However morally wrong he may be, it cannot be said that there is any waiver. There is no question of estoppel. The petitioner does not seem precluded from raising his present objection. It is an objection which could be taken by any elector of that constituency. The objection goes to the very root of the matter. The electoral roll is final in certain matters, *e. g.*, qualifications; but the question whether there is any disenfranchisement by the statute itself is one which can be raised before the Election Court (Stowe *v.* Joliffe, 1874 L. R. 9 C. P., p. 750). The issue is therefore decided in favour of the petitioner and against the respondent.

It was suggested that in the event of our coming to the conclusion that firms cannot be electors the whole election should be set aside. We are unable to accede to this request. As stated before the case was not pressed against Raja Rishee Case Law and we do not think that we should touch his case. We think that on the pleadings and the facts placed before us the election of Mr. Byomkesh Chakravraty only should be set aside.

In the circumstances of the case we recommend that the parties do bear their own costs.

G. N. ROY,
G. B. MUMFORD,
G. N. MUKERJEE,
Commissioners.

The 11th March 1924.

In the Court of the Commissioners appointed under Rule 36 (2) (a) of the Bengal Electoral Rules.

PRESENT:

1. G. N. Roy, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge of the 24-Parganas ... *President.*
2. G. B. Mumford, Esq., I.C.S., Additional District Judge of Hooghly ... ... } *Commissioners.*
3. Rai Girindra Nath Mukerjee Bahadur .. ... }

Election case No. 10 of 1924.

Nawab Mirza Shujaat Ali Beg Khan Bahadur, *petitioner*

versus

Maulvi Mahboobul Haq.

Report.

This is a petition by Nawab Mirza Shujaat Ali Beg Khan Bahadur against the election of Maulvi Mahboobul Haq from the 24-Parganas Municipal (Mahomedan) constituency to the Bengal Legislative Council. The petitioner and the respondent were the

only two candidates for election. The 1st of December 1923, 8 A.M., was fixed for counting of votes. The parties with their agents attended, and the counting was done in their presence. The Returning Officer announced the result of the poll and declared the respondent duly elected. The petitioner obtained 911 votes and the respondent 936 votes. There were 48 rejected votes. Soon after when the verification statement required by Regulation XLVIII was being prepared, it was discovered that one ballot box from this constituency had not, by mistake, been opened. It appears that in its place a ballot box of the Hindu constituency had been opened, but the Hindu votes had been rejected. The unopened ballot box was of the Baduria Municipality. The Returning Officer sent for the candidates at once. The respondent was not found. The petitioner turned up and an agent of the respondent also came and the contents of the ballot box were counted in their presence. Two hundred and four ballot papers were found in the box. Eighty-one votes were in favour of the respondent, while 123 votes were for the petitioner. One ballot paper was rejected. The total votes for each candidate thereupon stood, for the petitioner 1,034 and for the respondent 1,017. There were 38 rejected votes. Eleven of the votes given by Hindus for the Non-Mahomedan constituency were taken out as they did not concern this constituency. This result reversed the decision arrived at when the votes were first counted and Maulvi Mahboobul Haq was declared elected. The Returning Officer thought that his first declaration was invalid, but he was not sure if he could make a second declaration and he thereupon submitted his report to Government for instructions. We do not know what the instructions were, but Maulvi Mahboobul Haq's name was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* as that of the elected candidate. The petitioner thereupon filed his present application.

These facts are not challenged in the written statement filed by the respondent. The respondent made a grievance that he was not present at the second counting of the votes and he submitted that the Returning Officer should not have opened and counted the votes in the unopened ballot box after announcing the result of the poll and pleaded that the Returning Officer was functus officio.

Mr. Lindsay, the District Magistrate of the 24-Parganas, who was the Returning Officer, was examined in the case and he corroborated the petitioner's case and explained how the papers of the ballot boxes had been mixed up and counted and the result declared and how the mistake was subsequently discovered when the return required by Regulation XLIX was being prepared and how the parties were sent for and the ballot papers in the Baduria box counted. It appears from Mr. Lindsay's evidence that the result of the second counting was declared by him to the people present. The result of Mr. Lindsay's counting is not challenged.

The learned pleader for the respondent contends that the Returning Officer was functus officio after he made the first declaration. It is argued that the Returning Officer should not have touched the unopened box. Certain English cases have been cited. They are mentioned in Parker, page 385. The English rule is that if a mistake is discovered after the Returning Officer has declared the result, "the mistake can only be rectified by filing an election petition praying a recount." It seems to us that this is the procedure which has been followed in this case. The Returning Officer having made his declaration, he was not entitled to reverse his decision. The English cases cited do not show that the Returning Officer cannot ascertain his mistake. Turning to our Rules and Regulations, it cannot be said that the Returning Officer was functus officio. He had still to make the return mentioned in Regulation XLIX and the report to the Secretary to the Council under Rule 14 (*9*). It may be even said that the first declaration was a void declaration as it was made on an incomplete counting. Rule 14 (*7*) states that "when the counting of the votes *has been completed*, the Returning Officer shall forthwith declare the candidate, to whom the largest number of votes has been given, to be elected." The counting of the votes had not been completed inasmuch as the contents of the Baduria box had not been taken into account. The Returning Officer was not, therefore, functus officio. Even if he was, it is open to us to take into account the contents of this box.

A complaint was made that the respondent was not present and had no opportunity to examine the box and that, therefore, he was prejudiced. Rule 14 (*6*) had been quoted. It says:—"Votes shall be counted.....and each candidate, the election agent of each candidate, and one representative of each candidate, authorised in writing by the candidates shall have a right to be present at the time of counting." It is proved that the respondent was sent for. He was away and could not be found, but his agent Mohammad Fakiruddin turned up and the counting was done in his presence. It is now said that Mohammad Fakiruddin was not authorised in writing by the respondent to be present at the counting.

The respondent admits that in the morning he took Mohammad Fakiruddin and another gentleman with him to be present at the counting. He admits that Mohammad Fakiruddin was one of his polling agents. It is too late to say that Mohammad Fakiruddin was not his agent and had no written authority. The Returning Officer is not bound to admit an agent to be present at the counting unless he is authorised in writing by the candidate, but when the candidate takes an agent of his to be present at the counting and the same agent is present at the second counting, it would seem that the requirements of the law have been fulfilled. If Mohammad Fakiruddin was good enough to be his polling agent, he was good enough to watch the counting on his behalf. The respondent is obviously trying to disown his own representative. As we have said before the counting

by Mr. Lindsay is not challenged. It seems ridiculous to us for the respondent to complain of any hardship. The hardship was on the other side since the petitioner was not declared elected in spite of the fact that he had a majority of the votes.

The learned pleader for the respondent contended that the petition was not maintainable inasmuch as the petitioner had not asked for a recount. Rule 33 (*1*) states that "the petition shall contain a statement in concise form of the material facts on which the petitioner relies" and Rule 34 says that "the petitioner may, if he so desires, in addition to calling in question the election of the returned candidate, claim a declaration that he himself has been duly elected". The petitioner has done this and has asked that on the votes ascertained by the Returning Officer, he should be declared and returned as duly elected since he obtained the largest number of votes. If the learned pleader means that all the ballot papers should be recounted, all we need say is that this is unnecessary. It is common ground that up to the declaration made by the Returning Officer on the first count, the counting is correct. The only question therefore before us is whether the contents of the box which was subsequently found should be taken into account or not. The petitioner is entitled to proceed on the figures ascertained by the Returning Officer. The Returning Officer has deposed that had he made the discovery earlier, he would have declared the petitioner as elected. He stayed his hand because he had already made the declaration. The learned Vakil for the petitioner has quoted a case which is apposite: *in re* North-Eastern Derbyshire Election Holmes *versus* Lee reported in 39 Times Law Reports, 1923, page 423. It appears that in this case three ballot papers at a Parliamentary Election were found in different ballot boxes after the declaration of the poll: one which was for the petitioner on the date of the declaration and two which were for the respondent after a lapse of 11 days; it was held that as these papers had been inadvertently left in the boxes, in the particular circumstances of the case the three votes must be allowed. We hold that the ballot papers in the Baduria box must be taken into account.

Our conclusion therefore is that the respondent Maulvi Mahboobul Huq was not duly elected and that this election and return should be set aside and that it should be declared that the petitioner was duly elected from this constituency.

Since the respondent was not responsible for the mistake which has resulted in this election petition, we recommend that the parties should bear their own costs.

G. N. ROY.

The 13th March 1924.

G. B. MUMFORD,
G. N. MUKERJEE,
Commissioners.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2871P.—The 18th March 1924.—The Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mr. J. B. Backhouse of his appointment as a member of the Bengal Board of Censors.

No. 2998P.—The 24th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 12, sub-section (*1*) of the Indian Territorial Force Act, 1920 (XLVIII of 1920), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following as members of the Advisory Committee, Indian Territorial Force, constituted under notification No. 14316P., dated the 18th October 1921. They will hold office for one year from the 1st April 1924 to the 31st March 1925:—

(1) Major H. Suhrawardy.
(2) Captain J. N. Banarji.
(3) Major E. B. Mangin.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by rule 23 (*2*) of the Indian Territorial Force Rules, 1920, to appoint Major H. Suhrawardy as President of the said Committee.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1165Pl.—The 20th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Shibganj police-station, in the district of Malda, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the villages specified in the following schedule which have hitherto been included in that police-station shall be included in the police-station Nawabganj in the same district :—

Malda.

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Shibganj.	Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Shibganj.
Arazi Ramjibanpur ...	259	Uttar Krishna Gobindapur ...	299
Sobha Nagar ...	260	Ram Chandrapur ...	300 (*b*)
Arazi Jagmaha ...	261	Sundarpur ...	303
Chakmaha ...	264	Kali Nagar ...	308
Krishnapur ...	265	Biswanathpur ...	309
Chak Jhagru ...	266	Egra rasia ...	310
Mahiarpur or Mahipur ...	267	Chhota Kali Nagar ...	311
Simultala ...	268	Panch rasia ...	312
Dinanathpur or Naudapara ...	269	Shait rasia ...	313
Ramjibanpur ...	270	Ram Krishnapur ...	315
Palrapur ...	271	Chunakhali ...	316
Simultala ...	272	Narayanpur ...	322
Jadupur ...	273	Sarjya Narayanpur ...	323
Durgapur ...	274	Chandra Narayanpur ...	324
Badberia ...	275	Bakharali ...	325
Jalkar Bansberia ...	276	Khamra Sarai ...	326
Rani Hati ...	292 (*a*)	Harischandrapur ...	327
Rehai Char ...	294	Mal Bagdanga ...	328
Char Nayansukh ...	295	Char Bagdanga ...	329
Mohanpur ...	296	Sundarpur ...	330
Dakshin Krishna Gobindapur	297		

(*a*) Including hamlets Chak Alampur, Chunakhali, Chak Bahram, Akandaberia, Bhagwanpur, Sundarpur, Kali Nagar, Maharajpur, Chaktola, Baragharia, Lakhipur, Loharpur.
(*b*) Including hamlets Krishna Gobindapur, Mechudhumi, Par Krishna Gobindapur, Hat Ram Chandrapur.

No. 1230Pl.—The 21st February 1924.—The following amendment in the statement showing the ordinary jurisdiction retained by local Magistrates under the administrative control of the Government of Bengal, published under notification No. 2448P., dated the 21st February 1917, is published for information :—

Amendment.

Delete the first entry in columns 1, 2 and 3 under "Eastern Bengal Railway and Branch lines" in page 285 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 21st February 1917.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4768A.

POWERS.

No. 4554 A.—The 18th March 1924.—Babu Tej Chandra Mitra, Subordinate Judge, Hooghly, Howrah and Serampore, under orders of transfer to Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of an Assistant Sessions Judge, and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Hooghly.
Howrah.
Mymensingh.

No. 4581A.—The 19th March 1924.—Mr. Binay Ranjan Sen, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, Mymensingh, is vested with powers under sections 110, 133, 186, 190 (*1*) (*c*) and 524 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Mymensingh.

No. 4583A.—The 19th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. Binay Ranjan Sen, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Mymensingh, to order at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section.

Mymensingh.

No. 4692A.—The 21st March 1924.—Babu Ananga Mohan Chakrabatti, Deputy Magistrate, Rangpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Rangpur.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2714J.—The 20th March 1924.—Maulvi Anisuzzaman Khan, officiating Third Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is appointed to act temporarily as Second Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. E. H. Keays, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 2720J.—The 20th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Abu Muhammed Abdul Hamid the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Pabna, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

Pabna.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 2760J.—The 22nd March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen named below the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Jessore, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Jessore.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Magura bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language :—

Babu Charu Chandra Sen.

„ Narendra Nath Chakrabatti.

No. 2762J.—The 22nd March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. W. Henderson the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Titagarh bench in the said district.

No. 2764J.—The 22nd March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen named below the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Tippera, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Tippera.

(*b*) to direct that the said persons, or any two or more of them, shall sit together as a Bench at Chandpur in the said district,

(*c*) to invest the said bench with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class,

(*d*) to direct the said bench to exercise the said powers in such cases occurring within the Chandpur subdivision as may be made over to it, and

(*e*) to direct the said persons to take down evidence in the English language—

(1) Babu Lalit Mohan Das Gupta.

(2) Maulvi Muhammad Khalilur Rahman.

(3) Babu Trailakyeswar Das Gupta.

(4) Maulvi Sultan Ahamed.

No. 2786J.—The 22nd March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Hira Lal Banarji the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of that district,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sealdah bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

He is also vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 2803J.—The 24th March 1924.—Mr. S. Wajid Ali, officiating Fourth Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the afternoon of the 20th March 1924, in the vacancy caused by the transfer of Rai Kumud Bandhu Das Gupta Bahadur.

Calcutta.

No. 2805J.—The 24th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*4*) of section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Anisuzzaman Khan, Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, to be Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate of Calcutta, and to authorise him to exercise the following powers of a Chief Presidency Magistrate :—

Calcutta.

(1) under sections 124 and 125, Criminal Procedure Code, to release prisoners bound down, to reduce amounts of security and number of sureties, and to cancel bonds,

(2) under section 144, Criminal Procedure Code, to issue injunctions,

(3) under section 192, Criminal Procedure Code, to transfer cases,

(4) under section 476, Criminal Procedure Code, to entertain complaints made by other Courts in certain cases requiring such complaints under section 195, Criminal Procedure Code,

(5) under section 514, clause (3), to endorse warrants of attachment of property in his jurisdiction,

(6) under section 528 to withdraw cases.

LEAVE.

No. 2712J.—The 8th March 1924.—Babu Shashi Sekhar Ghosh, munsif of Kurigaon, in the district of Rangpur, is allowed privilege leave on half pay for thirteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th February 1924.

Rangpur.

No. 2713J.—The 11th March 1924.—Babu Pratul Chandra Ray, munsif of Bogra, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is allowed leave on average pay on medical certificate, as prescribed in the Local Government's ruling on rule 74 (*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for three months with effect from the 1st December 1923, under the proviso to rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of those rules, in modification of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 15th December 1923.

Pabna-Bogra.

No. 2796 J.—The 24th March 1924.—Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh, Subordinate Judge, Tippera, is allowed leave for forty-five days from the 4th March 1924, viz., leave on average pay for three days under articles 81(*b*) (*ii*) and 82(*b*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Tippera.

H. C. LIDDELL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2781J.—The 22nd March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Nishi Kanta Chakrabatti, a member of the Matuail union board in the Sadar (South) subdivision, district Dacca, to be, during his term of office as such member, a member of the union bench within the jurisdiction of the said union board for the purposes of that section, *vice* Rai Sahib Behari Lal Dhar, resigned.

Dacca.

No. 2782J.—The 22nd March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Nishi Kanta Chakrabatti, a member of the Matuail union board in the Sadar (South) subdivision, district Dacca, to be, during his term of office as such member, a member of the union court within the jurisdiction of the said union board for the purposes of that section, *vice* Rai Sahib Behari Lal Dhar, resigned.

Dacca.

H. C. LIDDELL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 1077 M.—The 19th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to extend to the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, all the provisions of the said Act except sub-section (*1*) of section 6.

24-Parganas.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 1078 M.—The 19th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 84 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the Commissioners of the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to exercise and perform in the said municipality the same powers and duties as are conferred or imposed by the said Act on the Corporation of Calcutta and the Commissioner of Police, respectively.

24-Parganas.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 1079M.—The 19th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 71 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1919 (Bengal Act I of 1919), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to make for the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, the by-laws which were published for information with notification No. 4211M., dated the 31st October 1923.

24-Parganas.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MEDICAL.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 891Medl.—The 18th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by article 3 of the Statutes of State Medical Faculty of Bengal, the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Col. R. Heard, M.D., K.H.S., I.M.S., to be President of the Governing Body of the said Faculty, *vice* Major-General B. H. Deare, C.I.E., K.H.S., I.M.S., resigned.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 915Medl.—The 19th March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 4 of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VI of 1914), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint Colonel R. Heard, M.D., K.H S., I.M.S., to be President of the Bengal Council of Medical Registration, *vice* Major-General B. H. Deare, C.I.E., K.H.S., I.M.S., resigned.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 929Medl.—The 19th March 1924.—Lieutenant J. D. Thomas, I.M.D., Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, is transferred from Sealdah to Katihar with effect from the afternoon of the 30th January 1924.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 931Medl.—The 19th March 1924.—Second class Military Assistant Surgeon A. G. L. Fraser, I.M.D., is appointed to be a Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, and is posted at Sealdah with effect from the 25th January 1924, *vice* Lieutenant J. D. Thomas, I.M.D., transferred.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 953Medl.—The 24th March 1924.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. H. Proctor, D.S.O., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, is transferred from Murshidabad to Darjeeling,
Murshidabad. Darjeeling. *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. B. Christian, I.M.S., transferred.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 955Medl.—The 24th March 1924.—Lieutenant-Colonel, J. B. Christian, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, is transferred from Darjeeling to Murshidabad,
Darjeeling. Murshidabad. *vice* Lt.-Col. A. H. Proctor, D.S.O., I.M.S., transferred.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

PUBLIC HEALTH.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 709P.H.—The 22nd March 1924.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in Bahrein in the Persian Gulf, it is hereby
Calcutta. Chittagong. notified for general information that Bahrein is declared an infected port and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, issued by this Government, are being enforced in the Ports of Calcutta and Chittagong against vessels arriving from Bahrein.

G. S. DUTT,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

No. 5846, dated Calcutta, the 14th March 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Manmohan Chakraverty is posted to the Police Hospital, Howrah, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Upendra Nath Bakshi, with effect from the 7th March 1924.

This cancels notification No. 3097, dated the 19th February 1924.

No. 5848, dated Calcutta, the 14th March 1924.—Assistant Surgeon Upendra Nath Bakshi of the Police Hospital, Howrah, is posted to the Baraset subdivision and dispensary, 24-Parganas, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Bankim Chandra Banerjee.

R. HEARD,
Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Director of Public Health, Bengal.

No. 3278A.—The 19th March 1924.—With effect from the 10th March 1924 Mr. M. O. T. Iyengar, Entomologist of the Bengal Public Health Department, is allowed leave on average pay for two months and two days under article 81 (*b*), (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY,
Director of Public Health, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 1008Edn.—The 19th March 1924.—Mr. W. B. Finnigan, Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, is appointed, until further orders, to act as Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, in the Indian Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he took over charge, *vice* Mr. E. F. Oaten, on deputation.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 1009Edn.—The 19th March 1924.— Khan Sahib Maulvi Abdul Latif Khan, Head Assistant, office of the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, is appointed to act, until further orders, as his Personal Assistant, with effect from the date on which he took over charge, *vice* Mr. W. B. Finnigan, on deputation.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 1056Edn.—The 22nd March 1924.—Sir Nilratan Sarcar, Kt, M.D., D.C.L., is appointed to be President of the Committee constituted under this department resolution No. 3131Edn., dated the 15th October 1923, to advise Government on the future scope and staffing of the Presidency College, Calcutta, in place of the Vice-Chancellor of the Calcutta University.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 1069Edn.—The 22nd March 1924.—Shams-ul-ulama Khan Bahadur Maulvi Hidyat Hossain is appointed to be a member of the Committee constituted under this Department Resolution No. 3131Edn., dated the 15th October 1923, to advise Government on the future scope and staffing of the Presidency College, Calcutta, in place of the Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Faz-ul-Huq.

Calcutta.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 1084Edn.—The 24th March 1924.—Mr. B. C. Gupta, Professor, Bengal Engineering College, has been allowed, by the High Commissioner for India, to commute into study leave the period from the 1st January to the 31st March 1924 out of the leave on half average pay already granted to him.

Howrah.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 1082Edn.—The 24th March 1924.—Mr. J. J. Elliot, teacher, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, is allowed leave for twenty-one months, with effect from the 26th November 1923, viz., leave out of India on average pay for eight months under the proviso to rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for one year and one month under rule 81 (*d*) of those rules.

Darjeeling.

This cancels notification No. 3364Edn., dated the 19th November 1923.

E. F. OATEN,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.)

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 635Mis.—The 24th March 1924.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 5 of the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (XVI of 1908), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) sanction the abolition, with effect from the 1st April 1924, of the 2nd Joint Sub-Registry Office at Teota having concurrent jurisdiction with the Sub-Registry Office at Ghior, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, M.A., B.L.

No. 636Mis.—The 24th March 1924.—It is notified for general information that the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Education) have been pleased to sanction the retention for a further period of one year, with effect from the 11th January 1924, of the office of the Second Joint Sub-Registrar of Kalihati at Senarail, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

No. 127.—The 15th March 1924.—Babu Akshay Kumar Guha, Sub-Registrar of Rajbari, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Meherpur, in the district of Nadia.

Faridpur. Nadia.

No. 128.—The 15th March 1924.—Babu Debendra Nath Sen, Sub-Registrar of Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Rajbari, in the same district.

Faridpur.

No. 129.—The 15th March 1924.—Babu Amrita Lal Das Gupta, Second Joint Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kishoreganj, in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 130.—The 15th March 1924.—Maulvi Khwaja Muhammad Bedar Bakht, Sub-Registrar of Kishoreganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Second Joint Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur, in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 131.—The 15th March 1924.—Maulvi Ansaruddin, Sub-Registrar of Phulbaria, in the district of Mymensingh, on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Gaffargaon, in the same district.

Mymensingh

No. 132.—The 15th March 1924.—Maulvi Khawaja Muhammad Manzur, Sub-Registrar of Gaffargaon, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub Registrar or Kaliganj, in the district of Dacca.

Mymensingh. Dacca.

J. N. RAY,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal (offg.).

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1963Com.—The 20th March 1924.—It is hereby notified for general information that Mr. N. McLeod is appointed, under section 4, sub-section (*4*) of the Bengal Smoke Nuisances Act, 1905, to represent the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta on the Bengal Smoke Nuisances Commission, *vice* Mr. A. Carnall.

Calcutta.

No. 2106Com.—The 24th March 1924.—Mr. R. J. Browne, Electrical Adviser and Electric Inspector, Bengal and Assam, is allowed leave on average pay for four months, under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd April 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 2111Com.—The 24th March 1924.—Babu Narendra Chandra Bhattacharji, Assistant Electric Inspector, Bengal, is appointed to act as Electrical Adviser and Electric Inspector, Bengal and Assam, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. J. Browne, or until further orders.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 28Marine.—The 18th February 1924.—The following by-law framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, in exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Howrah Bridge Act, 1871, is published as required by section 24 of the said Act :—

Fee for passes permitting motor lorries and other heavy vehicles to cross the Bridge.

The fee for each pass issued under by-law 2 of the by-laws for the safe and convenient use of the Howrah Bridge, published under this department notification No. 132Mne., dated the 29th December 1922, shall be Re. 1 yearly.

No. 42Marine.—The 19th March 1924.—Mr. W. R. McClymont, Acting Senior Master Pilot, is granted leave for twelve months, viz., leave on average pay for eight months under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules and leave on half average pay for the remaining period under article 81 (*d*) of the said rules, with effect from 1st April 1924 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 11.—The 18th March 1924.—Babu Romesh Chandra Guha, Upper Subordinate, is granted leave on half average pay for a further period of three weeks, with effect from the 7th March 1924, in continuation of the leave previously granted.

No. 12.—The 18th March 1924.—Babu Romesh Chandra Guha, Upper Subordinate, is transferred in the interests of public service from the Bakarganj to the Dacca Division with effect from the 28th March 1924.

G. G. DEY, *Chief Engineer.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 9.—The 22nd March 1924.—The following extract from a notification issued by the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Labour, Public Works Branch, and published at page 231, Part I of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th March 1924, is republished for information.

C. ADDAMS WILLIAMS,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 10E., dated Delhi, the 12th March 1924.

The following gentlemen whose appointment as Assistant Executive Engineers on probation was announced in Government of India, Public Works Department, notification No. 31, dated the 28th November 1921, are confirmed in the department :—

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Mr. W. R. Robson	...	...	...	Bengal (Irrigation).
„ H. V. Williams	...	...	...	Ditto.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES.

NOTIFICATIONS.

INDUSTRIES.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1448Ind.—The 20th March 1924.—Mr. Jatindra Nath Set, late Superintendent of Industries, Presidency Division, is allowed leave on average pay for one month and twenty-four days, under rule 81 (*b*)(*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules and under Government orders No. 5104, dated the 14th December 1923, and No. 1436, dated the 20th March 1924, with effect from the 27th January 1924.

Presidency Divn.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

AGRICULTURE.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1419Agri.—The 19th March 1924.—Babu Indu Bhusan Chatarji, 1st Laboratory Assistant, Chemical Section, is appointed to act as Assistant Agricultural Chemist, *vice* Babu Gosto Behari Pal while officiating as Agricultural Chemist.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

VETERINARY.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1422 Vety.—The 19th March 1924.—Mr. R. T. Davis, M.R.C.V.S., I.V.S., officiating Director, Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rules 81 (*b*) (*i*) and 104 (*a*) (*ii*) (I) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st April 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1423 Vety.—The 19th March 1924.—Mr. A. D. Macgregor, M.R.C.V.S., I.V.S., Principal, Bengal Veterinary College, and officiating Veterinary Adviser to the Government of Bengal, is appointed to act as Director, Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. T. Davis, or until further orders.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

EXCISE.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1397 Ex.—The 18th March 1924.—Babu Jatindra Bhusan Acharya, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, Darjeeling, is appointed to act as Inspector of Excise and Salt, with effect from the 12th February 1924, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Akhil Bandhu Maulik for eight months from the 3rd September 1923, and is posted temporarily to Chittagong.

Darjeeling. Chittagong.

This cancels Notification No. 376, dated the 26th January 1924.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1398 Ex.—The 18th March 1924.—Babu Akhil Chandra Roy, Sub Inspector of Excise and Salt, Dacca, is appointed to act as Inspector of Excise and Salt, with effect from the 4th February 1924, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Anukul Chandra Bose for three months from the 2nd January 1924, and is posted temporarily to Chittagong.

Dacca. Chittagong.

This cancels Notification No. 377, dated the 26th January 1924.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1399 Ex.—The 18th March 1924.—Babu Kulada Prosad Neogi, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, Rajshahi, is appointed to act as Inspector of Excise and Salt, with effect from the 9th March 1924, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jahar Lal Shaha for six months from the 16th November 1923, and is posted temporarily to Bakarganj.

Rajshahi. Bakarganj.

This cancels Notification No. 491, dated the 4th February 1924.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1401 Ex.—The 18th March 1924.—Mr. G. P. Hogg, I.C.S., Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for seven months and fifteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 2nd April 1924, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 1498 Ex.—The 24th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), as amended by the Bengal Excise (Amendment) Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VII of 1914), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Agriculture and Public Works) are pleased to make the following amendments in the rules published under Notification No. 6018.R., dated the 30th March 1915 (published on pages 1 to 32 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st April 1915), as subsequently amended, namely :—

(*a*) In lines 1 and 2 of rule 199 of the said rules, *omit* the words "social gatherings or other entertainments".

(*b*) After rule 199 of the said rules, *insert* the following, namely :—

"199A. Special licenses for social gatherings, dances or other entertainments may be issued for the sale of liquor within the period prescribed by the license. Such period shall not begin earlier than 11 A.M., nor end later than half an hour after the closing of the entertainment, or 1 A.M., whichever is earlier."

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

No. 3635A.—The 19th March 1924.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, District Agricultural Officer, Barisal, is granted leave on average salary for fifteen days, under rule 81 (*b*) (*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, in extension of the leave sanctioned in this office notification No. 1335, dated the 8th February 1924.

No. 3732A.—The 20th March 1924.—Babu Kshitish Chandra Banerjee, District Agricultural Officer, who was on deputation under the Fibre Expert, Bengal, is appointed to be a District Agricultura' Officer, 24-Parganas, for the period from the 5th February to 29th February 1924 (both days inclusive).

ROBERT S. FINLOW,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

Orders by the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

No. 62Exc.—The 18th March 1924.—Babu Manindra Nath Roy, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Burdwan, is allowed three months' extension of leave, viz., one month's privilege leave and two months' commuted furlough on average salary under the new leave rules, in continuation of the leave already granted to him in this office notification No. 53Exc, dated 22nd December 1923.

G. P. HOGG,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LAND REVENUE.

No. 2752L.R.—The 19th March 1924.—The undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Chittagong, with effect from the 11th February 1924 :—

Chittagong.

1. Babu Hemanga Lal Das Gupta,
2. „ Anukul Chandra Sarkar,

} probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors.

No. 2753L.R.—The 19th March 1924.—Babu Purnendu Nath Guha, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Pabna and Bogra, with effect from the 11th February 1924.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 2820L.R.—The 20th March 1924.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Act V of 1875), Mr. I. Newton, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is appointed to be Assistant Superintendent for the purpose of carrying out the survey directed to be made under Government notification No. 2427T.R., dated the 11th October 1920, in the district of Murshidabad.

Murshidabad.

No. 2821L.R.—The 20th March 1924.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Act V of 1875), Mr. I. Newton, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is appointed to be an Assistant Superintendent for the purpose of carrying out the survey directed to be made under Government notification No. 9780L.R., dated the 8th October 1923, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

LAND ACQUISITION.

No. 2717L.A.—The 18th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 2 chittaks and 17 square feet of standard measurement, which was notified for acquisition under declaration No. 7044L.A., dated the 8th September 1923, published at page 1327, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem, and required by the Corporation of Calcutta for the construction of a bathing platform at No. 109, Baranashi Ghosh Street, in the town of Calcutta.

Calcutta.

Dacca.

No. 2722L.A.—The 18th March 1924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 48(*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from acquisition of a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·0186 of an acre out of the area notified for acquisition under declaration No. 5522L.A., dated 25th May 1922, published at pages 1080-81, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 7th June 1922, and required by the Dacca Municipality for opening a mehtar's passage at Bangsal in the town of Dacca in mahallas (*1*) Malibag known as Bangsal, (*2*) Sakhinatola known as Bangsal, pargana Jahangirnagar, Zilla Dacca.

24-Parganas.

No. 2872L.A.—The 22nd March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Tittagarh Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for Tittagarh sewerage scheme, in the villages of Tittagarh and Rahara (within the Tittagarh Municipality), pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 84·34 acres, bounded on the—

PLOT NO. 1:

North and South—By the village land of Tittagarh,

East—By the Eastern Bengal Railway land,

West—By the village land of Tittagarh and Barrackpore Trunk Road,

PLOT NO. 2:

North—By the village land of Rahara and by Dangapara Lane and Olhi Chandi worshipping place,

East and South—By the village land of Rahara, Dangapara Lane, Olhi Chandi worshipping place and Musalmanpara Lane,

West—By the Eastern Bengal Railway land,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Tittagarh and Rahara (within the Tittagarh Municipality).

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of the 24-Parganas.

Malda.

No. 2875L.A.—The 22nd March 1924.—Babu Sarada Nanda Das, Deputy Collector in the district of Malda, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district.

Khulna.

No. 2907L.A.—The 24th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Khulna Central Co-operative Bank, Limited, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an office building of the aforesaid Bank in the town of Khulna, pargana Khalispur, thana Khulna, zilla Khulna, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·075 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Banamali Chatterjee and Keshab Lal Ghose,

East—By K. B. Chakrabarty's Road,

South—By Central Road,

West—By the land of Keshab Lal Ghose,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid town of Khulna.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Khulna.

Burdwan.

No. 2910L.A.—The 24th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for Sitalpur Colliery siding in the village of Siduli, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·34 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Jagannath Barui, Sarbeswar Barui, Binay Bhusan Chakrabarti, Sarbeswar Gope, Aviram Barui, Kunja Barui, Mritunjay Chatterji and Sitalpur Colliery Company,
East and West—By the land of Jagannath Barui,
South—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Siduli.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1884, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 2912L.A.—The 24th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for Central and Khaskajora assisted siding in the village of Kajora, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 9·70 acres, bounded on the—

PLOT NO. A (Mile 4).

North—By the land of plot No. B,
East and South—By the lands of Ram Pada Hazra, Ram Ranjan Hazra, Ram Bilash Hazra, Ram Nidhi Hazra, Rameswar Hazra, Kali Ram Hazra, Ram Gobinda Hazra, Ram Kinkar Hazra and Ram Gati Hazra,
West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,

PLOT NO. B (Mile 5).

North and East—By the lands of Ram Pada Hazra, Ram Ranjan Hazra, Ram Bilash Hazra, Ram Nidhi Hazra, Rameswar Hazra, Kali Ram Hazra, Ram Gobinda Hazra, Ram Kinkar Hazra and Ram Gati Hazra,
South—By the land of plot No. A,
West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Kajora.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the lands and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above lands, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 2915L.A.—The 24th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for watch and ward staff quarters at Asansol, in the village of Asansol, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4·30 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the land of New Birbhum Coal Company, and Noonia river,
East—By the lands of New Birbhum Coal Company and Ram Lakhan Singh,
South—By Dhadka road,
West—By the lands of New Birbhum Coal Company and Jagannath Marwari,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Asansol.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servents and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Burdwan.

Jessore.

No. 2918L.A.—The 24th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Magura Central Co-operative Bank, Limited, for a public purpose, viz., for the erection of a house for the office of the Magura Central Co-operative Bank, in the village of Magura, pargana Mahmudsahi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·40 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the Government land used for the treasury guards' barrack,
East—By the District Board road,
South—By Mahalakshmee Girls' School,
West—By the land of Babu Jotindra Nath Bagchi,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Magura.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Jessore.

24-Parganas.

No. 2921L.A.—The 24th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a ring bund at Srinagar, in the village of Srinagar (jurisdiction list No. 231 of thana Pratabnagar), pargana Medanmolla, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4·4802 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Dorbesh Molla and others, Tamizuddi Nasker, Sanaulla Zamadar, Belayet Hoshen Zamadar, Sukurulla Zamadar and by the Government land,
East—By the lands of Belayet Hoshen Zamadar, Kanack Zamadar, Rahamatulla Zamadar, Kobad Zamadar, Natib Sardar, Alimaddi Sheik, Tamizuddi Nasker, Dorbesh Molla and others,
South—By the lands of Prantosh Ray, Alimoddi Sheik, Natib Sardar, Kobad Zamadar, Rahamatulla Zamadar, Kanak Zamadar, Belayet Hoshen Zamadar,
West—By the lands of Sukurulla Zamadar, Belayet Hoshen Zamadar, Sonaulla Zamadar, Prantosh Ray, Alimoddi Sheikh and by the Government land,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Srinagar.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of the 24-Parganas.

Midnapore.

No. 2924L.A.—The 24th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for constructing a ring bund in the 17th mile of embankment No. 16, Hoodah No. 14, in the village of Garmayna, pargana Maynachar, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·07 of an acre, bounded on the—

North, East and South—By lands of Rustumali Khan and others,
West—By the P. W. D. embankment,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Garmayna.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land who has any objection to the acquisition thereof may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Midnapore.

No. 2927L.A.—The 24th March 1924.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for Radhanagar road diversion at mile 1 of the assisted siding of the Indian Iron and Steel Company, in the village of Santa, pargana Shergarh, zilla-Burdwan, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·28 of an acre, bounded on the—

Burdwan.

North—By the lands of Khudiram Majhi, Rambandhu Majhi, Radhu Majhi, Jagat Durlav Chakraberti, Radha Raman Pandit and Muktakeshi Pandit,

East—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,

South—By the lands of Khudiram Majhi, Rambandhu Majhi, Radhu Majhi Radha Pandit and Muktakeshi Pandit,

West—By a road from Asansol to Radhanagar.

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Santa.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days of the publication of this notification, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Burdwan.

M C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

FORESTS.

No. 2706For.—The 18th March 1924.—Mr. E. O. Shebbeare, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months under article 81 (*b*) (*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 1st March 1924, or any subsequent date on which he avails himself of the leave.

No. 2900For.—The 22nd March 1924.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Education, Health and Lands, is republished for general information :—

No. 480, dated Delhi, the 11th March 1924.

The undermentioned officers who have been appointed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India to the Indian Forest Service and are shown in the order of seniority are appointed as Assistant Conservators of Forests with effect from the dates specified against their names :—

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Mr. R. I. MacAlpin, Bengal, 21st February 1924 (forenoon).

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M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Orders by the Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

No. 11For.—The 15th March 1924.—Mr. R. I. MacAlpine, Assistant Conservator of Forests, on first appointment, is posted as an attached officer to the Kalimpong Division with headquarters at Kalimpong.

Kalimpong.

R. C MILWARD,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1651 Elec.—The 19th March 1924.—It is hereby notified that Mr. G. Pilcher, who has been elected to the Legislative Assembly from the Bengal European Constituency in place of Mr. Morgan, resigned, has filed on the 7th March 1924 his return of election expenses and the declaration in respect thereof as required by clauses (*1*) and (*3*) of rule 19 of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules. This can be inspected in the office of the Board of Revenue on payment of a fee of one rupee between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. for one week from the publication of this notification in the Gazette.

F. W. ROBERTSON, for *Returning Officer.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Mymensingh treasury with effect from the afternoon of the 17th March 1924 and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

J. R. BLAIR, *Addl. Collector.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 17th March 1924.*

Orders by the Controller of the Currency.

IN continuation of this office notification, dated the 20th February 1924, it is notified that the rate at which contributions to the Indian Civil Service and Indian Military Service Family Pension Funds and the Indian Military Widows' and Orphans' Funds are recoverable during the month of April 1924 is 1s. 4½*d.* the rupee. *This rate also applies to the payment of leave salaries, pensions and annuities fixed in sterling.*

2. The percentage admissible as Exchange Compensation Allowance on salary paid during the same month is Rs. 4-8-9 per Rs. 100. The allowance is subject to the maximum of Rs. 101.

H. DENNING, *Controller of the Currency.*

THE TREASURY, CALCUTTA, *the 20th March 1924.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

CIVIL.

The 19th March 1924.

No. 3719A.—Babu Mati Lal Ray, Subordinate Judge of Rangpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar munsifi of Rangpur.

No. 3722A.—Babu Srish Chandra De, munsif of Ranaghat, in the district of Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Ranaghat munsifi.

No. 3723A.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Ghosh, munsif of Nawabganj, in the district of Rajshahi, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Nawabganj munsifi.

J. D. V. HODGE, *Registrar.*

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—CRIMINAL.

The 22nd March 1924.

No. 3836 G.—The following Rule framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal and approved by the Governor General in Council under section 107 of the Government of India Act is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

J. D. V. HODGE,
Registrar.

Rule.

I. In clause (*f*) of Rule 9, Chapter VIII (revised), Volume I, of the Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Criminal, *insert* the words " or informant " *after* the word " complainant ".

II. In Criminal Process Form No. 6 at page 174, Volume II, *ibid*, for the words " Proclamation was duly issued " *substitute* the words " Proclamation has been or is being duly issued ", and *omit* the words " and he has failed to appear".

III. In Criminal Process Form No. 7 at page 175, *ibid*, for the words " Proclamation was duly issued " *substitute* the words " Proclamation has been or is being duly issued ".

IV. In Criminal Process Form No. 8, at page 176, *ibid*, for the words " Proclamation was duly issued " *substitute* the words " Proclamation has been or is being duly issued ", and *omit* the words " but he has not appeared".

V. In Criminal Process Forms Nos. 12 and 13 at pages 180 and 181, *ibid*, *insert* after the words " for the term of ", wherever they occur, the words " or until the completion of the inquiry in the matter of now pending in the Court of "; and after the words " said term ", wherever they occur, the words " or until the completion of the said inquiry ".

VI. In Criminal Process Form No. 39, at page 209, *ibid*, in the heading, for the word " distress " *substitute* the words " attachment and sale", *insert* the words " false and " after the words " dismissed as "; *omit* the words " and cannot be recovered by distress of the moveable property of the said 7 " and the words " 7Name of complainant " in the margin, and *change* the number of the marginal notes 8, 9 and 10 into 7, 8 and 9.

VII. In Criminal Process Form No. 47 at page 217, *ibid*, in the heading for the word " Distress " *substitute* the word " Attachment "; *insert* the figure, letter and brackets " (1) (*a*) " after the figures " 386 ". In the body of the form for the words " make distress by seizure of any " *substitute* the words " attach any "; for the words " such distress " *substitute* the words " such attachment ", and for the words " property distrained " *substitute* the words " property attached ".

VIII. In Criminal Process Form No. 57, at page 227, *ibid*, in the heading for the word " Distress.." *substitute* the word " Attachment ", in the body of the form for the words " make distress by seizure of any " *substitute* the words " attach any "; for the words " such distress " *substitute* the words " such attachment ", and for the words property distrained " *substitute* the words " property attached".

IX. *Insert* the following Form after Criminal Process Form No. 47 at page 217, *ibid* :—

CRIMINAL PROCESS No. 47 I.

Bond for appearance of offender released pending realization of fine.

No. XXXVII A, SCHEDULE V, ACT V, 1898.

(*Section 388 of the Criminal Procedure Code.*)

Whereas I, [1]( ) inhabitant of [2]( ) have been sentenced to pay a fine of Rupees and in default of payment thereof to undergo imprisonment for ; and whereas the Court has been pleased to order my release until the day of on condition of my executing a bond for my appearance on that day;

[1] Name.
[2] Place.

I hereby bind myself to appear before the Court of at o'clock on the said day of next, and, in case of making default herein, I bind myself to forfeit to His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, the sum of Rupees

Dated this day of 19 .

(*Signature.*)

do hereby declare [4] surety for the abovenamed that he will appear before the Court of on the day of next; and, in case of his making default therein [3] bind [5] to forfeit to His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, the sum of Rupees

[3] I or we.
[4] Myself or ourselves.
[5] Myself or ourselves jointly and severally.

(*Signature*).

Dated this day of 19 .

X. *Insert* the word " Magistrate " at the bottom right-hand corner of each of the Criminal Process Forms Nos. 9, 10 and 40, at pages 177, 178 and 210, *ibid*, respectively.

XI. In line 1 of the Memorandum in paragraph 6 of Form No. (M) 84 (slip)—at page 135, *ibid*, for the words " I believe " *substitute* the words " I have explained to (*g*) that he is not bound to make a confession and that, if he does so, any confession he may make may be used as evidence against him and I believe ".

(*g*) Name.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 650J.G.—Mr. Satya Priya Bhattacharjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, Midnapore, Sadar, is appointed as Circle Officer of the Gangajalghati circle of the district of Bankura, *vice* Babu Naresh Chandra Datta, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 656J.G.—Babu Aswini Kumar Ganguli, Circle Officer, Galsi, Burdwan, is transferred to the Sadar circle of the district of Howrah as Circle Officer, *vice* Babu Amulya Chandra Datta, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 665J.G.—Babu Himangshu Jyoti Mazumdar, Sub-Deputy Collector, Burdwan, Sadar, is appointed as Circle Officer, of Galsi, in the same district, *vice* Babu Aswini Kumar Ganguli, transferred.

This cancels the notification No. 232J.G., dated the 21st January 1924, appointing him as Circle Officer, Birbhum, Sadar.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 746J.G.—Babu Narayan Das Ganguli, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Panskura, Midnapore, is transferred on general duty to Midnapore Sadar.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 748J.G.—Babu Anadi Nath Lahiri, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jhargram, Midnapore, is transferred to the headquarters station of the same district, *vice* Babu Narendra Nath Mukharji, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 662J.G.—Babu Rajendra Lal Acharji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Uluberia, Howrah, is transferred to the Serampore subdivision in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Manindra Nath Basu, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 639J.G.—Babu Rajendra Nath Biswas, Sub-Deputy Collector, Howrah Sadar, is appointed as Circle Officer of the Kotulpur circle of the subdivision of Vishnupur in the district of Bankura as Circle Officer, *vice* Babu Harendra Chandra Barori, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 642J.G.—Babu Harendra Chandra Barori, Circle Officer, Kotulpur, in the district of Bankura, is transferred to the Haripal circle of the Serampore subdivision in the district of Hooghly as Circle Officer, *vice* Babu Karuna Nidhan Ghosh, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 645J.G.—Babu Karuna Nidhan Ghosh, Circle Officer of the Haripal circle of the Serampore subdivision in the district of Hooghly, is transferred to Patrasayer in the district of Bankura as Circle Officer, *vice* Babu Durgapada Banarji, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 659J.G.—Babu Amulya Chandra Dutta, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Howrah, Sadar, is transferred to the subdivision of Arambagh in the district of Hooghly as 2nd officer, *vice* Babu Bankim Bihari Mitra, on leave.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 750J.G.—Babu Narendra Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Midnapore, is appointed to be a Circle Officer of the Panskura Circle of the same district, *vice* Babu Narayan Das Ganguli, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 835J.G.—Babu Durgapada Banarji, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Patrasayar, Bankura, is transferred on general duty to the headquarters station of the district of Burdwan.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 13th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 838J.G.—Babu Phani Bhusan Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Amta, in the district of Howrah, is transferred on circle work to the Onda circle of the district of Bankura, *vice* Babu Rajendra Narayan Rakshit, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 13th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 841J.G.—Babu Naresh Chandra Dutt, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Gangajalghati, Bankura, is transferred on general duty to the headquarters station of the same district.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVISION, CHINSURA, *the 13th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 846J.G.—Babu Rajendra Narayan Rakshit, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Onda circle, Bankura, is transferred on circle work to the Amta circle in the district of Howrah, *vice* Babu Phani Bhushan Ghosh, transferred.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVISION, CHINSURA, *the 13th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 937J.G.—Maulvi Ekramuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, who has been transferred to the Burdwan Division under Government notification No. 4233A., dated the 11th March 1924, is posted on general duty to the headquarters station of the Birbhum district.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 17th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 960J.G.—Babu Hari Charan Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, on return from leave, was attached to the office of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division on the 5th March 1924, preliminary to his posting.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 14th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1503J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 63 (*2*) of the Bengal Jail Code, 1919, Mrs. K. C. Chunder is appointed to be a non-official lady visitor of the Manikganj sub-jail in the district of Dacca for a period of two years.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 20th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 654M.—It is hereby notified for general information that a by-election will be held on Wednesday, the 14th May 1924, to elect a commissioner for Ward No. VIII of the Darjeeling Municipality, *vice* Mr. K. L. Mackenzie, resigned.

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 17th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1442J.—It is hereby notified for general information that the election of Commissioners for ward No. VII of the Dacca Municipality will be held on the 5th April 1924.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 33M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 19th July 1924, has been fixed as the date for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the Khulna Municipality, in the district of Khulna, in place of those who, having been elected at the last general election of Commissioners or subsequently thereto, will complete their term of office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 24th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 19Mct.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19 (*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), and acting under the orders of the Local Government given in the exercise of the administrative control vested in them by section 29B of the same Act, I hereby appoint Mr. H. E. B. Earwaker to be a member of the Alipur-Duar Local Board in the district of Jalpaiguri, *vice* Mr. J. B. Ogg, resigned.*

W. A. MARR, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

RAJSHAHI DIVN., BOGRA, *the 16th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 598L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Illambazar police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

SIRSA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Pashu Pati Nayek.
„ Protap Chandra Nayek.
Shaikh Elahi Mondal.

Ward No. II.

Shaikh Abdul Mridha.
„ Lokai Mondal.
Babu Bagal Chandra Gharui.

KENDULI UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Shaikh Samsoddin Mondal.
Babu Bon Behari Ghosh.
„ Sat Kari Ghosh.

Ward No. II.

Babu Pran Ballav Chatterji.
„ Krishna Chandra Dey.
„ Ram Ramesh Chakravarty.

DHARAMPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Ashutosh Mondal.
„ Nangar Chandra Chakravarty.
Shaikh Abdul Bari.

Ward No. II.

Babu Jagabandhu Ghosh.
„ Achuta Nanda Laha.
„ Nalinakshya Mukherji.

GHURISHA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Tin Kari Chatterji.
Munshi Khetabuddin Molla.
„ Ahammad Hossain.

Ward No. II.

Babu Tin Kari Pal.
Shaikh Morsed Mondal.
Babu Gobinda Chandra Ghosh.

NANASOL UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Shaikh Golamali Molla.
Maulvi Abdul Bari.
Babu Bonwari Lal Ganguli.

NANASOL UNION BOARD.

Ward No. II.

Kazi Abdul Hafez.
Shaikh Abdu Mondal.
„ Khetabuddin Mondal.

ILLAMBAZAR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Tinkari Dutta.
„ Dharani Dhar Saha.
„ Protap Chandra Dutta.
„ Krishna Chandra Chatterji.

Ward No. II.

Babu Gour Chandra Roy.
„ Sarbananda Goswami.

CHELLA UNION BOARD.

Ward No I.

Babu Sib Ram Bhattacherji.
„ Bejoy Chandra Sarkar.

Ward No. II.

Babu Thaka Krishna Goswami.
„ Dharani Dhar Goswami.

Ward No. III.

Babu Pashu Pati Bhattacherji.
„ Abimukteswar Bhattacherji.

BILATI UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Dhurjati Nath Chatterji.
„ Tara Prosanna Hazra.
„ Gopal Chandra Gayen.

Ward No. II.

Shaikh Meajan Molla.
„ Nemai.
„ Choyar Mondal.

MANGALDIHI UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Mati Lal Mukherji.
„ Ram Renu Chatterji.
„ Paran Garai.

Ward No. II.

Babu Dinabandhu Banerji.
Munshi Belat Mondal.
„ Sadi Molla.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards:—

SIRSA UNION BOARD.

Babu Promotha Nath Das.
„ Hrishi Kesh Mukherji.
Shaikh Rakhal Mondal.

KENDULI UNION BOARD.

Babu Sree Ram Chandra Chatterji.
Munshi Gahur Khan.
Babu Sannyasi Charan Banerji.

DHARAMPUR UNION BOARD.

Munshi Soleman Mondal.
„ Shaikh Idris Molla.
Babu Jagadish Chandra Mukherji.

GHURISHA UNION BOARD

Shaikh Abdul Sattar Hazi.
Babu Satish Chandra Mondal.
„ Bhola Nath Bhattacherji.

NANASOL UNION BOARD.

Shaikh Sultan Mondal.
„ Juran Ali.
„ Mati Lal Mondal.

ILLAMBAZAR UNION BOARD.

Babu Monohar Pal.
Shaikh Ijahar Mallik.
Babu Broja Kishore Jar.

CHELLA UNION BOARD.

Babu Surath Nath Sen.
„ Bejoy Chandra Sarkar.
„ Gangadhar Sen Gupta.

BILATI UNION BOARD.

Mir Sujat Ali.
Momai Sahana.
Babu Jatindra Nath Banerji.

MANGALDIHI UNION BOARD.

Shaikh Basaraddi.
„ Abdul Hakim.
Babu Nitya Gopal Banerji.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *16th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 605 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 38 of the Election Rules for union boards, Babu Mahendra Nath Kunar has been duly elected to be a member for Ward No. II of the Parambua-Shahbazar union board in Dhaniakhali police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Dasarathi Mukherjee, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1421J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Kalagachia union board, police-station Narayanganj, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca:—

1. Mohendra Chandra Bhoumik.
2. Panchananda Das.
3. Maulvi Ahmed Ali Miah.
4. Munshi Mafizaddin Ahmed.
5. „ Abdur Rahaman.
6. „ Abdul Gani.

Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the aforesaid union board:—

1. Mantazaddin Sirker.
2. Bala Chand Bepari.
3. Babu Radharaman Goswami.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 601L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Ahmadpur police-station in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

SULTANPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Gouri Prosanna Banerji.
„ Mohima Ranjan Dutta.

Ward No. II.

Rai Abinash Chandra Banerji Bahadur.
Shaikh Siddik Ahmed.

Ward No. III.

Babu Krishna Chandra Pal.
„ Kush Chandra Ghosh.

AMARPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Hari Pada Mukherji.
„ Sarat Chandra Thakur.

Ward No. II.

Babu Bhupati Nath Mazumdar.
„ Bhairab Nath Mazumdar.

Ward No. III.

Babu Rakkha Kar Bhattacherji.
„ Sasi Bhusan Chaudhuri.

AHMADPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Surendra Nath Chandra.
„ Mritunjoy Chandra
„ Dharani Dhar Mukherji.
„ Bahuballav Chandra.

Ward No. II.

Babu Rakhal Chandra Datta.
„ Jogeswar Bhattacherji.

PARUI UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Narendra Nath Ghosh.
Shaikh Behatar Mondal.
„ Alla Rakhu.
„ Abdul Sobhan.

Ward No. II.

Babu Panchanan Chatterji.
„ Radhu Pada Mukherji.

KASUA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Khuraram Ghosh.
„ Durga Das Samanta.
„ Ashu Tosh Chandra.
„ Jogendra Lal Ghosh.

Ward No. II.

Babu Ram Nath Chakravarty.
„ Kishori Mohan Sarkar.

SRINIDHIPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Kasi Nath Roy.
„ Gour Pada Bhattacharji.
„ Ram Sadaya Ghosh.

Ward No. II.

Babu Kali Das Chatterji.
„ Hari Narayan Ghosh.
„ Sachi Nandan Mondal.

SARPOLAHONA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Kali Saran De.
„ Krishna Prosanna Pal.
„ Hari Gati Pal.

Ward No. II.

Babu Sridam Chandra Ghosh.
„ Syama Joti Ghosh.
„ Durga Das Ghosh.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the aforesaid union boards :—

SULTANPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Sat Kari Mallik.
„ Atinash Chandra Biswas.
„ Bidhu Bhusan Ghosh.

AMARPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Hrishi Kesh Saha.
„ Mukunda Murari Mondal.
„ Durjadhan Karmakar.

AHMADPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Kali Pada Bhattacharji.
„ Ram Saran Pal.
„ Fapi Bhusan Sarkar.

PARUI UNION BOARD.

Babu Hari Pada Chatterji.
„ Bistu Narayan Sarkar.
Shaikh Nakur Mondal.

KASBA UNION BOARD.

Babu Durga Das Pal.
„ Ram Nath Ghosh.
Munshi Koarali Khan.

SRINIDHIPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Kedar Nath Banerji.
„ Dhononjoy Saha.
„ Jogesh Chandra Ghosh.

SARPOLAHONA UNION BOARD.

Babu Dharani Dhar Mondal.
„ Ram Tarak Kaviraj.
„ Trambak Kinkar Ghosh.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 16th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 137L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Satokhali union board in police-station Salikha in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Suklal Lahiri.
2. „ Hira Lal Bose.
3. „ Ram Lal Bose.
4. Munshi Saber Biswas.
5. „ Panch Kari Biswas.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentleman has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be a member of the aforesaid union board :—

Munshi Abdul Karim Molla.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Jessore, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Padma Lochan Roy.
2. Kazi Abdul Khaleque.
3. Munshi Imam Ali Molla.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 138L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Barni union board in police-station Muhammadpur in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Babu Amrita Lal Bose.
2. Babu Janhabi Kumar Rai.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Bholanath Sikdar.
2. „ Nepal Chandra Das.
3. Munshi Reaz-Uddin Molla.
4. „ Mulam-Uddin Molla.

3. Under sub section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Jessore, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Munshi Abdul Molla.
2. „ Meser Molla.
3. Babu Rajendra Nath Kar.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 139L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentleman has been duly elected to be a member of the Raghabdair union board in police-station Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

Babu Kamakshya Charan Biswas.

2. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Jessore to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Atal Behari Ghosh.
2. „ Srigopal Chakravarty.
3. Munshi Makbul Ahmed Khan.
4. Kazi Mozahar-uddin.
5. Munshi Afazuddin Biswas.

3. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by District Magistrate, Jessore, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Ramcharan Biswas.
2. Munshi Mahammad Manik Joardar.
3. Munshi Momtazuddin Sikdar.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 140 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Sabdalpur union board in police-station Magura in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district :—

1. Munshi Masial Azam.
2. „ Toazuddin Molla.
3. „ Helaluddin Ahmed.
4. Munshi Abdul Hakim Biswas.
5. „ Mahammad Abdul Latif Mia.
6. Babu Khitish Chandra Bhattacharyya.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate, Jessore, to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Apurba Chandra Bhattacharyya.
2. „ Guru Charan Nandi.
3. Babu Tara Pada Sanyal.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1447J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), Babu Probhat Chandra Das has been duly elected to be a member of the Sonarang union board in Tangibari police-station in the Munshiganj subdivision of the district of Dacca, *vice* Babu Manoranjan Bhattacharjee, deceased.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 19th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1449J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), Babu Behari Lal Mallik has been appointed by the Magistrate of Dacca to be a member of the Kukutia union board in Sreenagar police-station in the Munshiganj subdivision of the district of Dacca, *vice* Babu Rebati Mohan Datta, resigned.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 19th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1424J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 6 (*2*) of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act (V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Goalundo subdivision of the district of Faridpur :—

Pangsa police-station.

KASHBA-MAJHAIL UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Munshi Shah Muhammad Khorshed Alam.

Ward No. II.

Munshi Syed Abdul Muzib.
Muhammad Rahatulla Biswas.

Ward No. III.

Munshi Abdul Jabbar.
„ Mazhar Hossain.

Ward No. IV.

Munshi Atahar Hossain.

SENGRAM UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Munshi Sephatulla Biswas.
Babu Surendra Nath Biswas.

Pangsa police-station.

SENGRAM UNION BOARD.

Ward No. II.

Munshi Muhammadali Mallick.
„ Chand Meah.

Ward No. III.

Munshi Kheru Pramanik.
Babu Pratul Chandra Chakraborty.

Rajbari police-station.

ALIPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Rajyeswar Bose.
Munshi Badiruddin Khan.
Babu Beni Madhab Guha.
„ Jogendra Nath Sarkar.

Under section 6 (*4*) of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Faridpur to be members of the following union board in the said subdivision :—

Rajbari police-station.

ALIPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. II.

Babu Surendra Nath Ghose. Babu Sita Nath Ghose.

Under section 6 (*3*) of the said Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Faridpur to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the said subdivision :—

Pangsa police-station.

KASHBA-MAJHAIL UNION BOARD.

Babu Panchanan Bose.
„ Charu Chandra Biswas.
Munshi Mir Abdur Rob.

SENGRAM UNION BOARD.

Babu Haran Chandra Ghose.
„ Rajani Kanta Biswas.
Munshi Kazi Gaheruddin.

Rajbari police-station.

ALIPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Abinash Chandra Biswas.
Munshi Dinu Sardar.
„ Gopal Khan Hazi.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner* (*offg.*).

DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 630L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bauria union board in Bauria police-station in the Uluberia subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

Ward No. I.

Babu Naranarayan Ghosh.
„ Surendra Nath Ghosh.
„ Tarak Chandra Giri.

Ward No. II.

Babu Shoshi Bhusan Ghosh.
„ Abinash Chandra Mandal.
„ Munshi Golam Panjatan Jamadar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union board :—

1. Babu Khetra Mohan Ghosh. 2. Babu Upendra Nath Bhas.
3. Babu Satish Chandra Mitra.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 652 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bajitpur union board in Moureswar police-station in the Rampurhat subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Ward No. I.	Ward No. III.
Babu Uday Chandra Mandal.	Babu Hari Gopal Bhattacharjee.
	„ Rajendra Lal Bandopadhay.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the said union board :—

Maulvi Syed Shah Pande Ali. Babu Dhajadhari Roy.
„ Syed Azizan.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the said union board :—

Ward No. I	Ward No. II.
Babu Tara Prasanna Chowdhury.	Babu Bholanath Mukherjee.
	„ Bonwari Lal Sarkar.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 649 L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Rampurhat union board in the Rampurhat police-station in the Rampurhat subdivision of the district of Birbhum :—

Ward No. II.	Ward No. IV.
Babu Jogesh Chandra Chowdhury.	Babu Satish Chandra Ghoshal.
„ Dwijendra Nath Banerjee.	

Ward No. III.

Babu Rajani Kanta Mandal.
„ Provash Chandra Chatterjee.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be members of the said union board :—

Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Aziz. Babu Prasanna Kumar Das.
„ Madeswar Hossain.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentleman has been appointed by the District Magistrate of Birbhum to be a member of the Rampurhat union board :—

Ward No. I.—Babu Annada Prosad Mukherjee.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 627L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 6 (*2*) and section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 38 of the Election Rules for union boards, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in the Uluberia police-station in the Uluberia subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

JOARGORE UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Sarat Chandra Desmukh.
„ Sarat Chandra Ghosh.
„ Srish Chandra Desmukh.

Ward No. II.

Shaikh Ersad Ali Molla.
Babu Purna Chandra Roy.
„ Surja Kumar Samanta.

BANIBAN UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Maulvi Nader Ali Mallik.
Munshi Mobarak Ali Kazi.
Babu Annada Charan Sen.

Ward No. II.

Babu Tincouri Malik.

Ward No. III.

Munshi Baharaddi Molla.
Babu Nani Lal Mandal.

BASUDEBPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Joy Krishna Das.
„ Bankim Chandra Chakrabarty.
„ Hari Das Das.

Ward No. II.

Babu Akhsoy Kumar Mondal.
Munshi Abdul Bari Kazi.
Babu Natabar Parui.

CHENGIL UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Behari Lal Mondal.
Munshi Shaikh Tofel Ali.
Babu Kamakhyanath Chakrabarty.
Munshi Belat Ali Khan.

Ward No. II.

Babu Debendra Nath Mondal.
Munshi Abdul Samad Khan.

ULUBERIA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Saradindu Bosu.
„ Nemai Chandra Ghosh.
„ Probodh Chandra Sircar.

Ward No. II.

Babu Pronobesh Chandra Chakrabarty.
„ Panch Kari Ghosh.
„ Satish Chandra Ghosh.

CHANDIPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Nagendra Nath Ghosh.
„ Annada Prasad Ghosh.
„ Beni Madhab Ghosh.

Ward No. II.

Babu Mohendra Nath Ghosh.
„ Makhan Lal Sircar.
„ Jatindra Nath Ghosh.

HATGACHA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Naran Chandra Mondal.
„ Panch Kari Manna.

Ward No. II.

Babu Sashi Bhusan Das.
„ Khagendra Nath Das.

Ward No III.

Babu Mohendra Nath Mondal.
„ Manik Lal Bag.

KALINAGAR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Dukhiram Mondal.
„ Munshi Rafijaddin Molla.
Babu Sarada Prasad Dhole.

Ward No. II.

Munshi Kader Bux Mondal.
Babu Sarada Prasad Adya.
„ Priya Nath Mondal.

DHULA SIMLA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Lalit Mohan Banerjee.
„ Sarat Chandra Banerjee.

Ward No. II.

Babu Anukul Chandra Bhuia.
„ Shaikh Sadaraddi Molla.

Ward No. III.

Babu Probodh Chandra Tewary.
„ Kristo Das Kar.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards :—

JOARGORE UNION BOARD.

Babu Amrita Lal Dalui.
Seikh Syemali Mundal.
Babu Priyanath Sarkar.

BANIBAN UNION BOARD.

Babu Ekkari Singha Ray.
„ Dudh Kumar Manna.
„ Probhat Prokash Banerjee.

BASUDEBPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Kedar Nath Basu, B.L.
„ Jibon Krishna Das.
„ Rakhal Chandra Chatterjee.

CHENGIL UNION BOARD.

Babu Jitendra Nath Hayet.
„ Janaki Nath Manna.
„ Ashutosh Ghosh.

ULUBERIA UNION BOARD.

Babu Sarat Chandra Dhara.
Munshi Ershadali.
Babu Kali Pada Basu.

CHANDIPUR UNION BOARD.

Seikh Azam Hossain.
Babu Kissory Mohan Basu.
„ Ramanath Hazra.

HATGACHA UNION BOARD.

Munshi Abdul Rahaman Nazir.
Golam Samdani Mollah.
Babu Moti Lal Mondal.

KALINAGAR UNION BOARD.

Maulvi Nawjesh Ali, B.L.
Babu Fakir Chandra Chanda.
„ Ram Sagar Pramanik.

DHULA SIMLA UNION BOARD.

Babu Promotho Nath Shau.
„ Hridoy Krishna Pramanik.
„ Mati Lal Pramanik.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 633L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the under-mentioned union boards in Shyampur police-station in the Uluberia subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

AMARDAHA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Hari Pada Samanta.
„ Mohesh Chandra Jana.
„ Rashik Lal Das.

Ward No. II.

Babu Promotho Nath Das.
„ Dinanath Roy.
„ Nani Lal Bhakta.

BELARI UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Nibaran Chandra Ghosh.
„ Uma Charan Chakrabarty.
Munshi Shaikh Abbas Ali.

Ward No. II.

Babu Beni Madhab Mondal.
„ Uthan Pada Mukerjee.
„ Kartic Chandra Das.

NABAGRAM UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Munshi Karamat Ali Molla.
Babu Hem Chandra Chakrabarty.
„ Rama Nath Mondal.

Ward No. II.

Babu Abinash Chandra Das.
Munshi Korim Bux Molla.
„ Nessar Ali Molla.

KHARUBERIA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Jatindra Nath Samanta.
„ Nibaran Chandra Sircar.
„ Rajani Kanta Roy.

Ward No. II.

Babu Tinkari Gur.
„ Ramnarain Maity.
„ Jogendra Nath Samanta.

KAMALPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Sarat Chandra Baitalik.
„ Sashi Bhusan Baitalik.
Munshi Shaikh Ajmatulla.

Ward No. II.

Babu Indra Narain Manna.
„ Rakhal Chandra Bag.
„ Fakir Chandra Baitalik.

SHYAMPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Sarat Chandra Ghosal.
„ Girish Chandra Mondal.
Munshi Shaikh Kasimuddin.

SHYAMPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. II.

Babu Abinash Chandra Khatua.
„ Dwarka Nath Khatua.
„ Ramanath Gur.

BANESHWARPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Beni Madhab Sau.
„ Rakhal Chandra Biswas.
„ Debendra Nath Mukerjee.

Ward No. II.

Babu Lakkhi Pada Samanta.
„ Rakhal Chandra Mondal.
„ Chota Ramanath Mondal.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6, of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards :—

AMARDAHA UNION BOARD.

Maulvi Walait Hossain.
Babu Sashi Bhusan Patra.
Shek Azahar.

BELARI UNION BOARD.

Babu Bipin Behari Ghosh.
Munshi Kabiruddin Ahammad.
Babu Bepin Behari Paramanik.

NABAGRAM UNION BOARD.

Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Banerjee, M.A.
„ Satish Chandra Dutta.
„ Ratan Chandra Mundal.

KHARUBERIA UNION BOARD.

Munshi Abedali Molla.
„ Neser Molla.
Babu Sarabhuj Mondal.

KAMALPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Hari Pada Ghosh.
„ Kali Pada Chandra, B.A., B.T.
„ Hem Chandra Pal.

SHYAMPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Chandra Kisore Samanta.
Sheikh Khoda Bux.
Babu Rajani Kanta Maity.

BANESHWARPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Surendra Nath Bera.
Sk. Panaulla Fakir.
Sheikh Ahad Bux Jamadar.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 636L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Bagnan police-station in the Uluberia subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

BAGNAN UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Manmatha Nath Mitra.
„ Shital Chandra Paul.
„ Hira Lal Sarkar.

Ward No. II.

Babu Krittibash Paul.
„ Rakhal Chandra Sircar.
„ Bhuban Chandra Bosu.

BATUL UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Shaikh Nessar Ali Mistry.
Babu Nafar Chandra Manna.

Ward No. II.

Babu Manmatha Nath Banerjea.
„ Uma Charan Majhi.
„ Hari Pada Biswas.
„ Girish Chandra Manna.

BENAPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Purna Chandra Pal.
„ Priya Nath Shee.
„ Hari Pada Samanta.

Ward No. II.

Babu Fakir Chandra Biswas.
„ Gopal Chandra Adak.
„ Shital Chandra Pramanik.

CHANDRABHAG UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Anath Nath Banerjee.
„ Lal Behari Mitra.

Ward No. II.

Shaik Aminuddin.
„ Mofijuddin Ahmad.

Ward No. III.

Babu Santosh Kumar Ghoshal.
„ Priyanath Ghoshal.

KALYANPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Manmatha Nath De.
„ Hridoy Nath Das.
„ Bidhu Bhusan Samanta.

Ward No. II.

Babu Bishtu Pada Manna.
„ Nemai Charan Banerjee.
Munshi Shaik Jasimuddin Ahammad.

BAINAN UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Munshi Moudat Hossain.
„ Abdul Korim.

Ward No. II.

Munshi Sk. Refaqtulla.
„ Fakir Mahammad Mallik.
Babu Bidur Chandra Mondal.
Munshi Shaik Ajmatulla.

BANGALPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Mati Lal Das.
„ Amaresh Chandra Das.
„ Akhil Chandra Jana.

Ward No. II.

Munshi Shaikh Khoyrat Ali.
Babu Bhola Nath Chakrabarty.
„ Gobinda Prasad Mitra.

MELLOKE UNION BOARD.

Ward No. II.

Babu Abharan Chandra Bhowmic.
„ Mohini Mohan Ghosal.
„ Satish Chandra Ghoshal.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards :—

BAGNAN UNION BOARD.

Maulvi Wahadul Haq.
Babu Narendra Nath Mukherjee.
„ Basanta Kumar Sarkar.

BATUL UNION BOARD.

Babu Suresh Chandra Pundit.
„ Manmatha Nath Mukherjee.
Shaik Aynuddin Mistree.

BENAPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Rajani Kanta Ghoshal.
Sheikh Abdus Samad.
Babu Sashi Bhusan Sen.

CHANDRABHAG UNION BOARD.

Babu Shitol Chandra Ghoshal.
„ Jatindra Nath Ghosh.
„ Tincouree Mukerjee.

KALYANPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Sarat Chandra Mitra.
„ Nalini Kanta Gupta Kabiraj.
„ Amarendra Nath Ghoshal.

BAINAN UNION BOARD.

Babu Bistu Pada Panja.
„ Shyama Charan Panja.
„ Shital Prasad Sarkar.

BANGALPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Rakhal Chandra Sau.
„ Surendra Nath Ghoshal.
„ Sriram Chandra Ghosh.

MELLOKE UNION BOARD.

Babu Fakir Chandra Mukerjee.
„ Kedar Nath Mondal.
Maulvi Mohammad Elahi Bux Midday.

4. Under sub-section (*4*) of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the Melloke union board :—

Ward No. I.

Babu Nagendra Nath Palit.
„ Bibhuti Bhusan Maity.
Maulvi Joadat Hossain.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th March 1924*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 639L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Mondalghat police-station in the Uluberia subdivision of the district of Hooghly :—

NAKOLE UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Sashi Bhusan Mondal.
„ Girish Chandra Misra.
„ Kisori Mohan Chakrabarty.

Ward No. II.

Sheikh Tamijaddin.
Munshi Golam Rahaman Khan.
Babu Rash Behari Mondal.

SASATI UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Hem Chandra Jana.
„ Sarat Chandra Ghosal.
„ Bhutnath Paramanik.

SASATI UNION BOARD.

Ward No. II.

Babu Brahma Narain Purkait.
„ Troilokhya Nath Purkait.
„ Kirtibash Maity.

DEMONDALGHAT UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Kedar Nath Karak.
„ Jatindra Nath Choudhury.
Munshi Shaikh Abdul Gofur.

Ward No. II.

Sheikh Atawar Rahaman.
Babu Satish Chandra Biswas.
„ Mohendra Nath Manna.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards :—

NAKOLE UNION BOARD.

Babu Nerode Nath Misra.
„ Surendra Nath Bera.
„ Haradhan Manna.

SASATI UNION BOARD.

Munshi Abdul Wahed Khan.
Babu Jharu Charan Ghosh.
„ Bankim Chandra Mitra, B.A.

DEMONDALGHAT UNION BOARD.

Babu Shib Chandra Mondal.
„ Hari Mohan Maji.
„ Shital Chandra Mistry.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 642L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Singti police-station in the Uluberia subdivision of the district of Howrah :—

DEHI BHURSUT UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Rajani Kanta Maity.
„ Sricharan Pal.
„ Annoda Charan Santra.

Ward No. II.

Babu Probodh Chandra Roy.
„ Rakhal Chandra Basu.
„ Dukhiram Chakrabarty.

UDAY NARAYANPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Panchanon Chakrabarty.
„ Gosto Behari Ganguli.
„ Sailendra Nath Ganguli.

UDAY NARAYANPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. II.

Babu Behari Lal Majhi.
„ Bonomali Samanta.
„ Bhola Nath Banerjee.

SINGTI UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Annada Prasad Paladhi.
„ Anuja Kisore Roy.
„ Basanta Kumar Hazra.

Ward No. II.

Babu Rajkristo Senapati.
Munshi Belat Hossain.
Babu Bipin Chandra Banerjee.

DEBIPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Haradhan Haldar.
„ Jadu Nath Sarkar.
„ Barada Charan Poley.

Ward No. II.

Babu Shital Chandra Dutta.
„ Suresh Chandra Sau.
„ Mohananda Mal.

GARH BHABANIPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Kanai Lal Karati.
„ Ashutosh Mondal.

Ward No. II.

Babu Nalinakshya Roy.
„ Pundarikakshya Roy.
„ Annoda Charan Chatterjee.
„ Kunja Behari Chandra.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act 1919, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards:—

DEHI BHURSUT UNION BOARD.

Munshi Golam Rahaman Mullik.
Babu Shyama Charan Chowdhury.
„ Rajani Kanta Rakhit.

UDAY NARAYANPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Narendra Kumar Chatterjee.
„ Satish Chandra Ghosh.
Munshi Seikh Aftabuddin.

SINGTI UNION BOARD.

Babu Gopal Chandra Mondal.
„ Jatindra Nath Khan.
Munshi Abdul Khaleq Sarkar.

DEBIPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Beman Behari Kundu.
„ Nafar Chandra Bhattacherjee.
„ Annada Prasad Nundy.

GARH BHABANIPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Panchanon Chongdar.
Shaik Abdul Hamid.
Babu Atul Chandra Hazra.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 645L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the undermentioned union boards in Amta police-station in the Uluberia subdivision in the district of Howrah :—

HARISHPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Rajani Kanta Nandi.
„ Debendra Nath Nandi.
„ Godadhar Patra.

Ward No. II.

Babu Surendra Nath Patra.
„ Akhil Chandra Pal.
„ Hari Mohan Chatterjee.

BASANTAPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Surendra Nath Pal.
„ Shyama Pada Chakrabarty.
„ Jogesh Chandra Mukerjee.

Ward No. II.

Babu Amarendra Nath Biswas.
„ Khetra Mohan Chakrabarty.
Munshi Ahmed Ali Mullik.

KHOSHALPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Girish Chandra Deasi.
„ Manik Chandra Chakrabarty.
Munshi Lehajuddin Sheikh.

Ward No. II.

Babu Hari Sadhan Chakrabarty.
„ Upendra Nath Hazra.
„ Debendra Nath Senati.

RASHPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Hrisikesh Chakrabarty.
„ Basari Mohan Koley.

Ward No. II.

Babu Anukul Chandra Roy.
„ Nani Lal Chakrabarty.
„ Gosto Behari De.
„ Nagendra Nath Dalui.

THALIA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Upendra Nath Maity.
„ Sudha Kristo Samanta.
„ Nibaran Chandra Chakrabarty.

Ward No. II.

Babu Surja Kumar Roy.
„ Surendra Nath Bodhak.
„ Basanta Kumar Chakrabarty.

PHATORA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Sital Chandra Mukerjee.
„ Kanon Behari Chowdhury.
„ Surendra Nath Chowdhury.
„ Gobinda Kinkar Mukerjee.

JAYPUR UNION BOARD

Ward No. I.

Babu Manmatha Nath Bose.
„ Shital Chandra Mondal.
„ Hari Bangsa Roy.
„ Kedar Nath Mondal.

Ward No. II.

Babu Sashi Bhushan Dore.
„ Ram Hriday Samanta.

KHALNA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Nalini Nath Mallik.
„ Rampada Roy.
„ Aghorenath Banerjee.
„ Aswini Kumar Roy.

Ward No. II.

Babu Panchanan Roy.
Munshi Kadom Ali.

TAJPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Nil Kamal Prodhan.
„ Sadhan Chandra Datta.
„ Hari Charan Sarket.

Ward No. II.

Babu Anath Nath Roy.
„ Surendra Nath Roy (I).
„ Hari Pada Acherjee.

GAZIPUR UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Nalini Kanta Laha.
„ Sashi Bhusan Chakrabarty.
„ Sadhan Chandra Parui.

Ward No. II.

Babu Bahir Das Pandit.
„ Panchanon De.
„ Satish Chandra Mazoomdar.

AMTA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Upendra Nath Sarkar.
„ Satish Chandra Sarkar.

Ward No. II.

Babu Brojo Gopal Roy.
„ Surendra Nath Chakrabarty.
„ Jibonpati Mukhopadhyay.
„ Bipin Behari Ghosh.

UDONG UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Preo Nath Dhawa.
„ Doyal Chandra Sau.

Ward No. II.

Babu Tara Pada Roy.
„ Surendra Nath Das.
„ Jogendra Nath Meur.
„ Fanindra Nath Paral.

BHANDARGACHHA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Bijoy Kristo Das.
„ Nafar Chandra Sircar.

Ward No. II.

Babu Lalit Mohan Banerjee.
„ Durgaprasad Banerjee.
Munshi Golam Rahaman.
Babu Hiralal Bakuli.

TULSIBERIA UNION BOARD.

Ward No. I.

Babu Jogendra Nath Hajra.
„ Radhanath Ash.
„ Uthanpada Chakrabarty.
„ Dharmadas Jati.

Ward No. II.

Babu Surendra Nath Das.
„ Rakhal Chandra Das.

2. Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the aforesaid union boards :—

HARISHPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Bidhu Bhusan Roy.
„ Jatindra Nath Chowdhury.
Munshi Meherali Khan.

BASANTAPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Jatindra Mohan Sarkar.
„ Surja Kumar Nayek.
Munshi Ahammadali Dewan.

KHOSHALPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Haripada Senapati.
„ Atul Chandra Pal.
Munshi Seikh Mojahar (junior).

RASHPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Ram Krishna Deashi.
„ Bhupati Charan Das.
Seikh Abdul Latif.

THALIA UNION BOARD.

Babu Panchanon Sarkar.
„ Satish Chandra Banerjee.
Munshi Umedali.

BHATORA UNION BOARD.

Babu Gopi Kinkar Mukerjee.
„ Tincouri Khara.
Munshi Golam Rabbani.

JAYPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Jnanendra Nath Santra.
„ Pasupati Chakrabarty.
Munshi Mahammad Esmail Saheb.

KHALNA UNION BOARD.

Babu Radhaballav Bandopadhyay.
„ Bistu Pada Roy.
„ Bhut Nath Roy.

TAJPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Prasad Chandra Chakrabarty, B.A.
„ Amarendra Nath Bhattacherjee.
Munshi Debiruddin.

GAZIPUR UNION BOARD.

Babu Sisupati Chatterjee.
Dr. Pulin Ranjan Basu, M.B.
Munshi Mukshed Mallik.

AMTA UNION BOARD.

Babu Gostha Behari Das.
„ Kamakhya Nath Biswas.
„ Nagendra Nath Mazumdar.

UDONG UNION BOARD.

Babu Hira Lal Roy.
„ Bepin Behari Mondal.
Munshi Mahamud Nasim Kazi.

BHANDARGACHIA UNION BOARD.

Babu Suraj Krishna Ghosh.
Munshi Kobad Ali.
Babu Ashutosh Hazra.

TULSIBERIA UNION BOARD.

Babu Annada Prasad Nangal.
Munshi Sujait Hossain.
Babu Piyari Mohan Ghorui.

3. Under sub-section (*4*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Howrah to be members of the Bhatora union board :—

Ward No. II ... { Munshi Naderali.
„ Abdul Karim Beg.

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th March 1924.*

ERRATUM.

No. 617L.S.-G.—In paragraph 2 of this office notification No. 353L.S.-G., dated the 16th February 1924, publishing the names of the elected and appointed members of the Digsui-Hoera union board in Magra police-station, printed at page 464, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th March 1924, *for* "No. 3 Babu Tarak Das Chatterjee" *read* "No. 3 Babu Tarak Das Mukerjee."

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th March 1924.*

ERRATUM.

No. 620L.S.-G.—In paragraph 2 of this office notification No. 408L.S.-G., dated the 20th February 1924, publishing the names of the elected and appointed members of the union boards in Dadpur police-station, printed at pages 471-72, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th March 1924, *for* "No. 3 Babu Narain Chandra Bandopadhya" against Babnan union board *read* "No. 3 Babu Narain Chandra Gangopadhya."

J. N. GUPTA, *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 135L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the charitable dispensary at Majhergram, in the Ranaghat subdivision of the Nadia district :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Ranaghat, *ex-officio.*
2. Babu Provash Chandra Bhattacharji, B.A.
3. „ Surendra Nath Chatterji.
4. „ Hrishikesh Banarji.
5. „ Taranath Mukharji.
6. Babu Nani Gopal Banarji.
7. „ Nani Gopal Karmakar.
8. „ Jotindra Nath Mondal.
9. Munshi Velayet Ali Tarafdar.
10. „ Salamat Mondal.
11. Babu Jadu Nath Pramanik.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 136L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Board of Nadia to be members of the Committee for the management of the dispensary at Kurulgachi, in the Chuadanga subdivision of the Nadia district :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Chuadanga, *ex-officio.*
2. The Civil Surgeon, Nadia, *ex-officio.*
3. Babu Arun Chandra Ganguly.
4. „ Apurba Kumar Ganguly.
5. „ Nagendra Gopal Ganguly.
6. Babu Jogesh Chandra Mozumdar.
7. „ Basanta Kumar Singha Ray.
8. „ Sukumar Roy.
9. „ Kiran Kumar Mozumdar.
10. „ Promotha Nath Banerjee.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th March 1924.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1395 J.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 139 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), I confirm the following amended by-law 30A of the District Board of Faridpur (*vide* this office notification No. 5512 J., dated the 19th December 1919, published at page 2008, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem) which has been adopted by the District Board under the said section 139 :—

Amended by-law "30A".

"Any person being in actual occupation of any land or water on or in which there exists any water-hyacinth shall, if so required by notices in writing signed by the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the District Board, Local Board, or a Union Committee, or by the President or Vice-President of a Union Board or by the District Engineer, destroy or remove such water-hyacinth within the period mentioned in such notices, provided that such notices shall be issued simultaneously for the whole of an area to be defined by the District Board, Local Board, a Union Committee, or a Union Board which shall not cover less than one entire village."

A. H. CLAYTON, *Commissioner (offg.).*

DACCA, *the 17th March 1924.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India, in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th March 1924, is republished for general information :—

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 10th March 1924.

No. 111-G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. A. B. Slater as acting Vice-Consul for Norway at Chittagong, during the absence of Mr. H. W. Fox.

E. B. HOWELL,
Secretary to the Government of India (offg.).

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th March 1924, are republished for general information.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Delhi, the 14th March 1924.

PART B.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 374.—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted commissions, with effect from the dates specified :—

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The Calcutta Scottish.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Walter Merry Craddock, D.S.O., M.C., dated 11th February 1924.

RESIGNATIONS.

AUXILIARY FORCE, INDIA.

No. 382.—The undermentioned officers are permitted to resign their commissions, with effect from the dates specified :—

* * * * * *

IV (Cossipore) Brigade, Royal Field and Garrison Artillery.

Major Robert Shand Thoms. Dated 28th January 1924, and to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the corps on retirement.

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E. BURDON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2562For.—The 14th March 1924.—The following regulations issued by the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands, are republished for general information.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Regulations for the appointment, in India, of probationers for the Imperial Forest Service in 1924.

Applications are invited from natives* of India and Burma for probationerships for the Imperial Forest Service. Candidates of European or Anglo-Indian descent must be unmarried and, if appointed as probationers, must remain unmarried until completion of the prescribed course of training and their return to India.

2. Applicants, who should not be more than 23, nor less than 19, years of age on 30th June 1924, must possess an *Honours* or a first class, degree in Science or an M. Sc. degree of any class of University incorporated by law in India or the qualifications required of candidates applying for appointment in England.†

3. Any attempt on the part of a candidate to enlist support for his application through persons of influence will disqualify him for appointment. Testimonials or other recommendations should not be attached to the applications.

4. Applications from officers already in the public service, whether as probationers or on a permanent establishment, will not be entertained.

5. Applications from residents in Ajmer, Baluchistan, Coorg, Delhi and North-West Frontier Province should be addressed to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands, through the Chief Commissioners of those Administrations, and from residents in Indian States through the Political officer or Agent *in time to reach the Government of India not later than the 1st May 1924.* Applications from residents in other territories should be addressed to the Revenue Secretary of the local Government concerned *in time to reach him not later than the 1st May 1924.* The applications must be in the form attached to these regulations. Copies of the regulations and of the forms of application may be obtained from the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands, the Revenue Secretaries to the Governments of Bombay, Madras, Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, Burma, Central Provinces, the Punjab, the United Provinces; the Chief Commissioners of Ajmer, Coorg and Delhi; the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor-General in the North-West Frontier Province; the Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan and Political Officers of Indian States.

6. Applications must be accompanied by a preliminary medical certificate of fitness for service in the Forest Department, signed by a Presidency Surgeon or the Civil Surgeon of the district or agency in which the applicant resides. This certificate is intended to prevent applications from candidates who are obviously physically unsuited for the Forest Service and will not exempt candidates from appearance before the final Medical Board.

7. Candidates who from their applications and from any further enquiries that may be considered necessary appear to the Government of India or to the local Government concerned to be *primâ facie* suitable will be summoned to appear before a Medical Board to undergo a strict medical examination in which particular stress will be laid on good vision and hearing. Each candidate appearing before the Board will pay a fee of Rs. 16 for his medical examination which will not be refunded whether the candidate is passed as fit or rejected as unfit. If passed as fit for the work of the Forest Department, they will then be interviewed by a Selection Board appointed by the Government of India or by the local Government concerned as the case may be.

8. Candidates summoned by the Government of India to appear for the medical examination and interview referred to in paragraph 7 will not be paid any travelling allowance.

Candidates summoned by local Governments for similar purposes may be paid travelling allowance under such conditions and at such rates as the local Government concerned may specify.

* "Native of India" means any person born and domiciled within the dominions of His Majesty in India or within the territory of the Indian Princes tributary to or in alliance with His Majesty, of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purposes only.

† Candidates must have obtained a degree with *Honours* in some branch of Natural Science ‡ in a University of England, Wales or Ireland, or have passed the Final Bachelor of Science Examination in Pure Science in one of the Universities of Scotland § A degree in Applied Science will not be considered as fulfilling these conditions. Candidates are required to produce evidence that they have a fair knowledge of either German or French. Weight will be attached to the possession of a diploma or degree in Forestry.

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‡ A Moderatorship in Natural Science or in Experimental Science at the University of Dublin will be considered as fulfilling these conditions.

§ Graduates in Forestry at the University of Edinburgh are regarded as satisfying the requirements of this paragraph if they pass the Final Examination of that University in some one branch of Natural Science embraced in the degree in Pure Science

No allowance for board and lodging will be made in connection with the journeys mentioned above and candidates will make their own arrangements in this respect.

9. Those finally selected as a result of the interview prescribed in paragraph 7 will be appointed as probationers for the Indian Forest Service; they will be required to leave for England early in September and, subject to their undergoing satisfactorily, as described below, a course in Forestry and allied subjects in England, will be appointed finally as Assistant Conservators of Forests. A free second class passage to England will be provided, but neither the cost of travelling to the port of embarkation, nor the cost of the overland journey from Marseilles will be paid to candidates selected for training unless they are expressly instructed to travel overland and provided with steamer tickets to Marseilles only. In the latter event the High Commissioner for India will refund the rail and baggage expenses if directed to do so.

10. *Period of Probation.*—Before appointment to the Imperial Forest Service a probationer will be required—

(1) to have undergone and qualified in, to an extent to be prescribed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, the course of Forestry at such University as the Secretary of State may prescribe;
(2) to have undergone a special course of instruction in Forestry under the direction and supervision of the Director of Indian Forest Studies;
(3) to have passed an examination in forest engineering and, if required in certain other special subjects, namely, Systematic Botany of Indian trees, Indian Geology, Forest Law and Indian Working Plans;
(4) to have undergone a final competitive examination in Forestry;
(5) to have satisfied the Secretary of State, in such manner as may be determined, of his ability to ride.

The period of probation is, in ordinary cases, two years. The Director of Indian Forest Studies instructs probationers in each case as to the order and manner in which they should fulfil these various requirements.

11. *Charges.*—Probationers will be required to defray all expenses of lodging, board, tuition and excursions to forest centres in the United Kingdom while at the University and on practical instruction.

12. *Allowances.*—The Secretary of State for India in Council makes payment to each probationer at the rate of £350* per annum, not exceeding a total of £700.

These payments are ordinarily made on the following dates:—

First year—	
on the 15th October	75
on the 15th December	100
on the 15th March	75
on the 1st July	100
	350
Second year—	
on the 15th December	100
on the 15th March	75
on the 1st July	100
on the 15th October	75
	350

The cases of probationers whose probation does not extend over the full period of two years will be specially considered.

For tours made on the Continent, under the instructions of the Director of Forest Studies, subsistence and travelling allowance will be paid by the Secretary of State for India in Council at such rates as he may from time to time fix. The fees of the local forest officials at the centres visited will also be paid by the Secretary of State.

The grant of allowances is subject to the following conditions:—

(*a*) that the progress of the probationer in his studies is satisfactory;
(*b*) that the probationer gives security† to refund the payments in the event of his failing to qualify for an appointment in the Indian Forest Service, or not signing the articles of agreement as specified in paragraph 15 or failing to join the Indian Forest Service at the end of the period of probation;
(*c*) that the probationer undertakes to refund in proportions fixed under the terms of his agreement, the payments, together with the cost of his first-class passage to India, in the event of his leaving the Service during the first five years from the date of his appointment.

* The Secretary of State for India gives notice that the amount of these allowances will be reconsidered in 1924 with a view to possible reduction with effect from the instalment payable in October 1925.

† Probationers will be required to give security to the local Government or Political Officer, through whom they submitted their applications. If this condition is not satisfied, they will not be permitted to leave for England.

13. *Conduct.*—Every probationer is required to conduct himself during the period of probation in a manner satisfactory to the Secretary of State and to give evidence of satisfactory progress in his studies in such a manner as may be required, failing which, or in the event of serious misconduct, he is liable to have his name removed from the list of probationers.

14. *Appointment and seniority.*—Probationers who comply with the requirements of paragraph 10 within the sanctioned period of time, and also satisfy such other tests as may be prescribed, are appointed Assistant Conservators in the Indian Forest Department, provided they are of sound constitution and free from physical defects which would render them unsuitable for employment in the Indian Forest Service. No probationer will be confirmed as a member of the Imperial Forest Service who fails to profit by the course of training, or who appears, in the light of the experience acquired as to his capacity and qualifications during the probationary period, to be unsuited for the work of a forest officer.

The position of the Assistant Conservators in the Provincial Forest Lists is determined by the Secretary of State for India in Council on the report of the Director of Indian Forest Studies. Officers promoted from the Provincial to the Imperial Service will take rank according to their pay in the latter service. Probationers recruited under these regulations must consequently be prepared to find their names placed below those of officers promoted from the Provincial Service.

Probationers are allowed at the end of the period of probation to state their preference in respect to the province to which they desire to be allotted; but the distribution is made to the several provinces according to the needs of the public service, at the discretion of the Secretary of State for India in Council and no guarantee can be given that probationers will, on appointment, be posted to their own provinces. Indians will not, however, be required to serve in Burma and Burmans will not be required to serve in India.

Officers are at all times liable to be transferred from one province to another at the pleasure of the Government of India.

15. *Articles of agreement.*—A probationer is required, on qualifying for appointment as Assistant Conservator, to sign articles of agreement setting forth the terms and conditions of his appointment; he must embark for India when required to do so by the Secretary of State. Failure to embark at the stated time will, in the absence of satisfactory explanation, lead to forfeiture of appointment.

16. *Passage to India.*—Each probationer on appointment to the Indian Forest Service is provided with a free first-class passage to India.

17. *Salary.*—The scale of pay and allowances in force for officers of Indian domicile is given in Appendix II to these regulations.

18. *Promotion and Pension.*—Promotion and pension are governed by the regulations laid down by the Secretary of State for India in Council, and applicable to forest officers, such regulations being subject to any modifications or alterations which may be made in them from time to time by him and their interpretation in case of any doubt arising being left to that authority.

Certain information regarding appointments in the upper controlling staff of the Indian Forest Service will be found in Appendix II, and a summary of information regarding pensions is contained in Appendix III.

APPENDICES.

APPENDIX I.

Final Examination.

1. With a view to the allocation of the annual Currie Scholarship for Indian Forest Students (value about £35), and to facilitate the allotment of probationers to the several provinces in accordance with paragraph 14 of the regulations as to appointments in the Indian Forest Service, probationers who have completed their prescribed course of training are required to undergo a competitive final examination in Forestry.

2. A list of the probationers in order of merit is prepared by adding together (*a*) the marks obtained at the final examination, and (*b*) the marks obtained during the course of practical training in forestry under the control of the Director of Indian Forest Studies. The maximum of marks obtainable under (*a*) is the same as under (*b*).

3. The final examination consists of an oral examination and three or more papers, as follows :—

(*i*) One or more papers in Sylviculture, Forest Protection (including Forest Botany and Forest Entomology), and Forest Utilization (including Forest Engineering).

(*ii*) One or more papers in Forest Management, Forest Mensuration, Forest Valuation, and Forest Administration.

(*iii*) A paper in General Forestry (Practical) dealing with the work done and with the forests visited during the course of practical training.

4. Probationers are not required to pay any fee for the examination.

APPENDIX II.

List of appointments open to members of the Imperial Branch of the Indian Forest Service recruited in India in 1924.

NOTE.—This list is liable to alteration at any time

	Appointment.		Salary.
(*a*)	1	Inspector-General of Forests.	Rs. 3,250 a month.
(*b*)	1	Assistant Inspector-General of Forest.	
(*c*)	6	Chief Conservators (Bombay, Madras, United Provinces, Punjab, Burma, and Central Provinces).	Commencing at Rs. 2,500 and rising by annual increments of Rs. 125 to Rs. 2,750 a month.
(*d*)	1	President, Forest Research Institute and College.	Rs. 2,500 a month.
(*e*)	36	Conservators ...	Commencing at Rs. 1,750 and rising by annual increments of Rs. 100 to Rs. 2,150 a month.
(*f*)	308	Deputy and Assistant Conservators.	Rs. 325 a month, rising by annual increments of Rs. 50 a month to Rs. 725 a month in the 9th year; thereafter Rs. 800 in the tenth year rising by annual increments of Rs. 50 to Rs. 900 in the 12th and 13th years and Rs. 1,350 in the 22nd year; no officer to draw more than Rs. 725 a month until he is declared by the Local Government to be fit to hold one of the heaviest major charges in the province in which he is serving.
Total ...	353		

Probationers trained in the United Kingdom will, on appointment to the Indian Forest Service as Assistant Conservators, draw pay from the date on which they report their arrival in India.

APPENDIX III.

PENSION.

Ordinary Pension.

(1) Imperial officers of the Forest Department will be allowed to retire optionally after 20 or more years' service, and in that event they will ordinarily be entitled to draw pension not exceeding 30-sixtieths of average emoluments subject to the following maxima:—

Rs.				
4,000	a year after	...	...	20 years' completed service.
5,000	"	...	...	25 " "
5,200	"	...	...	26 " "
5,400	"	...	...	27 " "
5,600	"	...	...	28 " "
5,800	"	...	...	29 " "
6,000	"	...	...	30 " "

(2) Government will have an absolute right to retire any officer after he has completed 25 years' service, without necessity to give reasons and without any claim for compensation in addition to pension, and in that event the pension admissible to the officer will ordinarily be regulated on a scale not exceeding that prescribed in clause (1) above, in the case of optional retirement of officers of the service to which he belongs.

(3) Government reserve an absolute right to reduce the pension ordinarily admissible, in the case of any officer whose service has been unsatisfactory.

(4) The payment, out of India, of pension granted in rupees will continue to be regulated by the provisions of article 934 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Special Additional Pensions.

(5) The existing lists of special appointments have been classified in two grades, as shown in the schedule annexed, the lower grade comprising those posts which involved high but intermediate responsibility, the higher consisting of those which require a marked degree of independent administrative and professional capacity.

(6) Officers who have held appointments listed in the lower grade in the schedule will be entitled to an additional pension at the rate of Rs. 300 a year for each completed

year of effective service in any appointment included in that grade, provided that no officer may draw an additional pension in excess of Rs. 1,500 in respect of service classed in the lower grade.

(7) Officers who have held appointments listed in the upper grade in the schedule will be entitled to an additional pension of Rs. 500 a year for each completed year of effective service in any appointment included in that grade, provided that no officer may draw an additional pension in excess of Rs. 2,500 in respect of service rendered in the lower and upper grades combined or in the upper grade alone.

(8) These additional pensions will be awarded, as in the past, only to officers who have given proof of special energy and efficiency. The existing restriction in article 475, Civil Service Regulations, against the award of additional pensions to officers retiring of their own option before the age of 55 with less than 28 years' service, will also be maintained.

APPOINTMENTS CARRYING ADDITIONAL PENSIONS.

Upper Grade.	*Lower Grade.*
Inspector-General of Forests.	Conservators of Forests.
Chief Conservators of Forests.	
President, Forest Research Institute and College, Dehra Dun.	

APPENDIX IV.

General Physical Requirements.

NOTE.—These Regulations are published for the convenience of candidates and in order to enable them to ascertain the probablity of their coming up to the required physical standard. But it must be clearly understood that the rejection of a candidate as physically unfit will be at the absolute discretion of the Medical Board and that this discretion is in no respect limited by these Regulations.

1. A candidate must be in good mental and bodily health and free from any physical defect likely to interfere with efficient performance of duty.
2. No fixed limits of height or chest measurement are imposed but particular attention will be given to the general development of candidates.
3. The hearing must be good.
4. The speech without impediment.
5. The teeth in good order, *i.e.*, decayed or broken teeth must be properly stopped or crowned, and deficient teeth replaced by artificial teeth where necessary for effective mastication.
6. The chest must be well formed, the lungs and heart sound.
7. Rupture, hydrocele, varicocele, varicose veins in a severe degree, or other condition likely to cause inefficiency will disqualify a candidate, unless such condition is cured by operation.
8. The limbs, feet and toes must be well formed and developed, with free and perfect motion of all the joints.
9. A candidate must have no congential malformation or defect likely to interfere with efficiency.
10. A candidate must not be the subject of chronic skin disease.
11. Evidence of previous acute or chronic disease pointing to an impared constitution will disqualify.

Regulation as to the Standard of Vision for the Indian Forest Service.

1. If myopia in one or both eyes exists, a candidate may be passed, provided the ametropia does not exceed 2·5 D, and if with correcting glasses, not exceeding 2·5D, the acuteness of vision in one eye equals $\frac{6}{6}$ and in the other $\frac{6}{9}$, there being normal range of accommodation with the glasses.
2. Myopic astigmatism does not disqualify a candidate for service, provided the lens or the combined spherical and cylindrical lenses required to correct the error of refraction do not exceed—2·5D ; the acuteness of vision in one eye, when corrected, being equal to $\frac{6}{6}$ and in the other eye $\frac{6}{9}$ together with normal range of accommodation with the correcting glasses, there being no evidence of progressive disease in the choroid or retina.
3. A candidate having total hypermetropia not exceeding 4 D is not disqualified, provided the sight in one eye (when under the influence of atropine) equals $\frac{6}{6}$, and in the other eye equals $\frac{6}{9}$ with + 4 D or any lower power.
4. Hypermetropic astigmatism does not disqualify a candidate for the service provided the lens or combined lenses required to cover the error of refraction do not exceed 4 D, and that the sight of one eye equals $\frac{6}{6}$ and of the other $\frac{6}{9}$, with or without such lens or lenses.
5. A candidate having a defect of vision arising from nebula of the cornea is disqualified if the sight of one eye be less than $\frac{6}{12}$. In such a case the better eye must be emmetropic. Defects of vision arising from pathological or other changes in the deeper structures of either eye which are not referred to in the above rules, may exclude a candidate for admission into the service.
6. Squint, or any morbid condition, subject to the risk of aggravation or recurrence, in either eye, may cause the rejection of a candidate The existence of imperfection of colour sense will be noted on the candidate's paper.

Application Form for Probationership for the Imperial Forest Service.

PART I.

The entries on this sheet to be filled in by candidates in their own hand-writing.

Write your usual signature here.....

Before filling up this form you should consult the accompanying Regulations, in which are laid down the conditions of eligibility for appointment to the above Service.

To be filled up in duplicate and submitted to the Revenue Secretary to the Government of the / Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Province Education, Health and Lands through the Chief Commissioner or through the Political Officer or Agent of the State in which the applicant is domiciled. If the space provided here for any answer is insufficient, a separate sheet should be used.

If a candidate who fills up and returns this application form does not receive an acknowledgment of it within a reasonable time he should inform the authority through whom he submitted it.

Should any of the particulars furnished be found to be false within the knowledge of the candidate, he will, if appointed, be liable to be dismissed. The wilful suppression of any material fact will be similarly punished.

—	Answer.
1. Name in full.	
2. Postal and telegraphic address *in full*. (Any change of address should at once be communicated to the Secretary to the Government of India, Education, Health and Lands Dept., and to the authority through whom the application was submitted.)	
3. Exact date of birth and age last birthday.	
4. Place of birth.	
5. Your nationality at birth.	
6. Your father's place of birth and nationality at birth.	
7. His postal address and profession (if dead give last address).	
8. Your mother's place of birth and nationality at birth.	

	Answer.
9. Schools— Name your schools in order, giving dates of entering and leaving. State any position of authority you held, any distinction you attained in school work, games, school societies, etc., any university scholarship you won.	
10. University— Name your University with dates of entering and leaving. State degree (specifying division) and any other distinctions. Name your College and College Tutor.	
11. Any time since entering school not otherwise accounted for should be accounted for here.	
12. Have you on any former occasion endeavoured to enter Government Service? If so, when and for what appointment? Give reasons for rejections.	
13. Are you free from pecuniary embarrassment?	
14. Give the names, postal addresses and professions of three references, one of whom should be the Principal of the College from which you graduated, and the other two responsible persons well acquainted with you in private life, but not relatives, and unconnected with your School or University.	
15. Name any subject or subjects in which you can supply proof of special proficiency.	
16. At which of the Universities Oxford, Cambridge or Edinburgh would you prefer to undergo your training in the event of your being selected.	
17. Signature and date.	

PART II.

The entries on this sheet to be attested by the Revenue Secretary to the Local Government or by the Political Officer or Agent concerned.

—	Answer.
Is the Local Government / Political Officer or Agent satisfied	
(1) of the accuracy of the candidate's replies to numbers 1, 3 to 10, and 13 of the form of application ?	
(2) that the candidate possesses the educational qualifications prescribed in paragraph 2 of the regulations ?	
(3) that during his career at school and the University, the candidate bore a uniformly satisfactory character ?	
(4) that the replies from the persons given by the candidate as references (who should be referred to) are in all respects satisfactory ?	
(5) that the candidate is suitable for appointment to the Imperial Forest Service ?	
(6) Are there any other circumstances to which you think attention should be drawn ?	
Signature, date and designation.	

On completion one copy to be forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands (so as to reach Simla on or before the 1st May 1924).

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PART IB.

Educational Notices.

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that an examination of non-qualified compounders in the district of Tippera will be held under rule 5 (*d*) of t e rules for the grant of certificates to compounders at the Sadar Hospital, Comilla, on Monday, the 7th April 1924.

J. MITRA, *Civil Surgeon, Comilla.*

Dacca Medical School.

NOTICE.

Examination of Compounders and Dressers at the Dacca Medical School.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next half-yearly examination of compounders will be held on the 4th April 1924 and subsequent days.

(*a*) No person will be admitted to this examination unless he produces certificates as required by rules 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Government notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*b*) All male candidates must forward to the Deputy Superintendent, Dacca Medical School, an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the commencement of the examination. A fresh fee must be paid on each occasion that the candidate enters for the examination ; but a candidate, who, after payment of the fee, is unable, through illness, to attend the examination, will be allowed, on producing a satisfactory medical certificate, to attend the next examination without payment of fresh fee.

(*c*) Women candidates are examined free of charge.

(*d*) Passed compounders who have completed a further three months' course of dressing prescribed in rule 13, and students of the Licentiate class of this school, on the completion of their second year's course will be allowed to appear at an examination in bandaging, sterilization of dressings and instruments and in minor duties of hospital work. A fee of Rs. 2 shall be charged for this examination.

This examination is also open to persons qualified for admission to the examination prescribed under the rules for the grant of certificates to compounders, on production of a certificate that they have received instruction in a hospital or dispensary recognised by Government in bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments and in the duties of a hospital dresser. Such persons shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 2 for this examination.

M. MACKELVIE, C.I.E., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Dacca Medical School.

DACCA, *the 26th February 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next examination for admission of students to the compounder's class, Medical School, Dacca, will be held on the 10th April 1924 at 8-30 A.M. (local time).

Candidate desirous to sit at this examination shall send their applications with a fee of Rs. 2 to the Deputy Superintendent, Dacca Medical School, on or before 7th April 1924.

N.B.—Owing to the large number of matriculates the vacancies for non-matriculate students are very limited.

M. MACKELVIE, C.I.E., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Dacca Medical School.

DACCA, *the 26th February 1924.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next examination for admission of students to the Compounders' class, Mymensingh S. K. Hospital, will be held on Friday, the 4th April 1924, at 11 A.M. and subsequent days.

Candidates desiring to sit at this examination shall send their applications with a fee of Rs. 2 to the undersigned on or before the 1st April 1924.

E. MUNRO, MAJOR, I.M.S., *Civil Surgeon.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 10th March 1924.*

NOTICE.

Examination of Compounders at the Mymensingh S. K. Hospital.

THE next qualifying examination of compounders will be held at the S. K. Hospital, Mymensingh, on Wednesday, the 2nd April 1924, at 11 A.M. and subsequent days.

The examination will be conducted in accordance with Bengal Government notifications Nos. 1410 and 1411Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*a*) The examination committee will consist of—

Civil Surgeon, Mymensingh	...	*President.*
Assistant Surgeon attached to the S. K. Hospital	...	*Members.*
Teacher of Compounder class	...	

No person will be admitted to this examination unless he produces certificates as required by rules 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Government notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*b*) All candidates must forward to the undersigned an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the commencement of the examination. A fresh fee must be paid on each occasion that the candidate enters for the examination; but a candidate who, after payment of the fee, is unable, through illness, to attend the examination, will be allowed, on producing a satisfactory medical certificate to that effect, to attend the next examination without payment of a fresh fee.

E. MUNRO, MAJOR, I.M.S., *Civil Surgeon.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 10th March 1924.*

Bengal Veterinary College.

CANDIDATES for admission into the Bengal Veterinary College should be present at the College at Belgachia, Calcutta, with necessary certificates, in original as required in the rules, at 9 A.M. on 22nd April 1924. Rules will be supplied free on application.

A. D. MACGREGOR, I.V.S.,
Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.

Government Commercial Institute Final and Special Examinations, 1924.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Government Commercial Institute Final and Special Examinations, 1924, will be held at the following centres on the dates and at the hours noted below :—

(1) The Government Commercial Institute, 285, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.
(2) Commercial Academy, Dacca [Special Examinations in Shorthand, Typewriting and Book-keeping (Junior and Advanced) only]—

22nd April	...	Final Examination	...	11 A.M.
23rd „	...	Ditto	...	11 „
24th „	...	Ditto	...	11 „
25th „	...	Ditto	...	11 „
26th „	...	Ditto	...	11 „
28th „	...	Ditto	...	11 „
29th „	...	Ditto	...	11 „
30th „	...	Ditto	...	11 „
1st May	...	Special Examination in Advanced Book-keeping	...	11 „
8th „	...	Final and Special Examinations in Shorthand (80 words and 120 words per minute)	...	11 „
		Final and Special Examinations in Shorthand (100 words and 140 words per minute)	...	2 P.M.
9th „	...	Final and Special Examinations in Typewriting (Speed tests)	...	11 A.M.
		Final and Special Examinations in Typewriting (Tabulating tests)	...	2 P.M.
10th „	...	Final and Special Examinations in Junior Book-keeping	...	11 A.M.

Students of the Government Commercial Institute, *bonâ fide* private candidates and those from institutions affiliated to this Institute are allowed to appear at these examinations.

Applications in prescribed forms, available at the Institute, together with the necessary fees as under, will be received at this office from 1st to 5th April 1924 :—

	Rs.
Fees for Final Examination	8
Fees for each subject in Special Examination ...	5

G. K. SEN,

Secretary, Government Commercial Institute Board (offg.).

The 14th March 1924.

NOTIFICATION.

AN examination in English Idiom and Pronunciation for teachers of secondary schools who have to teach English or other subjects through the medium of English will be held at the office of the Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, 40-1A, Free School Street, Calcutta, on Monday, the 23rd June 1924, at 11 A.M.

2. Teachers who intend to present themselves for examination should send at least one week before the examination a statement containing the following information, and should also bring with them their University certificates, on the day of the examination :—

1. Name in full.
2. Name of father in full.
3. Name of native village and district.
4. Last University examination passed.
5. Year of passing.
6. Signature of the applicant.
7. Designation and full address.

3. Candidates should also state whether they have sat for this examination before, and if so, how often, giving dates.

4. No candidate shall be allowed to appear at the examination more than once in a calendar year, or more than three times in all.

J. W. GUNN,

Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division (offg.).

CALCUTTA, *the 5th March 1924.*

Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

Result of the examination held in February 1924.

THE following candidates are declared to have passed the examination prescribed in Bengal Government notification No. 3157J., dated the 25th November 1909 :—

	Names of pleaders.	Courts at which practising.
1.	Babu Jagadis Chandra Basu	... Hooghly.
2.	,, Kiriti Bhusan Bagchi	... Alipore.
3.	,, Charu Chandra Sen	... Magura.
4.	,, Sudhir Krishna Ghosh	... Dacca.
5.	,, Harendra Narayan Sarkar	... Jalpaiguri.
6.	,, Biresh Chandra Banerjee	... Patuakhali.
7.	,, Ashutosh Chakravarty	... Noakhali.
8.	,, Naba Kumar Dutta	... Faridpur.
9.	,, Ahin Chandra Sur	... Comilla.
10.	,, Surendra Mohon Roy	... Do.
11.	,, Subinoy Chandra Sen Gupta ...	... Rajshahi.
12.	Maulvi Md. Abul Fazl	... Madaripur.
13.	Babu Bibhuti Ranjan Ghosh	... Patna.

A. MACDONALD,

Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

BENGAL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, *the 20th March 1924.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress, the Rajchandra Golakmani scholarship of Rs. 8 a month is awarded to Abul Faiz Nur Muhamad, who passed the last Matriculation Examination from the Daulatkhan High English School, for two years, with effect from the 1st of June 1923.

The scholarship is tenable at the Broja Mohan College, Barisal.

This cancels this office notification, dated the 24th November 1923, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 28th November 1923.

E. F. OATEN,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (offg.).

The 20th March 1924.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Murshidabad, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
345	Kist pargana Mohanpur, pargana Mohanpur.	4,390 11 0	Yes ...	.....	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, jointly and equally with Asit Mohan Ghose Maulik, as sebait of Radha Gobinda Deb Thakur, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	...	591 7 8	...
361	Mauza Madhupur, pargana Kulberia.	...	No ...	8 annas ... ... All other shares than that specified should be excluded from sale.	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	725 8 4	...	289 5 0
495	Mauza Harispur, pargana Kulberia.	520 0 0	Yes ...	.....	Nirad Mohan and Khirod Mohan Ghose Maulik, jointly and equally with Asit Mohan Ghose Maulik, as sebait of Sri Sri Iswar Joy Sib Durga, of Panchthupi, thana Barwan.	...	69 13 7	...

L. S. BINGEMANN, Collector.

Berhampore, the 22nd February 1924.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
39 A	Bahirgorra, pargana Balligori.	7,830 12	...	1 anna 12 gandas ...	Sailaja Nath Rai Chowdhury and 11 others.	784 0 3	...	61 7 11
			Temporary settled estates.					
2025 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Rampur char, pargana Raipur.	858 0	Whole ...	.....	Settled with Khagendra Nanda Asram, Sebait of Brindaban Chandra Thakur.	...	214 8	...
2037 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati new char, pargana Raipur.	2,105 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	526 4	...
2085 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati char, pargana Raipur.	1,639 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	409 12	...
2092 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Kristobati Chhera char, pargana Raipur.	2,266 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	566 8	...
3479 Settled with proprietors for 15 years from 1st April 1922.	Rasulpur char, pargana Patmahal.	568 0	Do. ...	.....	Settled with Kalipada Banerjee and another.	...	71 0	...

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Chinsura, the 15th February 1924.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
47	Kismat Raipur and others, Magura.	2,053 8 0	Whole ...	.....	Amrito Lal Chakraverty, Upendra Krishna Mandal, Gopi Krishna Mandal.	...	20 0 1½	.....
335	Pargana Sahanagar, mauza Iswaripur and others.	6,444 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Atul Ch. Mukerji and Sahayaram Chakravarty, Trustee to the estate of Gopi Nath Jew Thakur and other deities.	...	1,971 15 4½	.....

Alipore, the 18th February 1924.

H. CHATTERJI, *for* Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the Sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
19	Gidhagram, etc., pargana Araba.	7,308 12 11	...	Residuary share 2-2-0-2-2 is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Priyatama Debi, sebait of Annapurna Thakurani and executrix to the estate of late Hari Charan Banerji and others.	963 2 11	...	236 15 11

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
157	Pilkhundi, etc., pargana Ajmatsahi.	3,140 1 0	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Anadi Nath Dutt and others as sebait of Radhaballav Jew Thakur and others.	.....	635 13 3	.....

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and share of estate, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 27th March 1924, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for January 1924 kist, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
5170	Dahukadanga, etc., pargana Sahabad.	6,421 15 3	.....	Residuary share as. 8 is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Monmohini Dasi ...	3,210 15 3	.....	1,197 14 8

Burdwan, the 21st February 1924. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 27th March 1924 corresponding with, 14th Chaitra 1330 B.S.

The purchase will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue free.

2nd—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale:—

Number on district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area, in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			As. P.	
3168	Estate Pandua, pargana Pandua ...	·49	14 9	

Hooghly, the 20th December 1923. [ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

APPENDIX C.

Advertisement of Sale.

See Rule 101.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the proprietary right of Government specified in the condition of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate at 12 noon, on Monday, the 27th March 1924, corresponding with 14th Chaitra 1330, Bengali era. The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue-free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale :—

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A. P.	
Tauzi No. 3610	Estate Mandra, pargana Jahangirabad ...	·465	0 11 0	

Collector's Office, Burdwan, the 15th February 1924. J. YOUNIE, Collector

Advertisement of sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway of the Faridpur Branch, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Thursday, the 15th May 1924.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it (and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser).

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
						Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
1	Faridpur	Mauza Guha Lakshmipur, pargana Nasibshahi.	...	...	5·28	...	...	...	*North and East*—Lot No. 2. *South*—Lots Nos. 25 and 26. *West*—Private estate.
2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·79	...	...	...	*North and West*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 3. *South*—Lot No. 1.
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·50	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 4. *South*—Lot No. 25. *West*—Lot No. 2.
4	Ditto ...	Ditto and mauza Gopalpur, pargana Havili.	...	...	5·25	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 5. *South*—Lots Nos. 24, 25 and 26. *West*—Lot No. 3.
5	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	3·29	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 6. *South*—Lots Nos. 23 and 24. *West*—Lot No. 4.
6	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	3·16	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 7. *South*—Lot No. 23. *West*—Lot No. 5.
7	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·16	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lots Nos. 8 and 22. *South*—Lot No. 22. *West*—Lot No. 6.
8	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·89	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 9. *South*—Lot No. 22. *West*—Lot No. 7.
9	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·70	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 10. *South*—Lots Nos. 21 and 22. *West*—Lot No. 8.
10	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·44	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 11. *South*—Lot No. 21. *West*—Lot No. 9.
11	Ditto ...	Mauza Gopalpur, pargana Havali.	...	...	1·60	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 12. *South*—Lot No. 21. *West*—Lot No. 10.
12	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·72	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 13. *South*—Lot No. 21. *West*—Lot No. 11.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
						Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
13	Faridpur	Mauza Gopalpur, pargana Haveli.	...	...	1·81	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lots Nos. 14 and 17. *South*—Lot No. 91. *West*—Lot No. 12.
14	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	3·11	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 91. *East*—Lot No. 15. *South*—Lot No. 16. *West*—Lot No. 17.
15	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	3·03	...	...	...	*North and East*—Private estate. *South*—River. *West*—Lot No. 14.
16	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	3·00	...	...	...	*North*—Lots Nos. 14, 17 and 18. *East*—River. *South*—Lots Nos. 51 to 54. *West*—Lot No. 48.
17	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·36	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 91. *East*—Lot No. 14. *South*—Lot No. 16. *West*—Lot No. 18.
18	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·09	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 91. *East*—Lot No. 17. *South*—Lots Nos. 16 and 48. *West*—Lot No. 19.
19	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·16	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 91. *East*—Lot No. 18. *South*—Lot No 48. *West*—Lot No. 20.
20	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·89	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 91. *East*—Lot No. 19. *South*—Lot No. 48. *West*—Lot No. 91.
21	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·26	...	...	...	*North*—Lots Nos. 9 and 10. *East*—Lot No. 91. *South*—Lots Nos. 43 and 44. *West*—Lot No. 22.
22	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·81	...	...	...	*North*—Lots Nos. 7, 8 and 9. *East*—Lot No. 21. *South*—Lots Nos. 23 and 43. *West*—Lot No. 23.
23	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	4·53	...	...	...	*North*—Lots Nos. 6 and 22. *East*—Lots Nos. 30 and 37. *South*—Lot No. 24. *West*—Lots Nos. 5 and 6.
24	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	4·21	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 23. *East*—Lot No. 30. *South*—Lot Nos. 28 and 30. *West*—Lots Nos. 4 and 5.
25	Ditto ...	Mauza Gopalpur, pargana Haveli and mauza Guha Lakshmipur, pargana Nashibshahi.	...	...	2·79	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 1. *East*—Lots Nos. 3 and 4. *South*—Lot No. 26. *West*—Lot No. 26.
26	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	3·36	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 1. *East*—Lot No. 25. *South*—Lot No. 26. *West*—Private estate.
27	Ditto ...	Mauza Gopalpur, pargana Haveli.	...	...	3·16	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 26. *East*—Lot No. 28. *South*—Lot No. 29. *West*—Private estate.
28	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·47	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 25. *East*—Lot No. 24. *South*—Lot No. 29. *West*—Lot No. 27.
30	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	4·58	...	...	...	*North*—Lots Nos. 23 and 24. *East*—Lot No. 37. *South*—Lots Nos. 31 to 34. *West*—Lot No. 29.
31	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·37	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 30. *East*—Lot No. 32. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 29.
32	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·37	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 30. *East*—Lot No. 32. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 29.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of sdiv on which land situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
						Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
33	Faridpur	Mauza Gopalpur, pargana Haveli.	...	...	1·34	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 30. *East*—Lot. No. 34. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 32.
34	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·39	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 30. *East*—Lot No. 35. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 33.
35	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	..	1·31	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 37. *East*—Lot No. 36. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 34.
36	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·85	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 37. *East*—Lot No. 39. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 35.
37	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	3·40	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 23. *East*—Lot No. 38. *South*—Lots Nos. 35 and 36. *West*—Lot No. 30.
38	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·00	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 28. *East*—Lot No. 48. *South*—Lots Nos. 39, 40, 41 and 42. *West*—Lot No. 37.
39	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·40	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 38. *East*—Lot No. 40. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 36.
40	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·37	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 38. *East*—Lot No. 41. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 39.
41	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·34	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 38. *East*—Lot No. 42. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 40.
42	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·35	...	...	...	*North*—Lots Nos. 38 and 43. *East*—Lot No 45. *South*—Jessore road. *West* -Lot No. 41.
43	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	2·26	...	...	...	*North*—Lots Nos. 21 and 22. *East*—Lot No. 44. *South*—Lot No. 42. *West*—Lot No. 38.
44	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·17	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 21. *East*—Lot No. 91. *South*—Lots Nos. 45 and 47 *West*—Lot No. 43.
45	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·37	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 44. *East*—Lots Nos. 46 and *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 42.
46	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·88	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 47. *East*—Lot No. 91. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 45.
47	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·67	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 44. *East*—Lot No. 91. *South*—Lot No. 46. *West*—Lot No. 45.
48	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	3·54	...	...	...	*North*—Lots Nos. 18, 19 and 20. *East*—Lot No. 16. *South*—Lots Nos. 49 to 53. *West*—Lot No. 91.
49	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·81	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 48. *East*—Lot No. 50. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 91.
50	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·65	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 48. *East*—Lot No. 51. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 49.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Reasons for exclusion.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Acres and decimals.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
51	Faridpur	Mauza Gopalpur, pargana Haveli.	...	...	·69	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 48. *East*—Lot No. 52. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 50.
52	Ditto	Ditto ...	...	...	·62	...	...	..	*North*—Lot No. 48. *East*—Lot No. 53. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 51.
53	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·76	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 49. *East*—Lot No. 54. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 52.
54	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·82	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 16. *East*—Lot No. 35. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 53.
55	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·50	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 16. *East*—Lot No. 56. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 54.
56	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·50	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 16. *East*—Lot No. 57. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 55.
57	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·47	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 16. *East*—Lot No. 58. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 56.
58	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·63	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 16. *East*—River. *South*—Jessore road. *West*—Lot No. 57.
59	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	5·61	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate and lot No. 15. *East*—River and lots Nos. 60 and 61. *South*—Lot No. 64 and Jessore road. *West*—Lots Nos. 14, 16, 58 and 64 and Jessore road.
60	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	...	1·98	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 61 and private estate. *South*—River and lot No. 59. *West*—River and lot No 59.
61	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·72	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 62. *South*—River and lots Nos. 59 and 63. *West*—Lot No. 60.
62	Ditto ...	Ditto and mauza Tepa Khola, pargana Patpasar.	...	...	·89	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *South and east*—River and lot No. 63. *West*—Lot No. 61.
63	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	10·09	...	...	...	*North*—Lots Nos. 61 and 62 and private estate. *East*—Road. *South*—Lots Nos. 69 and 84. *West*—Lot No. 53.
64	Ditto ...	Mauza Gopalpur, pargana Haveli.	...	...	·25	...	...	...	*North*—Jessore road. *East*—Road and lot No. 59. *South*—Lots Nos. 65, 66, 67, 68 and 69. *West*—Private estate.
65	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·26	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 64 *East*—Lot No. 66. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Private estate.
66	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·28	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 64. *East*—Lots Nos. 67 and 68. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Lot No. 65.
67	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·17	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 66. *East*—Lot No. 69. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Lot No. 66.
68	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·18	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 64. *East*—Lot No. 69. *South*—Lot No. 67. *West*—Lot No. 66.
69	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·12	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 64. *East*—Lot No. 70. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Lots Nos. 67 and 68.
70	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·09	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 64. *East*—River Lot No. 63. *South*—Lot No. 70. *West*—Lot No. 69 and private estate.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of miles on which land situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Reasons for exclusion	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Acres and decimals.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9
71	Faridpur	Mauza Gopalpur, pargana Havell.	...	...	·13	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 72. *South*—Halot. *West*—Lot No. 70.
72	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·15	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 73. *South*—Halot. *West*—Lot No. 71.
73	Ditto ...	Mauza Gopalpur, pargana Havell, and mauza Tepakhola, pargana Patpasar.	...	...	·39	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 74. *South*—Halot. *West*—Lot No. 72.
74	Ditto ...	Mauza Tapakhola, pargana Patpasar.	...	...	·97	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 75. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Lot No. 73.
75	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·16	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 76. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Lot No. 74.
76	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·97	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 77. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Lot No. 75.
77	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·75	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 78. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Lot No. 76.
78	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·12	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 79. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Lot No. 77.
79	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·10	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 80. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Lot No. 78.
80	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·37	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 81. *South*—Private estate. *West*—Lot No. 79.
81	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·17	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 82. *South*—Private estate *West*—Lot No. 80.
82	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·90	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 83. *South*—Halot. *West*—Lot No. 81.
83	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·40	...	...	...	*North*—River. *East*—Lot No. 84. *South*—Halot. *West*—Lot No. 82.
84	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·45	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 85. *South*—Halot. *West*—Lot No. 83.
85	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·41	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 86. *South*—Halot. *West*—Lot No. 84.
86	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·44	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lot No. 87. *South*—Halot. *West*—Lot No. 85.
87	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·41	...	...	...	*North*—Private estate. *East*—Lots Nos. 88 to 90. *South*—Halot. *West*—Lot No. 86.
88	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	·66	...	...	...	*North and East*—Private estate. *South*—Lot No. 89. *West*—Lot No. 87.
89	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	65	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 88. *East*—Private estate. *South*—Lot No. 90. *West*—Lot No. 87.
90	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	...	1·72	...	...	...	*North*—Lot No. 89. *East and South*—Private estate. *West*—Lot No. 87.
91	Ditto ...	Mauza Gopalpur, pargana Havell.	...	...	1·73	...	...	...	Road.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Faridpur, the 14th March 1924.

Abstract Statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 30th April 1923, being the fourth quarter of the year 1922-23, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1921-22.

Particulars	For the quarter ending 30th April 1923.	For the quarter ending 30th April 1922	Increase.	Decrease
	Rs. A P	Rs A P.	Rs A. P	Rs A P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,17,50,484 0 8	1,21,48,687 12 10	.....	3,98,203 12 7
ADD INCOME—				
Subscriptions from 1st February to 30th April in the Widows' Fund	35,500 6 3	45,088 8 0	... ..	9,588 1 9
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund	13,555 0 0	14,275 7 10	.....	720 7 10
Income and Outlay on office buildings and grounds ...	1,368 13 4	1,217 4 6	151 8 10	.....
Fees and stamps	.....	1 0 0	.....	1 0 0
Amount at credit of subscribers under Rule 55 transferred to Divisible surplus	10,878 12 0	7,519 8 0	3,359 4 0	.....
Amount at credit of subscribers under Rule 54 transferred to Excess surplus children's Fund	47 1 0	387 8 0	.....	340 7 0
Amount of pension with interest received from Government of India on behalf of an incumbent who came upon the Fund in consequence of the Mutiny of 1857 ...	198 3 10	198 3 10	.....	.....
Amount of interest received from Government of India for the year 1922-23 / 1921-22	7,26,174 1 0	7,52,182 0 8	.....	26,007 15 8
Amount of fine imposed on subscriptions in arrear ...	15 4 1	4 1 0	11 3 1	.....
Total Income ...	7,87,787 9 6	8,20,873 9 5	3,521 15 11	36,657 15 10
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,25,38,221 9 9	1,29,69,561 6 3	3,521 15 11A	4,34,861 12 5
DEDUCT EXPENDITURE—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	1,91,458 5 5	1,93,645 4 3	.....	2,186 14 10
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund	89,930 4 4	90,322 7 8	.....	392 3 4
Establishment and Contingencies	7,688 18 6	7,887 10 1	.....	198 12 7
Loss by Exchange on remittances out of India	5,811 9 10	8,537 7 6	.....	2,725 13 8
Commission paid for money-orders	594 5 6	551 4 6	43 1 0	.. ...
Total Expenditure ...	2,95,483 6 7	3,00,944 2 0	43 1 0B	5,503 12 5
Balance in favour of the Fund ...	1,22,42,738 3 2	1,26,68,617 4 3	3,478 14 11C	4,29,358 0 0
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,25,38,221 9 9	1,29,69,561 6 3	3,521 15 11	4,34,861 12 5
Proportion of Divisible Surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	45,708 3 0	50,986 11 0	.....	5,278 8 0

	Widows' Fund	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers (on 30th April)	415	171	457	194	...	...	42	23
Number of incumbents (on 30th April)	715	767	729	772	...	...	14	5
Number of subscribers sharing abatement (on 1st May) ...	460	195	497	220	...	...	37	25

	Rs A P.
A.—Net decrease in grand total of income	4,31,339 12 6
B.—Net decrease in total expenditure	5,460 11 5
C.—Net decrease in balance	4,25,879 1 1

S B THOMSON,
Accountant.

NORMAN HAMILTON & Co.
R A FREITAS,
} *Auditors*

Published by order of the Directors,

J. M MENDES,
Secretary.

U. S F P. Fund Office, Calcutta, the 29th February 1924. (560—1)

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Imperial Bank of India on the 15th March 1924.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS					4 PER CENT.		INDIAN WAR LOAN.		
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-47.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1929.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1928.
Balance of 29th February 1924	21,26,200	59,04,800	2,89,35,800	1,23,86,800	35,40,900	17,61,850	23,900	2,40,29,600	29,44,850	100	500
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. 6301A., dated 3rd November 1903, to 3½ per cent., 1900-01	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 29th February 1924	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th March 1924	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	21,26,200	59,04,800	2,89,35,800	1,23,86,800	35,40,900	17,78,650	23,900	2,40,29,600	29,44,850	100	500
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	52,900	3,98,800	7,72,700	9,67,400	31,500	6,10,900	22,600	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 15th March 1924 ...	20,73,300	55,06,000	2,81,63,100	1,13,89,400	35,09,400	11,67,750	1,300	2,40,29,600	29,44,850	100	500

Particulars.	SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN.			5 per cent. Loan, 1945-55.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1930.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1926.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1931.	Five year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1927.	Ten year 6 per cent. Bonds, 1932.	Ten year 5 per cent. Bonds, 1933.	Total.
	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1923.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1925.	5½ per cent. War Bonds. 1928.								
Balance of 29th February 1924	4,100	49,600	2,31,575	4,85,600	23,23,000	50,96,000	65,96,600	25,55,100	45,39,100	100	10,35,06,075
ADD—											
Amount of Loan certificate transferred to Stock in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. 6301A., dated 3rd November 1903, to 3½ per cent., 1900-01.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,900
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 29th February 1924	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,400	.....	2,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th March 1924	.....	.....	1,000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000
Total ...	4,100	49,600	2,32,575	4,85,600	23,23,000	50,96,000	65,96,600	25,55,100	45,41,500	100	10,35,26,275
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers	4,100	.....	3,000	5,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,66,900
Balance on 15th March 1924	Nil	49,600	2,29,575	4,80,600	23,23,000	50,96,000	65,96,600	25,55,100	45,41,500	100	10,06,57,375

NOTE.—From 9th June 1887 to 15th January 1924—Enfaced from India 13,182 lacs re-transferred from London 13,488 lacs.
" 16th January 1924 to 31st " " " " " 3 " " " " 14 "
" 1st February " to 15th February " " " " " ... " " " 3 "
" 16th " " to 29th " " " " " ... " " " 1 lac.
" 1st March " to 15th March " " " " " ... " " " 29 lacs.

13,185 lacs. 13,535 lacs.

F. E. DALTON,
Superintendent (offg.).

D. S. MCCLURE,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA,
Calcutta, the 19th March 1924.

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

Statement of the affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 14th March 1924.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Subscribed Capital	11,25,00,000	0	0
Capital paid up	5,62,50,000	0	0
Reserve	4,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits	23,00,63,000	0	0
Other Deposits	69,85,86,000	0	0
Loans against securities per contra	.....		
Loans from the Government of India under section 20 of the Paper Currency Act, against Inland bills discounted and purchased per contra	12,00,00,000	0	0
Contingent liabilities	.....		
Sundries	94,51,000	0	0
	1,15,88,50,000	0	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	10,52,52,000	0	0
Other authorized securities under the Act	1,22,42,000	0	0
Loans	25,89,59,000	0	0
Cash credits	43,01,67,000	0	0
Inland bills discounted and purchased ...	16,91,85,000	0	0
Foreign bills discounted and purchased ...	34,58,000	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	2,50,52,000	0	0
Liability of constituents for contingent liabilities per contra	.....		
Sundries	50,40,000	0	0
Balances with other Banks	1,48,04,000	0	0
	1,02,41,59,000	0	0
Cash	13,46,91,000	0	0
	1,15,88,50,000	0	0

The above balance sheet includes—

Deposits in London ... ... £ 1,393,800

Advances in London ... ... £ 474,300

Cash and balances at other Banks in London ... £ 987,000

Percentage 12·72

Bank Rate 9 per cent.

S. A. H. SITWELL,
N. M. MURRAY (offg.),
Managing Governors.

(593—1)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

IT is hereby notified under section 118 of the Calcutta Port Act of 1890 that the undernoted goods, if not removed within 15 days on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Quantity.	Mark.	Size.	Where lying.	Owner.
One bundle round iron rods.	Nil ...	Length 12 feet 5 inches. Diameter ½ inch.	Inland Vessels Wharves Superintendent's office.	Not known.

H. H. HUDSON, Traffic Manager (offg.).

Calcutta, the 19th March 1924.

(591—1)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

Notice of Sale under sections 118 and 119 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890 (B.C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that the liability of the Commissioners for the undermentioned goods consigned to order on the undermentioned vessels has, in terms of section 118 of the abovementioned Act, ceased on the expiration of three clear days from the date of landing. These goods accordingly remain on the Port Commissioners' premises at the sole risk and expense of the owners, and, if not cleared on or before the 8th May 1924, on payment of all charges due, will be sold by public auction :—

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 8.		
	SS. "Mangalore."		
23rd Feb. 1924 ...	C B L	1	Case gas engine parts.
22nd „ „ ...	D 56 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	1	Case soaps.
22nd „ „ ...	$\frac{1172}{80340}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	2	Cases leather dressing.
22nd „ „ ...	$\frac{G}{Z-1769}$ in a diamond, B E on sides ...	3	Cases merchandise.
22nd „ „ ...	M in a triangle, A on top, M S below ...	15	Bags dog-spikes.
22nd „ „ ...	$\frac{MP}{50240}$ ... ... O N M & Sons	7	Cases condiments and advertizing matters.
	SS. "Akita Maru."		
28th Feb. 1924 ...	A diamond, A D on top, W D below ...	2	Cases porcelain buttons.
28th „ „ ...	Cable in a diamond, I C on top, H C below.	5	Cases rubber goods.
28th „ „ ...	$\frac{H}{1607}$ in a diamond, O S on top, D C below.	15	Cases glass bangles.
28th Feb. 1923 ...	833 in a diamond, I C on top, H C below	5	Cases padlocks.
28th Feb. 1924 ...	510 in a diamond, P on top, J M on sides	1	Case matches.
27th „ „ ...	$\frac{Saleh}{3362}$ in a diamond, H C on top, D & Co below.	2	Cases toys.
28th „ „ ...	No mark	9	Packets glass bangles.
28th „ „ ...	Ditto	3	Packages merchandise.
28th „ „ ...	Ditto	...	A quantity of glass bangles, 1 bundle.
28th „ „ ...	847 in a diamond, I C on top, H C below	5	Cases rubber goods.
	SHED No. 9.		
	SS. "Graciana."		
3rd March 1924	M S in a diamond, F below ...	94	Rolls coir matting.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity	Description.
	SHED No. 9.		
	SS. "Romeo."		
29th Feb. 1924 ...	60244 B P L N 44552 Allahabad	1	Case brushes
29th „ „ ...	— = — 44551 ...	2	Cases antiphlogistic.
27th „ „ ...	2241 in a diamond, I S on top. I L below	1	Case merchandise.
27th „ „ ...	229 in a diamond, I H below ...	1	Case engine parts.
27th „ „ ...	M P 5501 M Y 45902	11	Cases shoe dressing.
29th „ „ ...	M P Cable 150 M Y 45406	1	Case brushes.
27th „ „ ...	M P 5478 A B R C S Ld 45685	1	Ditto.
28th „ „ ...	N Y I in a diamond, D on top, S below	2	Cases merchandise.
28th „ „ ...	S J M in a diamond, 14628 below ...	8	Cases motor cycles and side-cars.
27th „ „ ...	M P 5477 M Y 45684	3	Cases medicines
	SHED No. 8.		
	SS. "Talma."		
4th Dec. 1923...	A A L & Co in a diamond, Bangalore, Madras below.	1	Case empty.
	Unidentified goods.		
	Nil	2	Pieces square iron.
	SHED No. 5.		
	SS. "Clan Urquhart."		
1st Mar. 1924 ...	B & Sons, Rangoon 47	1	Case merchandise.
1st „ „ ...	C P & Co in a diamond, Madras below, 1577, 1581.	2	Cases merchandise.
29th Feb. „ ...	The Director, School of Tropical Medicine, Hygiene, E C in a diamond, 1767A, B, 1767C	3	Cases laboratory appliances.
29th „ „ ...	1111 in a triangle, E G on top, F below, 5.	1	Case buttons

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 5—*concld.*		
	SS. "Clan Urquhart"—*concld.*		
1st Mar. 1924 ..	F C S Rhodesia , 316	1	Bag seeds.
1st „ „ ...	450 in a diamond, Hoare, Colombo below, 4.	1	Case merchandise.
1st „ „ ...	M E T in a diamond, Madras below ...	1	Bundle copper wire.
29th Feb. „ ...	N C 6968 , 1-45	45	Cases merchandise.
29th „ „ ...	656 in a block, N T C A on top, 1 ...	1	Case cotton goods.
29th „ „ ...	A T C K 129 7-8	2	Cases merchandise.
1st Mar. „ ...	R & C Madras	1	Joint pipe.
1st „ „ ...	Nil	1	Bundle galvanized corrugated sheets.
1st „ „ ...	B C L in a diamond, M V J below ...	8	Bundles galvanized corrugated sheets.
1st „ „ ...	Nil	1	Piece galvanized corrugated sheet.
	SHED No. 6.		
	SS. "Indo Maru."		
6th Mar. 1924 ...	C S in a diamond, 276-83	11	Cases glassware.
7th „ „ ...	1 in a diamond, Consulate General of Japan.	1	Case films.
7th „ „ ...	F M N Co	22	Bags betelnuts.
8th „ „ ...	Nil	1	Case merchandise.
7th „ „ ...	1 / 19-12 in a block, 31-35	5	Cases merchandise.
7th „ „ ...	64 / 8897 in a diamond, A K on top, & Co below, 3-4.	2	Cases undershirts.
7th „ „ ...	= 63 / 6787 =, 4	1	Case undershirts.
7th „ „ ...	= 62 / 9595 =, 4	1	Ditto
7th „ „ ...	= 62 / 9696 = 9-10	2	Cases undershirts.
7th „ „ ...	= 64 / 8898 = 9-10	2	Ditto.

Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.
	SHED No. 6—*concld.*		
	SS. "Indo Maru"—*concld.*		
7th Mar. 1924 ...	$\frac{20}{9838}$ in a diamond, A K on top, & Co below, 1-4.	4	Cases undershirts.
7th „ „ ...	$=\frac{63}{8888}=$ 9-10	2	Ditto.
6th „ „ ...	$\frac{\text{Saleh}}{8525}$ in a diamond, R S on top, 2146-58.	13	Cases glassware.
7th „ „ ...	S S in a block, 25	1	Case merchandise.
7th „ „ ...	$\frac{33}{001}$ in a diamond, S M on top, I C below, 1-3.	3	Cases shell buttons.
	SHED No. 2.		
	SS. "Osaka Maru."		
5th Mar. 1924 ...	101 in a diamond, D C on top, D C below, 1-10.	10	Cases merchandise.
6th „ „ ...	102 in a diamond, D C on top, E C below, 11-20.	10	Ditto.
6th „ „ ...	D M & Co, 2600-4	5	Cases cigars
6th „ „ ...	G D M in a block, 4885-94 ...	5	Cases glassware.
6th „ „ ...	— Ditto — N-N	1	Case merchandise.
6th „ „ ...	H H S in a diamond, 60-71 ...	12	Casks merchandise.
5th „ „ ...	$\frac{\text{Saleh}}{3461\text{-}4}$ in a diamond, H Z on top, A & Sons below, 2578.	1	Case glassware
6th „ „ ...	Trumpet Brand in a circle, Rangoon below, 93	1	Case merchandise.
6th „ „ ...	T P in a triangle, 1	1	Case hemp hats.
6th „ „ ...	A figure in a triangle, U L P on top, M B K below.	1	Case safety matches.

H. H. HUDSON, Traffic Manager (offg.).

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 26th March 1924. (594—1)

NOTICE

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

(JURISDICTION AS KAZI.)

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 17 OF 1924

K. Abdul Aziz, Mutwalli, petitioner.

WHEREAS K. Abdul Aziz, Mutwalli of the *waqf* property of Khaje Rasul Box, of Kasarhatta, Dacca, has applied to this Court for permission to grant a merush lease of 1 anna 7 gandas 2 kara 2 j share of an area of 1·75 in dag No. 895 to 898, mauza Dania, No. 333, police-station Tejgaon, Dacca, tauzi No. 45 on a premium of Rs. 425 and Rs. 2 as annual rent to Janaki Ballav Datta. Notice is hereby given to persons interested in the *waqf* to show cause before this Court on or before 3rd April 1924 why permission should not be granted.

J. F. GRAHAM, District Judge.

Dacca, the 19th February 1924. (333—1—425)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 155 OF 1924.

To Kamini Mohan Guha, of Shaymgunj, Carstairs Town, holding No. 425—3331.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs 51-14-9 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hearby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(524—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 156 OF 1924.

To Tarini Charan Chakraburty, Carstairs Town, holding No. 426—3332.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 70-12-9 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(525—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 160 OF 1924.

To Bhabataran Pahari of Salona, Williams' Town, Deoghar ; holding No. 527—3432.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 85-5-3 (arrears of rent from 1329 and 1330), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(526—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 165 OF 1924.

To Manomohan Das of Ranga ; holding No. 542—3432.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 76-11 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(527—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 166 OF 1924.

To Ramani Mohon Chowdhari, Barmashia, holding No. 553—2863.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 92-0-9 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B. S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 13th March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(528—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT NOS. 167 AND 168 OF 1924.

To Suprava Dasi, Barmashia, holding Nos. 559—2869 and 560—2870.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 138-2 (arrears of rent from 1328 to 1330), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.
(529—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 169 OF 1924.

To Mr. B. L. Chowdhari, holding No. 563—2872 (Ka) Barmashia.

WHEREAS Ijardar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for rupees 69-1 (arrear of rent from 1328 to 1330 B. S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.
(530—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 170 OF 1924.

To Bepin Behari Biswas, holding No. 565—2872 (Ga).

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 61-5 3 (arrear of rent from 1328 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by pleader duly instructed, on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.
(531—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 171 OF 1924.

To Sanjib Chandra Chowdhari, holding No 567—2872.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 69-1 (arrear of rent from 1328 to 1330), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 3rd April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.
(532—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No 172 OF 1924.

To Manmatha Nath Sen, No. 570—2872, Barmashia.

WHEREAS Ijardar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 21-13-3 (arrear of rent from 1329 to 1330), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 4th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.
(533—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 173 OF 1924.

To Benoy Bhusan Ghose, holding No. 604—2859, of Basmata.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 101-12 (arrears of rent) you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 4th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.
(534—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 175 OF 1924.

To Sarojini Ghose, Deonathdih, holding No. 638—2847.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 96-14-3 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 4th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(535—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 178 OF 1924.

To Mohendranath Banerjee of Koreasha, holding No. 652—3498.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 69-1 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person on by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 4th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(536—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 179 OF 1924.

To Anukul Chandra Ray, of Koreasha, holding No. 658—3505.

WHEREAS the Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 96-0-6 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 4th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(537—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 180 OF 1924.

To Dhirendranath Ganguli, Koreasha, holding No. 661—3505.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri, Mahals Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs 58 2-3 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in person in this Court or by a Pleader duly instructed on the 4th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses, upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of you appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(538—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 183 OF 1924.

To Sarojini Gupta, Totradih, No. 682—3493.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 61-12-9 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 4th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(539—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 184 OF 1924.

To Tarini Prasad Roy, Barlarbandhi Bompas Town, holding No. 694—3450.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 50-3 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1329 and 1330 B. S, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 4th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(540—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 185 OF 1923

To Sarat Sasi Debi, Bariarbandhi Bompas Town, holding No. 710—3473.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 72-10 9 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 4th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(541—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas

RENT SUIT No. 188 OF 1924.

To Naresh Chandra Lahiri, Bompas Town, No. 734—3485.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basuori Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 99-5 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in the Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 4th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and with all documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(542—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar, district Sonthal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 189 OF 1923.

To Tarini Prosad Pal Chowdhuri, Bompas town, holding No. 740—3493.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 81-2-6 on account of arrears of rent for 1328 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in suport of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the abovementioned day, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(543—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Santal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 190 OF 1924.

To Phani Bhusan Adhicary, Bompas Town, holding No. 746—3493.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basai Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 50-14 on account of arrears of rent for the year 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in the Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(544—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 191 OF 1924.

To Debeswar Biswas, Bompas Town, holding No. 753—3493 (La.).

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 45 12-6 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1328 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(545—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Santal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 192 OF 1924.

To Hemendra Narayan Roy, Bompas Town, holding No. 754—3493.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 82-6 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(546—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar, district Santal Parganas.

RENT SUIT No. 193 OF 1924.

To Brinda Sundari Dasi, Basuadih, holding No. 769—2923.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 93-4-9 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B.S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 18th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(547—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

DISTRICT SONTHAL PARGANAS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 194 OF 1924.

To Kumar Satis Kanto Roy, Basmadih, holding No. 772—2923.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 52-2 on account of arrears of rent for the years 1327 to 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(548—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 195 OF 1924.

To Kali Prasanna Mukerjee, Basuadih, holding No. 779—2923.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Taluk Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 52-2 on account of arrears of rent for the year 1327 to 1330 B. S., you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day abovementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(549—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 196 OF 1924.

To Saiyad Munshi, Basuadih holding No. 780—2923.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 48-7-0 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear, in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(550—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 197 OF 1924.

To Motilal Rai, Sidheswar Bose, Dhibadih, holding No. 791—3532.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 96-14-3 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 7th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(551—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector of Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 198 OF 1924.

To Indu Moti Dasi, Dibadih, holding No. 794—3532.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 193-12-6 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B. S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector, Deoghar.

(552—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 199 OF 1924.

To Nilmoney Mallik, Simria, holding No. 813—3530.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 72-10 9 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(553—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUITS.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 200 OF 1924.

To Bidhumukhi Debi, Ramchandrapur, holding No. 816—3506.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 59-6 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(554—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 202 OF 1924.

To Nalini Mohan Singh, Ramchandrapur, holding No. 841—3531.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 32-11-9 (arrears of rent from 1329 and 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(555—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. 204 OF 1924.

To Bidhubhusan Mukerjee, Sibbhusan Mukerjee and Gangabhusan Mukerjee, holding No. 851—3539 (Ka), Jassidih.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 140-12-6 (arrears of rent from 1329 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(556—2)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

In the Court of the Deputy Collector at Deoghar.

RENT SUIT No. OF 1924.

To Sat Cowrie Mittra, holding No. 867—3555 of Jassidih.

WHEREAS Ijaradar of Town Basouri Mahals, Rohini, has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 81-7 6 (arrears of rent from 1327 to 1330 B.S.), you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed, on the 8th April 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, with all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day above mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of March 1924.

N. MAITRA, Deputy Collector.

(557—2)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 65 OF 1924.

Re Roland Cecil Tillett, lately residing at 15, European Asylum Lane, in the town of Calcutta, at present residing at 35, Cantopher Lane in Calcutta aforesaid, an automobile engineer under the Automobile Association of Bengal at 87A, Park Street in Calcutta aforesaid, *ex parte* the debtor in person.

ON the 13th day of March 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 17th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 66 OF 1924.

Re Joseph Thompson residing at No. 2, Eden Hospital Road, in the town of Calcutta, an employee in the Central Telegraph Office in Calcutta aforesaid, *ex-parte* the debtor in person.

ON the 13th day of March 1924, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 17th day of March 1924.

G M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER

No. 67 OF 1924.

Re : Sadasiv Bajpai residing and lately carrying on business as a broker in miscellaneous goods at No. 4, Jagobandhu Bural Lane, in the town of Calcutta, at present of no occupation, *ex parte* the debtor.

Manuel Agarwalla & Co., debtor's solicitors.

ON the 13th day of March 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 17th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION ORDER.

No. 68 OF 1924.

Re Deb Lal Shah of No. 25, Sovabazar Street, Calcutta, formerly Jute Baler, at present no occupation.

Ex parte the creditor.

ON the 17th day of March 1924 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its insolvency jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an insolvent.

NOTE—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Dated this 19th day of March 1924.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1923.

AJODHYA RAM KOLIA, son of late Shib Narayan Kolia, of Bhabanipur, thana Joypur, at present residing at Vishnupur Ainabazar, district Bankura, was on the 2nd day of February 1924 adjudged an insolvent by this Court. He must apply for his discharge within six months from the date of order.

IRADUTULLA, District Judge.

Bankura, the 13th March 1924. (572—1—442)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 18 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Gour Kishore Phurohit, son of Durga Charan Phurohit, of Parsikora, police-station Patiya, district Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 27th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of April 1924 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

H. C. STORK, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 14th March 1924. (561—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATIONS NOS. 5 AND 6 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 3rd May 1923, and on the application of Abinash Chandra Shaha and Amrita Lal Shaha, sons of late Rai Mohan Shaha, of Rajnagar, police-station Sataria, Dacca, and on reading their application and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents, and are directed to apply for their discharge within one year

Dated this 28th day of February 1924.

R. F. LODGE, District Judge.

(566—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 23 OF 1924

IMAMDDIN MONDAL, son of Somir Mondal, deceased, resident of Kadipur, police-station Porsha, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent. The 14th day of April 1924 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

ILLEGIBLE, Sub-Judge in charge.

Dinajpur, the 14th March 1924. (568—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 22 OF 1924.

RUPOWAR PALI, son of Muluk Pali, deceased, resident of Joypur, police-station Gangarampur, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent. The 12th day of April 1924 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

ILLEGIBLE, Sub-Judge in charge.

Dinajpur, the 14th March 1924. (569—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 20 OF 1924.

SAHABAT MONDAL, son of Goysal Mondal, deceased, resident of Khadullapur, police-station Balurghat, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent. The 5th day of April 1924 has been fixed for examination of the p titioner at Dinajpur.

ILLEGIBLE, Sub-Judge in charge.

Dinajpur, the 14th March 1924. (570—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

(*Section 43 of the Provincial Insolvency Act V of 1920.*)

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 41 AND 42 OF 1923.

1. Mashitulla Mondal ...
2. Garib Mondal ... } Applicants.

THE above named applicants having failed to put in cost of publication for discharge and postage within the time allowed, it is ordered that the order of adjudication, dated the 7th day of February 1923, against the applicants be and the same is hereby cancelled.

ILLEGIBLE, *for* District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 14th March 1924. (571—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 67 OF 1923.

RAHIM BAKAS MAHOMED, son of Dhangai Saha deceased, resident of Gopalpur, police-station Thakurgaon, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated insolvent on the 26th day of February 1924. He must apply for discharge within fifteen months.

ILLEGIBLE, *for* District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 15th day of March 1924. (573—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 68 OF 1923.

HAKIMADDIN MAHOMED, son of Rahim Bakas Mahomed, resident of Gopalpur, police-station Thakurgaon, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated insolvent on the 25th day of February 1924.

He must apply for discharge within 12 months.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 15th day of March 1924. (574—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Brojo Mohon Pal, son of late Ramdhan Pal, of Khurut, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 24 of 1924 and that the 14th April 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 6th March 1924.

(502—1—445)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Shaik Abdul Kuddush, son of late Shaik Abdul Majid, of Dakhin Baksarah, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No 30 of 1924 and that the 3rd April 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 12th March 1924. (517—1—424)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 29 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 14th July 1923, filed by Rajani Kanta Halder, son of late Hari Halder, of Majhyampur, thana Meherpur, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. The insolvent is directed to apply for discharge within a year from this date

Dated this 25th day of February 1924.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

(575—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

NOTICE is hereby given under the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Joynal Sarkar, son of Sanjoo Sarkar, of Balla, police-station Kalihati, district Mymensingh, has been admitted by this Court, as No. 13 of 1924 and that 26th April 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 18th March 1924. (587—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 13 OF 1924.

Petitioner Bahar Sheikh, son of late Mathur Sheikh, of Kandua, police-station Nakashipara, district Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 19 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, V of 1920, to his creditors that the above named petitioner has filed an insolvency petition and that the 5th April 1924 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

B. G. CHATTERJEE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 14th March 1924. (514—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 12 of 1924.

WHEREAS Somir Uddin Sarker, son of late Ismi Sarker, of Haidarpur, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 14th February 1924, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 2nd April 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 13th March 1924. (515—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 14 OF 1924.

WHEREAS Gour Gopal Pramanik, son of late Suk Chand Pramanik, of Chithalia, police-station Pabna, and district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 22nd February 1924, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 26th March 1924 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 13th March 1924. (516—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1924.

PRESENT :

D. P. Ghosh, Esq., District Judge.

RUP CHAND BARMAN, son of late Udoi Barman of Faliyar Bhita, police-station Gaibandha, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 6th of March 1924, adjudged an insolvent by this Court. He must apply for his final discharge within six months.

D. P. GHOSH, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 15th March 1924. (562—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 95 OF 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Dol Gobinda Mondal, of Jadupur, police-station Kharba, district Malda, has applied to this Court under Act V of 1920 for his discharge and 11th April 1924 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 13th March 1924. (563—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 41 AND 42 OF 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that (1) Dinabandhu Pramanik, (2) Dwarki Nath Pramanik, of Nator, police-station Nator, district Rajshahi, were adjudicated insolvents by this Court on 22nd December 1923 and directed to come up for their discharge within six months.

B. K. BASU, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 13th March 1924. (564—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 111 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 25th April 1923, filed by Amoy Charan Sardar, son of late Narahari Sardar, of Kalinagore, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas and on the application of Amoy Charan Sardar, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Hrishi Kesh Chatterjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(432—1—429)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 110 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 24th April 1923, filed by Santosh Ch. Das, son of Uma Charan Das, of Joyrampur, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Santosh Ch. Das, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Surendra Nath Basu (III), pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of January 1924

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(433—1—428)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 224 OF 1922.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 14th September 1922, filed by Lachman Noalia Muchi, son of Prayan Noalia Muchi, of Lalbagan, thana Maniktala, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Lachman Noalia Muchi, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Debendra Nath Mitra, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of January 1924.

A. T PAL, Sub-Judge.

(434—1—427)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 180 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 8th August 1923, filed by Chandi Prosad Kheman, son of Jeydyal Kheman, of Chetlahat, police-station Alipore, and on the application of Chandi Prosad Kheman, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Kali Kumar Chatterjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 24th day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(435—1—433)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 200 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 31st August 1923, filed by Ahed Box Halder, son of late Enai Box Halder, of Dobapara, thana Metiabruze, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Ahed Box Halder and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Purna Chandra Banerjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 16th day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge

(436—1—440)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 194 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 15th August 1923, filed by Chintamoni Daw, son of late Bhola Nath Daw, of Rajpur, thana Sonarpur, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Chintamoni Daw and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Jogindra Nath Sarkar, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 23rd day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(437—1—439)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 166 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 5th July 1923, filed by Surendranath Pasal, son of late Sitanath Pasal, of Maniktola Main Road, thana Maniktola, 24 Parganas, and on the application of Surendra Nath Pasal, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Manindra Nath Banerji, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 22nd day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(438—1—431)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 142 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 31st May 1923, filed by Gour Chandra Karmakar, son of Kinuram Karmakar, of Sarsana, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Gour Chandra Karmakar and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Nandalal Banerji, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 22nd day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(439—1—430)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 199 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 25th August 1923, filed by Gobordhan Mosa, son of late Nitai Mosa, village Bowali, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Gobordhan Mosa, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Bhuban Mohan Chatterjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 30th day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(440—1—438)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 181 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 2nd August 1923, filed by Ear Muhammad Molla, son of Rahim Box Molla, of Fatepur, thana Metiabruz, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Ear Muhammad Molla and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Mohan Lal Banerjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(441—1—434)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 187 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 8th August 1923, filed by Hari Charan Nath, son of late Iswar Chandra Nath, of Babora, thana Khardaha, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Hari Charan Nath and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Narayan Chandra Saha it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 30th day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(442—1—437)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 186 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 8th August 1923, filed by Kasimuddi Mondal, son of late Salim Mondal, of Maynagodi, thana Baraset, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Kasimuddi Mondal, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Kedar Nath Neogi, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 30th day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(443—1—436)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 169 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 11th July 1923, filed by Kristodhan Mondal, son of late Behari Lal Mandal, of Keshabpur, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Kristodhan Mondal, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Ramendra Nath Ghose, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(444—1—432)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 184 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th August 1923, filed by Chanu Halder *alias* Chuni Halder, son of late Monohar Halder, of Bachtolla, thana Tollygunge, and on the application of Chuni Lal Halder and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Narendra Nath Chakrabatty, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(445—1—436)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 204 OF 1923.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th September 1923, filed by Sheik Nagen *alias* Ebadat, of Khardaha, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Sheik Nagen *alias* Ebadat, and on reading the petition and hearing Babu Abinash Chandra Sarkar, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of January 1924.

A. T. PAL, Sub-Judge.

(446—1—441)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 41 OF 1923.

Faniudra Mohan Banerjee, 10, Manicktola Main Road, applicant.

To K. Ram Chandra and others, creditors

ON the 7th day of February 1924 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 31st March 1924 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date

G. N. ROY, District Judge.

Alipore, the 29th February 1924. (458—1—426)

Wanted.

TWO probationers, one for the District Judge's office, Berhampore, and the other for the 2nd Munsif's Court, Berhampore, on Rs. 35 a month. Applications will be received up to the 24th March 1924 only from those whose names are on the list of surplus officers issued by Government. Preference will be given to those who know type-writing.

B. MUKHERJI, District Judge

Berhampore, the 4th March 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases in the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, in the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before 31st March 1924.

N. N. GUPTA, Presidency and Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all exhibits filed in cases disposed of in this Court during the year 1921 will be destroyed if not taken back before 31st March 1924.

A. N. MUHAMMAD ALI, Municipal Magistrate.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 7th January 1924.

NOTICE

Imperial Bank of India.

THE members of the Local Board have made the following changes in the Bank's Establishment :—

Mr. C. C. Lumley to officiate as Chief Accountant, Head Office, as from the 10th March 1924, *vice* Mr. A. D. St. Highton, M.B.E., transferred.

Mr. G. A. Tayler to officiate as Chief Cashier, Head Office, as from the 7th March 1924, *vice* Mr. F. A. H. Wright, granted leave.

By order,

D. S. MCCLURE,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 17th March 1924. (577—1)

NOTICE.

Imperial Bank of India.

THE members of the Local Board have made the following changes in the Bank's Establishment :—

Mr. S. J. E. Virgo, to be Office-in-charge, Jullundur Branch, as from 23rd February 1924, *vice* Mr. R. V. Baird, transferred.

Mr. P. M. Tregale, to be Officer-in-charge, Dibrugarh Branch, as from 9th March 1924, *vice* Mr G. R. Colegrave, granted combined leave.

Mr. W. N. Gurdon, to act as Agent, Jalpaiguri Branch, as from 15th March 1924, *vice* Mr. E. A. Nuttall, transferred,

Mr. R. G. Crabb, to act as Agent, Park Street Branch, as from 15th March 1924, *vice* Mr. H. M. B. Kiddell, transferred.

By order,

D. S. MCCLURE,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 19th March 1924. (592—1)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The second quinquennial valuation of the fund has been completed by the Actuary to the Government of India and his report discloses very favourable results. For forms of application and rules of the Fund apply to the Accountant-General, Central Revenues, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

NOTICE.

Public Works Department, Bengal.
Irrigation Branch.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following fisheries will be settled amongst the *bonafide* and reliable fishermen as per conditions as explained by the Deputy Director of Fisheries in his No. 13, dated 3rd January 1917, and the following estates will be settled by public auction to the highest bidder on the 30th March 1924, at about 12-30 P.M., at the Seijberia Inspection Bungalow near Fuleswar B. N. Railway Station by the Executive Engineer, Damodar Division The Executive Engineer does not bind himself either to accept the highest or the lowest or any of the bids unless he is fully satisfied that the bidder is reliable and solvent :—

(1) Rajapur Fishery.
(2) Burrojolla Fishery.
(3) Howrah Drainage Fishery.
(4) Dancooni Drainage Fishery, Bally Series, Section I.
(5) Dancooni Drainage Fishery, Baidyabati Series, Section II.
(6) Dauko Matler Khal Fishery.
(7) Dancooni Boat License, Section I.

General Conditions of Sale.

1. The rent in each instance must be paid in advance by two instalments, viz., 25 per cent. on the fall of the hammer which will be treated as earnest money and the balance within a month, by which time the bidder will have to execute a lease in the office of the Assistant Engineer, Seijberia subdivision. The balance of the rent will not be accepted until the lease is executed ; if the highest bidder fails to execute the lease in time for the balance of the rent to be accepted within a month of the day of sale his earnest money will be forfeited and the lot re-sold without notice.

2. If any dispute shall arise between two or more bidders the lot shall be put again at the last undisputed bidding.

3. Intending purchasers should satisfy themselves on all points before buying as no objections will be entertained after the sale. In default of the rent being paid on application Executive Engineer, Damodar Division, will at his option resell on account and risk of the last bidder or put the lot up again at the last bidding.

4. Every lessee is bound to execute a lease in the form available in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Seijberia subdivision, at Seijberia

5. Final approval of the settlement rests with the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle.

Further particulars and details may be seen on enquiry at the office of the Executive Engineer, Damodar Division, Old Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta, or from the Subdivisional Officer, Seijberia subdivision.

B. L. SUBARWAL, Executive Engineer,
Damodar Division.

Calcutta, the 19th March 1924.

Public Works Department Notice.

THE sale of ferries, fisheries, grass-cutting, etc., on the Calcutta Canals, Tolly's Nala, Bhangore Canal, Kamargati old khal, Nowie khal and Ichapur khal and also the markets at Bantola, Khanaberia and Hat at Bamoonghata for the year ending 31st March 1925, will be put up to auction by Messrs. Mackenzie Lyall & Co at their Exchange Sale-room, No. 5, Mission Row, at 1 P.M. of the 26th instant.

D. N. SEN GUPTA, Executive Engineer,
Canals Division.

Calcutta, the 18th March 1924.

Notice.

IT is notified for general information that the next ordinary examinations of candidates for certificates of competency as Masters and Serangs of Inland Steam Vessels under Act I of 1917, will be held at the Port Office, Chittagong, on Mondays, the 21st April, 19th May and 16th June 1924, at 10-30 A.M.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Port Office, Chittagong, not later than 3 days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

E. C. WITHERS, Comdr., R.I.M., Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 20th March 1924. (596—1)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 38143, dated 15th January 1924, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
156499 ...	3½ °/₀ of 1842-43.	400	Tincowri Mozumdar

Name of the Proprietor—Tincowri Mozumdar.

Residence—Village Devanandapur, district Hooghly.

(583—1—446)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 38144, dated 15th January 1924, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
164653 ...	3½°/₀ of 1842-43	1,000	Jagat Nath Basu Roy.

Name of the Proprietor—Jagat Nath Basu Roy.
Residence—137-7, Belliaghata Road, Calcutta.

(584—1—447)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 38145, dated 15th January 1924, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
173818	3½ per cent. of 1842-43.	1,000	Jagat Nath Basu Roy, Nalini Nath Basu Roy and Nitai Krishna Basu Roy.

Names of the Proprietors—Jagat Nath Basu Roy, Nalini Nath Basu Roy and Nitai Krishna Basu Roy.

Residence—137-7, Belliaghata Road, Calcutta.

(585—1—448)

Lost.

THE Calcutta Municipal Debenture No. 338 of the 4 per cent loan of 1914-15, dated 1st March 1915, for Rs. 1,800 only, originally standing in the name of Harendra Nath Bagchi, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Debenture and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

HARENDRA NATH BAGCHI.

43, Baghazar Street, Calcutta. (508—3—417)

Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 009426 of the 6 per cent. loan of 1930 for Rs. 700, originally standing in the name of Drona Kumar Tagore, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been destroyed, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—Drona Kumar Tagore.

Residence—26-1, Prosonno Kumar Tagore Street, Calcutta.

(361—3—324)

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Dhakuria Rice Mills, Limited.

THE Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghose has, by an order dated the 14th day of March 1924, appointed Mr. Ranjit Roy, of Mercantile Buildings, Calcutta, to be official liquidator of the abovenamed company.

Dated this 19th day of March 1924.

K. K. DUTT & Co.,

Attorneys for Shukhlall Chandanmull, the mortgagee of the abovenamed company.

14, Hastings Street, Calcutta. (579—1—444)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Bengal Brass, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 209 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at B4, Clive Buildings, 8, Clive Street, Calcutta, on Monday, the 31st day of March 1924, at 11-45 o'clock in the forenoon.

THOS. LAW, *for* Self and Co-liquidators.

Calcutta, the 12th March 1924. (497—1—423)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Bengal Brass, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the abovenamed Company held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Friday, the 7th day of March 1924, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the following resolution was passed as an extraordinary resolution namely :—

"That the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue to carry on its business and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Messrs. Herbert Walford Hales, Thomas Law and Wilfred John Younie, members of the firm of Messrs. Price Waterhouse Peat & Co., Chartered Accountants, Calcutta, be, and they are hereby appointed liquidators of the Company with joint and several powers for the purposes of such winding up."

W. H. EDWARDS, Chairman.

Calcutta, the 11th March 1924. (495—1—421)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of Bengal Brass, Limited (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed Company which is being wound up voluntarily are required on or before the 15th day of April 1924 to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims and the names of their Solicitors (if any) to the undersigned the liquidators of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the Liquidators or by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove the said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will not be admitted.

THOS. LAW, *for* Self and Co-liquidators.

B4, Clive Buildings, Calcutta, the 12th March 1924.

(496—1—422)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the General Prospecting Company, Limited (In voluntary liquidation).

TAKE notice that pursuant to section 217 (*1*) and (*2*) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, a general meeting of the members of the abovenamed Company will be held at 8, Clive Street, Calcutta, on the 28th day of April 1924, at noon precisely, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of having any explanation that may be given by the liquidator, and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company and of the liquidator shall be disposed of.

F. E. WINMILL, by his attorney

C. deM. Kellock.

Calcutta, the 26th day of March 1924. (513—1—443)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and

In the matter of the Chemical Industries, Ltd. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 216 (3) of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, that a general meeting of the members of the Chemical Industries, Limited (in liquidation), will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, B-4, Clive Buildings, 8, Clive Street, Calcutta, on Tuesday, the 1st day of April 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, when the liquidators will lay before the meeting a statement with respect to the proceedings in and the position of the liquidation, and such other matters as may be brought forward will also be considered.

All shareholders of the said company are requested to attend the said meeting at the aforesaid time and place.

THOS LAW,
for Self and Co-liquidators.

B-4, Clive Buildings, 8, Clive Street, Calcutta, the 14th March 1924. (567—1—450)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and

In the matter of the Calcutta Landed Properties Co., Ltd. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 3-1A, Amherst Street, Calcutta, at 8 A.M., on Wednesday, 14th May 1924, for the purpose of laying before them an account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the liquidator and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books and documents of the Company and of the liquidator hereof shall be disposed of.

N. C. DUTT, Liquidator.

Calcutta, 19th day of March 1924. (578—1—449)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 2319, dated 15th February 1924, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities.

G. P. Note Nos.		Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
			Rs.	
005556	6 per cent.	1930	1,000	Samina Bibi, minor, through her guardian Shaik Bhaglee.
005557	"	"	1,000	
G003620	"	"	1,000	

Name of the Proprietor—Shaik Bhaglee.

Residence—9-13, Manicktolla Main Road.

(576—1—451)

Descriptive Catalogue of Sanskrit Manuscripts.

PARTS I, II, and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College, are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Dinajpur.

O. C. EXECUTION CASE No. 72 OF 1923.

Bibi Fatema Khatoon Nessa Chowdhuri

versus

Mohamed Abdul Subhan Chowdhuri.

TO be held in the above case by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Dinajpur, at 12 o'clock on the 3rd April 1924, for realization of Rs. 4,531-15-9 the right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor in the following :—

Serial No.	Tauzi No.	Name of estate with pargana, thana and district.	Sadar jama for the entire lot.	Share to be sold.	Approximate value of the share to be sold.
			Rs. A. GDS.		Rs.
1	477 Dinajpur Collectorate	Lat Nabiti, pargana Raj Nagar, thana Bandbari, district Dinajpur (mauzas Dakhin Belal, Mudafat Kochpara and Mokimpur Mejafat Kalai jote)	515 15 10	4 as 10 gds. share.	2,000

HEM CHANDRA DAS GUPTA, Sub-Judge.

Dinajpur, the 18th March 1924.

(588—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Dinajpur.

O. C. EXECUTION CASE No. 46 OF 1923.

Mohamed Said Saha, decree-holder,

versus

Bibi Rahima Choudhurani, judgment-debtor

TO be held in the above case by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Dinajpur, at 12 o'clock on the 3rd April 1924 for realization of Rs. 1,242-13-6 the right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor in the following :—

Serial No.	Tauzi No.	Name of estate with pargana, thana and district.	Sadar jama of the entire lot.	Share to be sold.	Approximate value of the share to be sold.
			Rs. A. GDS.		Rs.
1	2199 in the district of Rajshahi Collectorate Special Nos. 14 and 13.	13 annas 4 gandas 2 karas 1 krauti part of 17 gandas 2 karas 1 danti, situate in thana Porsha, pargana Puslail, district Rajshahi (Lat Jahangirpur).	31,939 13 10	13 as. 4 gds. 2 karas 1 kt. share jama of the share is Rs. 1,752-12.	5,000

HEM CHANDRA DAS GUPTA, Sub-Judge.

Dinajpur, the 18th March 1924.

(589—1)

CINCHONA FACTORY PRODUCTS.

BY order of the Government of Bengal Cinchona Factory's Products will be sold by the **Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore,** at the undernoted rates from the 1st June 1923 :-

Quinine Sulphate.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 27 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 28 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 29 „

Quinine Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 35 per lb.
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 36 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 37 „

Quinine Di-Hydrochloride.

For 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 38 per lb
For 6 lbs. and over but less than 60 lbs. in one delivery	„ 39 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	„ 40 „

Cinchonidine Sulphate and Cinchonine Sulphate.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 12 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 13 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Powder.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 8 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 9 „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 9 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 10 „

Cinchona Bark (in 50 pound original bags).

Per bag	Rs. 25.

Quinoidine Tablets.

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 7 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 8 „

Quinoidine (in Mass).

For not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „

Quinidine Sulphate.

For any quantity less than 6 lbs	Rs. 39 per lb.

Quinine Sulphate is for sale to Government Institutions and Missionaries only. It is not for sale to Private Firms or the General Public.

Cinchona Febrifuge in Powder and Tablet form (when in stock) is for sale to Government Institutions, Missionaries and the General Public.

Quinine Sulphate will be supplied to Hospitals and Dispensaries of this Presidency only at the wholesale rate of Rs. 27 per lb., irrespective of quantities. For all other purchasers the rates given above will apply.

Transit charges extra in every case.

The system of payment is by—*Cash in advance*—by "*Treasury Chalans*" which should accompany the order or indent.

In cases where this is not possible, payment should be made by "*Remittance Transfer Receipts*" or crossed "*Cheques.*"

Indents unaccompanied by Cash in advance will be sent Value Payable Post.

In the case of *Government Officers* payments will be recovered by *Book Transfer* or *Countersigned Invoices* in the event of *Cash* not accompanying the Indent by "*Treasury Chalans.*" *R. T. R.*, or *Cheque.*

2. Price and postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post).

3. The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post

4. A scale of postage is given below :—

For ½ lb. 4 annas, ¾ lb. 5 annas, 1 lb. 8 annas, 1½ lbs. 11 annas, 2 lbs. 14 annas, 2½ lbs. Re. 1-1, 3 lbs. Re. 1-1, 3½ lbs. Re. 1-4, 4 lbs. Re. 1-7, 4½ lbs. Re. 1-13, 5lbs. Re. 1-13, 6 lbs. Rs. 2.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

Government reserve the right to alter the price without notice.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Saturday.

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PART III.

Acts of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 902L., dated Calcutta, the 24th March, 1924.—In pursuance of the provisions of sub-section (3) of section 81 of the Government of India Act, the following Act of the local Legislature of Bengal having been assented to by the Governor General on the 22nd March, 1924, is hereby published for general information :—

BENGAL ACT NO. I OF 1924.

THE CALCUTTA RENT (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1924.

An Act further to amend the Calcutta Rent Act, 1920.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Calcutta Rent Act, 1920, in the manner hereinafter provided; Ben. Act III of 1920

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General under sub-section (3) of section 80A of the Government of India Act, has been obtained to the passing of this Act; 5 & 6 Geo. V, c. 61, 6 & 7 Geo. V, c. 37; 9 & 10 Geo. V, c. 101.

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title. **1.** This Act may be called the Calcutta Rent (Amendment) Act, 1924

Amendment of section 1 of Ben. Act III of 1920.

2. (*1*) In sub-section (*4*) of section 1 of the Calcutta Rent Act, 1920, as amended by the Calcutta Rent (Amendment) Act, 1923, for the figures " 1924 " the figures " 1927 " shall be substituted. Ben. Act II of 1923.

(*2*) In the same sub-section, after the words " until the end of March, 1927," the following shall be inserted, namely :—

" Provided that after the 31st day of March, 1924, this Act shall cease to apply to any premises the rent of which exceeded two hundred and fifty rupees a month or three thousand rupees a year on the 1st day of November, 1918 :"

(*3*) In the same sub-section, after the word " Provided " where it appears for the second time the word " also " shall be inserted.

C. TINDALL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

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APPENDIX.

Notices to Mariners.

THE following Notices are republished for general information.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
for *Port Officer of Calcutta.*

A. MARR,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The 15th March 1924.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST, BASSEIN RIVER ENTRANCE.

Diamond island—Baroni rock buoy.

No. 84 (first publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 445 of 1923.

Subject.—The unlighted spherical buoy marking the Baroni rock one mile north-east of Diamond island has been replaced by an Acetylene Gas Buoy painted black with white horizontal bands showing a flashing white light.

Charts affected.—No. 834, Bassein river and approaches.
„ 3772, Calventuras to Bassein river.
„ 823, Koronge island to White point.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 447.

Authority.—Bassein, Burma, Notice dated 4th March 1924.

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Mulaboh Bay, south-eastern Approach—Non-existence of Shoal and Rock.

No. 85 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 219 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) Shoal :

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles south-westward of Trang river entrance.
Lat. 3° 58′ N., long. 96° 16′ E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A 5 fathom (9^{m}1) shoal.

(*b*) Rock :

Position.—At a distance of about 5½ miles southward of Trang river entrance.

Lat. 3° 54' N., long 96° 18' E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A rock indicated on the charts by the symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^{m}8), and marked "D."

Remarks.—The shoal and rock described above, which do not exist, are to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2760, Achin head to Chingkuk bay.

„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 324.

Authority.—Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 2296-23.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Guimaras Strait.

Ingiog Bank—Buoy replaced by Light-Buoy.

No. 86 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 227 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Off the southern end of the bank, at a distance of about 4 miles south-westward of Pandan point.

Lat. 10° 28' 05" N., long. 122° 45' 37" E. (*approx.*).

Details.—No. 1 black can buoy has been replaced by a light-buoy, marked No. 1, exhibiting a *flashing white* light *every three seconds.*

Charts affected.—No. 2391, Plan of part of Guimaras strait.

„ 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 331.

Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I (*in press*).

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 667 of 1923. (*H. 731-24.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST—Batavia Western Approach.

Dutch and Middle Channels—Buoys replaced by Beacons.

No. 87 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 234 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—On the south-western side of Meinderts shoal, at a distance of 2·6 miles 332° from Tanjong Pasir.

Lat. 5° 58' S., long. 106° 40' E. (*approx.*).

Description.—A black conical beacon.

Remarks.—The black buoy with topmark, formerly marking this shoal, has been withdrawn.

(*b*) *Position.*—On the south-western side of De Steen shoal, at a distance of 3·2 miles 114° from Tanjong Pasir.

Description.—A black conical beacon.

Remarks.—The black buoy with topmark, formerly marking this shoal, has been withdrawn.

(*c*) *Position.*—Off the south-eastern side of Kuiper islet, at a distance of 4·05 miles 121° from Tanjong Pasir.

Description.—A black conical beacon.

Remarks.—The black buoy with topmark, formerly situated close to this position, has been withdrawn.

(*d*) *Position.*—Marking the northern side of Rynlands reef, at a distance of 1·65 miles 347° from the outer end of western pier at Batavia.

Description.—A white ball beacon.

Remarks.—The red buoy with topmark, formerly situated close north-westward of this position, has been withdrawn.

Charts affected.—No. 933, Batavia roads.
„ 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.
„ 1653, Island of Java—western portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, pages 76, 77, 78, 79.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 178 of 1924. (*H. 656-24.*)

JAPAN—HONSHU, EAST COAST.

Plans of Shiriya-Saki and Aikawa Anchorages, on Chart No. 208, cancelled.

No. 88 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 243 of 1924), are republished :—

Notice is given that the two undermentioned plans on chart No. 208 have been cancelled ; all existing copies of these plans are to be marked to that effect :—

(*a*) Plan of Shiriya-saki anchorage.
(*b*) Plan of Aikawa anchorage.

References to plan (*b*) on chart No. 806 and to plan (*a*) on charts Nos. 2441 and 3109, in the vicinity of these anchorages, are to be expunged accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 208, Plans of Shiriya-saki anchorage and Aikawa anchorage.
„ 806, Sendai bay to Miyako bay, with plan.
„ 2441, Tsugaru kaikyo.
„ 3409, Ishinomaki wan and Sakata ko to Tsugaru kaikyo.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, pages 236, 255.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 87-24.*)

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Calicut Light—Intended Alteration in Character.

No. 89 (first publication).—

Date of alteration.—On or about 15th March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 11° 15′ N., long. 75° 46′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—(U) **Gp. Fl.** (2) *ev. 6 sec. 52 ft. 12* **M.**

Alteration.—The character of the light will be altered from group occulting white to *group flashing white*, showing *two* flashes *every six seconds*, thus :—Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 1·4 sec., flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 4·0 sec.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched ; in other respects the light will be unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 64, Sacrifice rock to Beïpur.
„ 747, Mount Dilli to Calicut.
„ 827, Vengurla to Cape Comorin.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 453.

Authority.—Madras Notice No. 93 of 1923.

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Tellicherri Light—Intended Alteration in Character.

No. 90 (first publication).—

Date of alteration.—On or about 25th March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 11° 45′ N., long. 75° 29′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—**Gp. Fl. (3)** *ev. 9 sec. 83 ft. 11* **M. (U).**

Alteration.—The character of the light will be altered from group occulting white to *group flashing white*, showing *three* flashes *every nine seconds*, thus:—Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 1·5 sec., flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 1·5 sec., flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 5·1 sec.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched; in other respects the light will be unaltered

Charts affected.—No. 1322, Plan of Tellicherri anchorage.
„ 747, Mount Dilli to Calicut.
„ 827, Vengurla to Cape Comorin
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publication —List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 450.

Authority.—Madras Notice No. 6 of 1924.

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Mangalore Light—Intended Alteration in Character.

No. 91 (first publication).—

Date of alteration.—On or about 20th March 1924.

Position.—Lat. 12° 52′ N., long. 74° 50′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—**Fl.** *ev. 3 sec. 33 ft. 11* **M. (U).**

Alteration.—The character of the light will be altered from group occulting white to *flashing white every three seconds*, thus:—

Flash 0·3 sec; eclipse 2·7 sec.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched; in other respects the light will remain unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 3267, Plan of Mangalore harbour.
„ 746, Mulki to Mount Dilli.
„ 745, Netrani to Mangalore.
„ 827, Vengurla to Cape Comorin.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 448.

Authority.—Madras Notice No. 5 of 1924.

The 8th March 1924.

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—ANGOCHE ISLANDS.

Mafamede Island—Light established.

No. 69 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 171 of 1924), are republished:—

Position.—Near the northern extremity of the island.
Lat. 16° 20′ 15″ S., long. 40° 01′ 45″ E., on chart No. 1810.

Abridged description.—**Gp. Fl. (2) W. R.** *ev. 10 sec. 70 ft. 14* **M. (U).**

Characteristics:

Character.—*Group flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, showing *two* flashes *every ten seconds*, thus:—Flash 0·5 sec., eclipse 1·0 sec., flash 0·5 sec., eclipse 8·0 sec.

Elevation.—70 feet (21m.3).

Visibility.—14 miles.

Sectors.—Shows *red* to the north-eastward over St. Antonio bank and to the south-westward over Walker island and Michael reef.

Structure.—Iron tower on square base; 66 feet (20m1) in height.

Charts affected.—No. 1810, River Zambezi to Mozambique harbour.
„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1924, No. 84*a*.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 269.
Authority.—Lisbon Notices Nos. 58 and 63 of 1923. (*H. 427-24.*)

JAPAN—SHIMONOSEKI KAIKYO.

Kanabuse se—Information re light, light-buoys and shoal.

No. 70 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 175 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) Light discontinued :
Position.—On Kanabuse se beacon.
Lat. 33° 58′ N., long. 130° 59′ E. (*approx.*).
Details.—The flashing white light has been discontinued and is to be expunged from the charts accordingly.

(*b*) Light-buoy established :
Position.—At a distance of 1·85 cables 066° from Kanabuse se beacon.
Description.—A light-buoy, painted red, exhibiting an *occulting white* light.

(*c*) Amended depth over shoal :
Position.—At a distance of 1·7 cables 255° from Kanabuse se beacon.
Details.—A depth of 4¼ fathoms (8m7) is to be inserted on the charts in this position and the depths of 2¼ fathoms (4m1), 3¼ fathoms (5m9) and 4¼ fathoms (8m7), shown on chart No. 1578 in approximately this position, are to be deleted.

(*d*) Light-buoy established :
Position.—On the eastern side of (*c*), at a distance of 1·4 cables 253° from Kanabuse se beacon.
Description.—A light-buoy, painted red, exhibiting an *occulting white* light.

Charts affected.—No. 1578, Shimonoseki kaikyo.
„ 532, Approach to Shimonoseki kaikyo.
„ 3225, Shimonoseki kaikyo to Maruyama zaki.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kyushu and Honshū.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 1928.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 577 ; Supplement No. 7, 1923.
Authority.—H.M.S. *Foxglove*, Hyd. Note No. 7 of 1923. (*H. 210-24.*)

JAPAN—SHIMONOSEKI KAIKYO.

Hayatomo Seto—Wreck marked by Light-Buoys.

No. 71 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 176 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) Wreck :
Position.—At a distance of 4·3 cables 045½° from Moji zaki ▲.
Lat. 33° 58′ N., long. 130° 58′ E. (*approx.*).
Description.—Sunken wreck of a vessel (1924).

(*b*) Light-buoys :
(*i*) *Position.*—At a distance of 0·5 of a cable 066° from the above wreck.
Description.—A wreck-marking light-buoy, exhibiting an *occulting green* light.
(*ii*) *Position.*—At a distance of 0·4 of a cable 246° from the above wreck.
Description.—A wreck-marking light-buoy, exhibiting an *occulting green* light.

Charts affected.—No. 3114, Moji and Shimonoseki ko.
„ 1578, Shimonoseki kaikyo.
„ 532, Approach to Shimonoseki kaikyo.
„ 3225, Shimonoseki kaikyo to Maruyama zaki.
Authority.—H. M. S. *Foxglove*, Hyd. Note No. 7 of 1923. (*H. 210-24.*)

JAPAN, HOKUSHU—TSUGARU KAIKYO APPROACH.

(1) Fukuyama Light—Alteration in Characteristics.

(2) Ko Shima—Light and fog-signal established.

No. 72 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 177 of 1924), are republished :—

(1) Fukuyama light.

Position.—On Benten jima, lat. 41° 25′ N., long. 140° 05′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—**Occ.** *ev. 6 sec. 83 ft. 14* **M.**

Details.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—*Occulting white every six seconds*, thus :—
Light 3 sec., eclipse 3 sec.

Elevation.—83 feet (25^{m}3).

Visibility.—14 miles.

Structure.—White square concrete tower ; 16 feet (4^{m}9) in height.

(2) Ko Shima.

(*a*) Light :

Position.—On the north-eastern end of the island.
Lat. 41° 21′ 50″ N , long. 139° 48′ 50″ E., on chart No. 2441.

Abridged description.—**Gp. Fl.** (*3*) *ev. 30 sec., 142 ft. 18* **M.**
Characteristics :

Character.—*Group flashing white*, showing *three* flashes *every thirty seconds.*

Elevation.—142 feet (43^{m}3).

Visibility.—18 miles ; from 102°, through south, to 355°.

Structure.—White octagonal concrete tower ; 70 feet (21^{m}3) in height.

(*b*) Fog-signal :

Position.—At the above lighthouse on Ko shima.

Abridged description.—(*Siren ev. 44 sec.*).

Details.—A fog-siren, sounding *one* blast of *four seconds* duration, *every forty-four seconds.*

Charts affected.—No. 2441, Tsugaru kaikyo.
„ 3409, Ishinomaki wan and Sukata koto Tsugaru kaikyo.
„ 452, Hokushū island.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kyushu, and Shikoku, &c.
„ 2405, The Kuril islands.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific ocean, &c. (2).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 2089, 2090.
Japan Pilot, 1914, pages 675, 676.

Authority.—Tokyo (Department of Communications) Notice No. 1428 of 1923. (*H. 8800-23.*)

JAPAN, HONSHŪ—TOKYO KAIWAN.

No. 3 Fort Light—Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 73 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 178 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Northward of Kannon saki.
Lat. 35° 17′ N., long. 139° 44 E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—**Fl. R.** *ev. 4 sec., 60 ft., 12* **M.** (U).

Details.—The occulting red light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—Flashing red every four seconds.

Elevation.—60 feet (18m3).

Visibility.—12 miles.

Remarks.—The remaining characteristics are unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 3548, Tsurugi saki to Yokohama.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai saki to Tsurugi saki.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai bay.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2051.
Japan Pilot, 1911, page 199 ; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Tokyo (Department of Communications) Notice No. 1428 of 1923. (*H 8800-23.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA, GULF OF MARTABAN.

Krishna shoal—Non-existence of Wreck north-eastward of.

No. 74 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 185 of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 931 of 1923. (*This office No. 140 of 1923.*)

Position.—At a distance of about 25 miles north-eastward of the charted position of Krishna shoal light-vessel.
Lat. 15° 51′ N., long. 95° 58′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The sunken wreck of a vessel, reported in the former Notice in above position, has been searched for without success and is to be expunged from the charts accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 823, Koronge island to White point
„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang.

Authority.—Director, Royal Indian Marine. (*H. 500-24.*)

SUMATRA, NORTH-EAST COAST—ARU BAY.

Babalan Channel—Information re Light and Buoyage.

No. 75 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 187 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) Light extinguished :

Position.—On the western side of entrance to Babalan river.
Lat. 4° 05′ N., long. 98° 18′ E. (*approx.*).

Details. -The note "*Extingd. (1923)*" is to be inserted against the fixed white light in this position on the charts.

(*b*) Buoy replaced by light-buoy :

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles north-eastward of Sungi Tambigandu.

Details.—The white buoy has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted white, exhibiting an *occulting white* light *every twenty seconds*, thus :—Light 10 sec., eclipse 10 sec.

(*c*) Buoy established :

Position.—At a distance of about 9½ cables north-eastward of (*b*).
Lat. 4° 06′ 05″ N., long. 98° 18′ 54″ E., on chart No. 3586.

Description.—A black can buoy.

(*d*) Light-buoy withdrawn :

Position.—Close northward of (*c*).

Description.—A light-buoy, with occulting white light.

(*e*) Light buoy established :

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles north-eastward of (*c*).
Lat. 4° 07′ 43″ N., long. 98° 19′ 50″ E., on chart No. 3586.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

(*f*) Light-buoy withdrawn :

Position.—At a distance of about 4 cables northward of (*e*).

Description.—A light-buoy, with fixed white light.

Charts affected.—No. 3586, Aru bay.
„ 1353, Diamond point to Pulo Berhala. (*a*) (*b*) (*d*) (*e*) (*f*).
„ 2760, Achin head to Chingkuk bay. (*a*).
„ 1355, Malacca strait. (*a*).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 718.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 92.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 41 of 1924. (*H. 332-24.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—DELAGOA BAY.

Lourenco Marques Approaches—Alteration in Characteristics of lights.

No. 76 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 192 of 1924), are republished :—

(1) Cape Inhaca beacon light :

Position.—At a distance of about half a mile north-westward of Cape Inhaca lighthouse.
Lat. 25° 58′ S., long. 32° 59′ E. (*approx.*).

New abridged description.—**Fl.** *ev. sec. 70 ft. 10* **M.**

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :

Character.—*Flashing white every second*, thus :—Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 0·7 sec.

Elevation.—70 feet (21m3).

Visibility.—10 miles, from 138° through south to 198°.

(2) Ribeiro shoal light :

Position.—Lat. 25° 54′ S., long. 32° 49′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—**Gp. Fl.** (*2*) **W. R.** *ev. 6 sec., 37 ft. 11* **M.** (**U**).

Details.—The fixed light with red and green sectors has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :

Character.—*Group flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, showing *two* flashes *every five seconds*, thus :—Flash 0·25 sec., eclipse 1 sec., flash 0·25 sec., eclipse 3·5 sec.

Elevation.—37 feet (11m3).

Visibility.—11 miles.

Sectors.—*White* from 242° through west to 054° ; *Red* thence to 069° ; *White* thence to 077° ; *Red* thence to 242°.

Note.—The light is unwatched.

(3) Chefina shoal light :

Position.—Lat. 25° 56′ S., long. 32° 42′ E. (*approx*).

Abridged description.—**(U) Fl. W. R.** *ev. 5 sec. 31 ft. 10* **M.**

Details.—The fixed light with white and red sectors has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :

Character.—*Flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every five seconds*, thus :—Flash 0·5 sec., eclipse 4·5 sec.

Elevation.—31 feet (9m4).

Visibility.—10 miles.

Sectors.—*White* from 246° through west to 066° ; *Red* elsewhere.

Note.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 646, Lourenço Marques. (3).
„ 644, Delagoa bay.
„ 2089, Tugela river to Delagoa bay.
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, Nos. 56, 60, 61.
African Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 188, 193, 194.

Authority.—Lisbon Notices Nos. 53, 54 and 55 of 1923. (*H. 423, 424 & 425-24.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SULU SEA.

Tub Bataha Reefs—Non-existence of Rocks southward of.

No. 77 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 193 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 7° 58′ N., long. 119° 47′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The rock, marked "Rocks as large as boats. P. D." on chart No. 967, together with the circular danger area extending to the south-westward for a distance of about 3½ miles from the above position, does not exist and is to be expunged from the charts accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 2600*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 73.
Eastern Archipelago, Part I (*in press*).

Authority.—U. S. Government Charts. (*H. 529-24.*)

CHINA, EAST COAST—LOYUAN BAY.

Fushow Channel—Existence of shoal.

No. 78 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 200 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 4·2 cables 352° from the 150 ft. (45m7) summit of Sunset island.
Lat. 26° 24′ N., long. 119° 45′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—1½ fathoms (2m7).

Chart affected.—No. 1988, Approach to Santu inlet.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 240.

Authority.—Commander-in-Chief, China Station. (*H. 604-24.*)

CHINA, EAST COAST—CHUSAN ARCHIPELAGO.

Tinghai Harbour Approach—Decreased Depth over Shoal.

No. 79 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 201 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Northward of Sio Ju (Deer island), at a distance of one cable 074° from Tsing tio beacon.
Lat. 29° 59′ N., long. 122° 07′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—A depth of 1½ fathoms (2m7) is to be substituted for the 2¾ fathom (5m0) depth shown on the charts in this position.

Charts affected.—No. 1395, Tinghai and approaches
„ 1429, Nimrod sound to Yung river.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 309.

Authority.—Commander-in-Chief, China Station. (*H. 605-24.*)

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—QUEENSLAND.

Port Denison—Amendments to Chart re Dredged Channel.

No. 80 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 203 of 1924), are republished :—

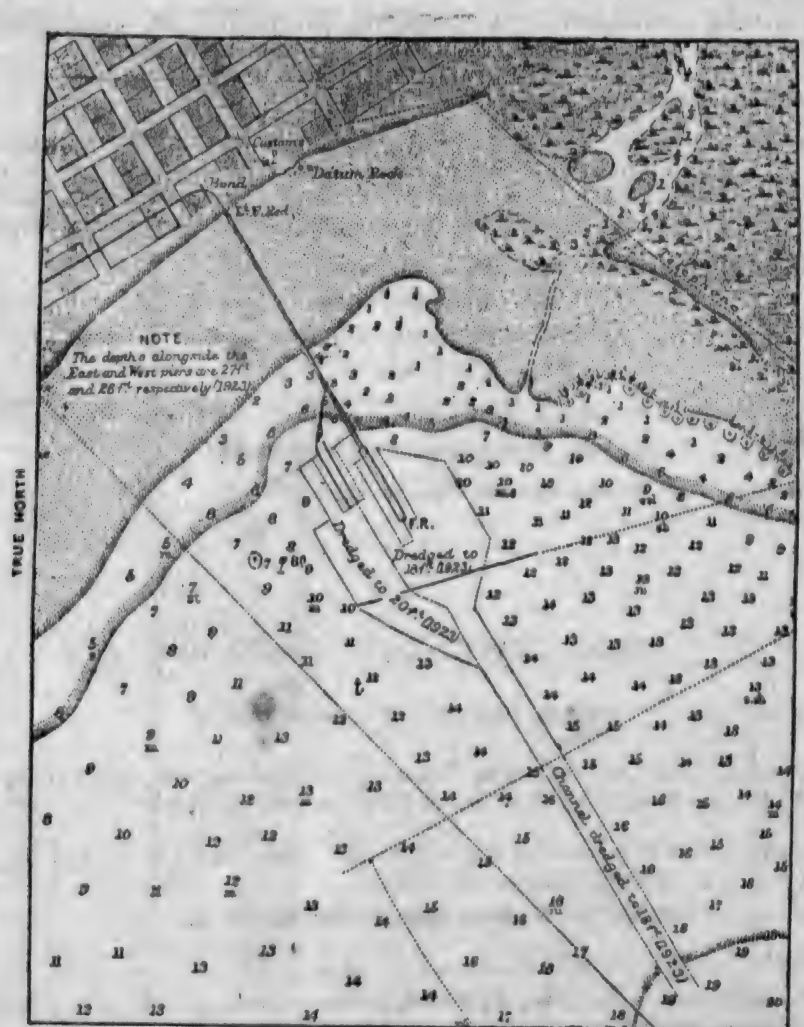
Position.—Customs, lat. 20° 01′ S., long 148° 15′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 2803, shows the necessary amendments with regard to the limits of the dredged channel in the approach to the port and depths alongside the piers.
It will be observed from the reproduction that the black buoy, formerly situated westward of the pier, has been replaced by a beacon.

Chart affected.—No. 2803, Port Denison.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. IV, 1917, page 153.

Authority.—Hydrographic Branch, Melbourne. (*H. 8815-23.*)



Reproduction of Portion of Chart No. 2803.

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NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—AUCKLAND HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Kohimarama Wharf—Alteration in Lights.

No. 81 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 207 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—On the outer end of wharf, at a distance of about 7½ cables south-eastward of Bean rocks lighthouse.
Lat. 36° 51′ S., long. 174° 50′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—2 **F. W. R.** *23 & 20 ft.*

Alteration.—The fixed white light has been replaced by the following lights :—
On western end of wharf—A *fixed white* light, at an elevation of 23 feet (7m0).
On eastern end of wharf—A *fixed red* light, at an elevation of 20 feet (6m1).

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2875*a*.
New Zealand Pilot, 1919, page 187.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 34 of 1923. (*H. 6276-23.*)

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Auckland Harbour—Light and Fog-Signal established.

No. 82 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 208 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) Light :

Position.—On the East tide deflector on southern side of harbour, at a distance of 6·0 cables 320½° from Resolution point.
Lat. 36° 50′ S., long. 174° 47′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—3 **F. R. Orange. R.** (*Vertl.*)

Character.—Three *fixed* lights, arranged vertically, thus :—*Red, orange, red.*
The upper light is at an elevation of 20 feet (6m1) and the lights are 5 feet (1m5) apart.

(*b*) Fog-signal :

Position.—At the above lighthouse.

Abridged description.—*Bell.*

Description.—A *fog-bell* rung continuously.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2881*a*.
New Zealand Pilot, 1919, page 192.

Authority.—Wellington Notices Nos. 38 and 42 of 1923. (*H. 6260 & 7110-23.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA, ARAKAN COAST.

Off Baronga Point—Disappearance of mud volcano island.

No. 83 (second publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 374 of 1923.

Subject.—The Master of the SS. "Chantala" reports that the mud island has now disappeared and that there is nothing showing above water at the position except Breakers.

Position.—Lat. 19° 40′ N., long. 93° 02½′ E.

Charts affected.—No. 1369, Mayu river to Kyauk Pyu harbour.
„ 821, Elephant Point to Cheduba strait.
„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 343.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, Notice No. 38, dated 1st March 1924.

The 1st March 1924.

INDIA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—GULF OF MANAR.

Tuticorin, Devil Point Passage—Silted up.

No. 57 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 143 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Devil point, lat. 8° 46′ N., long. 78° 11′ E. (*approx.*).

Caution.—Devils point passage, which formed the southern channel into Tuticorin harbour, has completely silted up.

Note.—The depths throughout the centre of this channel are to be expunged from the charts and the note "*Completely silted up (1923)*" is to be substituted.

Chart affected.—No. 67, Tuticorin roadstead and harbour.

Publication.—W. C. India Pilot, 1919, pages 116, 117.

Authority.—Commander-in-Chief, East Indies Station. (*H. 325-24.*)

CHINA SEA—GULF OF SIAM.

Pulo Dama—Existence of Rock.

No. 58 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 144 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—In the passage between Hon Nam Du and Hon Mok, at a distance of 2·5 cables 017° from the northern extremity of Hon Nam Du.

Lat. 9° 43′ N., long. 104° 20′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—4 feet (1^{m}2).

Note.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^{m}8) is to be inserted on the charts.

Charts affected.—No 2723, Bay island to Pulo Obi, with plan.
„ 2725, Koh Tron, etc.

Publications.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 141.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III (*in press*).

Authority.—Bangkok Notice No. 404 of 1923. (*H. 282-24.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

(*1*) *Banjak Islands, Pulo Tunangku—Shoals northward of.*

(*2*) *Tapanuli Bay Approach—Existence of shoal.*

No. 59 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 145 of 1924), are republished :—

(1) Banjak Islands, Pulo Tunangku.

Position.—Pulo Lamung, lat. 2° 16′ N., long. 97° 10′ E. (*approx.*).

Distance and bearing from northern end of Pulo Lamung.					Depth.
(*a*) 1·9	miles,	285°	...	...	... 3 fathoms (5^{m}5).
(*b*) 2·35	„	303°	...	...	... do. do.
(*c*) 3·75	„	315°	..	...	... 5 fathoms (9^{m}1).

Remarks.—The 7 fathom (12^{m}8) shoal close eastward of (*c*) is to be expunged from the charts.

(2) Tapanuli Bay Approach.

Position.—In the northern approach to Tapanuli bay, at a distance of 9·55 miles 288° from the centre of the summit of Ponchang Gedang.
Lat. 1° 45′ N., long. 98° 36′ E. (*approx.*).

Depth.—5 fathoms (9^{m}1).

Charts affected.—No. 855, Plan of Banjak islands, &c. Plan of Tapanuli bay and Pulo Mansalar.
„ 2760, Achin head to Chingkuk bay. (1) (*b*), (2).

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 340, 352.

Authority.—Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 3471-23.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

River Shangaji Entrance—Light to be established.

No. 60 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 152 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 15° 58′ S., long. 40° 09′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—A light will be established shortly in the above position having the following characteristics :—

Character.—*Flashing white every five seconds*, thus :—
Flash 0·5 sec., eclipse 4·5 sec.
Elevation.—306 feet (93^{m}3).
Visibility.—24 miles.
Structure.—Hexagonal concrete tower ; 95 feet (29^{m}0) in height.
Remarks.—Further Notice will be given.

Charts which will be affected.—No. 1810, River Zambezi to Mozambique harbour.
„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 84*b*.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 272.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 57 of 1923. (*H. 426-24.*)

AFRICA, EAST COAST—GULF OF ADEN, FRENCH SOMALILAND.

Mashah Islands—Rock reported eastward of.

No. 61 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 153 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 5¾ miles eastward of Mashah and 14·4 miles 193½° from Ras al Bir lighthouse.

Lat. 11° 44′ N., long. 43° 19′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet (1^{m}8) is to be inserted on the charts in this position. This rock is to be marked "*E. D.* (*1924*)."

Charts affected.—No. 253, Jebel Jan to Shab Kulangarit.
„ 8*e*, Red sea—sheet 5.
„ 6*b*, Gulf of Aden—western portion.
„ 1012, Arabian sea.

Publication.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1921, page 523.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 2381 of 1923. (*H. 274-24.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Bubon—Plan on Chart No. 2760 cancelled.

No. 62 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 154 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Tanjong Tuba, lat. 4° 11′ N., long. 96° 01′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The plan of Bubon on chart No. 2760 is cancelled and is to be so marked on all the existing copies. The note "(See plan)" shown in lat. 4° 07′ N., long. 95° 55′ E (*approx.*) is to be deleted from chart No. 2760.

Chart affected.—No. 2760, Achin head to Chingkuk bay, with plan.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 322.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department and Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 3598-23.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Berebes Point—Further information re charted position of.

No. 63 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 159 of 1924), are republished :-

Former Notice.—No. 1652 of 1923. (*This office No. 392 of 1923.*)

Position on chart.—Lat. 6° 48′ S., long. 109° 00′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The note "Repd. to lie one mile further North than charted. (1923)," inserted by the former Notice against Berebes point on the chart, is to be deleted. This point is correctly charted.

Chart affected.—No. 1653, Island of Java—western portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Vol. II, 1923, page 100.

Authority.—Hagne notice No. 100 of 1924. (*H. 6723-23.*)

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST.

Torres Strait, Western approach—Existence of shoals.

No. 64 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 160 of 1924), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Bramble patches, southward of Cook reef.
Lat. 10° 30′ 35″ S., long. 141° 34′ 48″ E., on chart No. 2354.

Depth.—2 fathoms (3^{m}7).

Remarks.—The 2¾ fathom (5^{m}0) depth situated close eastward of the above position on the charts, is to be expunged.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 4½ miles southward of (*a*).
Lat. 10° 35′ 00″ S., long. 141° 36′ 15″ E., on chart No. 2354.

Depth.—4¾ fathoms (8^{m}7).

Charts affected.—No. 2354, Cape Grenville to Booby island.
„ 447, Western approaches to Torres strait.
„ 2759*a*, Australia—northern portion. (*b*).

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 245.

Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome*, Hyd. note No. 4 of 1923. (*H. 419-24.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—MOZAMBIQUE HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Ilha de Goa (St. George Island)—Permanent Alteration in Character of Light.

No. 65 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 162 of 1924), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 2027 of 1923 [TEMPORARY] (*This office No. 80 of 1924*) hereby cancelled.

Position.—Near the south-eastern side of the island.

Lat. 15° 03′ S., long. 40° 47′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description.—**Gp. Fl. (4) W.R.** *ev. 10 sec. 105 ft. 16* **M.**

Details.—The temporary fixed white and red lights, referred to in the former Notice, have been replaced by a permanent light, having the following characteristics :—

Character.—*Group flashing*, with *white* and *red* sectors, showing *four* flashes *every ten seconds.*

Elevation.—105 feet (32^{m}0).

Visibility.—16 miles.

Remarks.—The limits of the sectors are the same as for the former permanent fixed light, with white and red sectors.

Charts affected.—No. 652, Mozambique harbour.
„ 653, Ports of Conducia, Mozambique, and Mokambo.
„ 1809, Mozambique harbour to Ras Pekawi.
„ 1810, River Zambezi to Mozambique harbour.
„ 2762, Comoro islands.
„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean—southern portion.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 85.

Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 278 ; Supplement No. 7, 1923.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 59 of 1923. (*H. 8225-23.*)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—GULF OF ST. VINCENT, YORKE PENINSULA.

Marion Reef—Light replaced by Light-Buoy.

No. 66 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 163 of 1924). are republished :—

(*a*) Light discontinued :

Position.—Off the south-eastern side of the reef.

Lat. 35° 10′ S., long. 137° 49′ E. (*approx.*).

Details.—The group flashing white light is to be expunged from the charts ; the light-tower has been destroyed.

(*b*) Light-buoy established :

Position.—At the site of the above lighthouse.

Description.—A black spherical light-buoy, exhibiting a *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 2·7 sec.

Charts affected.—No. 2152, Plan of Macdonnell sound and Wool bay.

„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 2349.
Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1918, page 261.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Trade and Customs) Notice No. 27 of 1923. (*H. 447-24.*)

CHINA SEA—MALAY PENINSULA.

Tringano Light—Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 67 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 164 of 1924), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 5° 21′ N., long. 103° 08′ E. (*approx.*).

Abridged description—**F.** *114 ft. 15* **M.**

Details.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a light of the same character having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—*Fixed white.*

Elevation.—114 feet (34^{m}7).

Visibility.—15 miles.

Power.—2000 candles.

Structure.—White tower ; 34 feet (10^{m}4) in height.

Note.—The note "Unreliable," shown against Tringano light on the plan affected, is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 998, Pulo Kapas to Lakon roads, with plan.
„ 1355, Malacca strait.
„ 2414, Gulf of Siam.
„ 2660*a*, China sea, southern portion—western sheet.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean—northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1923, No. 804.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 117.
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Authority.—High Commissioner, Singapore. (*H. 155-24.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA, GULF OF MARTABAN.

Moulmein River Entrance—Amended position of wreck.

No. 68 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 15M. of 1924), are republished :—

Amended position.—At a distance of about 1 mile and 4·7 cables, 335½° from Green Island light-house.

Lat. 16° 05′N.
Long. 97° 33′E. } approx.

Details.—The wreck visible above high water, marked (1921) (P.A.) on chart No. 1845, is now reported to exist in the above position and forms a conspicuous mark.

Remarks.—This wreck shown on certain charts as being on the Goodwin Sands is on the Longstones Reef.

Charts affected.—No. 1845, Moulmein River and Approaches.
„ 3481, Moulmein River to Ye River.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1921, page 489.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, H. M. S. "Cairo", Hydrographic Note No. 1, dated 30th January 1924.

E. H. MARSDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT ON THE WORKING OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES IN BENGAL FOR THE YEAR ENDING 30TH JUNE 1923.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 18TH MARCH 1924.

RESOLUTION—No. 1375 Co-op.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

READ—

The report on the working of Co-operative Societies in Bengal for the year ending 30th June 1923.

Rai J. M. Mitra Bahadur filled the post of the Registrar, Co-operative Societies, and Mr. M. Thorp, I.C.S., that of the Deputy Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Bengal, throughout the year under report. An important change of policy in the administration of the department was effected during the year in that the Government of India was moved to obtain the sanction of the Secretary of State to exclude the two superior posts, viz., those of Registrar,

Co-operative Societies, and Deputy Registrar, Co-operative Societies, from the provincial cadre of Indian Civil Service, subject to the proviso that it was left open to the Local Government to appoint to either post a member of the Indian Civil Service or the holder of a listed post should it be found desirable at any time to do so in the interests of public service. The Secretary of State's orders sanctioning the proposal were received shortly after the close of the year. The Bengal Retrenchment Committee, which submitted their report during the year under review, recommended many drastic changes both in the organisation and activities of the department. Most of these proposals, however, did not meet with the approval of Government. The only suggestion of consequence which has been accepted is the abolition of the post of Deputy Registrar, Co-operative Societies. The decision has been enforced from the 11th January 1924. The question whether the inspecting staff consisting of Sub-Deputy Collectors and outsiders should continue to depend upon the Subordinate Civil Service came up for consideration during the year. It was decided that, in the interest of the department, some Sub-Deputy Collectors were necessary, and it was considered that six would suffice. Orders have accordingly issued as a result of which all except six of the Sub-Deputy Collectors serving in the department reverted to the general line.

2. The number of Societies of all kinds increased from 6,679 to 7,822 or by 17·1 per cent. against an increase in the preceding year of 4·9 per cent, membership from 260,142 to 292,981 or by 12·6 per cent. against 7·4 per cent. in the preceding year, and working capital from 3·68 to 4·33 crores or an increase of 17·6 per cent. against 10·6 per cent. in the preceding year. These figures indicate beyond doubt that the public realise the great importance of the co-operative movement in solving such vital problems as agricultural indebtedness, agricultural improvements, revival of cottage industries and the like. It is also interesting to note that while the actual cash employed in the movement increased from 2·39 crores to 2·82 crores, the percentage thereof contributed by outsiders continues on the decrease. The development towards connecting rural finance in the co-operative societies with trade and commerce in the towns, especially Calcutta, has manifested itself more clearly, and though still of no great magnitude it reveals considerable possibilities. At the other end of the scale from the complicated transactions which this suggests is the reversion to the distribution of home-safe boxes among members of primary credit societies in the hope that, although the same process produced little or no result when first it was tried at the inception of the co-operative movement in Bengal, it may now, when the people have had 20 years' experience of societies, be more successful in encouraging thrift. As indicative of the advance that is being made the departure is noteworthy by which well-managed societies are permitted to open accounts with Central Banks on which the members of the societies may operate by means of cheques. Government hope with the Registrar that the distribution of home-safe boxes will result in an increase of thrift and that the other departures will escape the dangers which lie across the path of such innovations and will result in better business.

3. As hitherto the predominance of credit societies continues, their number being 90 per cent. of the total number of societies. Their number rose from 6,047 to 7,011, membership from 170,067 to 186,944, working capital from Rs. 1,30,80,811 to Rs. 1,48,62,021, share capital from 4·68 lakhs to 7·03 lakhs, deposits from members from 6·39 lakhs to 6·98 lakhs, and reserve fund from 18·32 lakhs to 21·63 lakhs. The collections amounted to 36·12 lakhs or 33·9 per cent. of the amount due at the beginning of the year. Government notice with alarm that repayments overdue are still so heavy and emphasize the urgent necessity of taking every possible step to reduce them.

4. The financial condition of the Central Banks as a whole is reported to have been quite sound. The tendency to convert mixed-type banks gradually into pure-type ones still prevails. Excluding the Anti-malarial

Society, Calcutta Milk Union and five industrial unions the number of Central Banks rose from 70 to 82, affiliated societies from 6,023 to 7,082, working capital from Rs. 1,30,55,375 to Rs. 1,51,25,775, deposits from non-members from Rs. 84,87,916 to Rs. 97,78,036, and reserve and other funds from Rs. 7,17,328 to Rs. 8,65,684, the proportion of fluid resources of these banks being 52·2 per cent. It is satisfactory to note that the Central Banks are gradually realising the necessity of having salaried officers in their superior executive staff. Government trust that experience will abundantly testify that the expenditure involved in such a measure is amply covered by the better working of the societies. The deplorable events connected with the misappropriation of a large sum of money by the late Honorary Secretary of the Kushtia Central Bank brought matters to such a pass that the collapse of the bank was imminent. Prompt measures were taken by the department which have averted the danger, at any rate for the present. The circular drafted by the Registrar dealing with frauds that have been detected over several years in the societies has issued none too soon, but the living interest of members in their societies is an essential in the opinion of Government to the prevention of frauds such as occurred in Kushtia.

5. The advance made during the year by the Bengal Provincial Federation, now called the Provincial Co-operative Bank, is satisfactory. Membership rose from 77 to 89, working capital from Rs. 25,41,391 to Rs. 34,73,386, reserve and other funds from Rs. 57,167 to Rs. 66,238, share capital from Rs. 3,14,925 to Rs. 3,59,900, and deposits from the public from Rs. 38,30,130 to Rs. 87,29,542, and this even though rates were reduced. Apparently the deposits received were in excess of the Bank's requirements and the surplus was invested in other Provincial Co-operative Banks. The rates on deposits are certainly not excessive, and the policy of the Bank as explained in the report appears to Government to be sound. In particular the policy of catering only for short-term loans to Central Banks and leaving them to find their long-term loans locally appears to be a wise change. The endeavour to use the Bank as a link between commercial and agricultural finance cannot but prove an interesting experiment, but it will need careful watching in its initial stages. The acknowledgments of Government are due to Raja Rishee Case Law, C.I.E., who had to retire from the Chairmanship of the Bank owing to ill-health; and to Mr. S. R. Das, the Advocate-General, who has succeeded him.

6. While the increase in the number of agricultural purchase and purchase and sale societies from 15 to 21 is certainly an indication of perseverance, with its suggestion of a promise of eventual success, Government can not share the Registrar's satisfaction at the fact that the total profits of these societies amounted to Rs. 5,910 against a loss of Rs. 326 in the preceding year, for the simple reason that, if we omit the one society in Bakarganj each year, the remainder of these societies will show in 1921-22 a loss of Rs. 2,626 and in 1922-23 a loss of Rs. 4,137. Except in regard to the Bakarganj society, the profit of which in 1921-22 was Rs. 2,330 and in 1922-23 Rs. 10,107, the figures of profit of these societies produce the opposite of a sense of satisfaction. Nor indeed do the dishonesty and violation of bye-laws, and the self-seeking spirit of members, who, learning the shopkeeping business from the store, opened rival shops of their own, and the other faults to which the Registrar refers tend to produce a feeling of satisfaction. Government are well aware of the almost insuperable difficulties that stand in the way of these societies and are pleased to think that these difficulties do not deter the department in its efforts to overcome them, but it would be misleading to express satisfaction at the financial results of 21 societies as a whole when 20 of them are so far failures financially, although one is a brilliant success. Government are glad, too, that the still greater difficulties of organising jute sale societies have not yet disheartened the department. Judging from references in Council there is a strong desire amongst the representatives of the people to see such societies successfully established, and if the department succeeds in overcoming the

peculiar difficulties due to the speculative element in the trade and the fluctuation of prices it will achieve a notable success. The organisation for the purchase of good seeds, especially jute seeds, is another line in which Government think eventual success by the department would be held to be meritorious.

7. Government view with genuine pleasure the striking progress made in the organisation of irrigation societies. The success already attained by some of these in preventing the loss of crops is very gratifying and Government agree that their possibilities can hardly be exaggerated. The number of these societies increased from 29 to 114, of which 66 are in Bankura and 45 in Birbhum, membership from 1,318 to 4,689 and working capital from Rs. 12,626 to Rs. 77,658. Government are glad to learn from the Registrar that the spread of this movement in Bankura and Birbhum is due largely to the Collectors, Messrs. G. S. Dutt and Blackwood, and their assistants, but they are equally pleased to learn that several non-official gentlemen too rendered invaluable assistance. As an example of self-help these societies stand out by themselves, and the department may rest assured that Government will treat most sympathetically any proposals to render development on these lines more rapid and more secure.

8. It is also a matter of congratulation that some headway has been made in the formation of Co-operative Agricultural Associations with their great possibilities for ameliorating the condition of the cultivating classes. The increase in the number of these societies from 4 to 11 is not unsatisfactory.

9. The solid progress of the Milk Societies reported by the Registrar is very encouraging. The number of these societies increased from 47 to 52. The efforts to extend the field of operations to greater distances from Calcutta and to pasteurise milk locally before bringing it to Calcutta as well as the proposals to maintain pedigree bulls in different centres will be watched with interest.

10. In spite of the devastating flood with which the locality was visited during the year under report, the Naogaon Ganja Cultivators' Co-operative Society, Limited, appears to have maintained its good record, its total membership increasing from 3,021 to 3,22[illegible], share capital from Rs. 30,830 to Rs. 33,710, and deposits from non-members from Rs. 70,632 to Rs. 1,08,210. The society is to be particularly congratulated on the continued investment of part of its profits in schemes of public utility, such as charitable dispensaries, veterinary dispensaries, primary and secondary schools, re-construction of embankments and roads, etc. Government join with the Registrar in his expression of regret at the loss of the services of Khan Bahadur Ata-ur-Rahman who was the first Deputy Chairman of the society and had conducted its affairs with conspicuous success.

11. It would appear from the report that the stores and supplies societies are steadily on the decline, and Government consider that the Registrar's analysis of the situation is quite correct and that the societies are finding it increasingly difficult successfully to compete with professional traders, as pre-war conditions are gradually re-establishing themselves. Yet since stores and supplies societies do succeed in other countries it cannot but be probable that the real cause of failure is the disloyalty of the members, which the Registrar emphasizes, and the dishonesty of the staff which he is taking measures to correct. Government earnestly trust that the Stores Manual now under preparation will indicate with success the necessary safeguards against dishonesty.

12. The capitalistic spirit of certain of its members which has forced the Registrar to cancel the registration of the Dacca conch-shell workers is greatly to be deplored. Apparently the society's financial success—profits

rising from Rs. 481 to Rs. 18,024—induced its members to become exclusive, and the society acted towards the numerous *bona fide* and eligible conch-shell workers who wished to join somewhat as a mahajan wishing to retain all profits for himself. It is to be hoped that the society will be reconstructed satisfactorily.

13. The number of weavers' societies rose from 120 to 142, membership from 1,677 to 1,882, and working capital from Rs. 54,629 to Rs. 62,754. The question of supplying cheap electric power to weaving centres in rural areas is being investigated by the departments of co-operation and of industries. Bagerhat Weaving Union at Kandapara is a society the working of of which will be watched with great interest.

14. Government are awaiting the Registrar's report on the reorganisation of the Bengal Co-operative Organisation Society so as to extend its scope and utility.

15. It is disappointing to note that, while considerable headway has been made in other provinces in initiating co-operative housing schemes, nothing has yet been done in this direction in Bengal. In view of the housing difficulty in Calcutta, the problem is becoming more and more important. It is hoped that Rai J. M. Mitra Bahadur, who has studied the problem in Bombay, may, on his return from England, be able to contribute to the solution of this problem.

16. The thanks of Government are due to Rai J. M. Mitra Bahadur for his efficient administration of the department and his interesting report. Government join with the Registrar in acknowledging the services of Mr. Thorp. The names of the other officers of the department commended for good work are noted with pleasure. Government are also grateful to the district officers who are reported to have helped the movement in their respective jurisdiction.

By order of the Government of Bengal
(Ministry of Agriculture and Public Works),

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (*offg.*).

BOARD OF CONTROL FOR APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING IN BENGAL.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES.

Industries.

CALCUTTA, THE 18TH MARCH 1924.

RESOLUTION—No. 1372Ind.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

READ—

(1) Resolution by the Government of Bengal, Agriculture and Industries Department, No. 30T.—Ind., dated the 10th June 1921.

(2) Resolution by the Government of Bengal, Agriculture and Industries Department, No. 638Ind., dated the 11th February 1922.

READ ALSO—

Letter No. 2661—38T., dated the 11th September 1923, from the Secretary to the Board of Control for Apprenticeship Training in Bengal.

By the resolution of the 10th June 1921, cited in the preamble, a Board of Control for Apprenticeship Training in Bengal was constituted with twelve members holding office for a period of three years, and by the resolution of the 11th February 1922 the number of members of the Board was raised to fourteen. The Government of Bengal (Ministry of Agriculture and Public Works) have since decided further to increase the number of members constituting the Board to fifteen to admit of a representative of the Assam-Bengal Railway being appointed to the Board. They are accordingly pleased to appoint the Loco. Superintendent of the Railway as a member of the Board who will hold office up to 9th June 1924.

By order of the Government of Bengal
(Ministry of Agriculture and Public Works),

J. T. DONOVAN,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 15th March 1924.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
9th March ...	7 A.M.	6·7	6·7	6·4	Zero is placed at mean sea level.
10th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·6	6·6	6·2	
11th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·8	6·8	6·0	The bench mark for this gauge is marked on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat at Goalundo.
12th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·6	6·6	5·7	
13th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·5	6·5	5·7	
14th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·4	6·4	5·7	
15th ,, ...	7 ,,	6·3	6·3	5·9	

Highest water level of the year	...	... 24·1.
Lowest water level of the year	...	... 5·7.
Highest recorded flood ...	...	... 24·1 on the 15th and 16th August 1923.
Previous highest recorded flood	...	... 25·75 on the 28th August 1906 and 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Lowest recorded water-level	...	... 5·7 on the 13th, 14th, 28th and 29th March 1923.
Previous recorded low water-level	...	... 1·0 on the 9th February 1914.

N.B. - The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

B. B. MUKHERJEE, *Subdivisional Officer,*

RAJBARI, *the 17th March 1924.* *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 15th March 1924.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero of P.W.D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1924.					
9th March ...	7 A.M.	38·10	38·10	36·85	P. W. D. datum 6·25 feet above Kidderpur old dock sill.
10th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·05	38·05	36·90	
11th ,, ...	7 ,,	38·00	38·00	37·00	
12th ,, ...	7 ,,	37·95	37·95	37·05	B. M. on Rajshahi College step 64·93.
13th ,, ...	7 ,,	37·95	37·95	37·00	
14th ,, ...	7 ,,	37·95	37·95	36·95	Value of zero = 0·00 P. W. D.
15th ,, ...	7 ,,	37·90	37·90	36·90	

				Old value.	According to P. W. Datum.
The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	on 27th August 1923	... 64·05
Do.	...	Lowest ,,	...	on 4th May 1923	... 35·80
Record	...	Highest ,,	...	69·25 on 26th August 1870	... 64·44
Do	...	Ditto ,,	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 64·27
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906	... 63·47
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890	... 63·40
Do.	...	Lowest ,,	...	37·68 on 25th April 1881	... 32·82
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	...	38·18 on 14th and 15th April 1883	... 33·32
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	...	39·02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	... 34·21
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	...	39·28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	... 34·47
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	...	on 9th May 1922	... 34·70

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

G. B. MONDAL, *Subdivisional Officer,*

RAMPUR BOALIA, *the 15th March 1924.* *I. D., Jangipur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 15th March 1924.

Date	At 7 A.M	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER		At 5 P.M	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings	Time.	Readings.		
1924.							
9th Mar.	52·4	15-15	53·5	9-10	52·1	52 85	H. T. at 18-29. F. T. at 9-20.
10th „ ...	52·5	16-10	53·3	10 5	52·2	53 25	H. T. at 16-20. F. T. at 10-17.
11th „ ...	53·35	17-0	53·7	11-0	52·35	53 7	H. T. at 17-8. F. T. at 11-13.
12th „ ...	53·0	17-55	53·4	12 10	52·05	53 0	H. T. at 18-4. F. T. at 12-18.
13th „ ...	52·4	Dark		13-0	51·8	52·8	H. T. at F. T. at-13-10.
14th „ ...	52 5	6 hrs.	53 0	13-45	51·55	52·65	H. T. at 6-10. F. T. at 13 57.
15th „ ...	52 8	6·40	52·8	14-30	51·4	52·4	H. T. at 7-3. F. T. at 14-40.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

High				Low			
27th August	1906	... 70·5	Taken at high tide.	23rd February	1907	... 51·06	Taken at low tide.
5th September	1909	... 67 86		18th „	1908	... 51·06	
10th August	1910	... 69 86		12th March	1912	... 51 06	
1st „	1911	... 68 46		6th „	1914	... 50 60	
18th „	1912	... 67 16		22nd February	1915	... 50 80	
31st „	1915	... 69·7		15th „	1916	... 50 60	
18th „	1916	... 68·1		3rd March	1917	... 51·0	
12th „	1917	... 67 1		21st February	1918	... 51·40	
31st „	1918	... 68 19		26th „	1919	... 50·4	
2nd „	1919	... 66 8		18th „	1920	... 50·9	
8th September	1920	... 66·9		19th „	1921	... 50 9	
28th July	1921	... 68 4		8th March	1922	... 51 05	
10th August	1922	... 68·00					

N B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca water-works = −48 51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

S. C. MAZUMDAR, *Executive Engineer,*
Khulna Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd March 1924.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 19th March 1924.

Summary.—The weather continued dry. Agricultural operations for jute and paddy are being retarded for want of rain. Harvesting of *rabi* crops still continues. Prospects of standing crops are fair. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 0·54 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas ...	Nil	6½	$6\frac{8}{17}$	Effects of weather on crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8⅛	8⅛	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Baraset ...	Nil	7¼	$7\frac{12}{13}$	
	Basirhat ...	(a)	(a)	8	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and cultivation of *bhadoi* crops continue. Rain is very badly wanted. Stock of rice is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Sadar and Ranaghat.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7	7	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7¼	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	8	8	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	7¼	7¼	Prospects of the standing crops are poor in the Lalbagh subdivision and fair elsewhere. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of *rabi* crops continue. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thanas Mirzapur and Shamserganj in Jangipur subdivision. Scarcity of water is being felt in Nabagram and Bhagawangola in Lalbagh and in some places in Jangipur subdivision. No large export or import.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8¼	8½	
	Kandi ...	(a)	(a)	8 to 8¼	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Ploughing of lands for the sowings of jute and paddy is going on. Rain is wanted for cultivation. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient but water is insufficient. No import or export. Cattle-disease is reported from Duma in Gaighata thana in Bongaon.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	9	
	Magura ...	Nil	9¼	9¼	
	Narail ...	Nil	10	10	
	Bongaon ...	Nil	9	9	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather sultry.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

(a) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8	Effects of weather on the crops are beneficial. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Pressing of sugarcane is going on. Stock of rice is sufficient. Fodder and water are sufficient. Export and import of rice continue as usual.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7	7	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kalna ...	Nil	(*n*)	7½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane continues. Fodder and stock of rice are sufficient, but water is insufficient. Cattle-disease exists.
	Rampurhat ...	Nil	7¾	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8⅛	8	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane continues. State of standing crops is good. Export of rice and paddy continues.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	8	8	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	8½	8½	Transplantation of *boro* paddy, sowing of *rabi* til, planting of sugarcane and manuring of fields in some places are going on. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Ramnagar thana.
	Contai ...	Nil	9	9	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8	8⅞	
	Jhargram ...	Nil	8	7	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	6½	6¾	Weather seasonable. Rain is urgently needed. Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	6¾	7	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8½	8½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Harvesting of *rabi* crops continues. Rain is wanted for agricultural operations.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	7	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA). ...	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Drought is apprehended in Natore subdivision. Fodder is sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8	8½	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7 1/16	7⅛	Fodder and water are plenty. Cattle-disease is reported from Patuatola police-station.
	Thakurgaon ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8	8	
14	JALPAIGURI ...	0·35	7	7	Condition and prospects of standing crops are good.
	Alipur ...	Nil	6	7½	
15	DARJEELING ...	0·18	5	5	Maize and potatoes are thriving. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	6	
	Siliguri	0·02	6½	6½	
	Kalimpong ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	5½	

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	6½	6½	Rain is badly wanted. Sowings of jute and autumn paddy are being retarded for want of rain. Cattle-disease is reported from Gaibandha, Palashbari, Badarganj and Govindaganj. Fodder and water are not sufficient.
	Nilphamari ...	Nil	6½	6½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	6	6½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6	6	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Rain is needed for the sowing of jute and *aus* paddy. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are bad.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	6½	6½	Rain is badly wanted. Fodder and water are adequate. Stock of food-grains is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *rabi* crops has commenced. Prospects of *boro* paddy are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7 7/16	7 7/16	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *bitri* paddy is going on and that of jute has commenced in places in Dinhata. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is still lingering in the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	7	7½	Weather hot and dry. Ploughing and sowing are held up for want of rain. Harvesting of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Narayanganj ...	Nil	8	8½	
	Munshiganj (*a*)	(*n*)	7½	7½	
22	MYMENSINGH ...	Nil	7	7	Weather hot. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cultivation for *aus* paddy and jute is still going on. Fodder and water are available. Cattle-disease is reported from various places in Sadar subdivision.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6⅝	6⅝	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj ...	Nil	7	7	

(*a*) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	8	8	Cultivation of lands for jute and paddy continues. Harvesting of *rabi* crops is going on. Prospects and state of the standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	Nil	7½	7½	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	9	9	
	Gopalganj (*a*) ...	Nil	9	9	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	8	8 7½†	Weather hot and cloudy. Rain is badly needed. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	8	8	
	Dakshin Shahbazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7½	8	
25	Chittagong ...	Nil	7 6½*	7 6½*	Harvesting of *rabi* crops and cultivation of *pania aus* crops are in progress. Prospects of standing *rabi* crops are fair. Water and fodder are sufficient. *Panga* salt is selling at 11 and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	7½	7½	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	Weather hot. Rain is badly wanted. Ploughing of lands for jute and *aus* paddy has commenced. Prospects of standing crops are unfavourable at Brahmanbaria but good elsewhere. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Brahmanbaria.
	Brahmanbaria	Nil	6⅔	6⅔	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7½†	7½†	
27	Noakhali ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	8	8	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	Tripura State	Nil	7	7	*Jhoom* clearing continues. Prospects of standing crops are fair Cattle disease prevails in one division. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cleaned cotton sells at Rs. 30 to Rs. 40 and jute at Rs. 7 to Rs. 8 per maund.

* Burma rice. † Old.

(*a*) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. C. Roy, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, *the 22nd March 1924.*

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Monthly Weather and Crop Report of Bengal for February 1924.

I. **Character of the season.**—The weather continued to be dry and the rainfall during the month was too light and scattered to be of any material benefit to the standing crops. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. **Progress of agricultural operations.**—Harvesting of the early spring crops was completed and that of the late varieties continued. Preparation of fields for jute and paddy and their sowings were proceeding in the low-land tracts of Eastern Bengal, but the progress of the operations was slow for want of rain.

III. **State of standing crops.**—The standing vegetables and other spring crops were in fair condition. Some rain at this stage would benefit their growth.

IV. **Prospects and probable outturn.**—The prospects of the different spring crops were not reported to be hopeful owing to protracted drought and their outturn including wheat appears to be below the normal.

V. **Damage to standing crops.**—Considerable damage was done to the standing spring crops by continued drought throughout the province.

VI. **Condition of agricultural stock.**—The condition of agricultural stock was reported to be fair. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease were, however, reported from ten districts.

VII. **Failure of pasturage and fodder.**—No insufficiency of fodder was reported from any part of the province with the exception of Nadia.

VIII. **Prices of food-grains.**—During the second fortnight of the month under review the prices of common rice of the cheapest varieties rose in two districts, fell in two and remained stationary in the rest. It ranged from 9 seers per rupee at Jessore, Burdwan, Midnapore and Bakarganj to 6½ seers at Rangpur.

IX. **Condition of agricultural population.**—The condition of agricultural population continued to be fair.

R. S. FINLOW,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal (offg.).

DACCA, *the 21st March 1924.*

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during February 1924.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of February.	Actual district rainfall for the month of February.	Variation from the normal.	Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of February.	Actual district rainfall for the month of February.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency	24-Parganas	1·16	0·15	−1·01	Rajshahi—*concld.*	Rangpur	0·64	0·05	−0·59
	Calcutta	1·10	0·68	−0·42		Bogra	0·72	0·19	−0·53
	Nadia	0·98	0·09	−0·89		Pabna	0·79	0·26	−0·53
	Murshidabad	0·76	0·09	−0·67		Malda	0·79	0·12	−0·67
	Jessore	1·21	0·72	−0·49					
	Khulna	1·23	0·43	−0·80					
Burdwan	Burdwan	1·09	0·10	−0·99	Dacca	Dacca	1·09	0·15	−0·94
	Birbhum	0·73	0·11	−0·62		Mymensingh	0·81	0·18	−0·63
	Bankura	1·02	0·14	−0·88		Faridpur	1·12	0·30	−0·82
	Midnapore	1·10	0·30	−0·80		Bakarganj	1·12	0·31	−0·81
	Hooghly	1·16	0·21	−0·95					
	Howrah	1·29	0·45	−0·84					
Rajshahi	Rajshahi	0·65	0·69	+0·04	Chittagong	Chittagong	0·68	0·92	+0·24
	Dinajpur	0·68	0·10	−0·58		Tippera	1·08	0·35	−0·73
	Jalpaiguri	0·89	0·08	−0·81		Noakhali	0·99	0·75	−0·24
	Darjeeling	1·00	0·55	−0·45		Chittagong Hill Tracts.	0·75	1·42	+0·67
						Cooch-Behar	0·71	0·04	−0·67
						Tripura State	1·24	0·79	−0·45

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN BENGAL

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas	Sangar Island ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Diamond Harbour.	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Budge-Budge ...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	1·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Canning Town...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipore ...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·53	1·10	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barrackpore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dum-Dum ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barasat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Basirhat ...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gosaba ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nadia ...	Ranaghat ...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	0·04	0·02	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Krishnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chuadanga ...	...	...	...	0·14	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Meherpur ...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haringhata ...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad.	Kandi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Berhampore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalbagh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Azimganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jangipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalgola ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Akriganj (*Maricha*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pachakari ...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumkal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kallyanganj (*Ishanpur*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore ...	Narail ...	...	...	...	1·12	0·26	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore ...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·38	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jhenida ...	...	...	...	0·12	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Magura ...	...	...	...	0·30	0·20	...	...	0·12	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bongaon ...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khulna ...	Satkhira ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagerhat ...	...	...	...	0·12	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nakipur ...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumuria ...	...	...	0·20	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rampal ...	...	...	...	0·20	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliroa ...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Paikgachha ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mollahat ...	...	...	...	1·90	0·39	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Morelganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
BURDWAN.	Burdwan	Kalna ...	...	...	...	0·38	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Burdwan ...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·04	...	...	0·09	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Katwa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Asansol ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mankar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mangalkot ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Royna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Monteswar* ...																				
	Birbhum	Suri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hetampur* ...																				
		Rampurhat ...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bolpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Murarai ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Labpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bankura	Bankura ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Vishnupur ...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mallara* ...																				
		Khatra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Indas ...	...	...	...	0·04	0·02	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kotalpur* ...																				
		Onda* ...																				
		Ganajalghati...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raipur ...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sonamukhi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Taldangra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saranga* ...																				
		Indpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Arhra ...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barjora ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Simlapal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mejia* ...																				
		Sitomanipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palasdanga* ...																				
		Chatna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ranibandh ...	...	...	...	0·32	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saltora ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joypur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ambikanagar* ...																				
		Jairampur (*Radhanagar*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Rain-gauge is out of order.

FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 1924.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st December 1923 to 29th February 1924.	Normal rainfall from 1st December 1923 to 29th February 1924.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·6	0·08	1·12	0·07	0·51	1·66	Saugor Island ...	24-Parganas	PRESIDENCY.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·1	0·02	1·50	0·02	0·34	2·03	Diamond Harbour.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·1	0·21	1·37	0·17	1·53	2·08	Budge-Budge.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·3	Nil	0·84	Nil	0·10	1·31	Canning Town.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·6	0·68	1·10	0·43	1·11	1·71	Alipore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·9	0·32	1·24	0·32	0·32	2·02	Barrackpore.		
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	Nil	1·12	Nil	0·28	1·78	Dum-Dum.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·0	Nil	1·28	Nil	1·32	2·01	Baraset.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	0·09	1·03	0·05	0·33	1·89	Basirhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·10	(a)	0·10	0·66	(a)	Gosaba.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·8	0·0	1·21	0·04	0·08	1·79	Ranaghat ...	Nadia ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	0·03	1·20	0·03	0·03	1·75	Krishnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·20	1·11	0·14	0·40	1·85	Chuadanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·11	1·03	0·11	0·59	1·54	Meherpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	0·04	0·96	0·04	0·38	1·43	Kushtia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	0·07	0·55	0·04	0·12	0·73	Harinaghata.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	Nil	1·7	0·06	0·92	0·06	0·55	1·44	Kandi ...	Murshidabad.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	Nil	0·88	Nil	Nil	1·36	Berhampore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	0·03	0·70	0·03	0·03	1·14	Lalbagh.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	1	1·6	0·20	0·71	0·17	0·28	1·23	Azimganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	1	1·6	0·26	0·71	0·21	0·26	1·28	Jangipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·4	0·11	0·85	0·11	0·11	1·43	Lalgola.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	Nil	1·5	0·01	0·88	0·01	0·01	1·15	Akriganj (*Maricha*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·5	0·23	0·68	0·10	0·89	0·98	Patkabari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0·70	Nil	0·07	1·17	Dumkal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	Nil	1·9	0·05	0·82	0·05	0·28	1·31	Kallyanganj (*Ishanpur*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·0	1·41	1·24	1·13	1·56	1·93	Narail ...	Jessore ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·9	1·20	1·34	0·88	1·42	1·90	Jessore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·22	1·23	0·12	0·26	1·79	Jhenida.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·9	0·64	1·09	0·30	1·39	1·62	Magura.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·15	1·17	0·10	0·15	1·78	Bougaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·8	Nil	1·08	Nil	0·07	1·68	Satkhira ...	Khulna ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	3	1·8	0·44	1·16	0·22	0·78	1·85	Basirhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·9	0·11	1·11	0·10	0·16	1·79	Khulna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·0	0·43	1·43	0·29	0·85	2·15	Kaligani.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·4	0·40	1·00	0·25	0·48	1·37	Nakipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·1	0·50	1·51	0·30	0·63	1·80	Jamuria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·9	0·36	1·24	0·20	0·60	1·60	Rampal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·9	0·06	0·99	0·06	0·15	1·59	Kaliroa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·0	Nil	1·29	Nil	0·13	2·00	Paikgachha		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·1	2·47	1·40	1·90	1·97	1·93	Mollahat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·0	0·35	1·46	0·35	0·75	2·10	Moreiganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·1	Nil	1·25	Nil	Nil	1·64	Tala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·44	1·14	0·30	0·61	1·70	Kalna ...	Burdwan ...	BURDWAN.
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	Nil	1·8	0·20	1·25	0·09	0·34	1·78	Burdwan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	Nil	1·09	Nil	Nil	1·63	Katwa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	Nil	1·6	0·07	1·03	0·05	0·33	1·61	Asansol.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0·92	Nil	0·11	1·49	Mankar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·1	Nil	0·85	Nil	Nil	0·74	Mangalkot.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	Nil	1·13	Nil	Nil	1·14	Royna.		
										2·4		1·51			1·51	Monteswar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	Nil	1·8	0·05	0·86	0·05	0 95	1·34	Suri ...	Birbhum ...	
										1·7		0·91			1·54	Hetampur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	2	1·7	0·51	0·79	0·25	0·87	1·37	Rampurhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·5	Nil	0·72	Nil	Nil	1·19	Bolpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0·59	Nil	Nil	1·00	Muraral.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0·84	Nil	Nil	0·89	Labpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·9	0·24	1·04	0·24	0·48	1·68	Bankura ...	Bankura ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·21	1·31	0·17	0·31	1·73	Vishnupur.		
										1·8		0·96			1·56	Mallara.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·39	1·09	0·36	0·90	1·72	Khatra.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	0·16	1·00	0·07	0·24	0·58	Indas.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		1·5		1·10			1·57	Kotalpur.		
										1·8		1·06			1·46	Onda.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	0·05	0·88	0·05	0·26	1·40	Gangajalghati.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·24	1·27	0·11	1·70	1·92	Raipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·11	1·21	0·11	0·11	1·74	Sonamukhi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0·84	Nil	0·05	1·17	Taldangra.		
										1·2		0·79			1·19	Saranga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·0	Nil	0·67	Nil	0·20	1·17	Indpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	0·10	(a)	0·05	0·29	(a)	Arura.		
...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	0 06	(a)	0·04	0·37	(a)	Barjora.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	(a)	Nil	0·20	(a)	Sirulpal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		(a)		(a)			(a)	Mejia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·38	(a)	0·34	0·45	(a)	Siromanipur.		
										(a)		(a)			(a)	Palasdanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	(a)	Nil	0·42	(a)	Chatna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(a)	0·49	(a)	0·32	1·35	(a)	Ranibandh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·18	(a)	0·18	0·35	(a)	Saltora.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	(a)	Nil		(a)	Joypur.		
										(a)		(a)			(a)	Ambikanagar		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	(a)	Nil	Nil	(a)	Jaframpur (*Radhanagar*).		

(a) Not ascertained.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN BENGAL

DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN—*contd.*	Midnapore	Contai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tamluk	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore	...	...	...	0·10	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ghatal	...	...	...	0·14	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kukrahati	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amlagora	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panskura	...	...	...	0·55	0·10	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dantan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandrakona*	...																			
		Pachet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhagwanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Keshiary	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	0·09	...	1·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nayabasan*	...																			
		Silda (*Belpahari*).	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kharagpur*	...																			
		Goaltore	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Salboni	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narayangarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Heuria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jenka (*Khajri*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nandigram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Moyna*	...																			
		Pingla	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narajole	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kolabat (*Datnan*)	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ballachak	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jhargram	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hooghly ...	Serampore	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hooghly	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Arambagh	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	Howrah	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	2·59	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohesraka	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Uluberia	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amta	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI.	Boalia ...	Boalia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nator	...	...	...	...	0·34	...	...	0·09	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Naugaon	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	0·08	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bilmaria*	...																			
		Manda	...	...	...	2·20	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahadebpur	...	...	...	0·15	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tanor	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chaugram	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joari*	...																			
	Dinajpur	Nithpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
		Gangarampur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
		Churamon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Balurghat	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Thakurgaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Setalganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj*	...																			
		Atwari	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Birganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Parbatipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipur Duars	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Falakata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Debiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhagatpur* (*Nagrakata*).																				
		Buxa	...	...	...	...	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalchini*	...																			
		Kumargram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darjeeling	Siliguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	0·01	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalimpong	...	...	...	...	0·73	...	0·02	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mongpoo	...	...	...	...	0·61	...	0·04	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurseong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pedong	...	...	...	...	0·41	0·04	0·11	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jalapahar	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	0·01	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangpur	Bhawaniganj (*Gaibandha*).	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurigaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gobindganj	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagdogra (*Nilphamari*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ulipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sundarganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saidpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bogra ...	Sherpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nowkhilla*	...																			
		Bogra	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panchbibi	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Adetial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pabna ...	Shahzadpur	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sirajganj	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	0·02	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 1924—*contd.*

31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st December 1923 to 29th February 1924.	Normal rainfall from 1st December 1923 to 29th February 1924.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	Nil	1·99	Nil	Nil	2·01	Contai ...	Midnapore	BURDWAN—*contd.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·8	Nil	1·17	Nil	0·24	1·75	Tamluk.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·9	0·16	1·14	0·10	0·25	1·93	Midnapore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·6	0·21	0·95	0 14	0·21	1·53	Ghatal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·7	0·38	1·19	0 27	0·57	1·77	Kukrahati.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·7	0·27	1·13	0·14	1·39	1·73	Amlagora.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·8	0·75	1.18	0·55	1·56	1·86	Panskura.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·9	Nil	1·19	Nil	0·95	1·80	Dantan.		
										1·4		1·07			1·77	Chandrakona.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·2	0·81	0·95	0·81	2·33	1·20	Pachet.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·5	Nil	1·08	Nil	1·04	1·50	Bhagwanpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·0	1·10	1·17	1·01	1·81	1 84	Kashiary.		
										0·9		0·66			1·19	Nayabasan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·9	0·08	1·05	0 05	0·28	1·63	Bilda (*Belpahari*).		
										(a)		(a)			(a)	Kharagpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·7	0·47	0·82	0·33	0·97	1·41	Goaltore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·5	0·16	0·88	0·11	0·93	1·21	Salboni.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·30	0·89	0·30	0·80	2·00	Narayangarh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·5	0·60	0·98	0·60	0·62	1·26	Ramnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·0	0·36	0·93	0·36	1·15	1·22	Mohanpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·8	Nil	0·81	Nil	0·50	1·08	Hontia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·6	0·40	0·83	0·40	0·60	1·14	Jenka (*Khajri*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·3	Nil	0·99	Nil	Nil	1·38	Nandigram.		
										1·9		1·49			1·60	Moyna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·9	0·41	2·25	0·41	0·68	2·45	Pingla.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·8	0·50	1·50	0·30	2·05	1·97	Narajole		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	0·08	(a)	0·08	0·81	(a)	Kolahat (*Datnan*)		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·11	(a)	0·11		(a)	Baichbak.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·26	(a)	0·26	0·48	(a)	Jhargram.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·0	0·09	1·21	0·04	0·20	1·80	Serampore ...	Hooghly ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·22	1·21	0·17	0·62	1·85	Hooghly.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·7	0·32	1·07	0·13	0·64	1·64	Arambagh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·08	1·11	0·59	1·20	1·72	Howrah ...	Howrah ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·21	1·44	0·21	1·69	2·10	Mobesreka.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·5	0·27	1·11	0·14	1·32	1·80	Uluberia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·8	0·65	1·49	0·35	0·95	2·19	Amta.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·5	0·05	0·56	0 05	0·13	1·01	Boalia ...	Boalia ..	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·5	0·46	0·74	0·24	0·55	1·30	Nator.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·4	0·39	0·71	0·25	0·84	1·16	Nangaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...		1·5		0·78			1·22	Bilmaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·2	2·27	0·57	2·30	2·40	1·03	Mauda.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	2·15	...	...	2	1·2	0·33	0·57	0·15	0·23	1·16	Mahadebpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·4	0·34	0·52	0·34	0·34	1·21	Tanor.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	1·00	(a)	1·00	1·25	(a)	Changram.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		(a)		(a)			(a)	Joarl.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·3	Nil	0·91	Nil	Nil	1·54	Nitipur ...	Dinajpur ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	Nil	0·41	Nil		0·56	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	Nil	1·5	0·08	0 73	0·08	0·08	0·53	Gangarampur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0 43	Nil	Nil	1·09	Churamon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	1	1·2	0·21	0·57	0·21	0·21	1·04	Raiganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	1	1·2	0·18	0·57	0·10	0·23	0·96	Dinajpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·3	0·17	0·70	0·17	0·17	1·15	Balurghat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	1	1·4	0 15	0 74	0·13	0·18	1·09	Thakurgaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	1	1·7	0·18	0·84	0·13	0·83	0·86	Patnbganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		1·4		0·75			0·95	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·1	0·10	0·64	0·10	0·30	0·40	Atwari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	1	1·5	0·20	0·75	0·20	0·20	1·04	Bingan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·3	Nil	0·77	Nil	Nil	0·92	Parbatipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·2	Nil	0·86	Nil	Nil	1·08	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	0·09	0·75	0·09	0·09	1·22	Alipur Duars.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	·83	Nil	0·30	1·04	Falakata.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0·79	Nil	0·70	1·19	Debiganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		2·2		0·93			1·79	Bhagatpur (*Nagrakata*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·2	0·42	1·15	0·42	0·60	2·80	Buxa.		RAJSHAHI.
										2·4		1·09			1·62	Kalchini.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·2	Nil	1·10	Nil	0·02	1·82	Kumargram.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·6	Nil	0·70	Nil	0·45	1·20	Siliguri ...	Darjeeling .	
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	1	2·6	0·86	1·10	0·60	0·87	1·89	Darjeeling.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·1	0·77	0·84	0·73	0·88	1·72	Kalimpong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·5	0·78	1·09	0·61	1·49	2·01	Mungpoo.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·4	Nil	1·12	Nil	Nil	2·09	Kurseong.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	2	2·1	0·61	1·15	0·41	1·01	2·33	Pedong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	1	(a)	0·86	(a)	0·80	0·95	(a)	Jalapahar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	0·09	0·70	0·05	0·09	1·13	Bhawaniganj (*Gobandha*).	Rangpur ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	Nil	1·3	0·06	0·69	0·05	0·06	1·09	Rangpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	1	1·1	0·16	0·85	0·10	0·16	1·11	Pirganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·1	Nil	0·58	Nil	Nil	1·06	Kurigaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·2	0·13	0·66	0·13	0·13	0·93	Gobindganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0·66	Nil	Nil	1·10	Bagdogra (*Nilphamari*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·2	Nil	0·56	Nil	0·03	0·86	Ulipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·1	Nil	0·51	Nil	Nil	0·81	Sundarganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·2	Nil	0·59	Nil	Nil	0·73	Saidpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0·75	Nil	0·33	1·28	Sherpur ...	Bogra ...	
										1·4		0·82			1·32	Nowkhilla.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	1	1·7	0·23	0·78	0·10	0·25	1·25	Bogra.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·3	0·50	0·89	0·50	0·50	1·31	Panchbibi.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	Nil	1·3	0·03	0·35	0·03	0·03	0·50	Khetlal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...										
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	3	0·8	0·63	0·74	0·44	0·83	1·06	Shahzadpur ...	Pabna ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	0·07	1·01	0·04	0·16	1·45	Pabna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	1	1·6	0·26	0·77	0·20	0·27	1·22	Sirajganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	Nil	1·2	0·07	0·65	0 05	0·61	1·00	Sara.		

(a) Not ascertained.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN BENGAL

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Rajshahi—*concld.*	Malda	Malda	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chanchal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gazol	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sibganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gomastapur	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	Dacca	Munshiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dacca	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narayanganj	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	0·02	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		Narsingdi	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manikganj	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joydebpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kapasia	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	Kishorganj	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Atia (*Tangail*)	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sariabari	...	...	...	...	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mymensingh	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jamalpur	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Netrokona	...	..	...	...	0·08	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pingua	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
		Durgapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sherpur (*Town*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dewanganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nalitabari*	...																			
	Faridpur	Madaripur	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Faridpur	...	...	...	0·02	0·04	...	...	0·02	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rajbari (*Goalundo*)	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	0·03	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haridaspur	...	...	...	0·40	0·40	...	...	0·05	...	...	0·05	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Taherhat	...	...	0·02	0·09	...	...	0·01	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhanga	...	...	...	0·10	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pangsa	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·15	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bullakandi	...	...	0·28	0·15	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhanga	...	...	...	0·21	...	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palong	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barguna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirozpur	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barisal	...	..	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gaurnadi	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhola	...	...	...	0·04	0·11	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daulatkhan	...	...	...	0·02	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hatiya	...	...	..	...	0·53	...	...	0·31	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong	Chittagong	Cox's Bazar	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	0 19	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chittagong	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·37	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kutubdia	...	...	...	0·24	0·27	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Satkania	...	...	...	0·75	...	...	...	0·21	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kodala	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	0·70	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mirsarai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tippera	Comilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandpur	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Brahmanbaria	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramchandrapur	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nasirnagar*	...																			
		Daudkandi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kasba	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	1·06	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Laksam	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Noakhali	Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Feni	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	1·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hatiya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	0·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chhagalnaya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hatiya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lakhnipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bandarban	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	3·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barkal	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	0·13	0 50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahalcheri	...	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lama	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	0·20	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramgarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manikcheri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dighinala*	...																			
	Hill Tippera.	Agartala	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	0·04	0·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Cooch Behar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mekliganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mathabhanga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Fulbari* (*Tufanganj*)	...																			

* Return not received.

DACCA, *the 19th March 1924.*

FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 1924—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st December 1923 to 29th February 1924.	Normal rainfall from 1st December 1923 to 21th February 1924.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	Nil	1·7	0·14	0·84	0·07	0·14	1·49	Malda ...	Malda ...	RAJSHAHI —*concld.*
...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·10	0·78	0·10	0·25	1·27	Chanchal.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	Nil	1·6	0·07	0·72	0·07	0·07	1·12	Gazol.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·4	0·15	0·75	0·15	0·15	1·43	Sibganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	1	1·7	0·26	0·98	0·13	0·26	1·29	Gomastapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·6	Nil	0·70	Nil	Nil	1·19	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·1	0·45	1·30	0·45	0·35	1·99	Munshiganj ...	Dacca ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·9	0·14	1·25	0·13	0·47	1·77	Dacca.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	0·04	1·07	0·03	0·09	1·96	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·0	0·07	1·40	0·04	0·38	1·94	Narayanganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·12	0·95	0·12	0·25	1·57	Narsingdi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·9	0·12	1·18	0·07	1·36	1·73	Manikganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·6	Nil	1·02	Nil	Nil	1·50	Joydebpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·4	0·29	0·54	0·28	0·41	1·08	Kapasia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·9	0·20	0·92	0·20	0·44	1·66	Kishorganj ...	Mymensingh	
...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·45	0·93	0·38	0·60	1·43	Atia (*Tangail*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·4	0·47	0·72	0·47	0·47	1·28	Sarishabari		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·18	0·94	0·11	0·35	1·58	Mymensingh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·16	0·88	0·16	0·24	1·43	Jamalpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·9	0·08	0·97	0·08	0·10	1·40	Netrokona.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·28	0·84	0·20	0·43	1·01	Pingna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	Nil	0·60	Nil	0·29	1·19	Durgapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0·73	Nil	Nil	1·18	Sherpur (*Town*).		DACCA.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·1	Nil	0·55	Nil	0·21	0·88	Dewanganj.		
										1·3		0·59			0·90	Nalitabari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·18	1·08	0·18	1·15	1·71	Madaripur ...	Faridpur..	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·2	0·10	1·32	0·04	0·60	1·92	Faridpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·9	0·20	1·21	0·09	0·35	1·73	Gajbari (*Goalundo*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·9	0·35	1·02	0·40	0·95	1·61	Haridaspur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	0·19	0·88	0·09	0·70	1·41	Takerhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·0	0·30	0·80	0·15	1·30	1·23	Bhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	2	2·1	0·34	0·91	0·15	1·25	1·49	Pangsa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·1	0·44	1·23	0·28	1·08	2·31	Ballakandi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·5	0·21	1·24	0·21	1·59	2·07	Bhusna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·5	0·18	1·40	0·15	1·09	2·16	Palong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·8	0·52	1·40	0·41	0·52	2·40	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·7	Nil	1·34	Nil	Nil	1·94	Barguna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·10	1·28	0·10	0·38	2·06	Pirospur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·9	0·23	1·05	0·23	0·52	1·80	Barisal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·25	1·04	0·25	1·17	1·43	Gaurnadi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·17	0·92	0·11	0·52	1·62	Bhola.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·9	0·08	0·94	0·04	1·17	1·47	Daulatkhan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·7	1·10	1·00	0·53	1·10	1·86	Bauphal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·7	0·34	0·57	0·19	0·87	0·55	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong	CHITTAGONG.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·3	1·34	1·08	0·96	1·66	1·99	Chittagong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·0	0·51	0·65	0·27	0·76	1·80	Kutubdia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·7	1·71	0·40	0·75	1·85	1·07	Satkania.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·5	1·20	0·79	0·70		1·74	Kodala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·40	0·82	0·40	0·62	1·46	Mirsarai.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·0	0·08	1·08	0·08	0·17	1·85	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·2	0·31	1·00	0·17	0·74	1·77	Chandpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·1	0·31	1·19	0·17	0·27	1·94	Brahmanbaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·6	0·35	1·01	0·35	0·45	1·35	Ramchandrapur.		
										1·9		1·02			1·55	Nasirnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·5	0·12	1·05	0·12	0·53	1·54	Daudkandi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·6	1·13	0·97	1·08	1·13	1·47	Kasba.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·9	0·26	1·21	0·26	0·26	1·90	Laksam.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·14	1·07	0·12	0·22	1·37	Noakhali ...	Noakhali	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	1·59	0·97	1·32	1·68	1·38	Feni.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	0·87	Nil	0·05	1·64	Harishpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·5	0·73	1·02	0·64	1·03	1·32	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	1·25	0·95	1·25	1·25	1·56	Chhagalnaya.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·8	0·80	1·01	0·50	0·90	1·35	Hatia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·7	0·28	1·05	0·28	0·28	1·66	Lakhimpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·7	0·51	1·04	0·28	1·12	1·98	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	4·00	0·64	3·55	4·45	1·42	Bandarban.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·1	0·92	0·93	0·50	1·57	1·90	Barkal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·7	1·27	0·49	0·95	1·76	0·56	Mahalcheri.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·7	1·44	0·86	1·00	2·19	0·89	Lama.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	1·20	0·55	1·20	1·20	0·64	Naugarh		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·47	(a)	0·47	0·46	(a)	Manikcheri.		
										(a)		(a)			(a)	Dighinala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·7	0·79	1·24	0·57	0·83	1·95	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·5	Nil	0·66	Nil	Nil	1·19	Dhubata ...	Cooch Behar.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	Nil	1·5	0·04	0·64	0·03	0·04	1·05	Cooch Behar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	Nil	1·4	0·05	0·79	0·05	0·27	1·20	Mekligunj.		
..	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	Nil	1·6	0·07	0·67	0·04	0·07	1·04	Mathabhanga.		
										1·7		0·81			1·28	Fulbaria (*Tufanganj*).		

(a) Not ascertained.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

First General Election of Councillors under Act III (B.C.) of 1923.

NOTICE.

In compliance with section 29 (*8*) of Act III (B.C.) of 1923 it is hereby notified that the candidates named below have been declared duly elected as Councillors of the Corporation of Calcutta from the constituencies specified below against their names :—

1.	Badridas Goenka	Burabazar (Non-Muhammadan) (Ward No. 7).
2.	Probhudoyal Himatsingka ...	
3.	Hiralal Mehta	
1.	Lalit Mohan Dey	Waterloo Street (Non-Muhammadan) (Ward No. 12).
1.	Bepin Behary Sadkhan	Fenwick Bazar (Non-Muhammadan) (Ward No. 13).
1.	D. J. Cohen	Kalinga (Non-Muhammadan) (Ward No. 15).
1.	Bejoy Prosad Sinha Roy ...	Park Street (Non-Muhammadan) (Ward No. 16).
1.	Ernest J. Solomon	Bamun Bustee (Non Muhammad) (Ward No. 17).
1.	Nagendra Nath Banerjee ...	Alipore (Non-Muhammadan) (Ward No. 23).
1.	Panchanon Mitra, M.A.	Beliaghata (Non-Muhammadan) (Ward No. 28).
2.	Bidhu Bhusan Sarcar	
1.	Nalini Mohan Chatterji	Satpukur (Non-Muhammadan) (Ward No. 31).
1.	Dr. K. Ahmad	Muhammadan Constituency No. III (Wards Nos. 13 to 20).
2.	Shamshul Huque	
1.	Unsud Dowla	Muhammadan Constituency No. VII (Ward No. 26).
2.	Mahamed Hossain	

HARIDHAN DUTT, *Chairman.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, CALCUTTA, *the 20th March 1924.*

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of March 1924.

Marts.	PADDY, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	7 4 0	7 4 0	8 8 0
Burdwan ...	(a)	2 14 6	2 14 0	2 14 6	2 12 6	2 12 0	8 10 0	8 12 0	8 0 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0
Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 6 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 8 0
Dacca ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 8 0
Pabna ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0
Rangpur ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	7 4 0
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	RICE, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	6 2 0	6 2 0	7 0 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Burdwan ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 4 0	5 8 0	(a)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0
Chittagong ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	5 4 0	5 14 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	5 0 0
Pabna ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 2 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
Rangpur ...	7 8 0	7 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not available. (c) No transaction.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of March 1924.

Marts.	Gram.			Arhar Dal.			Linseed.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	7 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	9 4 0
Burdwan ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	(a)	(a)	(a)
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 4 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	7 8 0	7 8 0
Chittagong ..	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0
Dacca ...	5 4 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	6 8 0
Pabna ...	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 12 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	7 12 0	7 12 0	7 0 0
Rangpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 4 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	(n)	(n)	.....
Serajganj (Pabna)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	Mustard.			Gur.			Cotton (unginned).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	8 8 0	8 8 0	9 8 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	19 0 0 to 21 0 0	19 0 0 to 21 0 0	13 0 0 to 15 0 0
Burdwan ...	7 8 0 to 8 8 0	7 8 0 to 8 8 0	8 8 0 to 9 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0 to 7 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	8 0 0 to 9 8 0	8 0 0 to 9 8 0	10 0 0 to 11 0 0	11 8 0	11 8 0	11 4 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	7 8 0	7 8 0	10 0 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	8 4 0	8 4 0	8 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 12 0	8 8 0	9 0 0	7 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	11 0 0	10 0 0	8 4 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(n) Not reported.

(a) Not available

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of March 1924.

Marts	Jute.			Ghee.			Hide (Cow).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(1) 12 0 0 (2) (a) (3) 11 5 0	(1) 12 0 0 (2) (a) (3) 11 2 0	(1) 16 8 0 (2) 16 0 0 (3) 13 12 0	85 0 0	85 0 0	86 0 0	335 0 0*	335 0 0*	337 8 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	9 8 0	9 8 0	11 12 0 to 12 13 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	(c)	(c)	12 0 0 to 14 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	9 0 0 to 10 4 0	9 0 0 to 10 4 0	12 4 0 to 15 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

*(1) Price of jat fours.
(2) Price of district fours.
(3) Weighted average price.

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosine oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	(a) 10 0 0 to 12 0 0	(a) 11 0 0 to 13 0 0	(d) 10 0 0 to 13 0 0	3 1 0	3 5 0	(e) 120 0 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun. 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 5 0 Elephant 7 7 0
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Per 100 pieces. (a) British mild steel per cwt. (c) No transaction. (d) Per ton. (e) Per 100 maunds ex Golah.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of March 1924.

Marts.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	20 0 0	21 0 0	22 8 0	0 12 0	0 13 0	0 12 0	(a)	(a)	(a)
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sariabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Not reported.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 22nd March 1924.*

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first half of March 1924.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.																	
			Common rice. Average.			Common rice. Cheapest.			Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar dal or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Ghetla Hât	6 8	6 8	6 0	7 0	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 4	6 0	6 8	6 4	5 0	{10 0 / 9 8*	10 0	10 0 / 9 8*
	2	Magra Hât	8 3	8 4	7 4	8 14	8 12	7 10	†(a)	(a)	(a)	5 5	5 5	5 11	11 0†	11 0†	8 14
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata .	6 0	6 0	5 5	7 10	7 10	8 0	6 2	6 2	6 2	5 8	5 8	4 13	8 0†	8 0†	{13 0 / 1010*
		Nadia.															
	4	Gouri	7 8	7 8	7 7	8 0	8 0	7 15	5 4	4 8	4 12	5 0	5 0	4 12	8 14†	8 14†	8 14†
	5	Ranaghat	7 0	7 0	6 8	9 0	9 0	6 12	4 8	5 4	4 8	5 4	5 4	4 0	10 0†	10 0†	10 8†
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampore	7 12	7 8	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 12	7 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	{8 0 / 10 0*	8 12 / 10 0*	{9 8* / 8 0
	7	Kandi	8 0	8 8	9 8	8 4	8 12	9 12	7 0	7 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	10 0†	10 0†	9 4†
	8	Jangipur .	8 8	8 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	9 4	6 0 (b)	5 4	4 10	8 0	8 0	6 0	10 0†	10 0†	13 0*
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	7 0	8 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 0	5 0	4 0	3 8	5 0	5 0	4 0	9 0	10 8	{11 8 / 10 8*
	10	Bongaon	7 8	7 8	7 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	4 0	4 0	3 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	{10 8 / 10 0*	10 8 / 10 0*	10 8†
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 12†	8 12†	{8 8 / 9 0*
	12	Bagerhat	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	{8 12 / 9 0*
		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	7 12	7 12	7 12	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	6 0	6 0	8 0	{10 0 / 10 8*	10 0 / 10 8*	{11 0* / 10 0
	14	Kalna	7 4	7 4	6 12	7 10	7 10	7 0	5 8	5 0	5 0	5 8	5 8	4 10	10 4†	10 4†	10 0†
Burdwan.		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	7 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 8	6 8	5 8	9 8*	10 0*	9 0*
	16	Rampur Hât	7 8	7 12	9 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	10 0†	10 0†	{10 0* / 9 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 0	8 12	9 0	7 0	9 0	5 8	5 8	6 4	4 8	{9 4 / 10 0	10 0†	{13 0 / 14 0*
	18	Vishnupur	8 0	8 12	8 2	8 12	9 0	8 12	6 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 0	10 8†	10 0*	{11 0 / 12 0*
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	8 11	8 11	8 6	9 0	9 0	8 11	4 8	4 8	5 4	5 0	5 0	5 4	9 0*	{9 0* / 10 0	9 0 / 10 8*
	20	Contai	9 8	9 12	9 8	10 0	10 8	10 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	6 0	5 8	10 0†	10 8†	8 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	7 0	6 12	5 8	8 0	7 12	6 8	6 4	6 0	5 6	6 8	5 8	5 0	{10 0 / 9 0*	9 8 / 9 0*	10 0 / 9 0*
	22	Arambagh .. .	8 4	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 10	4 0	4 10	4 4	4 4	4 8	4 0	{8 8 / 8 0*	9 0 / 10 0	9 0 / 8 4*
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	7 8	6 0	6 4	8 0	8 0	7 4	6 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	{11 0 / 10 0*	11 0 / 10 8	11 0 / 10 0*
	24	Uluberia	7 8	7 8	6 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 0	11 8	9 8*	9 2†
		Rajshahi.															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	8 10	8 4	6 12	7 14	5 8	6 12	6 0	6 0	8 4†	{8 7* / 8 4	10 0* / 8 9
	26	Nator	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 10	9 0	8 4	6 0	†6 0	4 14	8 0	7 0	4 14	{6 12 / 8 1*	7 8 / 8 1	8 1†
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hât.	7 8	7 12	9 0	8 0	7 12	9 9	4	4 13	4 0	6 0	5 8	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	11 0†
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 0†	9 0†	8 0†

* Karkach. (a) Not available. (b) New.

N. B.—The price of karkach and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

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QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SHERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar Dal or Thur Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar Dal or Thur Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar Dal or Thur Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi—*contd.*	29	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 4	8 4	7 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 4	7 0 / 8 0*	7 0 / 8 0*	9 0†
	30	Siliguri	6 8	6 0	6 8	8 0	7 0	7 8	5 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	4 0	4 0	8 0*	8 0*	8 0†
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	5 8	5 8	7 0	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	5 0	4 8	5 0	4 8	8 0* / 7 0	8 0* / 7 0	6 8* / 7 0*
	32	Nilphamari	6 8	6 8	8 0	(d)	(d)	(d)	4 8	4 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 8	8 0†	8 0*	8 12* / 9 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar .	6 6	7 8	7 14	7 11	7 11	8 4	4 12	4 13	4 0	5 5	4 13	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	8 4 / 9 12
		Pabna															
	34	Sadar	6 12	6 12	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 4	5 4	5 4	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0†	8 0 / 8 0*	6 8
	35	Sirajganj ...	6 4	6 0	6 12	7 12	7 10	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 12	4 12	4 0	8 0†	8 0†	8 0* / 6 14*
		Malda															
	36	Sadar	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	8 4	9 0	9 0	5 8	6 0	6 0 (b)	6 0	8 0 / 9 0*	10 0†	9 8†
	37	Dalia—Nawabganj...	8 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 0†	10 0†	10 8†
Dacca.		Dacca.															
	38	Sadar	7 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	5 8	8 0	6 0	6 0	4 8	9 8 / 10 0*	9 8 / 10 0†	10 8
	39	Mirkadim ..	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	(a)	(a)	(a	(a)	(a)	(a)	10 0 / 10 4*	10 0 / 10 4*	13 0 / 13 4*
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad .. .	6 0	6 6	7 4	7 0	7 4	8 0	7 0	7 0	5 8	6 0	6 4	5 8	9 8 / 10 0	8 4 / 10 0†	10 0* / 10 0
	41	Netrakona ...	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 0	8 0	7 12	5 0	5 0	4 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	9 0 / 8 0*	9 0 / 8 0*	10 0 / 8 0*
		Faridpur															
	42	Sadar	8 0	7 8	6 12	8 8	8 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 4	4 12	5 0	4 8	9 0†	8 0†	6 8* / 7 0
	43	Rajbari ...	7 8	7 12	7 0	8 0	8 4	7 8	6 0	5 8	6 0	7 0	6 8	4 12	8 0†	10 0* / 11 0	11 0 / 12 0*
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	8 0	8 0	6 12	9 0	9 0	7 14	8 0	8 0	9 0	5 4	5 4	5 6	8 0 / 10 0*	9 4 / 10 0†	10 8†
	45	Pirojpur	7 14	7 1	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	9 0†	9 0†	8 0†
		Tippera															
	46	Comilla	7 4 (b)	7 4	7 4	8 0 (b)	8 0	8 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	5 8	5 8	4 8	8 0†	9 4 / 10 4	10 0†
	47	Chandpur	8 8	8 4	7 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 0	7 0	8 8	6 0	5 8	5 0	10 8* / 10 0	11 4	12 0†
Chittagong.		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat .	8 0	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	8 0	5 0	5 4	4 0	8 0*	9 0 / 8 0†	8 0
	49	Feni Hat	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	5 0	5 0	4 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	10 0 / 8 0*	10 0 / 8 0*	9 7 / 8 0*
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar...	7 0	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 0	5 4	5 4	5 0	5 0	4 12	10 0 / 8 0	10 0 / 8 0	11 0 / 9 0
	51	Cox's Bazar	7 8	7 8	7 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 0	8 0 / 8 0*	8 0 / 6 0*	10 8 / 8 0*
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Ramgamati.	(a)	(a)	(a)	7 0	7 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	3 12	9 0 / 6 8*	10 8 / 6 8*	9 0 / 6 8

(a) Not available. (d) Ans. (c) No sale. (a) Not reported (b) New. *Karkatch.

N.B.—The prices of karkatch and Liverpool salt tally with each other in marts marked †.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 2079M.—The 31st March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*5*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923 (Bengal Act III of 1923), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint, with effect from the 1st April 1924, Rai Dr. Haridhan Dutt Bahadur to exercise and perform the powers and duties which are conferred or imposed by or under the said Act on the Executive Officer until that Officer is appointed under sub-section (*1*) of section 51 of the said Act.

Minister in charge : The Hon'ble Hadji Mr. Abdul Karim Abu Ahmed Khan Ghuznavi.

No. 2080M.—The 31st March 1924.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*4*) of section 2 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923 (Bengal Act III of 1923), the Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to direct that the rules made under section 73 (*b*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, for the grant of a retiring gratuity shall apply, with effect from the 1st April 1924, to every person holding an appointment under the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, in the area added to Calcutta and contributing to the Provident Fund established under the said Bengal Municipal Act, subject to the condition that half the total period of his service rendered prior to the 1st April 1924 should be taken into account in granting gratuities under the said rules.

G. S. DUTT,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

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